

# **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

## **OVERALL LAWN APPLICATION**

Pratt Diazinon 5% Granules control the following lawn insects on both grass and dichondra lawns: Chinch Bugs, Earwigs, Ticks, Ants, Lawn Moths (Sod Webworms), Bermuda Mites, Crickets, Armyworms, Brown Dog Ticks, Chiggers, Clover Mites, Cutworms, Fleas, Leafhoppers, Sowbugs, Millipedes, Springtails (Collembola). Apply Pratt Diazinon 5% Granules to your lawn with a fertilizer spreader with the setting to give the rates required. Application should be made when grass is dry. Water lawn lightly after application. Repeat as necessary.

Apply at the rate of 2 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. (an area 20 ft. by 50 ft.) or 3.2 oz. per 100 sq. ft. (an area 10 ft. by 10 ft.). For heavy lawns such as St. Augustine lawns, application should be increased to 3 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. (or 4.8 oz. per 100 sq. ft.).

Billbugs and White Grubs of Japanese Beetle, European Chafer, Southern Chafer: Apply 2.4 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. of lawn. Water grass thoroughly after application. For grub control make application any time between late July and early October. For billbug control, apply when activity is first observed or when chewed or brown grass indicates damage for these insects. Repeat as necessary.

Hyperodes Weevil (New York only): Apply 2 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft. of grass. Water grass thoroughly after application. Treat problem areas in mid-April and again in mid-May.

#### SPOT TREATMENT

Ants: Apply one teaspoon of Pratt Diazinon 5% Granules over and around each individual ant hill.

Digger Wasps: Apply one teaspoon of Pratt Diazinon 5% Granules in and around each individual ground nest opening. Make the application about dusk when the wasps are not active.

## **BAND TREATMENT AROUND FOUNDATION**

The following insects are commonly found around or near the foundation of houses as well as in the lawn. Certain of these insects may even enter the house: Ants, Brown Dog Ticks, Clover Mites, Crickets, Earwigs, Fleas, Millipedes, Sowbugs, Spring-tails (Collembola). For control of the above insects, apply a 5 ft. band of Pratt Diazinon 5% Granules next to the foundation of the house. Distribute the granules uniformly, using a rate of 3.2 oz. for each 5 ft. by 20 ft. area to be treated.

# **USE PRECAUTIONS**

Harmful if swallowed. May be absorbed through the skin. Avoid breathing of dust. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid contamination of feed and foodstuffs. Wash thoroughly after handling. Treat lawns in late afternoon. Keep children and pets off treated areas until the following afternoon.

This product is toxic to fish and wildlife. Birds feeding on treated areas may be killed. Keep out of any body of water. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment, or disposal of wastes. Apply this product only as specified on this label.

Empty bags should be buried or burned (Stay out of Smoke). If the bags are burned, the ashes should be buried in a safe place. BUYER ASSUMES ALL RISKS OF USE, STORAGE OR HANDLING OF THIS MATERIAL NOT IN STRICT ACCORDANCE WITH DIRECTIONS GIVEN HEREWITH.

> CAUTION: KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN B. G. PRATT DIVISION GABRIEL CHEMICALS LTD. PATERSON, N.J. 07509 NET WEIGHT: 20 LBS.

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