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This label has been updated according to the re-evaluation decision of Capsaicin and Related Capsaicinoids RVD2023-10. While users are encouraged to follow this updated label immediately, the previously approved label is valid until 30-03-2025 in accordance with the phase out period set out in RVD2023-10. This previously approved label will be provided upon request by emailing [hc.pmra.info-arla.sc@canada.ca](mailto:hc.pmra.info-arla.sc@canada.ca). In your email please include the product name and Registration number of the label you are requesting.

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Chemfree Critter Ridder® Concentrate

REPELS CATS, DOGS, GROUNDHOGS, RACCOONS, SKUNKS AND SQUIRRELS  
FOR UP TO 30 DAYS FROM LANDSCAPED AREAS INCLUDING  
ORNAMENTALS, GARDENS AND LAWNS, BIRD FEEDERS, GARBAGE BAGS  
AND GARBAGE CONTAINERS

LASTS UP TO 30 DAYS

DOMESTIC  
LIQUID

READ THE LABEL BEFORE USING  
KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN  
FOR OUTDOOR USE ONLY

WARNING EYE AND SKIN IRRITANT  
POTENTIAL SKIN SENSITIZER

REG. NO. 29741 P.C.P. ACT

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:

Oil of Black Pepper.... 3.840%  
Piperine..... 1.480%  
Capsaicin..... 0.136%  
Other related capsaicinoids.....0.121%

NET CONTENTS: 473 mL

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### Shake Well Before Using

GENERAL INFORMATION: Chemfree Critter Ridder® Concentrate contains ingredients that irritate listed animals when they touch or taste the product. It can be used to repel dogs, cats, groundhogs, skunks, raccoons and squirrels from treated areas for up to 30 days. Shake well before mixing. This product can be applied using all types of hand or power sprayers. Read and carefully follow the instructions for the type of sprayer you use. Promptly clean all equipment after each use. Do not mix or apply this product with equipment that has been used for herbicide applications. Properly dilute and spray Havahart Critter Ridder® Concentrate on all areas to be protected.

This product will stain structural surfaces and painted surfaces. Do not apply to siding, roofing, decks, fences, driveways, painted surfaces (including automobiles), sidewalks or other structural material and architectural surfaces. Do not allow spray to drift onto structural surfaces in the areas of application.

### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

FOR OUTDOOR USE ONLY: Do not apply to food or feed crops. Apply only to dry surfaces, and only under conditions favouring prompt drying of spray (lightly breezy), mild dry weather with low relative humidity. DO NOT enter or allow entry into treated areas until sprays have dried. DO NOT apply in areas where plants are grown for food or feed (e.g., vegetables, fruit, herbs) or where children will play. DO NOT apply undiluted.

#### Mixing and Dilution Instructions:

Do not use kitchen utensils for measuring!

Keep measuring utensils with pest control products out of reach of children.

Mix before using: Chemfree Critter Ridder® Concentrate must be mixed with water to produce ready-to-use spray. Before mixing, read and understand mixing instructions.

Use promptly after mixing: Do not store mixed solution longer than one day. Carefully determine the quantity required for immediate application.

Before diluting, thoroughly shake or stir contents of concentrate container to completely re-suspend all solids.

In a suitable mixing container, mix 1 part concentrate with 7 parts warm water (473mL of concentrate makes 3.3 litres of spray when mixed with water).

Pour dilute spray into sprayer and use promptly. Stir or shake the spray immediately before use and frequently during use to prevent settling in bottom of sprayer. Run agitator on large tank sprayers. If sprayer is to be re-used, clean with cold water immediately after use.

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Seal tightly: If saving part of unmixed concentrate for use later, close container tightly to prevent evaporation.

Landscaped Areas, including lawns and ornamentals:

Chemfree Critter Ridder® Concentrate can be used:

- To discourage digging by cats, dogs, raccoons, skunks and squirrels in landscaped areas.
- To discourage unwanted cats, dogs, raccoons, squirrels, groundhogs and skunks from entering lawns and gardens.
- To discourage damage to ornamental plantings by cats, dogs, groundhogs and squirrels.

Spray diluted product thoroughly until wet or until run-off. Lightly apply a second application after the first application has dried. Apply product to soil, mulch, lawns and ornamental plants. Reapply every 30 days or as needed when repellency appears to fade. More frequent application may be necessary during periods of heavy, prolonged rainfall.

Do not apply product directly to new transplants, newly rooted cuttings or plants stressed by drought. Avoid application to plants when temperatures exceed 30° C. Before full-scale application to plants, test spray an inconspicuous area and wait 24 hours to observe for damage.

Garbage Bags and Garbage Containers: To reduce frequent tearing of garbage bags and disturbance of containers by cats, dogs, raccoons and squirrels, spray the diluted product thoroughly until wet over the entire bag and container. Lightly apply a second application after the first application has dried. Treat garbage bags within 72 hours of pickup. Re-apply to garbage containers every 30 days or as needed when repellency appears to fade. More frequent application may be necessary during periods of heavy, prolonged rainfall.

Bird Feeders: To discourage the raiding of bird feeders by squirrels, wet area around bird feeder, including pole, branches and tree trunk. Bird feeders can be sprayed directly to enhance repellency. To test for staining of wooden or plastic birdfeeders, spray an inconspicuous area prior to treating entire feeder. Apply diluted product thoroughly until wet. Lightly apply a second application after the first application has dried. Re-apply every 30 days or as needed when repellency appears to fade. More frequent application may be necessary during periods of heavy, prolonged rainfall.

**PRECAUTIONS: KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.** May irritate the skin. Potential skin sensitizer. If ingested, a bitter taste and burning sensation will result. Avoid ingestion and contact with eyes or skin. The use of waterproof gloves, a long-sleeved shirt, long pants, socks and shoes when diluting, mixing and applying this product. Wash hands with soap and water after use, before touching eyes or face and prior to using the washroom. Store in a cool area away from heat and light. Do not smoke or eat while applying. Application of Havahart Critter Ridder® Concentrate is not known

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to harm ornamental plants..KEEP CHILDREN AND PETS AWAY FROM SITES OF APPLICATION UNTIL SPRAYED SOLUTION HAS DRIED. DO NOT apply to any body of water.

**FIRST AID:**

**If on skin or clothing**, take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control centre or doctor for treatment advice.

**If swallowed**, call a poison control centre or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control centre or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**If inhaled**, move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call a poison control centre or doctor for further treatment advice.

**If in eyes**, hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a poison control centre or doctor for treatment advice.

Take container, label or product name and Pest Control Product Registration Number with you when seeking medical attention.

**STORAGE:** Keep product in original container. To prevent contamination store this product away from food or feed.

**TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:** Treat symptomatically.

**DISPOSAL:** DO NOT reuse empty containers. Dispose in household garbage. Unused or partially used product should be disposed at provincially or municipally designated hazardous waste disposal sites.

**NOTICE TO USER:** This pest control product is to be used only in accordance with the directions on the label. It is an offence under the Pest Control Products Act to use this product in a way that is inconsistent with the directions on the label.