

DISPOSAL OF CONTAINERS:

Decontaminate flasks by filling them with water after the pellets have been dispensed. Dispose of stoppers by burying.



POISON



ANTIDOTE:

Remove victim to open air and remove any contaminated clothing. If ingested, give a teaspoonful of salt in a glass of warm water to induce vomiting. Repeat until vomit fluid is clear. Call a physician immediately.

WARNING:

Phostoxin releases poisonous gas when moist. Do not breathe dust or fumes. Poisonous if swallowed. Do not get on skin. **Keep away from liquid water.** Wear gloves when handling pellets. Phostoxin to be used only by experienced adult personnel. Do not open container except for short-term usage. **Always open in open air.** Store only in cool, dry, locked, ventilated room. Protect from moisture, open flames or heat. Keep available a gas-mask and canister approved by the U.S. Department of Interior, Bureau of Mines, for phosphine protection.

SYMPTOMS:

Pressing sensation in the chest, nausea, and diarrhea.

FOR RAW AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS FUMIGATION:

For treatment of grain pests in stored rice, wheat, barley, corn, oats, sorghum, millet and rye. The Phostoxin pellets may be added to the grain stream by automatic dispenser as it is flowing into a bin.

Suggested dosage for stored grain treatment is 10 pellets per ton of grain or 300 pellets per 1,000 bushels. The tightness of the bin and temperature will influence the effective usage of this material since it is dependent on the fumigation achieved by the gases released. The time

of exposure required is approximated in the following guide:

- at 54–59° F. (12–15° C.) — 4 days are required
- at 60–68° F. (16–20° C.) — 3 days are required
- at more than 68° F. (20° C.) — 2 full days but not less.

Do not fumigate when grain is below 40° F. (5° C.)

Phostoxin has been found effective against grain insects and their pre-adult stages — that is, eggs, larvae, and pupae. These include grain and rice weevils, saw-toothed grain beetle, flat or rusty grain beetle, lesser grain borer, rust-red flour beetle, Cadelle, grain moth, dried fruit moth, Mediterranean flour moth, Indian-meal moth and Angoumois grain moth.

FOR PROCESSED FOODS FUMIGATION:

See special instructions on separate sheets for each package in each case.

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TO ATTACHED COMMENTS.

Phostoxin[★]

DEGESCH

COATED PELLETS

FOR USE AGAINST INSECTS WHICH INFEST STORED GRAIN AND PROCESSED FOODS

★ Active Ingredient: Aluminum phosphide 55%
Inert Ingredient 45%

Pat. Nos. 2826527, 2826486, and 3132067

U.S.D.A. Reg. No. 5857-2



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DANGER Keep out of reach of children
See antidote and other warnings on back panel

Contents: 1,660 pellets • Net weight: 1,000 g (2 lbs 3.28 ozs)

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