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Jennifer L. DeCarlo Registration Manager Cheminova Inc. 1600 Wilson Blvd., Suite 700 Arlington, VA 22209

Subject: Label Amendment—Incorporating front panel text box, per the Agency's stewardship

agreement with fipronil registrants.

Product Name: Rhyme TC EPA Reg. No.: 67760-107

Application Dated: November 4, 2011

**Decision Number: 458129** 

Dear Ms. DeCarlo:

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable with the following label revision provisions:

1. Per the Agency's agreement with the registrant with regard to improved stewardship of fipronil products, this product may not be sold in packaging that holds less than 20 fluid ounces of product.

A copy of the label stamped "accepted with comments" is enclosed for your records. You must submit two copies of the final printed label revised in accordance with the comments listed above before the product is released for shipment under this label. If you have any questions, you may contact Clayton Myers at (703) 347-8874 or <a href="mayers.clayton@epa.gov">myers.clayton@epa.gov</a>.

Sincerely,

Richard J. Gebken, Product Manager

Insecticide Branch

Registration Division (7505P)

Enclosure: Stamped Label

# Rhyme™ TC

Termiticide / Insecticide

#### **ACTIVE INGREDIENT:**

One gallon of Rhyme TC termiticide/ insecticide contains 0.8 lb. of fipronil.

#### KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

### **CAUTION / PRECAUCIÓN**

Si usted no entiende la etiqueta, busque a alquien para que se la explique a usted en detalle. (If you do not understand the label, find someone to explain it to you in detail.)

For Product Use Information. Call 1-919-474-6600

Cheminova, Inc.
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Suite 150
Research Triangle Park, NC 27709

Net Contents:

IN CASE OF A MEDICAL EMERGENCY INVOLVING THIS PRODUCT, CALL TOLL FREE, DAY OR NIGHT, 1-866-303-6950

Cheminova (logo)

ACCEPTED
With COMMENTS
In EPA Letter Dated:
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Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act, As amended, for the pesticide Registered under EPA Reg. No:

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

- For sale to, use and storage only by individuals/firms licensed or registered by the state to apply termiticide and/or general pest control products.
- DO NOT use this product for termite or other pest control indoors, except for labelspecified applications for termite control and foam applications to wall voids for control of other listed pests.
- DO NOT use on golf course turf. May be used for control of termites and other listed pests found on/near structures associated with golf courses, but only as specified on this label.
- DO NOT use on animal trophies or animal skins.

See inside booklet for additional Restrictions, First Aid, Precautionary Statements, Directions for Use, Conditions of Sale and Warranty, and state-specific use sites and/or restrictions.

	FIRST AID
Have the product doctor, or going for	container or label with you when calling a poison control center or or treatment.
If swallowed:	<ul> <li>Call a Poison Control Center or doctor immediately for treatment advice.</li> <li>Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow.</li> <li>Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor.</li> <li>Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.</li> </ul>
If on skin or clothing:	<ul> <li>Take off contaminated clothing.</li> <li>Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>
If inhaled:	<ul> <li>Move person to fresh air.</li> <li>If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth, if possible.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>
If in eyes:	<ul> <li>Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes.</li> <li>Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>

**Note to Physician:** There is no specific antidote. All treatment should be based on observed signs and symptoms of distress in the patient. Overexposure to materials other than this product may have occurred. In severe cases of overexposure by oral ingestion, lethargy, muscle tremors, and in extreme cases, possible convulsions may occur.

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. You may also contact 1-866-303-6950 for emergency medical treatment information.

# PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals Caution

Harmful if swallowed, absorbed through skin or inhaled. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Do not breath spray mist. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, or using tobacco. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

# Personal Protective Equipment (PPE):

All pesticide handlers (mixers, loaders, and applicators) must wear long-sleeved shirt and long pants, socks, shoes, and chemical-resistant gloves. All pesticide handlers must wear a dust/mist filtering respirator (MSHA/NIOSH approval number prefix TC-21C), or a NIOSH approved respirator with any N, R, P or HE filter, when working in a non-ventilated space, including but not limited to crawl-spaces and basements. All pesticide handlers must wear protective eyewear (goggles, a faceshield, or safety glasses with front, brow and temple protection) when working in a non-ventilated space, including but not limited to crawl-spaces and basements or when applying termiticide by rodding or sub-slab injection.

### **User Safety Recommendations**

Users should wash hands thoroughly with soap and water before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.

Remove contaminated clothing. Then wash body thoroughly with soap and water and put on clean clothing. Wash clothing with detergent and hot water before reusing. Remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash outside of gloves before removing. Wash PPE before reusing.

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

This pesticide is toxic to birds, fish, and aquatic invertebrates. Do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Runoff from treated areas may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in neighboring areas. Care must be taken to avoid runoff. Do not contaminate water by cleaning equipment or disposal of wastes. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters.

### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

It is violation of federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Read entire label before using this product.

For sale to, use and storage only by individuals/firms licensed or registered by state to apply termiticide and/or general pest control products. States may have more restrictive requirements regarding qualifications of persons using this product. Consultative structural pest control regulatory agency of your state prior to use of this product.

### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

#### STORAGE

Store unused product in original container only, out of reach of children and animals.

#### PESTICIDE DISPOSAL

Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide is a violation of federal law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste representative of the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.

#### CONTAINER DISPOSAL

**Nonrefillable Container**. Do not reuse or refill this container. Triple rinse or pressure rinse container (or equivalent) promptly after emptying: then offer for recycling, if available, or reconditioning, if appropriate, or puncture and dispose of in a a sanitary landfill, or by incineration or by other procedures approved by sate and local authorities.

Triple rinse containers small enough to shake (capacity ≤5 gallons) as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank and drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Fill the container ¼ full with water and recap. Shake for 10 seconds. Pour rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank, or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Repeat this procedure two more times.

Pressure rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into appl8cation equipment or mix tank. Hold container upside down over application equipment or mix tank, or collect rinsate for later use or disposal. Insert pressure rinsing nozzle in the side of the container and rinse at about 40 PSI for at least 30 seconds. Drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip.

In case of minor spills or leads, soak up with sand, earth or other suitable material and dispose of as pesticide waste.

# **DIRECTIONS FOR USE TO CONTROL TERMITES.**

Avoid or clean up leaks: The applicator must check areas to be treated that are adjacent to an existing structure for visible and accessible cracks and holes to prevent leaks or exposure to occupants of the structure. People who reside or are present in the structure during application must be advised to remove pets and themselves from the structure if they detect any signs of leakage. The applicator is required to check for leaks after application and must lean up any leak resulting in the deposition of termiticide in locations other than those prescribed on this label prior to leaving the application site. Do not allow people or pets to contact contaminated areas or to reoccupy contaminated areas of the structure until a thorough cleaning has been completed.

**Avoid unintentional contamination**: The applicator must verify that there are no habitable areas below or behind concrete structures such as patios, porches, sidewalks and foundations prior to drilling and treating these areas.

**Use personal protective equipment**: follow label directions requiring personal protective equipment for any applicator and/or assistants in the area during application.

**Plug all holes in commonly occupied areas**: Plugs must be of a non-cellulose material or covered by an impervious, non-cellulose material. Plug all holes in commonly occupied areas into which Rhyme TC termiticide/insecticide has been applied.

**Identify vents, pipes and conduits**: Do not apply finished dilution of Rhyme TC until all heating/air conditioning ducts, air vents, floor drains, sewer lines, heating pipes and electrical lines and conduits have been located and identified. Do not puncture or contaminate any of these.

**Do not contaminate edible plants**: avoid application less than one foot away from the drip line of edible plants.

Do not contaminate public and private water supplies.

Do not apply Rhyme TC while precipitation is occurring.

Do not treat water-saturated or frozen soil.

Use anti-backflow or air gap equipment with filling hoses.

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Rhyme TC contains 9.1% active ingredient formulated as a water-based suspension concentrate liquid.

When used as directed, Rhyme TC effectively prevents and/or controls a variety of subterranean termites including species of *Reticulitermes, Zootermopsis, Heterotemres*, and *Coptotermes*.

Rhyme TC should be applied in a manner that provides a continuous treated zone that forms a barrier in the soil to prevent termites from infesting the wood to be protection.

Only licensed service technicians familiar with trenching, rodding, short rodding, subslab injection, low-pressure banded surface applications and foam delivery techniques should apply Rhyme TC.

Rhyme TC should be applied in the 0.06% finished dilution for typical control situations but can be used at 0.09% or 0.125% dilutions where severe termite infestations, problem soils or problematic construction types are encountered.

## **MIXING INSTRUCTIONS**

Mix Rhyme TC in the following manner:

Fill tank  $\frac{1}{4}$  -  $\frac{1}{3}$  full with water with hose equipped with a mandatory anti-backflow device or water flow must include an air gap that protects against back siphoning.

Begin by-pass agitation by starting pump and placing end of treating tool in tank to allow circulation through hose.

Refer to the table below to determine appropriate amount of Rhyme TC and add that amount to the water in the tank.

Add remaining amount of water.

Disperse Rhyme TC completely by allowing pump to run and recirculate through the hose and back into the tank.

To mix desired finished dilution	start with	Add (fluid ounces of Rhyme TC)
0.06% dilution	99.25 gals.	78 fl. oz
	of water	(equals 2 qt + 14 fl. oz)
0.09% dilution	99 gals.	117 fl. oz.
	of water	(equals 3 qt + 21 fl. oz)
0.125% dilution	98 gals.	156 fl. oz.
	of water	(equals 1 gal + 28 fl oz)

#### **APPLICATION VOLUME**

For most applications, the recommended 0.06% use rate treats four gallons of diluted material per ten feet per foot of depth resulting in four gallons (4 x 4) to treat a ten foot length at four feet in depth. Do not treat at less than 0.06% application rate, Adjust application volume to suit adverse conditions as follows:

For severe infestations or to control existing infestations: Use the 0.09% or 0.125% dilution rate. Apply four gallon of material per ten feet per foot of depth as described above.

Dense soil: If the soil will not accept the four gallons of 0.06% diluted material per ten feet per foot of depth, use the 0.125% rate at two gallons diluted material per ten feet per foot of depth, taking care to maintain a continuous treated zone. If soil density requires drilling, drill holes less than 12" apart to maintain a continuous treated zone.

- Do not treat while precipitation is occurring.
- Do not treat soil that is water-saturated or frozen.
- Do not treat in any conditions where runoff is likely to occur.

#### PRE-CONSTRUCTION TREATMENT

Prior to treatment, applicators must advise responsible person to notify and take responsibility for enforcing that all on-site personnel leave the treatment area during application and not return until Rhyme TC has been absorbed into the soil.

### **GENERAL**

Definition: Pre-construction treatments include treatments made directly to the soil during all phases of construction up to and including installation of final grade. A

thorough and complete application of Rhyme TC at the 0.06% or higher rate creates a horizontal and vertical treatment zone that effectively controls termites.

Foundations deeper than four feet require one of the two following treatment methods:

- Apply the termiticide as the backfill is being replaced, or if the backfill has already been replaced,
- Treat the foundation to a minimum depth of four feet by employing trench and rodding along the foundation and around pillars and other foundation elements as described in POST-CONSTRUCTION CONVENTIONAL STRUCTURAL TERMITE TREATMENT.

When the top of the footing is exposed, the applicator must treat the soil adjacent to the footing to the depth of the footing but in no case below the depth of the footing.

# CONCRETE SLAB (INCLUDING MONOLITHIC, FLOATING AND SUPPORTED CONCRETE SLABS) ON GROUND OR IN BASEMENTS

#### HORIZONTAL TREATED ZONES

Apply Rhyme TC evenly and uniformly to the entire surface to be covered beneath the slab including living areas, carports, porches, basement floors and extended entrances. The treatment rate should be 1-1.5 gallons finished dilution per ten square feet using a coarse spray nozzle and low-pressure (less than 25 PSI) spray. Ensure that the treated surface is left undisturbed until the slab is poured and if the slab is not to be poured the same day as treatment, protect the area with a water-proof barrier. It is highly recommended that a complete horizontal treatment be applied prior to pouring of the slab. If the slab is in place, follow instructions for POST-CONSTRUCTION CONVENTIONAL STRUCTURAL TERMITE TREATMENT.

#### **VERTICAL TREATED ZONES**

The applicator must protect areas where the slab is penetrated by utility lines, plumbing pipes or other gaps in the slab that expose the soil beneath. Apply four gallons of Rhyme TC per ten linear feet per foot of depth along the inside and outside perimeter of foundation walls by trench and rod treatment along the inside of the walls and around pillars and other foundation elements. If the footing is more than four feet below grade, the treatment should be made to a minimum depth of four feet below grade. Trenches need not exceed six inches Treat the soil which will be replaced in the trench with a low pressure (less than 25 PSI) spray. When rodding from the grade level or from the bottom of a shallow trench, create a continuous treated zone can be created by spacing rod holes no wider than 12 inches apart. Rod holes should not extend below the top of the footing.

### **CRAWL SPACES**

Pre-construction treatment of crawl spaces requires the applicator to follow application instructions provided for vertical treated zones: four gallons of finished dilution per ten linear feet per foot of depth from grade to the top of the footing. If the footing is more than four feet below grade, apply to a minimum depth of four feet. Trenches need not exceed six inches Treat the soil which will be replaced in the trench with a low pressure (less than 25 PSI) spray. When rodding from the grade level or from the bottom of a

shallow trench, create a continuous treated zone can be created by spacing rod holes no wider than 12 inches apart. Rod holes should not extend below the top of the footing.

#### **HOLLOW BLOCK FOUNDATIONS / VOIDS**

Hollow block foundations or voids in masonry placed on top of the footing may be treated by applying termiticide directly to exposed voids or by drilling and treating voids that are not openly accessible. Apply at the rate of two gallons of finished dilution per ten linear feet of footing using a nozzle pressure of 25 PSI or less. Access holes should be drilled below the sill plate as close to the footing as possible. Applicators must take extra caution to ensure that runoff does not take place and, if potential leakage cannot be avoided by mechanical means, the area should not be treated at all. The applicator must check areas to be treated that are adjacent to an existing structure for visible and accessible cracks and holes to prevent leaks or exposure to occupants of the structure. People who reside or are present in the structure during application must be advised to remove pets and themselves from the structure if they detect any signs of leakage. The applicator is required to check for leaks after application and must lean up any leak resulting in the deposition of termiticide in locations other than those prescribed on this label prior to leaving the application site. Do not allow people or pets to contact contaminated areas or to reoccupy contaminated areas of the structure until a thorough cleaning has been completed.

Not for use in voids insulated with rigid foam.

### POST-CONSTRUCTION CONVENTIONAL STRUCTURAL TERMITE TREATMENT

#### **GENERAL**

Protecting existing structures (defined as any structure after the final grade is installed) from termite infestations and/or controlling existing termite populations requires the applicator to create a continuous, protective barrier around the foundation of the structure. The applicator must trench and rod into the trench or trench along the foundation walls and around pillars and other foundation elements using 0.06% or higher approved dilution rates. Trenches need not exceed six inches Treat the soil which will be replaced in the trench with a low pressure (less than 25 PSI) spray. When rodding from the grade level or from the bottom of a shallow trench, create a continuous treated zone can be created by spacing rod holes no wider than 12 inches apart. Rod holes should not extend below the top of the footing. Rhyme TC should be applied from grade to the top of the footing. When the footing is more than four feet below grade, the treatment should be made to a minimum depth of four feet below grade. The actual depth of treatment will vary depending upon location of termite activity, soil type, and/or degree of soil compaction. When the top of the footing is exposed, the applicator must treat the soil adjacent to the footing to the depth of the footing but in no case below the depth of the footing.

To establish a complete perimeter treatment zone, applicators should drill exterior concrete structures adjoining the foundation, such as patios, porches, sidewalks and extended entrances.

Do not apply finished dilution of Rhyme TC until all heating/air conditioning ducts, air vents, floor drains, sewer lines, heating pipes and electrical lines and conduits have been located and identified. Do not puncture or contaminate any of these.

# CONCRETE SLAB OVER SOIL (INCLUDING MONOLITHIC, FLOATING AND SUPPORTED CONCRETE SLABS)

#### **EXTERIOR PERIMETER**

The applicator must trench and rod into the trench or trench along the foundation walls and around pillars and other foundation elements using 0.06% or higher approved dilution rates. Trenches need not exceed six inches Treat the soil which will be replaced in the trench with a low pressure (less than 25 PSI) spray. When rodding from the grade level or from the bottom of a shallow trench, create a continuous treated zone can be created by spacing rod holes no wider than 12 inches apart. Rod holes should not extend below the top of the footing. Rhyme TC should be applied from grade to the top of the footing. When the footing is more than four feet below grade, the treatment should be made to a minimum depth of four feet below grade. Never treat a structure below grade level.

#### SUB -SLAB INJECTION

Sub-slab injection treatments are made by vertical drilling inside the structure or horizontal drilling when floors or interior design do not allow for vertical drilling. Applicators must identify all heating/air conditioning ducts, vents, water/sewer line and electrical lines/conduits before beginning treatment and avoid damaging them during treatment.

Vertical Drilling / Injection: To treat under the slab, applicators should drill vertically through the slab along the interior perimeter of the foundation, including the garage, at intervals of no more than 12" in a manner which will create a continuous treated zone. Drill holes along all concrete expansion joints, cracks, plumbing, and utility services penetrating the slab and, if there is clear evidence of termite activity or damage in the wall, it may be necessary to drill holes along one side of the slab adjacent to an interior partition wall. Using a lateral dispersal nozzle, inject Rhyme TC at a 0.06%, 0.09% or 0.125% dilution into the holes at the rate of four gallons per ten linear feet per foot of depth. Plug all holes in commonly occupied areas into which material has been applied. Plugs must be of a non-cellulose material or covered by an impervious, non-cellulose material.

**Horizontal Drilling / Rodding / Sub-slab Injection from the Exterior of the Foundation:** Use this technique only when floors or interior design do not allow for vertical drilling and, before drilling, locate heating ducts, water/sewer lines and electrical lines/conduits. Holes should be drilled using horizontal short-rodding practices from outside the foundation at an angle which allows a finished dilution of Rhyme TC to be deposited below the slab (and under heating ducts, water/sewer lines and electrical lines/conduits) to extend a continuous barrier along the inside perimeter of the wall. Horizontal long rodding practices are restricted to areas underneath the slab that cannot be treated by vertical rodding or horizontal short rodding practices but in no case may long rods exceed 20 feet in length. Using a lateral dispersal nozzle, inject Rhyme TC at a 0.06%, 0.09% or 0.125% dilution into the holes at the rate of four gallons per ten linear

feet per foot of depth. Plug all holes in commonly occupied areas into which material has been applied. Plugs must be of a non-cellulose material or covered by an impervious, non-cellulose material.

**Bath Traps**: Treat exposed soil or soil covered with tar or similar sealant beneath or around plumbing and/or drain pipe entry areas with a minimum of one gallon but no more than 14 gallons of finished dilution per square foot. Applicators may have to remove tar or sealant to allow for adequate soil treatment and should inspect and remove all wood cellulose debris before applying 0.06%, 0.09% or 0.125% dilution of Rhyme TC to the soil. If not already present, an access door or inspection portal should be installed.

**Shower Drains**: Treat soil beneath and under adjacent shower pan drains by drilling through the slab adjacent to the shower pan and applying 0.06%, 0.09% or 0.125% dilution of Rhyme TC to the soil by sub-slab injection. Dispersion can be maximized by using foam and a directional dispersion tip may be used to enhance treatment of soil below the drain. Multiple access points may be drilled adjacent to the drain and/or horizontal rodding can be used to access and treat the soil associated with the shower drain. Treat soil with a minimum of one gallon but no more than four gallons finished spray dilution per shower drain.

#### STRUCTURES WITH FRENCH DRAINS AND SUMP PUMPS

Commonly used in hollow block foundation structures to drain water seeping from the exterior perimeter or underneath the foundation, French drains eliminate water at the footer along a foundation perimeter. Soil must be dry before sites with French drains can be treated and applications cannot be made while precipitation is occurring. Applicators must avoid practices that permit drainage/seepage to enter the drain or sump pump. Do not rod any closer than 24 inches to the French drain or within five feet of the sump pit and pump and do not drill through hollow block foundations that border the French drain in order to prevent drainage/seepage from the block into the drain.

Once French drains have been identified and located, follow these procedures:

- Unplug the sump pump. If there is no water in the sump pit, treatment can be made can be made provided the sump pump remains unplugged.
- If water is in the sump pit, unplug the sump pump and remove four cups of water from the pit, marking the remaining water level. Wait ten minutes and check the water in the pit compared to the water level mark. If the water has risen, the seepage rate is too high for application to proceed; if the water level does not rise, treatment can be made provided the sump pump remains unplugged.

Check the sump pump every few minutes during application to determine if the termiticide is being diluted. If dilution is detected, stop treatment immediately, remove all diluted material from the pump pit before plugging in the sump pump again and dispose of diluted material as directed in the PESTICIDES DISPOSAL section of this label.

#### **BASEMENT STRUCTURES**

### **EXTERIOR PERIMETERS**

Apply by trenching and rodding into the trench or trenching along the foundation at the rate of four gallons finished dilution per ten linear feet per foot of depth. The applicator must trench and rod into the trench or trench along the foundation walls and around pillars and other foundation elements using 0.06% or higher approved dilution rates. When trenching in sloping tiered soil, the trench must be stepped to ensure adequate distribution and to prevent termiticide from running out of the trench. Trenches need not exceed six inches Treat the soil which will be replaced in the trench with a low pressure (less than 25 PSI) spray. When rodding from the grade level or from the bottom of a shallow trench, create a continuous treated zone can be created by spacing rod holes no wider than 12 inches apart. Rod holes should not extend below the top of the footing. Rhyme TC should be applied from grade to the top of the footing. When the footing is more than four feet below grade, the treatment should be made to a minimum depth of four feet below grade. The actual depth of treatment will vary depending upon location of termite activity, soil type, and/or degree of soil compaction. When the top of the footing is exposed, the applicator must treat the soil adjacent to the footing to the depth of the footing but in no case below the depth of the footing.

#### **INSIDE PERIMETER**

To treat under the basement slab, applicators should drill vertically through the slab along the interior perimeter of the foundation, including the garage, at intervals of no more than 12" in a manner in order to create a continuous treated zone. Drill holes along all concrete expansion joints, cracks, plumbing, and utility services penetrating the slab and, if there is clear evidence of termite activity or damage in the wall, it may be necessary to drill holes along one side of the slab adjacent to an interior partition wall. Using a lateral dispersal nozzle, inject Rhyme TC at a 0.06%, 0.09% or 0.125% dilution into the holes at the rate of four gallons per ten linear feet per foot of depth. Plug all holes in commonly occupied areas into which material has been applied. Plugs must be of a non-cellulose material or covered by an impervious, non-cellulose material.

#### **ACCESSIBLE CRAWL SPACE CONSTRUCTION**

Before treatment, turn off any system that moves air from area to be treated to an untreated interior space of the structure. Do not turn equipment back on until application has been completed and all Rhyme TC has been absorbed by the soil.

To treat crawl spaces, apply four gallons of Rhyme TC per ten linear feet per foot of depth along the inside and outside perimeter of foundation walls by trench and rod treatment along the inside of the walls and around pillars and other foundation elements. If the footing is more than four feet below grade, the treatment should be made to a minimum depth of four feet below grade. Trenches need not exceed six inches in width. Treatment may be made by rodding alone where physical obstructions, such as concrete walkways adjacent to foundation elements prevent renching or when soil type and/or conditions make trenching prohibitive. Treat the soil which will be replaced in the trench with a low pressure (less than 25 PSI) spray. When rodding from the grade level or from the bottom of a shallow trench, a continuous treated zone can be created by spacing rod holes no wider than 12 inches apart. Rod holes should not extend below the too of the footing.

#### **INACCESSIBLE CRAWL SPACE CONSTRUCTION**

Before treatment, turn off any system that moves air from area to be treated to an untreated interior space of the structure, Do not turn equipment back on until application has been completed and all Rhyme TC has been absorbed by the soil.

Inaccessible interior areas typically have insufficient clearance between floor joist and ground surfaces to allow access and should be excavated and treated according to the instructions for accessible crawl spaces. If this is not possible, apply one or a combination for the following two methods:

Using a nozzle pressure of less than 25 PSI and a coarse application nozzle, apply Rhyme TC to the soil surface at the rate of one gallon per ten square feet. One or more extension rods can extend treatment to areas that cannot be reached by the application wand alone. Do not broadcast or power spray with high pressures.

After confirming that the space below is uninhabitable, drill through the foundation wall or through the floor above and treat the soil adjacent to the foundation wall at a rate of one gallon per ten feet per foot of depth. Drill spacing must be at intervals not to exceed 16" or in compliance with state regulations which may require different spacing. Treat the soil adjacent to foundation elements with long or short rodding devices if it is access for treatment tool to soil site is available.

#### **HOLLOW BLOCK FOUNDATIONS / VOIDS**

Hollow block foundations or voids in masonry placed on top of the footing may be treated by applying termiticide directly to exposed voids or by drilling and treating voids that are not openly accessible. Apply at the rate of two gallons of finished dilution per ten linear feet of footing using a nozzle pressure of 25 PSI or less. Access holes should be drilled below the sill plate as close to the footing as possible. Applicators must take extra caution to ensure that runoff does not take place and, if potential leakage cannot be avoided by mechanical means, the area should not be treated at all. The applicator must check areas to be treated that are adjacent to an existing structure for visible and accessible cracks and holes to prevent leaks or exposure to occupants of the structure. People who reside or are present in the structure during application must be advised to remove pets and themselves from the structure if they detect any signs of leakage. The applicator is required to check for leaks after application and must lean up any leak resulting in the deposition of termiticide in locations other than those prescribed on this label prior to leaving the application site. Do not allow people or pets to contact contaminated areas or to reoccupy contaminated areas of the structure until a thorough cleaning has been completed.

Not for use in voids insulated with rigid foam.

### TREATMENT OF STRUCTURES WITH WELLS OR CISTERNS

Do not contaminate wells or cisterns.

Do not apply Rhyme TC within five feet of any well or cistern. Use the backfill method described below to treat any soil between five and ten feet of a well or cistern or of soil adjacent to water pipes within three feet of grade.

#### **Backfill Method**

- 1. Remove soil described above by trenching and relocating onto surface suitable for mixing, such as heavy plastic or similar material or into a wheelbarrow.
- 2. Thoroughly mix soil with Rhyme TC at the rate of four gallons per ten linear feet per foot of depth. (A comparable volume is one gallon per cubic foot of soil.) The soil and termiticide should be mixed thoroughly enough so that the termiticide is absorbed sufficiently to contain the liquid and prevent runoff or spillage.
- 3. Return thoroughly mixed combination to the trench.

# STRUCTURES WITH ADJACENT WELLS / CISTERNS AND/OR OTHER WATER BODIES

Applicators must evaluate treatment options by carefully inspecting water sources near the treatment area including wells, cisterns, ponds, streams and other bodies of water. The presence of any such water source requires consideration of the treatment recommendations listed below, all of which precede treatment:

- Locate, if possible and expose water pipe(s) coming from the well into the structure. If the pipe(s) enter the structure within three feet of grade, soil adjacent to the water pipe(s) should be removed and treated according to the backfill method described above.
- Take precautions to ensure that termiticide applied to footers or soil surfaces do not enter bodies of water directly or through subsurface drains. Critical factors include depth to the drain system, soil type and degree of soil compaction.
- Whenever in doubt, such as treating the water side of a structure, the backfill method should be used.
- Applicator may always opt to use the 0.125% dilution at two gallons per ten linear feet per foot of depth to minimize runoff into non-target areas.

### **PLENUM CONSTRUCTION**

Before treatment, turn off any system that moves air from area to be treated to an untreated interior space of the structure. Do not turn equipment back on until application has been completed and all Rhyme TC has been absorbed by the soil.

Apply Rhyme TC to the soil exterior to the foundation walls following instruction provided above in **ACCESSIBLE CRAWL SPACE CONSTRUCTION**.

For plenum structures that use a sealed under floor space to circulate heated or cooled air throughout the structure, follow these instructions:

- 1. Expose no more than an 18-inch band of soil adjacent to all foundation structures by removing sealing fabric and anything on the sealing fabric. Treat the soil around foundation walls, interior pipes, pipes and any other structures in contact with the soil following instructions for exterior and interior treatment of the ACCESSIBLE CRAWL SPACE CONSTRUCTION section of this label.
- 2. Allow the finished dilution of Rhyme TC to be absorbed into the soil and then return the sealing fabric and anything removed from the surface of the sealing fabric to their original positions,

# FOAM APPLICATION

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Conventional liquid application methods may be supplemented by the use of foam generating equipment when construction practices, soil conditions and other factors impede the ability to create a continuous treatment zone. The following treatment areas are examples of application sites that can be enhanced through the use of foam application:

- Filled stoops
- porches,
- chimney bases
- piers
- soil under concrete slabs
- into block voids
- behind masonry or other veneers
- into stud walls

Use dry foam applications only (ranging from 15:1 to 50:1 expansion ratio) to treat voids in stud walls. Apply foam to wall voids where termites or termite damage has been detected or suspected.

"Foam only" treatment under slabs can help maximize horizontal coverage in areas around plumbing entries and near settlement cracks in concrete slabs where there is no deep foundation or footing. Both foam and conventional liquid should be used in areas such as those adjacent to foundation walls where both lateral spread and deeper vertical penetration for the termiticide is needed. The applicator must manage foam and liquid applications to be consistent with volume and active ingredient instruction in order to ensure application accuracy. No less than 75% of the application must be applied as a typical liquid treatment while the remaining 25% or less may be delivered to the appropriate locations using a foam application. Total amounts of termiticide applied with a combination of foam and liquid finished dilution should be equivalent to that of an application consisting of liquid finished dilution only. Foam applications should be applied as a useful supplement to and not a replacement for liquid treatments.

### FOAM MIXING-INSTRUCTIONS AND APPLICATION—

Prepare the desired finished dilution of Rhyme TC following mixing instructions on this label and mix with manufacturer's recommended volume of foaming agent in foaming equipment. Apply a sufficient volume of the foam formulation to provide a continuous treated zone at the recommended rates in this label for specific applications. If sufficient foam volume cannot be applied to achieve the rates recommended, supplement the treatment using additional liquid finished dilution to assure appropriate treatment volume and concentration in the treated area.

- 1 gallon of finished dilution at a foam expansion ratio of 25:1 makes 25 gallons of foam.
- 1.66 gallons of finished dilution at a foam expansion ratio of 15:1 makes 25 gallons of foam.
- 2.5 gallons of finished dilution at a foam expansion ratio of 10:1 makes 25 gallons of foam.
- 5 gallons of finished dilution at a foam expansion ratio of 5:1 makes 25 gallons of foam.

# POST CONSTRUCTION EXTERIOR PERIMETER / LOCALIZED INTERIOR (EP/KU) STRUCTURAL TERMITE TREATMENT – Not approved for use in Louisiana

#### GENERAL INFORMATION

Once the final grade is installed around a structure, Rhyme TC can be used to protect structures by using the Conventional structural treatment method or the Exterior Perimeter/Localized Interior structural treatment method. Both methods establish a continuous treated zone along the exterior foundation of the structure. However, the localized interior treatments are made only to those areas where termite activity has been observed. If no termite activity is observed inside the structure during inspection or treatment, localized interior treatments are not used.

Definition of "termite activity"

- 1. Alates (winged termites) have swarmed inside the structure
- 2. Live termites are found to be active within the structure
- 3. There is clear evidence of termite activity on or inside the structure such as the presence of mud tubes or galleries in wood.

Exterior Perimeter/Localized Interior treatments follow the same application volume instructions found in the APPLICATION VOLUME section of this label: do not apply Rhyme TC at a finished dilution concentration lower than 0.06%

### **EP/LI: EXTERIOR PERIMETER TREATMENT**

Protecting existing structures (defined as any structure after the final grade is installed) from termite infestations and/or controlling existing termite populations requires the applicator to create a continuous, protective barrier around the foundation of the structure. Read and follow APPLICATION VOLUME use directions on this label if application volume recommended in the following use directions cannot be achieved due to conditions that interfere with the ability of the soil to absorb Rhyme TC at recommended rates.

# EP/LI: CONCRETE SLAB OVER SOIL (INCLUDING MONOLITHIC, FLOATING AND SUPPORTED CONCRETE SLABS)

The applicator must trench and rod into the trench or trench along the foundation walls and around pillars and other foundation elements using 0.06% or higher approved dilution rates at the rate of four galloons finished dilution per ten linear feet per foot of depth. Trenches must be a minimum of six inches deep (or to the bottom of the footing) and need not exceed six inches in width. Treat the soil which will be replaced in the trench with a low pressure (less than 25 PSI) spray. When rodding from the grade level or from the bottom of a shallow trench, create a continuous treated zone can be created by spacing rod holes no wider than 12 inches apart. Rod holes should not extend below the top of the footing. Rhyme TC should be applied from grade to the top of the footing. When the footing is more than four feet below grade, the treatment should be made to a minimum depth of four feet below grade. Never treat a structure below grade level.

In areas where physical obstructions, such as concrete walkways adjacent to the foundation, or soil type/condition prevent trenching; apply by rodding alone. Drilling and sub-slab treatment is necessary in order to establish a complete exterior perimeter zone

wherever adjoining concrete structures such as patios, porches or sidewalks exist. Exterior drilling on driveways is necessary only around building supports or wall elements permanently located at driveway joints. Never treat a structure below the footing.

#### EP/LI: BASEMENT AND INACCESSIBLE CRAWL SPACE CONSTRUCTION

The applicator must trench and rod into the trench or trench along the foundation walls and around pillars and other foundation elements using 0.06% or higher approved dilution rates at the rate of four galloons finished dilution per ten linear feet per foot of depth. Trenches must be a minimum of six inches deep (or to the bottom of the footing) and need not exceed six inches in width. Treat the soil which will be replaced in the trench with a low pressure (less than 25 PSI) spray. When rodding from the grade level or from the bottom of a shallow trench, create a continuous treated zone can be created by spacing rod holes no wider than 12 inches apart. Rod holes should not extend below the top of the footing. Rhyme TC should be applied from grade to the top of the footing. When the footing is more than four feet below grade, the treatment should be made to a minimum depth of four feet below grade. Never treat a structure below grade level.

In areas where physical obstructions, such as concrete walkways adjacent to the foundation, or soil type/condition prevent trenching; apply by rodding alone. Drilling and sub-slab treatment is necessary in order to establish a complete exterior perimeter zone wherever adjoining concrete structures such as patios, porches or sidewalks exist. Exterior drilling on driveways is necessary only around building supports or wall elements permanently located at driveway joints. Never treat a structure below the footing.

If termite activity is detected inside an inaccessible crawl space, a localized interior treatment must be made at the site of the termite activity and at least 2 feet in both directions from the termite activity. Refer to the INACCESSIBLE CRAWL SPACE CONSTRUCTION from the Conventional treatment section of this label for guidance on choosing the appropriate application method.

### **EP/LI: ACCESSIBLE CRAWL SPACES**

Before treatment, turn off any system that moves air from area to be treated to an untreated interior space of the structure, Do not turn equipment back on until application has been completed and all Rhyme TC has been absorbed by the soil.

To treat crawl spaces, apply four gallons of Rhyme TC per ten linear feet per foot of depth along the inside and outside perimeter of foundation walls by trench and rod treatment along the inside of the walls and around pillars and other foundation elements. If the footing is more than four feet below grade, the treatment should be made to a minimum depth of four feet below grade. Trenches need not exceed six inches in width. Treatment may be made by rodding alone where physical obstructions, such as concrete walkways adjacent to foundation elements prevent renching or when soil type and/or conditions make trenching prohibitive. Treat the soil which will be replaced in the trench with a low pressure (less than 25 PS) spray. When rodding from the grade level or from the bottom of a shallow trench, a continuous treated zone can be created by spacing rod holes no wider than 12 inches apart. Rod holes should not extend below the top of the footing.

#### **EP/LI: GARAGES**

Attached garage floors should be treated

### **SUB-SLAB INJECTION:**

Sub-slab injection treatments are made by vertical drilling inside the structure or horizontal drilling when floors or interior design do not allow for vertical drilling. Applicators must identify all heating/air conditioning ducts, vents, water/sewer line and electrical lines/conduits before beginning treatment and avoid damaging them during treatment.

Vertical Drilling / Injection: To treat under the slab, applicators should drill vertically through the slab along the interior perimeter of the foundation, including the garage, at intervals of no more than 12" in a manner which will create a continuous treated zone. Drill holes along all concrete expansion joints, cracks, plumbing, and utility services penetrating the slab and, if there is clear evidence of termite activity or damage in the wall, it may be necessary to drill holes along one side of the slab adjacent to an interior partition wall. Using a lateral dispersal nozzle, inject Rhyme TC at a 0.06%, 0.09% or 0.125% dilution into the holes at the rate of four gallons per ten linear feet per foot of depth. Plug all holes in commonly occupied areas into which material has been applied. Plugs must be of a non-cellulose material or covered by an impervious, non-cellulose material.

Horizontal Drilling / Rodding / Sub-slab Injection from the Exterior of the Foundation: Caution: Use this technique only when floors or interior design do not allow for vertical drilling and, before drilling, locate heating ducts, water/sewer lines and electrical lines/conduits. Holes should be drilled using horizontal short-rodding practices from outside the foundation at an angle which allows a finished dilution of Rhyme TC to be deposited below the slab (and under heating ducts, water/sewer lines and electrical lines/conduits) to extend a continuous barrier along the inside perimeter of the wall. Horizontal long rodding practices are restricted to areas underneath the slab that cannot be treated by vertical rodding or horizontal short rodding practices but in no case may long rods exceed 20 feet in length. Using a lateral dispersal nozzle, inject Rhyme TC at a 0.06%, 0.09% or 0.125% dilution into the holes at the rate of four gallons per ten linear feet per foot of depth. Plug all holes in commonly occupied areas into which material has been applied. Plugs must be of a non-cellulose material or covered by an impervious, non-cellulose material.

### **EP/LI: LOCALIZED INTERIOR TREATMENT**

Targeted interior applications may be made to areas conducive to termite infestation such as around plumbing or utility services penetrating floors, bath and/or shower traps or along concrete expansion joints or settlement cracks.

A localized interior treatment must be made at the immediate vicinity and radiating out at least 2 feet from the site in two directions of known termite activity inside the living spaces or in non-living spaces (such as crawl spaces, plenums, etc) of the structure.

#### **EP/LI: HOLLOW BLOCK FOUNDATIONS / VOIDS**

When termite activity is detected in or within 2 feet of hollow block foundations or voids in masonry that has been positioned on the footing, drill the wall adjacent to the site of activity (if not openly accessible) and inject the finished dilution of Rhyme TC into the void at a rate of two gallons per ten linear feet of footing using a nozzle of 25 PSI or less. This treatment must be applied to the site of the termite activity and to areas above the termite activity site radiating out at least 2 feet in two or more directions or along the wall pier or support pose. Foam application may help dispersion. Drill access hole below the sill plate as close as possible to the footing.

Applicators must take extra caution to ensure that runoff does not take place. The applicator must check areas to be treated that are adjacent to an existing structure for visible and accessible cracks and holes to prevent leaks or exposure to occupants of the structure. People who reside or are present in the structure during application must be advised to remove pets and themselves from the structure if they detect any signs of leakage. The applicator is required to check for leaks after application and must lean up any leak resulting in the deposition of termiticide in locations other than those prescribed on this label prior to leaving the application site. Do not allow people or pets to contact contaminated areas or to reoccupy contaminated areas of the structure until a thorough cleaning has been completed. Drilled holes in commonly occupies areas must be plugged. Plugs must be of a non-cellulose material or covered by an impervious, non-cellulose material. Plug all holes in commonly occupied areas into which Rhyme TC termiticide/insecticide has been applied.

**Bath Traps**: If termite activity is detected within 2 feet of a bath trap, the area must be treated as follows: treat exposed soil or soil covered with tar or similar sealant beneath or around plumbing and/or drain pipe entry areas with a minimum of one gallon but no more than 14 gallons of finished dilution per square foot. Applicators may have to remove tar or sealant to allow for adequate soil treatment and should inspect and remove all wood cellulose debris before applying 0.06%, 0.09% or 0.125% dilution of Rhyme TC to the soil. If not already present, an access door or inspection portal should be installed.

**Shower Drains**: If termite activity is detected within 2 feet of a shower drain, the area must be treated as follows: Tteat soil beneath and under adjacent shower pan drains by drilling through the slab adjacent to the shower pan and applying 0.06%, 0.09% or 0.125% dilution of Rhyme TC to the soil by sub-slab injection. Dispersion can be maximized by using foam and a directional dispersion tip may be used to enhance treatment of soil below the drain. Multiple access points may be drilled adjacent to the drain and/or horizontal rodding can be used to access and treat the soil associated with the shower drain. Treat soil with a minimum of one gallon but no more than four gallons finished spray dilution per shower drain.

# RETREATMENT INSTRUCTIONS

Retreatment for subterranean termites in the absence of termite activity is prohibited unless there is clear evidence of disruption of the treated zone due to construction, excavation or landscaping and/or evidence of the breakdown of the termitic de treated zone in the soil. Areas made vulnerable by these disruptions and reinfested areas may be retreated using a spot, partial or complete treatment(s) in accordance with application techniques and volumes described in this label. The timing and type of such treatments

depends upon several factors including termite pressure, soil types, and soil conditions. Annual re-treatment of the structure is prohibited in the absence of the factors noted above.

#### **USE WITH OTHER PRODUCTS**

Rhyme TC may be applied as an exterior perimeter pre-construction treatment when a borate-based termite control product is used as the primary pre-construction treatment for subterranean termites following label directions. If the exterior perimeter pre-construction treatment option is used, Rhyme TC must be applied to provide a continuous treated zone along the exterior foundation of the structure but application of a complete treatment under the concrete slab is optional. Rhyme TC may also be applied to openings through which plumbing and utility conduits, bath traps and shower drains penetrate as well as expansion joints, foundation cracks and areas of known or suspected termite activity.

Follow instructions in the **POST CONSTRUCTION EXTERIOR PERIMETER/LOCALIZED INTERIOR (EP/LI) STRUCTURAL TERMITE TREATMENT**section of this label for applications to the exterior perimeter and critical areas.

### POST, POLES, WOOD LANDSCAPE ORNAMENTATION

Do not contaminate wells or cisterns.

Preventative Treatment: Apply Rhyme TC at the rated of four gallons per ten linear feet per foot of depth in the soil around wood pests, poles, fence posts, signs and landscaping ornamentation to create a continuous treatment zone to a depth of six inches below the bottom of the pole or post or where other wooden objects come in contact with the soil.. The finished dilution may be applied to the soil as it is replaced around the fixture.

Curative Treatment: Apply Rhyme TC by sub-surface injection or by gravity flow through holes made at the bottom of a trench around previously installed wood posts, poles, fence posts, signs and landscaping ornamentation to a depth of six inches, forming a continuous treatment zone.

When trenching, the trench should be no less than six inches deep but need not be more than six inches wide.

#### **TERMITES ABOVE GROUND**

For Control Termite Aerial Colonies or Drywood Termites

To control termite aerial colonies or drywood termites in localized areas of wooden structures, apply the finished dilution of Rhyme TC to wooden members/voids. Treat inaccessible areas by drilling and injecting the finished dilution into the damaged wood of void spaces with a crack and crevice injection. Foam application is particularly suitable for treatment of void spaces. Treat termite carton nests in trees or building voids by injecting the finished dilution of Rhyme TC using a pointed injection tool. It may be necessary to inject at multiple sites and depths. When possible, remove the carton nest material from building voids.

The applicator is required to check for leaks after application and must lean up any leak resulting in the deposition of termiticide in locations other than those prescribed on this label prior to leaving the application site. Do not allow people or pets to contact contaminated areas or to reoccupy contaminated areas of the structure until a thorough cleaning has been completed.

Do Not treat fruit or nut-bearing trees.

# DIRECTIONS FOR USE TO CONTROL PERIMETER PESTS USE RESTRICTIONS:

- Use personal protective equipment: follow label directions requiring personal protective equipment for any applicator and/or assistants in the area during application.
- Do not contaminate edible plants: avoid application less than one foot away from the drip line of edible plants.
- Do not contaminate public and private water supplies.
- Do not apply to wasp or hornet nests if they are not attached to or within the structure.
- Do not apply Rhyme TC while precipitation is occurring.
- Do not treat water-saturated or frozen soil.
- Use anti-backflow or air gap equipment with filling hoses.
- Do not allow people or pets into the immediate area during application or allw them to re-enter treatment area until sprays have dried.
- Avoid or clean up leaks: The applicator must check areas to be treated that are adjacent to an existing structure for visible and accessible cracks and holes to prevent leaks or exposure to occupants of the structure. People who reside or are present in the structure during application must be advised to remove pets and themselves from the structure if they detect any signs of leakage. The applicator is required to check for leaks after application and must lean up any leak resulting in the deposition of termiticide in locations other than those prescribed on this label prior to leaving the application site. Do not allow people or pets to contact contaminated areas or to reoccupy contaminated areas of the structure until a thorough cleaning has been completed.
- Do not spray air conditioning units or intake vents
- Do not use indoors except for application into wall voids.
- Do not exceed the maximum of two applications per year.
- Do not apply to playground equipment and pet housing
- Do not apply to boat houses, boat piers or boat pilings
- Do not apply within five feet os wells or cisterns
- Do not apply to French drains or other permeable drainage
- Close windows and doors adjacent to application site during surface application.
- Do not apply with 15 feet of bodies of fresh water
- Do not apply within 60 feet of estuarine bodies of water including tidal water, brackish water, bodies of water such as bays, mouths of rivers, salt marshes and lagoons.

#### PERIMETER PEST TREATMENT:

Apply Rhyme TC following the mixing instructions shown below to provide residual control of the following pests:

Ants (acrobat, Argentine, big-headed, carpenter, crazy, odorous, pavement, pharaoh and thief)

Apply Rhyme TC following the mixing instructions shown below to kill the following pests:

Asian lady beetles, darkling beetles Australian, Oriental and smoky brown cockroaches Black widow, brown recluse, cellar and hobo spiders Box-elder bugs, pill bugs Brown and dog ticks Centipedes Cluster flies European earwigs Howe crickets

Millipedes

Paper wasps\*

Silverfish

Yellow jackets

• TRhyme TC is not a knockdown agent

# **Mixing Instructions**

To prepare one gallon of a 0.06% dilution, add 0.8 fl. oz of Rhyme TC to the one-gallon treatment tank already filled \( \frac{1}{4} - 1/3 \) with water. While agitating, add water to fill mark. Filling hose must be equipped with an anti-backflow device or water flow must include an air gap to protect against back siphoning.

During treatment, continue agitation.

Apply a coarse spray using a low-pressure (25 PSO or less) sprayer.

# APPLICATIONS TO OUTSIDE SURFACES OF RESIDENTIAL, INSTITUTIONAL. COMMERCIAL, INDUSTRIAL BUILDINGS AND UTILITY ENCLOSURES AND INTO WALL VOIDS

Rhyme TC finished dilution of 0.06% should be applied using a low-pressure coarse banded surface spray up to 18 inches in width around doors, windows, vents, pipes or any other exterior openings and/or with a crack and crevice injection tip into foundation. cracks or drilled holes where indicated pests may enter the structure and where they trail, crawl or hide and where their nests can be found. Treat joints where exterior siding meets the foundation and where any wires or conduits (electrical, telephone or cable) enter the structure. Following instructions found in the FOAM APPLICATIONS section of this label, apply Rhyme TC foam to wall voids to kill/control indicated pests.

APPLICATIONS TO PERIMETERS OF RESIDENTIAL, INSTITUTIONAL, COMMERCIAL, INDUSTRIAL BUILDINGS AND UTILITY ENCLOSURES

Apply Rhyme TC 0.06% finished dilution along the foundation exterior perimeter to an area one foot up from the surface and one foot out from where the ground meets the foundation using a low-pressure (<25 PSI) coarse general surface spray. Apply 2 quarts of this finished dilution per 160 linear feet which represents an application rate of approximately 1.5 gallons finished dilution per 1000 square feet. Rhyme TC can directly applied to nests found on the ground within one foot of the foundation.

Remove or prune shrubbery, bushes and tree branches touching the structure (or advise the homeowner or building manager to do so) as vegetation in contact with the structure offers a route of entry to pests without coming in contact with the surface application.

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