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Subject: Notification per PRN 98-10 –Size packaging and marketing claims  
Product Name: AMDRO INSECTICIDE ANT BAIT  
EPA Registration Number: 73342-2  
Application Date: 6/19/2017  
Decision Number: 530628

Dear Ms. Horton:

The Agency is in receipt of your Application for Pesticide Notification under Pesticide Registration Notice (PRN) 98-10 for the above referenced product. The Registration Division (RD) has conducted a review of this request for its applicability under PRN 98-10 and finds that the action requested falls within the scope of PRN 98-10.

The label submitted with the application has been stamped “Notification” and will be placed in our records.

Should you wish to add/retain a reference to the company’s website on your label, then 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.

If you have any questions, you may contact Angela Hollis at 703 347-0216 or by email at [hollis.angela@epa.gov](mailto:hollis.angela@epa.gov).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'E. Fertich', written in a cursive style.

for  
Elizabeth Fertich, Acting Product Manager 3  
Invertebrate and Vertebrate Branch 1  
Registration Division (7505P)  
Office of Pesticide Programs

## AMDRO® Insecticide Ant Bait

[Alternate Brand Names: AMDRO® Texas Leafcutting Ant Bait; AMDRO® Total Ant Kill; AMDRO® Ant Guard; AMDRO® Ant Block]

### Optional Marketing Statements

For Control of the Texas Leafcutting Ant by Direct Application to Ant Nests and Mounds  
Attracts and kills many ant species [Kills ants] including[:] acrobat ants, Allegheny mound ants, Argentine ants, bigheaded ants, black turf ants, carpenter ants, citronella ants, cornfield ants, crazy ants, field ants, fire ants (imported and native), ghost ants, harvester ants, honey ants, lawn ants, little black ants, nuisance ants, odorous house ants, pavement ants, Pharaoh ants, pyramid ants, Southern ants, thief ants, white-footed ants and the Texas leafcutting ant.

[For] Use on lawns, landscaped areas, golf courses [ornamental gardens, forested areas] and other noncropland areas [such as airports, roadsides, cemeteries, commercial grounds, parks, school grounds, picnic grounds, athletic fields and other recreational areas] [as listed].

Kills the queen

Destroys the mound

Kills the queen and destroys the mound

Proven to defeat the queen

Proven to kill the queen

Dual action: attracts ants and kills the whole mound

Formulated for killing ants

Prevention made easy

[AMDRO Ant Block,] Ants love it to death

Tough on ants

Shake and bait for mound destruction

Bait formula ensures ant control for up to 3 months

[Kills ants], lasts up to 3 months

Use outdoors

Easy and effective way to control ants in your yard and garden

Kills 25 species of ants

Kills [the] most common outdoor ants

ANTS DO THE WORK[!]

Granules are carried directly into the mound by workers as food for the colony. When the Queen is dead, the mound dies. [Ants carry bait back to the Colony to kill the Queen]

Bait is carried back to the colony for ant control

Kills the ants you see and the ones you don't

Conquer their queen! Reclaim your kingdom!

Kills Carpenter Ants. Fire Ants. Argentine Ants. Texas Leafcutting Ants.

Helps Prevent Ants From Entering the Home

Kills Problem Ants

Kills Carpenter Ants and 24 other ant species

Kills Texas Leafcutting Ants and 24 other species

Kills ants outside so they can't come inside

Protects your home from invading ants

Multi-species ant bait

Home Perimeter Ant Bait

Apply around the perimeter of your home

Kills problem ants including carpenter ants

24 oz. covers 1,080 linear feet [Note: size/area to be adjusted equivalently based on alternative size containers]

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The applicant has certified that no changes, other than those reported to the Agency have been made to the labeling. The Agency acknowledges this notification by letter dated:

07/13/2017

24 oz. covers a 1,080 foot band around the home [Note: size/area to be adjusted equivalently based on alternative size containers]

Home perimeter treatment. 24 oz. treats 1,080 linear feet as a 1 ft. band around the outside perimeter.

One 24 oz. bottle treats the average home over 5 times

[Note: size/area to be adjusted equivalently based on alternative size containers]

Kills Carpenter Ants, Texas Leafcutting Ants, Argentine Ants, and more as listed.

From Amdro

Guaranteed to work!

[Note to EPA: optional claims below when packaged accordingly in “bonus pack” promotion]

- 25% [Bonus] [More]!
- [Bonus Size] [25% More Free]
- Contains ~~24 OZ~~-(crossed out) 30 OZ!
- 24 OZ Plus 6 OZ Free!
- Value Size [2.5 LB] [40 OZ]

[Note to EPA: optional claims below when packaged accordingly with bonus co-pack promotion]

- Kill Ants Outside with AMDRO® Ant Block®!

**[Note to EPA – following claims to be used for corresponding 5OZ PACKAGE SIZE:]**

- [Trial] [single-use] [one-time use] [single application] size
- For [single / one-time] use
- Small [jug / insert other package type], [big / great] value!
- Small [jug / insert other package type], [powerful / big] results!
- Contains [5 oz. of granules,] enough [product] to treat the average [60 ft. x 50 ft.] home [perimeter] once
- 5 oz. [covers / treats] 225 linear ft. [as a 1 ft. band around the home]
- 5 oz. [covers / treats] a 225 ft. band around the home
- [1 jug / bottle / insert other package type] is all you need to treat the average home one time
- 5 oz. [size] treats the average home perimeter [once / 1 time]
- Treat the average home perimeter with just [1 bottle / 5 oz. / insert other package type]
- [Each bottle] treats the average home [perimeter] [once]
- [Bottle / jug / insert other package type] is filled by weight, not by volume. [Contents may settle.]

[Note to EPA: Front/side panels of label may feature graphics representing product use; e.g., listed ants with use sites such as flower gardens, wood piles, porches/patios, lawns/landscaping/home foundations/ant mounds, etc., see pg. 5 for examples]

Active Ingredient:	<u>By wt.</u>
Hydramethylnon (CAS No. 67485-29-4).....	0.88%
Other Ingredients: .....	99.12%
Total.....	100.00%

(1.0 lb. contains 0.14 oz. of active ingredient)

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN  
CAUTION!; PRECAUCION!**

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

See Back/Side/Other Panel(s) for Additional Precautionary Statements

**Net Weight: xx LB (xx kg)**

[back/side/other panels]

## **PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

This product is toxic to fish. Do not apply directly to water. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters. Do not apply when weather conditions favor drift from target areas.

### Optional Marketing Statements

#### **WHY AMDRO INSECTICIDE ANT BAIT IS SO EFFECTIVE:**

1. AMDRO Insecticide Ant Bait is highly attractive to many ant species [including acrobat ants, Allegheny mound ants, Argentine ants, bigheaded ants, black turf ants, carpenter ants, citronella ants, cornfield ants, crazy ants, field ants, fire ants (imported and native), ghost ants, harvester ants, honey ants, lawn ants, little black ants, nuisance ants, odorous house ants, pavement ants, Pharaoh ants, pyramid ants, Southern ants, thief ants, white-footed ants and the Texas leafcutting ant]. AMDRO Insecticide Ant Bait granules are carried directly into the mound by workers as food for the colony.
2. Inside the mound, AMDRO Insecticide Ant Bait is passed to the queen, as well as to other ants. By the end or one to four weeks, the queen and most of the ants in the mound will have eaten this product and died.
3. When the queen is dead, no new worker ants can be produced, so the mound dies.
4. Ants think that Amdro is food. They carry it into the colony and share it with other ants and the queen. When the queen dies, the colony dies.

**General Information:** AMDRO® Insecticide Ant Bait is attractive to many ant species, and the delayed action of hydramethylnon allows foraging ants to bring the bait back to the nest so that the entire colony, including the queen(s), is destroyed. You should see fewer ants within a week of treatment. Some species may require additional applications to achieve maximum control.

Ant species that are controlled by AMDRO® Insecticide Ant Bait include: acrobat ants, Allegheny mound ants, Argentine ants, bigheaded ants, black turf ants, carpenter ants, citronella ants, cornfield ants, crazy ants, field ants, fire ants (imported and native), ghost ants, harvester ants, honey ants, lawn ants, little black ants, nuisance ants, odorous house ants, pavement ants, Pharaoh ants, pyramid ants, Southern ants, thief ants, white-footed ants and the Texas leafcutting ant

### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

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

Do not apply this product in a way that will contact any person or pet, either directly or through drift. Keep people and pets out of area during application.

This product is not for use on crops, timber, plants or turf grown for sale or other commercial use, or for commercial seed production or for research purposes. Do not use AMDRO Insecticide Ant Bait on vegetable or other food crops. This product will retain its effectiveness for up to 3 months after the package has been opened.

#### **Outdoor Use**

AMDRO Insecticide Ant Bait controls acrobat ants, Allegheny mound ants, Argentine ants, bigheaded ants, black turf ants, carpenter ants, citronella ants, cornfield ants, crazy ants, field ants, fire ants (imported and native), ghost ants, harvester ants, honey ants, lawn ants, little black ants, nuisance ants, odorous house ants, pavement ants, Pharaoh ants, pyramid ants, Southern ants, thief ants, white-footed ants and the Texas leafcutting ant. AMDRO Insecticide Ant Bait is for use on lawns, landscaped areas, golf courses, ornamental gardens, forested areas and other noncropland areas such as airports, roadsides, cemeteries, commercial grounds, parks, school grounds, picnic grounds,



ants, cornfield ants, crazy ants, field ants, fire ants (imported and native), ghost ants, harvester ants, honey ants, lawn ants, little black ants, nuisance ants, odorous house ants, pavement ants, Pharaoh ants, pyramid ants, Southern ants, thief ants, white-footed ants	– or – 12 oz. per 540 linear ft. – or – 24 oz. per 1,080 linear ft. – or – 30 oz. per 1,350 linear ft. – or – 2.5 lbs. per 1,800 linear ft.	sidewalks, flower gardens, and around trees, wood piles, dumpsites, and loading docks where ants are trailing, feeding or nesting. Concentrate treatment at visible ant trails as well as cracks or crevices where ants may enter the structure.
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### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

[non-residential use packaging]

**Prohibitions:** Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal. Open dumping is prohibited.

**Pesticide Storage:** Store in cool, dry, secure place and keep container tightly closed. Store container away from pets. This product is formulated in an oil bait. Prolonged exposure to air may turn oil rancid and reduce the attractiveness of the bait. Use within 3 months after opening.

**Pesticide Disposal:** Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

**Container Disposal:** Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Completely empty bag [container] into application equipment. Then dispose of empty bag [container] in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or, if allowed by State and local authorities, by burning, or offer for recycling if available. If burned, stay out of smoke.

**General:** Consult Federal, State, or local disposal authorities for approved alternative procedures.

### STORAGE & DISPOSAL

[residential use packaging only]

**Pesticide Storage:** Store product in original container in a locked storage area. Use within 3 months after opening.

**Pesticide Disposal:** *If partially filled* — Call your local solid waste agency for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

**Container Disposal:** *If empty* — Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Place in trash or offer for recycling if available.

**NOTICE:** 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.

In case of an emergency involving this product, call 1-800-265-0761.
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[Batch Code to be added at production]



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Optional Graphics:

