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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

OFFICE OF CHEMICAL SAFETY
AND POLLUTION PREVENTION

Mr. John Lublinkhof
Bell Laboratories, Inc.
3699 Kinsman Blvd.
Madison, WI 53704

APR 19 2012

Dear Mr. Lublinkhof:

Subject: Label Revisions to Reflect New Label Perimeter Restriction of 100 Feet
and Burrow Baiting Language
PCQ Rodent Bait
EPA Registration No. 12455-136

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable. A stamped copy is enclosed for your records. Please submit one (1) final printed copy for the above mentioned label before releasing the product for shipment.

Note: Should you wish to add a reference to the company's website on your label, please be aware that the website becomes labeling under the Federal Insecticide Fungicide and Rodenticide Act and is subject to review by the Agency. If the website is false or misleading, the product would be misbranded and unlawful to sell or distribute under FIFRA section 12(a)(1)(E). 40 CFR 156.10(a)(5) list examples of statements EPA may consider false or misleading. In addition, **regardless of whether a website is referenced on your product's label**, claims made on the website may not substantially differ from those claims approved through the registration process. Therefore should the Agency find or if it is brought to our attention that a website contains false or misleading statements or claims substantially differing from the EPA approved registration, the website will be referred to the EPA's Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance.

If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6(e). Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of these conditions. If you have questions about this letter, please contact Jennifer Gaines at (703) 305-5967 or via e-mail at gaines.jennifer@epa.gov.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Jennifer Gaines for", is written over the typed name and title.

John Hebert
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Registration Division (7505P)

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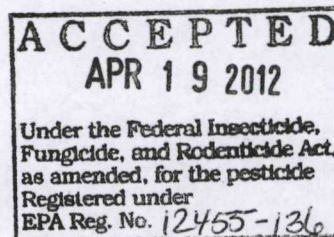
Restricted Use Pesticide

DUE TO HAZARD TO NONTARGET ORGANISMS

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 Applicator's Certification.

PCQ Rodent Bait

[Alternate Brand Names] **PCQ Field Use**
Ditrac Field Use



ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

Diphacinone (CAS #82-66-6):..... 0.005%

OTHER INGREDIENTS:..... 99.995%
100.000%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

See Back/Side Panel for First Aid and additional precautionary statements.

NET WEIGHT: 4 to 50 lb.

Manufactured by:



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3699 Kinsman Blvd.
Madison, WI 53704

Batch Code:

EPA REG. NO. 12455-136

EPA EST. NO. 12455-WI-1

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

CAUTION: Harmful if swallowed. Keep away from children, domestic animals and pets.

All handlers (including applicators) must wear shoes plus socks, and gloves. Any person who retrieves carcasses or unused bait following application of this product must wear gloves.

User Safety Requirements

Follow manufacturer's instruction for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry. Remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash hands thoroughly after applying bait and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet and change into clean clothing.

FIRST AID**HAVE LABEL WITH YOU WHEN OBTAINING TREATMENT ADVICE****If Swallowed**

- Call a poison control center, doctor, or 1-877-854-2494 immediately for treatment advice.
- Have a person sip a glass of water if able to swallow.
- Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by the poison control center or doctor.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN

If swallowed, this material may reduce the clotting ability of the blood and cause bleeding. If ingested, administer Vitamin K₁ intramuscularly or orally. Repeat as necessary based on monitoring of prothrombin times.

TREATMENT FOR PET POISONING

If animal eats bait, call veterinarian or 1-877-854-2494 at once.

NOTE TO VETERINARIAN

Anticoagulant Diphacinone: For animals ingesting bait and/or showing poisoning signs (bleeding or elevated prothrombin times), give Vitamin K₁.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product is extremely toxic to birds, fish and other wildlife. Dogs, cats and other predatory and scavenging mammals and birds might be poisoned if they feed upon animals that have eaten this bait. Do not apply directly to water or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment wash water or rinsate.

ENDANGERED SPECIES CONSIDERATIONS

NOTICE: It is a Federal offense to use any pesticide product in a manner that results in the death of a member of an endangered species. The use of this product may pose a hazard to Federally designated endangered/threatened species. Suggested measures to protect endangered species in your county may exist in an EPA Interim Measures pamphlet. You may call EPA's Endangered Species Hotline, 1-800-477-3813, to find out if an Interim Measures pamphlet exists in your county and have one sent to you. You can also consult with your local county extension office or pesticide lead agency to determine whether they have imposed any requirements in your area to protect endangered and threatened species.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

READ THIS LABEL: Read this entire label and follow all use directions and use precautions. Use only for sites, pests, and application methods described on this label.

NORWAY RATS ROOF RATS AND HOUSE MICE

IMPORTANT: Do not expose children, pets, or nontarget animals to rodenticides. To help to prevent accidents:

1. Store unused product out of reach of children and pets.
2. Apply bait in locations out of reach of children, pets, domestic animals and nontarget wildlife, or in tamper-resistant bait stations. These stations must be resistant to destruction by dogs and by children under six years of age, and must be used in a manner that prevents such children from reaching into bait compartments and obtaining bait. If bait can be shaken from bait stations when they are lifted, units must be secured or otherwise immobilized. Stronger bait stations are needed in areas open to hooved livestock, raccoons, bears, or other potentially destructive animals, or in areas prone to vandalism.
3. Dispose of product container and unused, spoiled, or unconsumed bait as specified on this label.

Note: Bait stations are mandatory for outdoor, above-ground use. Tamper-resistant bait stations must be used if children, pets, non-target mammals, or birds may access the bait.

USE RESTRICTIONS: This product can only be used to control Norway rats, roof rats and house mice in and within 100 feet of man-made structures constructed in a manner so as to be vulnerable to commensal rodent invasions and/or to harboring or attracting rodent infestations. Examples of such structures include homes and other permanent or temporary residences, food processing facilities, industrial and commercial buildings, trash receptacles, agricultural and public buildings, transport vehicles (ships, trains, aircraft), docks and port of terminal buildings and related structures around and associated with these sites. Fence and perimeter baiting, beyond 100 feet from a structure as defined above, is prohibited. This product must not be applied directly to food or feed crops.

This product may be applied to active rodent burrows to control Norway rats, and roof rats within or beyond 100 feet of buildings and man-made structures, provided that infestations of these rodents have been confirmed. Bait must be placed no less than 6 inches into active Norway/roof rat burrows. Do not broadcast bait. Because Norway/roof rat infestations may occur in areas farther than 100 feet from buildings and man-made structures when the rodents have ample supplies of food and cover, efforts should be made to remove food trash, garbage, clutter and debris.

Do not place near or inside ventilation duct openings. Do not contaminate water, food, feedstuffs, food or feed handling equipment, or milk or meat handling equipment or surfaces that come into direct contact with food. When used in USDA inspected facilities, this product must be applied in tamper-resistant bait stations.

Do not sell this product in individual containers holding less than 4 pounds of bait.

SELECTION OF TREATMENT AREAS: Determine areas where rats or mice will most likely find and consume the bait. Generally, these areas are along walls, by gnawed openings, in or beside burrows, in corners and concealed places, between floors and walls, or in locations where rodents or their signs have been seen. Protect bait from rain and snow. Remove as much alternative food as possible.

APPLICATION DIRECTIONS:

Rats: Apply 4 to 16 oz. of bait (usually at intervals of 15 to 30 feet) per placement in infested areas. Maintain an uninterrupted supply of fresh bait for at least 10 days or until signs of rat activity cease. Apply 1 to 2 oz. of bait deep into active rat burrows.

Mice: Apply 1/4 to 1/2 oz. (1 to 2 level tablespoons) of bait at 8 to 12 foot intervals in infested areas. Larger placements (up to 2 oz.) may be needed at points of very high mouse activity. Maintain an uninterrupted supply of fresh bait for at least 15 days or until signs of mouse activity cease.

FOLLOW-UP: Replace contaminated or spoiled bait immediately. Using waterproof gloves, collect and dispose of all dead, exposed animals and leftover bait. To prevent reinfestation, limit sources of rodent food, water, and harborage as much as possible. If reinfestation does occur, repeat treatment. Where a continuous source of infestation is present, establish permanent bait stations and replenish as needed.

USES ASSOCIATED WITH AGRICULTURAL SITES**COMMERCIAL NURSERIES**

USE RESTRICTIONS: For control of meadow and pine voles in commercial nurseries in the following states: Georgia, Michigan, Missouri, North Carolina, and South Carolina.

Do not apply by aerial application. Do not apply this product in a way that will contact workers or other persons, either directly or through drift. Only protected handlers can be in the area during application.

HAND BAITING: Identify surface trails and the mouths of holes leading to underground burrow systems. Place 1½ oz. (2 tablespoons) into each active hole, trail, or runway at each tree site (10 lb. per acre). Cover bait artificially (e.g., mats, boards) or by pulling overhanging grass over bait to avoid exposing nontarget organisms. Do not disturb the runway system. Do not allow bait to be exposed to bare ground.

BAIT STATIONS: Place 2 lb. of bait in a tamper-resistant bait station in areas frequented by voles (near surface trails and burrows).

GROUND BROADCAST BAITING: Broadcast by hand or commercial spreader. Wear rubber gloves during hand-broadcast operations. Apply 10 lb. per acre. For high population areas, make a second application (10 lb. per acre) one to two months later. For pine vole application in states east of the Mississippi River, a rate of 20 lb. per acre may be required.

FRUIT TREE ORCHARDS (DORMANT)

USE RESTRICTIONS: For control of meadow voles (*Microtus pennsylvanicus*) and pine voles (*M. pinetorum*) in pome fruit and stone fruit tree orchards in the states listed below. Aerial application is only permitted in those following states where aerial is listed next to the state name. Apply only after fall harvest (including drops), before new spring growth and when no rain or snow is expected for three consecutive days. Do not graze animals in treated areas.

Connecticut, Georgia, Idaho/aerial, Massachusetts, Michigan/aerial, Missouri, Montana/aerial, North Carolina, New Hampshire, Ohio (aerial), Oregon/aerial, Pennsylvania/aerial, South Carolina, Utah/aerial, Virginia/aerial, Vermont/aerial, Washington/aerial, and West Virginia/aerial.

Do not apply this product in a way that will contact workers or other persons, either directly or through drift. Only protected handlers can be in the area during application.

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STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

Pesticide Storage: Store only in original container in a cool, dry place inaccessible to children and pets. Keep containers closed and away from other chemicals.

Pesticide Disposal: Dispose of wastes resulting from the use of this product in trash or at an approved waste disposal facility.

Container Handling: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. **[Plastic:]** Triple rinse (or equivalent), then offer for recycling or reconditioning; or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill; or by incineration. **[Paper:]** Dispose of empty container by placing in trash, at an approved waste disposal facility or by incineration.

WARRANTY: To the extent consistent with applicable law, seller makes no warranty, expressed or implied, concerning the use of this product other than indicated on the label. To the extent consistent with applicable law, buyer assumes all risk of use and/or handling of this material when such use and/or handling is contrary to label instructions.

OPTIONAL MARKETING STATEMENTS:

With Diphacinone
 Palatable Formulation
 Proven Palatability
 Pelleted Bait
 Pellets
 Pelleted formula
 Pelleted formulation
 Bulk Pellets
 Kills Voles, Norway Rats, Roof Rats and House Mice
 Kills Norway Rats, Roof Rats and House Mice
 Kills Voles
 Can be used in multiple applications
 Proven palatability

OPTIONAL GRAPHICS :



Vole



Photo is not representative of a label placement

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