

U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY OFFICE OF PESTICIDES PROGRAMS REGISTRATION DIVISION (WH-567) WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460	EPA REGISTRATION NO. 33968-9	DATE OF ISSUANCE 5/20/85
	TERM OF ISSUANCE	
<b>NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> REGISTRATION <input type="checkbox"/> REREGRISTRATION (Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended)	NAME OF PESTICIDE PRODUCT Pocket Gopher Bait Containing Strychnine	
	NAME AND ADDRESS OF REGISTRANT (Include ZIP code)	
<p> <input type="checkbox"/> State of Colorado            Dept. of Agriculture            1525 Sherman Street            Denver, CO 80203         </p> <p> <input type="checkbox"/> </p>		
<p>           NOTE: Changes in labeling formula differing in substance from that accepted in connection with this registration must be submitted to and accepted by the Registration Division prior to use of the label in commerce. In any correspondence on this product always refer to the above U.S. EPA registration number.         </p> <p>           On the basis of information furnished by the registrant, the above named pesticide is hereby Registered/Reregistered under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act.         </p> <p>           A copy of the labeling accepted in connection with this Registration/Reregistration is returned herewith.         </p> <p>           Registration is in no way to be construed as an indorsement or approval of this product by this Agency. In order to protect health and the environment, the Administrator, on his motion, may at any time suspend or cancel the registration of a pesticide in accordance with the Act. The acceptance of any name in connection with the registration of a product under this Act is not to be construed as giving the registrant a right to exclusive use of the name or to its use if it has been covered by others.         </p> <p>           This product is conditionally registered in accordance with FIFRA sec. 3(c)(7)(A) provided that you:         </p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Submit and/or cite all data required for registration/reregistration of your product under FIFRA sec. 3(c)(5) when the Agency requires all registrants of similar products to submit such data.</li> <li>Make the labeling changes listed below before you release the product for shipment:             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Add the phrase "EPA Registration No. 33968-9."</li> <li>The headings "active ingredient and" "inert ingredients" must have equal prominence.</li> <li>Only the generic name should be capitalized in <u>Geomys bursarius</u>.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Submit five (5) copies of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment. Refer to the A-79 Enclosure for a further description of final printed labeling.</li> </ol> <p>           If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA sec. 6(e). Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of these conditions.         </p> <p>           A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records.         </p>		
<p> <input type="checkbox"/> ATTACHMENT IS APPLICABLE         </p>		
SIGNATURE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL <i>William H. Miller</i>		DATE 5/20/85

141,244  
 149,981  
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William H. Miller  
 Product Manager (16)  
 Insecticide-Rodenticide Branch  
 Registration Division (TS-767)

SPECIMAN LABEL

**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS**  
HAZARDS TO HUMANS & DOMESTIC ANIMALS

**DANGER**

Corrosive. Poisonous if Swallowed. Do not breathe dust. Do not contaminate food and foodstuffs. 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. Bait exposed on soil surface may be hazardous to birds and other wildlife. Do not apply directly to lakes, streams or ponds. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes.

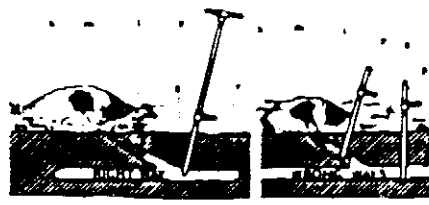
**DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

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

**USE RESTRICTIONS**

For use against Plains Pocket Gopher (*Geomys bursarius*), Northern Pocket Gopher (*Thomomys talpoides*), Southern Pocket Gopher (*Thomomys umbrinus*) and Yellow Faced Pocket Gopher (*Pappogeomys castaneus*) on agricultural and non crop areas.

**Hand Application:** The success in control of pocket gophers with strychnine treated milo maize baits depends upon accurately locating the underground burrows with a probe and proper bait placement. The burrow usually can be located by probing 12 to 15 inches in front of the fan shaped mound. There will be a release of resistance on the probe when it enters the runway. A level tablespoonful of bait is poured through the probe hole into the burrow, and the probe hole closed over with a pebble or piece of sod. Bait need not be placed near every mound but each separate burrow, which may be represented by a dozen or more mounds, should be baited in at least two places.




**RESTRICTED USE PESTICIDE**

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

**POCKET GOPHER BAIT**  
Containing Strychnine

**ACTIVE INGREDIENT:**  
Strychnine ..... 1.50  
Inert Ingredients ..... 98.50  
TOTAL ..... 100.00

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN**  
**DANGER—POISON**



**STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT**

**IF SWALLOWED:** CALL A PHYSICIAN OR POISON CONTROL CENTER IMMEDIATELY. If less than ten (10) minutes have passed since the poison was taken, give 1 or 2 glasses of water and induce vomiting by touching back of throat with finger. Repeat until vomit fluid is clear. Have patient lie down in quiet, darkened room and keep him warm and quiet. Do not induce vomiting or give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**IF INHALED:** Remove victim to fresh air. Apply artificial respiration if indicated.

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

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

**NOTE TO PHYSICIAN**

A. Administer 100% OXYGEN by positive pressure to provide as much pulmonary gas exchange as possible, despite seizures.

B. Administer ANTI-CONVULSANT DRUGS as previously to control convulsions.

**CAUTION:** It may be difficult or impossible to stop the seizure activity without stopping respiration. Be prepared to insure an pulmonary ventilation mechanically. Tracheotomy may be necessary if seizures are protracted.

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NET WEIGHT \_\_\_\_\_ lbs.

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE (CONTS)**

**Machine Application (By \_\_\_\_\_)**  
The effectiveness of this product depends upon the gopher artificial runways and bait. Thus, the burrow made at a depth that will be the greatest number of gopher tunnels. Therefore, the depth of gopher runways should be accordingly machine so that it rides with the wheels barely on soil. The artificial runways should be spaced about 25 feet to insure interception of burrow. With this spacing a machine can treat 8 to 10 acres per hour. The amount of bait required depends upon the spacing in the runway. These runways should be spaced 25 feet apart. About 2 pounds of bait per acre (20 pounds per hundred acres) should give good control. Experience with each model burrow builder will determine if more bait is necessary before performance can be expected.

**STORAGE AND DISPOSAL**

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

**STORAGE:** Store only in original container inaccessible to children and animals.

**PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:** Pesticide should not be mixed with food or feed. Do not use if these wastes are not used according to label. State Pesticide or Environment Agency or the Hazardous Waste nearest EPA Regional Office.

**CONTAINER DISPOSAL:** Completely empty container and lapping sides and particles. Empty residue. Then dispose of container by incineration or by other means approved by local authorities.

**NON WARRANTY:** Seller makes no warranty, expressed or implied, concerning the use of this product. Buyer assumes responsibility for handling of this material when use is contrary to label instructions.

**BEST AVAILABLE COPY**