

POISON

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

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Talon®
RODENTICIDE

CONTAINS
Bittering Agent
HUMAN TASTE
DETERRENT

WAX BLOCKS



ACTIVE CONSTITUENT: 0.05 g/kg BRODIFACOUM

Ready to use block bait for use in damp or dry situations in and around industrial, commercial, public services, agricultural and domestic buildings. Controls rodents resistant to warfarin, coumatetralyl and bromadiolone

ONE FEED KILLS RATS AND MICE#

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For specialist advice in an emergency only, call 1800 033 111 (24 hours)

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DIRECTIONS FOR USE

Restraints

- DO NOT apply bait to crops
- DO NOT place bait in the open
- DO NOT exceed 3 m between bait stations for mice or 9 m for rats in Clean-Out treatments

Baiting Strategy

- Eliminate as far as practical, all alternative food sources
- Bait infested area. Place baits under cover.
- Actively search for, remove and destroy dead and moribund rodents whilst bait is being used
- Ensure bait blocks are removed when rodent activity has ceased

Clean-Out Treatments (Pulse Baiting)

- Clean-out treatments are used to remove existing infestations of rats and mice
- Always record the number and locations of bait blocks for the purpose of bait replacement and later removal
- For rats, place 1 to 3 blocks at intervals of 5 to 9 m in infested areas
- For mice, place single blocks at 2 to 3 m intervals in infested areas
- Nails or wire may be used to fix blocks to prevent them being removed by rodents. Alternately, baits may be secured in bait stations.
- Place baits so as to prevent access to non-target animals. Use tamper-resistant bait stations at locations where access of non-target animals cannot otherwise be prevented and fix the stations securely to the substrate, where necessary.
- Use the greater number of blocks and shorter distance between bait placements when infestations are heavy
- Conduct initial inspection of bait points after 3 or 4 days. Replace any bait that has been consumed. Repeat approximately 4 days later and then weekly. Replace contaminated or spoiled baits.
- Baiting for at least 2 weeks (3 to 4 pulses) will be necessary to reduce rat/mouse numbers to a low level. Although heavy infestations may require longer treatments to achieve complete eradication.
- Discontinue the treatment when effective control has been achieved and remove all bait and bait stations unless a maintenance treatment is to be undertaken

Monitoring and/or Maintenance Treatments

- Monitoring and maintenance treatments are required at sensitive sites where there is no current rodent infestation but where the prevention of such infestation is essential to prevent significant risks to human health. Such treatments may be a condition for audit approval within food safety guidelines. However, all use of this product must comply with the conditions of this label.
- Always record the number and locations of bait stations for the purpose of bait replacement and later removal
- For rats and mice place one block at intervals of between 15 and 30 m in areas prone to rodent infestation
- Place baits so as to prevent access to non-target animals. Always use tamper-resistant bait stations for monitoring and maintenance treatments and fix the stations securely to the substrate.
- Bait stations should be checked at regular intervals according to an agreed and documented schedule
- Use placebo or unpoisoned bait blocks if the placement of the bait away from buildings presents a hazard to non-target animals
- When a rodent infestation is detected the operator should revert to the directions for clean-out treatments

Application

Situation	Pests	Rate	Critical Comments
Industrial, Commercial, Public Services, Agricultural and Domestic Buildings	Rats (<i>Rattus rattus</i> , <i>R. norvegicus</i>), Mice (<i>Mus domesticus</i>)	1 to 3 blocks/ bait station	Set out bait in places frequented by mice and rats in and around buildings (within 2 m) or enclosed spaces, eg drains Clean-out Treatment: For rats: Place 1 to 3 blocks at intervals of 5 to 9 m in infested areas For mice: Place single blocks at 2 to 3 m intervals in infested areas See also Monitoring and/or Maintenance Treatments

NOT TO BE USED FOR ANY PURPOSE, OR IN ANY MANNER, CONTRARY TO THIS LABEL UNLESS AUTHORISED UNDER APPROPRIATE LEGISLATION

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Ensure baits are inaccessible to children, pets, domestic animals and wildlife. Place bait along walls or rafters and in dark sheltered spots where there are signs of rodent activity. Nail in place if relevant. Wax blocks are particularly suitable for use in damp situations and sewers, and crop stores where the risk of contamination should be minimised. Record the number and location of bait placements for the purpose of replenishment and later removal. Most deaths occur 4 to 7 days after consumption of bait. Look for dead rats or mice, burn or bury them. DO NOT place in refuse bins or rubbish tips. Ensure bait blocks are removed when rodent activity has ceased.

#Note: One feed is sufficient to kill rats and mice. Although rats and mice will continue to eat the bait after a lethal dose has been eaten, the directions for use are intended to minimize this.

PRECAUTION

Avoid contact with food, food utensils, or places where food is prepared or stored

PROTECTION OF WILDLIFE, FISH, CRUSTACEANS AND ENVIRONMENT

Depending on the amount eaten, this bait may kill or injure. The bait is hazardous to dogs, cats, pigs, poultry and other wildlife. DO NOT place baits in locations which are accessible to pets, domestic animals, livestock or birds. DO NOT contaminate dams, waterways and drains with the bait or its used container. The use of this product for the control of protected native rodents and rodent like animals requires permission from wildlife authorities. The product is restricted to use in and around buildings (within 2 m) or enclosed spaces, eg drains.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Store in the closed original container in a cool, well ventilated area. DO NOT store for prolonged periods in direct sunlight. Break, crush, puncture and bury empty containers and dispose of unused bait in a local authority landfill. If no landfill is available, bury the containers or unused bait below 500 mm in a disposal pit specifically marked and set up for this purpose clear of waterways, desirable vegetation and tree roots. Empty containers and product should not be burnt. DO NOT use containers which have held bait for any other purpose. Dispose of carcasses safely by burning or burying in an approved landfill.

SAFETY DIRECTIONS

Poisonous if swallowed. DO NOT touch bait. If on skin and after each baiting, wash thoroughly with soap and water. Wash hands after use.

FIRST AID

If poisoning occurs, contact a doctor or Poisons Information Centre. Phone Australia 131 126. Vitamin K1 (Phytomenadione) is antidotal.

NOTE TO PHYSICIANS AND VETERINARIANS

Brodifacoum, the active constituent of TALON Wax Blocks, is a long lasting anticoagulant chemical, which if ingested by humans, domestic animals or pets, can reduce the clotting power of the blood and haemorrhage may result. Vitamin K1 (Phytomenadione) should be administered urgently by medical, appropriate para-medical personnel or veterinarians. If administered intravenously the injection must be given slowly.

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

If additional hazard information is required refer to the Material Safety Data Sheet. For a copy phone 1800 067 108, or visit our website at www.syngenta.com.au

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