

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS
HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

Caution: Convulsive Poison! Poisonous if Swallowed. Do not breathe dust. Do not contaminate feed and food stuffs. Keep away from children, pets and domestic animals. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating or smoking. Clean clothing should be used daily.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product is toxic to fish, birds and other wildlife. Baits exposed on soil surface may be hazardous to birds and other wildlife. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

STORAGE: Store only in original container, in a dry place inaccessible to pets and children.

DISPOSAL: Do not reuse empty container. Wrap and put in trash.

This is the Way

ZINC PHOSPHIDE BAIT FOR POCKET GOPHERS

Active Ingredient:
Zinc Phosphide..... 2.00%
Inert Ingredients..... 98.00%
Total..... 100.00%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

Any persons applying zinc phosphide products and experiencing signs and symptoms such as nausea, abdominal pain, tightness in the chest, or weakness, should be seen by a physician immediately.

IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a Poison Control Center or physician, or transport the patient to the nearest hospital. Do not drink water. Do not administer anything by mouth or make the patient vomit unless advised to do so by a physician.

IF IN EYES: Flush with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

IF ON SKIN: Remove contaminated clothing and wash affected areas with soap and water.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

USE RESTRICTIONS: For use against pocket gophers (*Thomomys* spp. and *Geomys* spp.) in lawns, golf courses and other non-crop areas. Do not expose bait in a manner which presents a likely hazard to pets, poultry and livestock. Do not apply in gardens and areas where food or feed may be contaminated. Only apply the bait underground. Collect and bury all dead animals found above ground.

HAND BAITING: Burrowing pocket gophers throw out low, fan-shaped mounds on either side of the underground burrow. These lateral burrows coming to the surface are open when the pocket gopher is active or are plugged with fresh soil. With a shovel and a long-handled spoon, carefully clear out a new opening or newly plugged lateral runway down to the junction with the main underground burrow. Reclose opening without covering bait with dirt.

PROBING: With a metal rod, probe near active mounds or "feeder" plugs to locate main underground runway. When runway has been found, soil resistance with decrease suddenly and the probe with drop about two-to-three inches. Enlarge opening to about one inch in diameter and drop one teaspoonful of bait into main tunnel. Plug hole to exclude light, taking care not to allow soil to cover bait. Bait each burrow system at two locations. Depending upon pocket gopher populations, one pound of bait will treat one-to-several acres.

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