RESTRICTED USE PESTICIDE
DUE TO AQUATIC TOXICITY
For retail sale to, and use only by, Certified Applicators or Persons under their direct supervision and only for those uses covered by the Certified Applicators' certification.

PRENFISH GRASS CARP MANAGEMENT BAIT

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:
Rotenone, Related Compounds, Piperonyl Butoxide Technical*

INERT INGREDIENTS: EPA Reg. No. 655-795

*Equivalent to 0.4% (Butylcarbitol(6-propypiperon-1) ether and 0.1% related compounds.

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EPA Registration No. 655-795
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KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

FIRST AID
Have product container or label with you when obtaining treatment advice.

If swallowed
• Call a physician, Poison Control Center, or the National Pesticide Telecommunications Network at 1-800-858-7378 immediately for treatment advice.
• Do not induce vomiting unless directed by a physician or Poison Control Center.
• Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious or convulsing person.

If on skin
• Wash with plenty of soap and water for 15-20 minutes.
• Call a physician, Poison Control Center, or the National Pesticide Telecommunications Network at 1-800-858-7378 immediately for treatment advice.

If in eyes
• Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes.
• Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.
• Call a poison control center, doctor, or the National Pesticide Telecommunications Network at 1-800-858-7378 immediately for treatment advice.

For information on this pesticide product (including health concerns, medical emergencies, or pesticide incidents), call the National Pesticide Telecommunications Network at 1-800-858-7378.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS
HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS
CAUTION

Harmful if swallowed or absorbed through skin. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS
This pesticide is extremely toxic to fish. Fish kills are expected at recommended rates. Consult your State Fish and Game Agency before applying this product to public waters to determine if a permit is needed for such an application. Do not contaminate untreated water when disposing of equipment washwaters.
DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

USE RESTRICTIONS

This product may be used to reduce grass carp populations that have been trained to eat fish food pellets and that reside in freshwater lakes, ponds and reservoirs. Use this product only at locations, rates, and times authorized and approved by the appropriate State and Federal fish and wildlife agencies.

This product is to be used only after the body of water to be treated has been prebaited and grass carp within it have been trained to come to designated locations to feed upon floating fish feed. Apply this product only within the range of rates specified in this labeling. Do not apply Prentox Prefish Grass Carp Management Bait at times when winds and/or waves are high.

Collect and properly dispose of all dead fish and unconsumed or leftover bait. Do not use dead fish that were exposed to this product for feed or as food.

GENERAL USE CONSIDERATIONS

Prentox Prefish Grass Carp Management Bait has been developed to provide a selective method for reducing grass carp populations. This bait is toxic to grass carp that consume it but is not believed to be harmful to free-swimming fish that do not eat the bait. This bait is made primarily from grain and vegetable products and is attractive to grass carp but not as attractive to game fish species.

For this product to be effective, grass carp must be trained (prebaited) to come to a specific location and feed on a nontoxic bait, Prentox™ Fish Management Bait-Trainer (FMB-T), applied by an automatic fish feeder or by hand. It is extremely important to make sure that use of prebait has peaked and that conditions are optimal for acceptance and effectiveness of the toxic bait before it is applied. Follow-up treatments with this product tend to be far less successful than initial treatments at the same bait station locations.

Factors such as pH, turbidity, depth, and water temperature will affect the performance of this product. This product is most effective when water temperatures exceed 80°F (about 27°C).

ESTABLISHING TEST SITES

Areas designated for baiting should be established away from shore, at or near the edge of littoral zone vegetation and away from areas where boat traffic is likely. The judgment of experienced State and Federal fisheries personnel should be employed to determine optimal locations for feeding areas in each body of water to be treated.

Circumscribe each area designated for baiting by use of a feed retention ring designed to restrain the movement of floating bait (see "SAMPLE STATION PLACEMENT" diagram). Each retention ring should encompass area no less than 0.1 acres. Attach feed retention ring to bait dispensing station, if one is used, as indicated in the diagram. Secure bait station in place either by use of anchors or by mounting baiter on a post sunk into the bottom of the lake, pond, or reservoir. If no bait dispenser is used, restrain the movements of the feed retention ring using at least two anchors, allowing enough slack in lines to accommodate the range of expected fluctuations in the water level.

SAMPLE BAIT STATION PLACEMENT

FEED RETENTION RING

Typically constructed of 2 to 4" irrigation pipe sealed end to end. Attach feed ring to feeder with light rope to maintain position. The edge of the feed ring should be approximately 15 meters from the feeder.

FEEDER ON FLOATS

Example of feeder on floats construction. Feeders can also be mounted on post sunk in lake bottom. Feeders should be placed away from bait traffic areas.

ANCHOR LINES

For floating feeder, secure feeder in place with anchors and lines.
PREBAITING DIRECTIONS
Prior to use of this product, train grass carp to eat pelleted feed by applying 1.1-3.3 lbs. (0.5-1.5 kg.) of Prentox Fish Management Bait-Train (FMB-T). Apply prebait twice a day at set times, preferably at dusk and dawn—the times when grass carp feed most readily. One to two weeks of training should attract any grass carp in the vicinity to the prebaited area.

BAITING DIRECTIONS
After prebait is accepted consistently by grass carp, apply Prentox Prentox Fish Grass Carp Management Bait in the same manner in which the prebait had been applied. One pellet of this product contains approximately enough rotenone to kill a 2.2 lb. (1 kg.) fish, although some variation can occur.

EXPECTED RESULTS
It is possible to kill all of the grass carp feeding at the bait station at one time. The number of fish killed is limited to the number of fish feeding at the feeder and the number of Prentox Prentox Fish Grass Carp Management Bait pellets that are used. Once the grass carp have been removed from the area, the bait station should be moved 200-300 meters to attract naive fish.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL
Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal.

STORAGE:
Store only in the original container, in a dry place inaccessible to children and pets. If spilled, sweep up and dispose of as below. After opening, only store indoors at room temperature. Do not expose to light for prolonged periods of time.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:
Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL:
Completely empty bag into application equipment. Then dispose of empty bag in a sanitary landfill or by incineration or, if allowed by State and local authorities, by burning. If burned stay out of smoke.

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