WEATHERBLOK® XT Bait containing RATAK® Rodenticide

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

REGISTRATION NUMBER **21084**PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS ACT

NET CONTENTS: 0.4 – 10 kg

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1.0 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.

2.0 FIRST AID

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.

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 for treatment advice.

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.

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.

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

3.0 TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Vitamin K_1 , in the form of intramuscular or subcutaneous injection, or by oral ingestion, are suggested remedial treatments for anticoagulant poisoning. The severity of the case measured by establishing the prolonged prothrombin times (P.T.) will determine appropriate therapy. Monitoring P.T. will indicate the necessity of repeated treatments.

4.0 PRECAUTIONS

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN, PETS, and LIVESTOCK.

If swallowed, this material may reduce the clotting ability of the blood and cause bleeding. May be harmful or fatal if swallowed or absorbed through the skin. KEEP AWAY FROM FEED AND FOODSTUFFS.

5.0 PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

Chemical-resistant gloves must be worn when handling product and when disposing of dead rodents, unconsumed bait and empty containers. All handlers must wear long-sleeved shirt and long pants, shoes plus socks, and chemical-resistant gloves when handling this product. Avoid contact with eyes, skin or clothing.

Wash contaminated clothing, separately from other laundry, with soap and hot water before reuse.

Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet. Wash skin thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

PRECAUTIONS FOR HANDLING BROKEN PACKAGES: Prevent inhalation, skin and eye contact: wear rubber gloves, boots, safety goggles and NIOSH approved pesticide respirator. Place damaged unit so further leakage is minimized. Cover spilled material and area around damaged unit with heavy absorbent and plastic sheeting to prevent dusting and blowing.

6.0 USE LIMITATIONS

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

Bait stations (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.

Bait stations (tier 2) used for the placement of rodenticide bait indoors, in locations accessible to pets or livestock must have the following characteristics, in addition to those outlined above for tier 3 bait stations:

- 1. Resistant to destruction by non-target animals; and
- 2. Have an entrance designed so that non-target animals cannot reach the bait.

7.0 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.

8.0 DISPOSAL

For Containers

Do not reuse empty container. Dispose of unused or spoiled bait in accordance with local requirements. Make the empty container unsuitable for further use. Dispose of the container in accordance with provincial requirements. For more information on the disposal of unused, unwanted product and the cleanup of spills, contact the provincial regulatory agency or the manufacturer.

For Bags

- 1. Empty bag thoroughly.
- 2. Make the empty bag unsuitable for further use.
- 3. Dispose of the bag in accordance with provincial requirements.

Rodent Disposal

Dispose of dead rodents in garbage or by burying.

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY INVOLVING A MAJOR SPILL, FIRE OR POISONING, CALL 1-800-327-8633 (FASTMED)

9.0 DIRECTIONS FOR USE

FOR INDOOR USE ONLY.

Use bait to control the Norway rat (*Rattus norvegicus*), Roof rat (*Rattus rattus*), and House mouse (*Mus musculus*) in 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).

Users should remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash skin thoroughly and put on clean clothing.

NORWAY AND ROOF RATS: Place 5 - 10 WEATHERBLOK® XT Bait containing RATAK® Rodenticide baits usually at intervals of 5 - 10 metres per placement. Maintain an uninterrupted supply of fresh bait for 10 days or until signs of rat activity cease.

HOUSE MICE: Place 1 WEATHERBLOK XT Bait containing RATAK Rodenticide Bait at intervals of 2.5 - 4 metres per placement. Larger placements (2 baits) may be needed at points of very high mouse activity. Maintain an uninterrupted supply of fresh bait for 15 days or until signs of mouse activity cease.

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 area 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).

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