

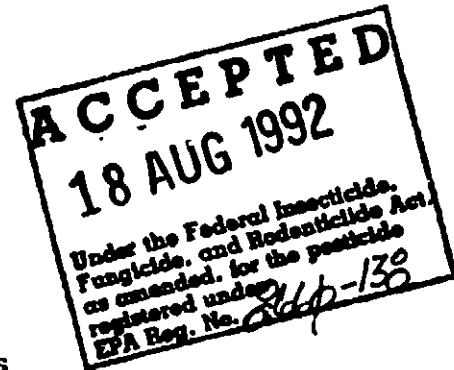
(FRONT PANEL)

**VERTAGREEN®**  
**FLEA & TICK PET SPRAY**

READY TO USE

For Use on Cats and Dogs

And on Premises to Control Fleas and Ticks



**ACTIVE INGREDIENT:**

\*Resmethrin . . . . . 0.25%

**INERT INGREDIENTS:** . . . . . 99.75%

TOTAL 100.00%

\*Cis/trans isomers ratio maximum 30% (±) c's and minimum 70% (±) trans.

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN**

**CAUTION**

**SEE BACK PANEL FOR ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONS**

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**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS**

**HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS**

**CAUTION**

Harmful if swallowed. Avoid contact with eyes, skin or clothing. Avoid contamination of feed and foodstuffs. Remove pets, birds, and cover fish aquariums before space spraying. Do not use on edible crops. Do not remain in treated areas. Ventilate the area when treatment is complete.

**STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT**

**IF SWALLOWED:** Induce vomiting by sticking finger in back of throat or by administration of syrup of Ipecac. Get medical attention.

**IF ON SKIN:** Wash with plenty of soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops.

**IF IN EYES:** Flush with water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

**ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

This pesticide is highly toxic to fish. Do not apply directly to water or wetlands (swamps, bogs, marshes and potholes). Drift and runoff from treated sites may be hazardous to fish in adjacent waters. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters.

**PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL HAZARDS**

Do not apply this product in conduits, motor housings, junctions, switch boxes or other electrical equipment because of possible shock hazard.

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

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

**OUTDOORS**

**PESTS OUTDOORS:** Do not treat or allow the 0.25% spray to contact plants (lawns, flowering plants, shrubs, trees, evergreens, etc.) because of possible injury.

**HOUSE FLIES, MOSQUITOES, GNATS (MIDGES), DEER FLIES, STABLE FLIES, CLUSTER FLIES, FLYING MOTHS (MILLERS) & FRUIT FLIES:** Spray resting areas to reduce annoyance from these pests. Follow precautions listed above. Hold container 18-24 inches (46-61 cm) from the areas to be treated. Spray these areas with a slow, sweeping motion at the rate of 1 to 3 seconds per cubic yard of space (0.76 cu. m) while moving away from the treated areas. Treat open porches and patios in a similar manner. Spray only when air is still. Allow spray to dissipate before occupying the treated areas. Repeat as necessary.

**WASPS, HORNETS, YELLOW JACKETS, BEES:** Same as directed below for indoor use. Application should be made in the late evening when insects are at rest. Aim spray at nest openings in cracks and crevices which may harbor pests, saturating nest openings and contacting as many insects as possible. Repeat as necessary.

**ANTS AND FLEAS:** Same as directed below for indoor use.

**CRICKETS, SILVER FISH, EARWIGS, SPIDERS, SOWBUGS, CENTIPEDES, AND MILLIPEDES:** Same as directed below for indoor use.

**FIRE ANTS:** Kills and temporarily reduces annoyance of these insects. To reduce annoyance from these ants and keep them from entering homes, spray patios, barbecue areas, driveways, door sills, window sills, other entrance areas, foundations of buildings, ant trails, mounds, around pools and areas where the ants are noticed. Spray until the area is wet, contacting as many insects as possible. This treatment will not kill the colonies but will reduce the immediate population for up to four hours. Repeat as necessary. Avoid contacting plants, shrubbery and large areas of lawns.

**INDOORS**

May be used in edible product areas of food processing plants, restaurants or other areas where food is commercially prepared or processed. Do not use in serving areas while food is exposed. In the home, cover all food handling surfaces and cover or remove all food and cooking utensils.

For use in non-food areas of food handling establishments in and around premises of commercial, industrial, office, residential, public, institutional and storage buildings; hotels, motels, homes, preschools, nurseries, day camps, seed houses, packaging and processing plants, milk handling areas of milk, cheese and ice cream plants, milk storage rooms, egg processing plants, supermarkets, restaurants, bottling plants, canneries, flour and feed mills, bakeries, boats, ship cabins and hospitals.

In hospitals, patients should be removed prior to treatment. Also for use in campers, mobile homes, buses, automobiles, trucks, boxcars, and ship cargo holds; also for use in dog kennels and horse stables. In horse stables, not for application if horses will be used for food.

Do not use on electrical equipment or on surfaces that can be harmed or stained by water.

**SPACE SPRAY:** Remove or cover plants. Do not allow the undiluted spray to contact plants because of possible injury.

**FLYING INSECTS** - House Flies, Deer Flies, Stable Flies, Gnats, Cluster Flies, Vinegar flies, Mosquitoes, Fruit Flies Flying Moths (Millers): Apply as space spray. Mix well before using. Fill spray tank. Adjust pressure and nozzle to deliver a fine mist spray. Close all doors and windows. Point nozzle upward and direct the spray mist to all parts of the room, especially windows and other light sources which attract these insects. Keep the spray nozzle at all times at least four feet (1.2 m) from fabrics to avoid wetting or staining. Fill the room with mist at the dosage of one fl. oz. per 1000 cu. ft. of space (30 ml. per 28 cu. m). Then leave the treated area. Keep the room closed for at least 15 minutes. Ventilate the room when treatment is completed and before re-entry.

**CRAWLING INSECTS** - Use this product as a residual treatment for control of Centipedes, Cockroaches (Waterbugs), Crickets, Earwigs, Fleas, Millipedes, Silverfish, Sowbugs, Spiders, Grain Mites and Grain Insects (Adult and accessible stages of Confused Flour Beetles, Red Flour Beetles, Sawtoothed Grain Beetles, Cigarette Beetles, Shiny Spider Beetles, Carpet Beetles, Grain Weevils, Angoumois Grain Moths): Apply as a contact spray. Mix well before using. Fill spray tank with spray dilution. Keep spray nozzle about 8 to 12 inches (20 to 30 cm.) from surface to be treated. Adjust pressure and nozzle to deliver a coarse spray with particle size larger than that of the average aerosol. Spray thoroughly into hiding places such as cracks, crevices, moist areas, openings around pipes and sinks, under refrigerators, baseboards, storage areas, and other insect harborage areas. Spray directly on insects where possible. Repeat as necessary.

**SPIDERS:** Spray directly on these pests and use repeated applications to the webbing and all cracks and crevices which harbor spiders.

**ANTS:** Spray doors, around window frames, ant trails and hills.

**BEDBUGS:** Apply as a spot treatment to cracks and crevices around baseboards, floorboards, bedboards, and walls. First thoroughly clean and air mattresses and springs. Then spot treat only areas that may harbor Bedbugs, concentrating on tufts, folds and seams. Repeat as necessary. For persistent infestation, consult professional applicator.

FLEAS AND TICKS ON DOGS, CATS AND PREMISES: Apply directly to animals along back, under forelegs and on other areas except scrotum and anus. Part hair to contact skin and insure good coverage. Hold nozzle about one foot (0.3 m) away while spraying. Apply until hair is thoroughly moist. Do not spray directly in eyes or mouth of animal. Repeat within 24 hours of first treatment if necessary. To reduce reinfestation, thoroughly spray the animal's bedding and other resting areas until the surface is slightly moist. Treat these areas at the rate of two seconds per linear foot at a distance of 12 to 18 inches (30-40 cm). Also spray the entire inside surface of dog houses. Repeat as necessary, thoroughly spraying floors, cracks, crevices and bedding. Hit as many insects directly as possible.

WASPS, HORNETS, YELLOW JACKETS, BEES: Application should be made in late evening when insects are at rest. Spray liberally into hiding and breeding places, especially under attic rafters, contacting as many insects as possible. Repeat as necessary.

RESIDUAL SPRAY: Aids in the control of COCKROACHES, CRICKETS, SILVERFISH, ANTS, MILLIPEDES, CENTIPEDES, EARWIGS, GRAIN MITES, SOWBUGS, SPIDERS: Kills for up to 4 weeks. Spray baseboards, cracks and crevices, around door and window frames, and other hiding places such as closets, in back of and under appliances, sinks and cupboards in kitchens and bathrooms. In basements, spray hiding places in cracks and crevices, lower walls and dark places. Apply as coarse, wet spray in a 4 to 6 inch (10 to 15 cm) band until area is thoroughly wet but not to the point of runoff. Repeat as necessary.

ORNAMENTAL PLANTS INDOORS: In greenhouses, lathhouses, homes, commercial and institutional buildings, and for indoor landscaping: To control Aphids, Fungus, Gnats, Leafhoppers, Plant Bugs, Spittlebugs, Thrips, and Whiteflies on the plants listed below, use the 0.02% spray dilution. To prepare the spray, dilute this product with water as shown in the Spray Dilution Chart. Mix well before using.

SPRAY DILUTION CHART

<u>Amt. of Spray Mixture Desired</u>	<u>Volume of Product Required to Make a 0.02% Spray</u>
8 fl. oz. (237 ml)	4 tsp. (20 ml)
16 fl. oz. (473 ml)	8 tsp. (40 ml)
32 fl. oz. (946 ml)	3 fl. oz. (89 ml)
64 fl. oz. (1.89 L)	5.5 fl. oz. (163 ml)
128 fl. oz. (3.79 L)	10.5 fl. oz. (311 ml)

Prior to spray application, remove infested plants from living and eating areas, and place in an area not likely to come in contact with pets, children or food. Plants can be returned to original location when leaves dry.

If plant removal is not possible, remove or cover exposed food and food handling surfaces, including utensils, and remove animals. Shut off ventilating system, air ducts, and air conditioning equipment. Avoid spray contact with surrounding areas.

Apply the spray to the upper and lower surfaces of plant foliage to the point of runoff. Avoid wetting blossoms if possible. Spray in the late afternoon or evening, when temperatures range from 50°F to 72°F (10° to 22°C). Repeat applications weekly if necessary.

Ageratum  
Aluminum Plant  
Arrowhead Vine  
Aster  
Azalea  
Baby's Tears  
Begonia  
Black-eyed Susan  
Bridal Veil  
Broadleaf Acacia  
Calendula  
Carnations  
Christmas Cactus  
Chrysanthemum  
Coleus  
Daisy  
Daphne  
Dracaena  
Dumbcane  
Easter Lily  
Fatshedera

Ferns: Asparagus  
Boston  
Sword  
Fichus  
Fuchsia  
Gardenia  
Geranium  
Heliotrope  
Hibiscus  
Hoya  
Ice Plant  
Inch Plant  
Ivy: German  
Grape  
Swedish  
English  
Marigold  
Moses in Cradle  
Nasturtium  
Nephthytis  
Palms

Pansy  
Peperomia  
Petunia  
Philodendron  
Piggy-Back Plant  
Poinsettia  
Pothos  
Prayer Plant  
Purple Waffles  
Roses  
Rubber Plant  
Salvia  
Sedum  
Shamrock  
Snake Plant  
Snapdragon  
Star-of-Bethlehem  
Verbena  
Wandering Jew  
Wax Plant  
Zebra Plant  
Zinnia

USE WITH CAUTION on African Violet, Azalea, Reiger Begonia, Boston Fern, Browallia, Tahitian Bridal Veil, Caenothus, Camellia, Chrysanthemum, Friendship Plant, Plumosa Fern, Gloxinia, Impatiens, Geranium, Oxalis, Jade, Primrose, Cyclamen, Wax Begonia, and Spider Plant.

As with all plants listed above, especially Carnations, Chrysanthemums, and Roses, there exists a wide variety of species and cultivars, and therefore a wide range of susceptibility to injury. To ascertain possible phytotoxicity, spray a few plants as described above, wait 24 hours, and check for possible injury.

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**STORAGE AND DISPOSAL**

**FOR HOMEOWNER USE ONLY:**

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage and disposal. Keep container closed and away from food, feedstuffs and domestic water supplies. **PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:** Securely wrap original container in several layers of newspaper and discard in trash. **CONTAINER DISPOSAL:** Do not reuse bag. Discard bag in trash.

**FOR PROFESSIONAL/COMMERCIAL USE ONLY:**

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage and disposal. Keep container closed and away from food, feedstuffs and domestic water supplies. **PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:** Pesticide wastes are toxic. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture, or rinsate, is a violation of Federal Law and may contaminate groundwater. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instruction, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for Guidance. **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 or local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

**WARRANTY STATEMENT**

**MANUFACTURER** warrants that this product (1) conforms to the ingredient statement on the label and (2) is reasonably fit for the purposes set forth in the Directions for Use. **EXCEPT AS SO WARRANTED, THE PRODUCT IS SOLD AS IS. MANUFACTURER MAKES NO OTHER WARRANTY EXPRESS OR IMPLIED.**

The manufacturer's directions regarding use of this product are based upon tests believed to be reliable. All statements made concerning this product apply only when used as directed, under normal use conditions. **FOLLOW DIRECTIONS CAREFULLY.** Timing and method of application, weather and crop conditions, mixture with other chemicals not specifically recommended and other influencing factors in the use of this product are beyond the control of the manufacturer. Buyer assumes all risks of use, storage or handling of this product.

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