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VERTOX

RAT and MOUSE KILLER

10kg

Contains brodifacoum 0.05 g/kg and human aversive agent denatonium benzoate 0.01 g/kg in the form of a bait

A READY-FOR-USE BAIT FOR THE CONTROL OF RATS AND MICE IN AND AROUND INDUSTRIAL, COMMERCIAL, PUBLIC SERVICES, AGRICULTURAL AND DOMESTIC BUILDINGS

MADE IN BRITAIN

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GENERAL INFORMATION

VERTOX RAT & MOUSE KILLER bait is formulated for use indoors and outdoors. It will control rats and mice including those that may be resistant to warfarin. It is approved for use as a ground-based application in a bait station. Locate baits under cover, along walls or rafters and in dark sheltered areas where there are signs of rodent activity. Use only with an appropriate bait station. Pre-feeding is not required as individual rodents can consume a lethal dose at a single feeding. Most rodents die within 10 days.

Baiting Strategy

•   Eliminate as much as practical, all alternative food sources.
•   Locate baits under cover, along walls or rafters and in dark sheltered areas where there are signs of rodent activity.

For mice – use 2 bait blocks 5m apart, or 2m apart for high infestations.

For rats – use 2 to 6 blocks 10m apart reducing to 5m apart for high infestations.

•   Record location and number of bait stations to assist in checking and later removal.
•   Inspect baits regularly.
•   Replace baits every 7 days until no more is taken. If baits are ingested more quickly then replace more frequently.

NOTE: One feed is sufficient to kill a mouse or rat but they will continue to eat the bait even after a lethal dose has been eaten.

•   Baiting for at least 2 weeks will be necessary to reduce rodent numbers.
•   Ensure untaken baits are removed and safely disposed of when rodent activity has ceased.

By law this product must only be used in a bait station and as specified on the label.

WARNING
May be harmful if swallowed. May cause damage to the blood system from repeated oral exposure to high doses. Harmful to aquatic organisms and terrestrial vertebrates.

PRECAUTIONS
Avoid skin contact. Wear gloves. Wash hands and exposed skin after handling. Avoid contamination of any water supply with product or empty container. Do NOT lay baits in places accessible to children, domestic animals, pets, livestock or birds. Do NOT lay baits in bush area where stock or feral animals have access to baits. Dispose of any carcasses by burial or by wrapping in paper, placing in a plastic bag and putting in the garbage.

FIRST AID
If swallowed, do NOT induce vomiting. For advice, contact the National Poisons centre 0800 poison (0800 764 766) or a doctor, immediately.

Treatment of Domestic Animals: Depending on the amount consumed, this bait may kill or injure dogs, cats, pigs, poultry and wildlife. Vitamin K1 is an effective antidote against accidental poisoning of domestic animals.

Note to Doctors and Veterinarians: Brodifacoum is a long-lasting anticoagulant compound which if ingested can reduce the clotting ability of the blood and haemorrhage may result. Vitamin K1 (Phytomenadione) should be administered urgently by medical, appropriate paramedical personal or veterinarians. If administered intravenously the injection must be given slowly.

STORAGE: Store in original container tightly closed and in a locked, dry, cool area away from direct sunlight and foodstuffs.

DISPOSAL: Ensure container is completely empty. Do NOT use container for any other purpose. Burn empty container if circumstances such as wind direction permit, otherwise crush and bury in suitable landfill. Wrap untaken or unused baits, place in plastic bag and put into the garbage.

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See www.foodsafety.govt.nz for registration conditions.
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