

GARDEX RODENT

“BAIT BLOCKS”

KILLS RATS AND MICE

MOLD RESISTANT - MOISTURE RESISTANT

REGISTRATION NO.: 10079 PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS ACT

COMMERCIAL

GUARANTEE:

Diphacinone.....0.005%

Warning, contains the allergens wheat, soy.

Contains malathion at 0.009% and calcium propionate at 0.378% as preservatives.

READ THE LABEL BEFORE USING

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

(see panel for additional precautionary statements)

NET CONTENTS: 4.5 Kg (10 lbs.)

**Only to be used by certified pest control operators, farmers and persons authorized
in government-approved pest control programs.**

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PRECAUTIONS: KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN, PETS, AND LIVESTOCK. If swallowed, this material may reduce clotting ability of the blood and cause bleeding. May be harmful or fatal if swallowed or absorbed through the skin. 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.**

All handlers must wear long-sleeved shirt and long pants, shoes plus socks, and chemical-resistant gloves when handling this product. Users should remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash skin thoroughly and put on clean clothing.

FIRST AID: **If in eyes**, flush with water for 15 minutes. **If on skin**, wash with soap and water. **If swallowed**, give one or two glasses of water and INDUCE VOMITING by touching back of throat with a finger or blunt object; repeat until vomit fluid is clear. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. For all cases of human ingestion, immediately contact 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.

TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION: If ingested, Vitamin K¹ in the form of intramuscular or subcutaneous injections, or by oral ingestion are suggested remedial treatments for anticoagulant poisoning. The severity of the case measured by establishing prolonged prothrombin times (P.T.) will determine appropriate therapy. Monitoring P.T. will indicate the necessity of repeated treatments.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: Keep out of lakes, streams or ponds.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE: Use bait to control the Norway rat (*Rattus norvegicus*), Roof rat (*Rattus rattus*), and House mouse (*Mus musculus*) indoors and against the outside walls of dwellings, farm buildings, food service establishments (non-food areas), granary bins (empty), processing plants (feed, food, in non-food areas) and storage areas (non-food). **Food Processing, Food Manufacturing, Food Storage and Food Service Areas:** For areas not directly related to food processing: Use only in non-food or non-feed areas where feed, food, packaging and handling equipment are never opened or exposed. For areas where feed or food is processed, served, or stored: In meat and food processing plants (processing areas), use only when plant is not in operation. Remove or cover all food, packaging material and utensils before placing bait in baiting stations. Remove all baits and dead rodents before reuse of the plant (processing areas include storage and service). Users should remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash skin thoroughly and put on clean clothing.

USE LIMITATIONS: Bait **MUST** either be placed in tamper-resistant bait stations or in locations not accessible to children, pets or livestock. **DO NOT** place bait in areas where there is a possibility of contaminating food or surfaces that come in direct contact with food.

To ensure safe use of this product, tamper-resistant bait stations must have the following characteristics:

- constructed of high-strength material (e.g., metal or injection moulded plastic) and resistant to destruction by children and non-target animals;
- entrance designed so that children and non-target animals cannot reach the bait;
- internal structure that prevents bait from being shaken loose;
- access panel that fastens securely and locks (e.g., metal screw or padlock);
- capable of being securely fastened to a surface (e.g., nailed down); and
- clearly labeled: "WARNING POISON".

SELECTION OF TREATMENT AREAS: Determine areas where rats and/or mice will most likely find and consume the bait. Generally, these areas are along 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.

APPLICATION DIRECTIONS: Each GARDEX Rodent Bait Block consists of a 454 g slab to be divided in four pieces of 114 g.

RATS: Place 1 to 4 pieces of GARDEX Rodent Bait Blocks (usually at intervals of 5 – 10 m) per placement. Maintain an uninterrupted supply of fresh bait for at least 10 days or until signs of rat activity cease.

MICE: Place 28 g of GARDEX Rodent Bait Block at 2.5 – 4 m intervals. Two 28 g pieces may be needed at points of high mouse activity. Maintain an uninterrupted supply of fresh bait for at least 15 days or until signs of mouse activity cease.

RATS/MICE: Replace contaminated or spoiled bait immediately. To prevent reinfestation, eliminate food, water, and harborage as much as possible. If reinfestation does occur, repeat treatment. Where a continuous source of infestation is present, establish permanent bait stations and replenish bait as needed.

DISPOSAL: 1. Do not reuse empty container. Dispose of unused or spoiled bait in accordance with local requirements. 2. Follow provincial instructions for any required cleaning of the container prior to its disposal. 3. Make the empty container unsuitable for further use. 4. Dispose of the container in accordance with provincial requirements. 5. 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 spill, and for cleanup of spills.

RODENT DISPOSAL: Dispose of dead rodents in garbage or by burying.

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

NOTICE TO USER: This pest control product is to be used only in accordance with the directions on the label. It is an offense 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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