

APISTAN®

VARROA CONTROL STRIPS

Kills Varroa, not the Honey Bee
No-Mess Application

AGRICULTURAL

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:
Fluvalinate-tau10.25%

Warning, contains the allergen soy.

REGISTRATION NO. 33771
PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS ACT

READ THE LABEL BEFORE USING
KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

100 STRIPS (600 g)

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DIRECTIONS FOR USE

WEAR CHEMICAL RESISTANT GLOVES WHEN HANDLING THE STRIPS. Just before application, remove the required number of APISTAN STRIPS from the pouch. Unused strips should remain in original package.

For best results, use one strip for each 5 frames or less of bees, in each brood chamber. For example, hang one strip between frames 3 and 4 and the second strip between frames 7 and 8, in a ten frame colony. APISTAN STRIPS must be in contact with brood nest at all times. For best chemical distribution, use APISTAN STRIPS when daytime high temperatures are at least 10° C. For Control: Remove honey supers, place APISTAN STRIPS in hives, and remove strips after a 42-day treatment period. Honey supers may be replaced after the APISTAN STRIPS have been removed. Effective varroa mite control is achieved during the treatment period. Hives are only to be treated in the spring before the first honey flow and in the fall after the last honey flow.

For Detection: Place white sticky paper below the frames (sticky side up). Remove honey supers before application of APISTAN STRIPS and do not replace until the end of the survey period. At various intervals, check for Varroa on withdrawn white, sticky paper from below the frames. Remove strips from the hive within 7 days and replace the honey supers.

PRECAUTIONS: KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. Wear chemical resistant gloves when handling strips. Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water after removing gloves. Harmful if swallowed. Do not expose honey intended for human consumption directly to APISTAN STRIPS. Do not re-use strips. After treatment, do not use beeswax for human consumption. Fluvalinate-tau is toxic to fish. Do not contaminate aquatic systems with fluvalinate-tau by storage or disposal of Apistan Varroa Control Strips.

FIRST AID: IF INGESTED - 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 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.

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

TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION: Treat symptomatically.

STORAGE: Keep strips in original, unopened package until ready to use. Do not store in direct sunlight. Do not store unused strips in anything other than the original package. Do not store near pesticides or chemical substances that could contaminate the strips and result in bee toxicity. Do not contaminate food, feed or water by the storage and/or disposal of this product.

DISPOSAL: Do not re-use strips or empty packages. Make the empty package unsuitable for future use. Dispose of the package and used strips in accordance with provincial requirements. Open-burning of Apistan Varroa Control Strips is prohibited. 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.

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