## PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

Hazard to Humans and Domestic Animals

CAUTION: May be harmful if swallowed or absorbed through the skin because this product reduces the clotting ability of blood and causes bleeding. Keep away from children, domestic animals and pets. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Any person who retrieves carcasses or unused bait following application of this product must wear gloves. All handlers (including applicators), must wear long sleeved shirt and long pants, shoes plus socks, and gloves.

USER SAFETY REQUIREMENTS: Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry. Remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash hands thoroughly after applying bait and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet and change into clean clothing.

FIRST AID: Have this label with you when obtaining treatment advice.

If swallowed: Call a poison control center 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 the poison control center or doctor.

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 center or doctor for treatment advice.

If on skin or clothing: Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with plenty of cool water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

If inhaled: Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

**NOTE TO PHYSICIAN:** Contains, chlorophacinone, an anticoagulant. For humans that have ingested this product, or have obvious poisoning symptoms (bleeding) or prolonged prothrombin times, give Vitamin K<sub>1</sub> by intramuscular or oral administration. Check prothrombin time every 3 days until values return to normal.

TREATMENT FOR PET POISONING: If animal eats bait, call veterinarian at once.

NOTE TO VETERINARIAN: Anticoagulant Chlorophacinone: For animals ingesting bait and/or showing poisoning signs (bleeding or elevated prothrombin times), give Vitamin K<sub>1</sub>.

**ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:** This product is toxic to fish and wildlife. Dogs and other predatory and scavenging mammals and birds might be poisoned if they feed upon animals that have eaten the bait. Do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes. Runoff also may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in water adjacent to treated areas. ENDANGERED SPECIES CONSIDERATIONS: Do not use this product within prairie dog towns in the range of the black-footed ferret without first contacting endangered species specialists, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Denver Regional Office. This pesticide should not be used within one mile of active dens of the San Joaquin Kit Fox in the following California counties: Kern, Kings, Fresno, San Luis Obispo, Merced, Monterey, Santa Barbara, Ventura, Tulare, and San Benito. Prior to use, contact endangered species specialists at the California Department of Fish and Game or the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. Portland Regional Office, for recommendations.



# POCKET GOPHER BAIT

## FOR THE CONTROL OF POCKET GOPHERS ONLY

This product may only be used to control pocket gophers in manual, below-ground applications.

Active Ingredient: chlorophacinone ... 0.005% Inert Ingredients ... 99.995% Total ... 100.000%

## KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

**CAUTION:** See side panel for additional precautionary statements.



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This product *not* registered for sale or use in Alaska. Hawaii. North Carolina or Pennsylvania.

### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

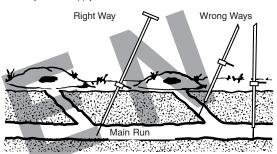
It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. **READ THIS LABEL** and follow all use directions and use precautions. **USE RESTRICTIONS:** Use only to control pocket gophers (*Thomomys* spp. and *Geomys* spp.) on lawns, golf courses, alfalfa fields, rangeland, orchards and groves, and non-crop areas. Bait must be applied directly into pocket gophers' burrow systems. Only apply bait underground. Apply only for the sites, pests and application methods specified on this label.

**Application Directions:** Burrowing pocket gophers throw out low, fan-shaped mounds on either side of their underground tunnel. These lateral tunnels coming to the surface are on the flat side of the fan and these holes plugged with loose soil.

Treatment: Can be made in one or both of the following ways.

- 1. With a long-handled tablespoon, carefully remove the plug on the flat side of the fan. Carefully insert 1/2 cup of bait as far down into the hole as possible. Reclose the opening, using care not to cover the bait with soil.
- 2. Using a metal rod, probe 6–12 inches deep to locate the main tunnel. Consult diagram below for location to probe. Drop 1/2 cup of bait into the tunnel and cover the hole so light will not enter the tunnel system.

Consult Federal and State rodent control bulletins for a full discussion of pocket gopher burrowing habits. Make 2–3 treatments per burrow system. Wearing gloves, immediately bury dead animals and spilled bait found on soil surface. Maintain a constant supply of bait in the burrow system for as long as there is gopher activity. Do not apply bait on surface of soil.



The right and the wrong ways to use a probe for poisoning gophers are shown above. Be sure that bait is in the main runway - not in the laterals or imbedded in the bottom of the runway. (13909)

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.

Pesticide Storage: Store in original container in a cool, dry place inaccessible to children and pets.

**Pesticide Disposal:** Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

**Container Handling:** This is a nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Offer for recycling if available or dispose of empty container in a sanitary landfill, or by incineration, or if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

**WARRANTY:** To the extent consistent with applicable law, seller makes no warranty, expressed or implied, concerning use of this product other than indicated on the label. Buyer assumes all risk of use and/or handling of product when such use and/or handling is contrary to label instructions.

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