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REGISTRATION No: 32395 PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS ACT

# **Cykill Blocks** Mouse and Rat Poison for indoor Rodent Control Kills House Mice, Norway Rats and Roof Rats

Mice and Rats consume a lethal dose in a single feeding with mortality occurring 1 to 2 days after bait consumption. Rodents cease feeding after consuming a lethal dose in a single feeding. Cykill Blocks is effective against anticoagulant-resistant mice and rats.

Contains sorbic acid at 0.3% as a preservative

Contains Bitrex (an extremely bitter tasting substance that has been added to this bait to deter accidental consumption)



FOR LICENSED PEST CONTROL OPERATORS Only to be used by certified pest control operators, farmer and persons authorized in government-approved pest control programs.

## KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

#### FIRST AID:

**IF SWALLOWED:** Call a poison control centre or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control centre or doctor. Do not give **any** liquid to the person. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**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 immediate for 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 immediate for treatment advice.

For all cases of human ingestion, immediately notify a physician or poison control centre. If pet or livestock poisoning is suspected, immediately contact a veterinarian. Take container, label or product name and Pest Control Product Registration Number with you when seeking medical attention.

PRECAUTIONS: KEEP OUT OF THE REACH OF CHILDREN, UNAUTHORIZED PERSONNEL, PETS AND LIVESTOCK

May be harmful or fatal if swallowed or absorbed through the skin. All handlers must wear long-sleeved shirt and long pants, shoes plus socks, and chemical-resistant gloves when handling this product. Chemical-resistant gloves must be worn when handling product and when disposing of dead rodents, unconsumed bait and empty containers. Avoid contact with eyes, skin or clothing. Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet. Wash skin thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Wash contaminated clothing, separately from other laundry, with soap and hot water before reuse. KEEP AWAY FROM FEED AND FOODSTUFFS. This product is toxic to fish, birds and other wildlife. Keep out of any body of water.

## **TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:**

Cykill Blocks is not an anticoagulant type of rodenticide. If ingested, limit absorption by either emesis or gastric lavage. Follow immediately with activated charcoal and saline cathartic orally, repeat every 6-8 hours for at least 72 hours. Activated charcoal has been shown to be effective. Animals showing signs of toxicosis should receive supportive therapy such as maintain body temperature, respiration and electrolytes. Corticosteroids and osmotic diuretics (mannitol) may be beneficial. This product contains petroleum distillates. Vomiting may cause aspiration pneumonia.

#### DIRECTIONS FOR USE

**SELECTION OF TREATMENT AREAS:** Determine areas where house mice and rats will most likely find and consume the bait. Generally, these areas are along the walls, by gnawed openings, in or beside burrows, in corners and concealed places, between floors and walls, or in locations where rodents or their signs have been observed. Remove as much alternative food accessible to rodents as possible.

**BAITING STRATEGY:** Highest bait consumption is expected to occur on the first day or two after treatment. After several days, inspect the tamper resistant bait stations and replenish bait at sites where there is heavy feeding or where there is continued evidence of rodent activity. Replace spoiled bait if recent rodent activity is apparent. Maintain bait for at least a week and continue baiting until all signs of rodent activity have ceased or it becomes clear that the remaining rats and mice are not attracted to the bait. Collect and properly dispose of all dead animals and leftover bait. To discourage re-infestation, limit sources of rodent food, water, and harborage as much as possible. If re-infestation does occur, repeat treatment. Where a continuous source of infestation is present, establish permanent bait stations and replenish bait as needed.

#### **APPLICATION DIRECTIONS:**

Chemical-resistant gloves must be worn while applying this product. Users should remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash skin thoroughly and put on clean clothing.

**NORWAY RATS & ROOF RATS:** This product is to be used by licensed pest control operators as part of their rodent control program. Apply 2 to 6 blocks per tamper-resistant bait station. Adjust the amount of bait applied to the level of rat feeding expected at each bait placement location. Tamper-resistant bait stations should be spaced at 6.0 to 9.0 meter intervals, in locations out of reach of children, pets, domestic animals and non-target wildlife. The number and location of bait stations should be recorded. Place blocks directly in tamper-resistance bait stations; do not remove bait from plastic cups. The bait is not to be placed outdoors or in areas near farm wells or water reservoirs, or in areas where there is a possibility of contaminating sources of drinking water.

**HOUSE MICE:** This product is to be used by licensed pest control operators as part of their rodent control program. Apply 1 to 2 blocks per tamper-resistant bait station. Adjust the amount of bait applied to the level of mouse feeding expected at each bait at placement location. Tamper-resistant bait stations should be spaced at 2.4 to 3.7 meter intervals, in locations out of reach of children, pets, domestic animals and non-target wildlife. The number and location of bait stations should be recorded. Place directly in tamper-resistance bait stations; do not remove bait from plastic cups. The bait is not to be placed outdoors or in areas near farm wells or water reservoirs, or in areas where there is a possibility of contaminating sources of drinking water.

**IMPORTANT:** Do not expose children, pets or other non-target animals to rodenticides. To help prevent accidents:

- Store product not in use in a location out of reach of children and pets.
- Apply bait in locations out of reach of children, pets, domestic animals and other non-target wildlife in tamper-resistant bait stations. These stations must be resistant to destruction by dogs and by children, and must be used in a manner that prevents children from reaching into bait compartments and obtaining bait. If bait can be shaken from stations when they are lifted, units must be secured or otherwise immobilized. Even stronger bait stations are needed in areas that are exposed to industrial machines (e.g., fork trucks).
- Dispose of unused and stale bait in accordance with local requirements.

**USE LIMITATIONS:** For control of House Mice (*Mus musculus*), Norway rats (*Rattus norvegicus*) and Roof rats (*Rattus rattus*) in homes, industrial and agricultural buildings, and similar man-made structures. Do not use Cykill Blocks in sewers.

**Food Processing, Food Manufacturing, Food Storage and Food Service Areas:** A foodhandling establishment is an area or place in which food is held, processed, prepared and/or served. In food-handling establishments, place tamper-resistant bait stations on the floor or ground near the walls where signs of rodent feeding are apparent. Do not place tamperresistant bait stations in areas where there is a possibility of contaminating food or surfaces that come in contact with food.

- Non-Food areas of food-handling establishments include garbage rooms, machine rooms, boiler rooms, garages, mop closets, and storage areas for canned, bottled or packaged products. For areas not directly related to food processing: use only in non-food or nonfeed areas where feed, food, packaging and handling equipment are never opened or exposed.
- Food areas of food-handling establishments include areas for receiving; serving; storage of dry, cold, frozen or raw foods; packaging, such as canning, bottling, wrapping and boxing; preparing, such as cleaning, slicing, cooking and grinding; edible waste storage; and enclosed processing systems, such as mills and dairies, or those systems used to product edible oils and syrups. For areas where feed or food is processed, served or stored: use only when plant is not in operation. Remove or cover all food, packaging material and utensils before placing bait in stations. Remove all baits and dead rodents before re-use of the plant (processing areas include storage and service).

#### Bait MUST be placed in tamper-resistant bait stations.

Bait station (tier 3) used for the placement of rodenticide bait indoors, in locations not accessible to pets or livestock must have the following characteristics: (1) be constructed of high-strength material (e.g., metal or injection moulded plastic) and resistant to destruction by children; (2) have an entrance designed so that children cannot reach the bait; (3) have an internal structure that prevents bait from being shaken loose; (4) have an access panel that fastens securely and

locks (e.g., metal screw or padlock); and (5) bear the product name, active ingredient, guarantee, registration number, "WARNING POISON", and the skull and crossbones symbol.

DO NOT place bait where there is a possibility of contamination of food or surfaces in contact with food.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL: Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.

**STORAGE:** Store in a cool, dry place away from other chemicals and food or feed. Store product not in use, in original container and in a secure location inaccessible to children and non-target animals.

**DISPOSAL:** Do not reuse empty container. Follow provincial instructions for any required cleaning of the container prior to its disposal. Make the empty container unsuitable for further use. Dispose of the container in accordance with provincial requirements. Licensed pest control operators collect and properly dispose of all dead rodents and leftover bait. Dispose of unused, spoiled bait and dead rodents in accordance with Provincial requirements. For information on disposal of unused, unwanted product, contact the manufacturer or the provincial regulatory agency. Contact the manufacturer and the provincial regulatory agency in case of a spill, and for clean-up of spills.

## 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. The user assumes the risk to persons or property that arises from any such use of this product.

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