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CARPENTER ANT BAIT GEL – 0.95 OZ (27g)

FOR USE IN COMMERCIAL, INDUSTRIAL AND RESIDENTIAL AREAS

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

Fipronil*0.001%

OTHER INGREDIENTS:99.999%

*CAS NO. 120068-37-3

Contains: 1 plastic reservoir

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION: SEE CAUTIONS BELOW

Use only in areas not easily accessible to children and pets.

Product may stain textiles and clothing.

This product contains a unique blend of inert ingredients specially designed for Carpenter Ants. The high moisture content of this gel enhances the bait's attractiveness to target ants. The bait's attractiveness is greatest within two weeks of application. This product is a bait product, formulated to take advantage of ant trophallaxis. Through trophallaxis, worker ants eat the bait while foraging, then feed it to the rest of the colony. The larvae digest the solid bait and produce a liquid containing Fipronil that is fed to the rest of the colony and queen(s).

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

CAUTION: May be harmful if swallowed. Avoid contact with skin and clothing. Keep exposed gel away from open foods and food contact surfaces. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. **FIRST AID:** If swallowed, drink two glasses of water and induce vomiting by touching back of throat with finger. Do not induce vomiting or give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention. For more information, call: 1-800-426-6228 or visit the Maxforce website at www.maxforce.com.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL: Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.

STORAGE: Store below 100°F in a dry area out of reach of children.

DISPOSAL: Wrap used prefilled reservoir in several layers of newspaper and discard in trash.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

This gel may be used as a spot or crack and crevice treatment for the indoor and outdoor control of ants around structures.

Application rate is dependent on level of infestation and species to be controlled. Bait should be applied as spots.

Place gel in areas of suspected ant activity, next to ant trails and near ant nests.

1. Apply gel in spots in cracks and crevices. For best results, place many spots or dabs of gel where you see ants foraging and entering the structure.
2. Do not apply gel to areas that have been recently sprayed with insecticide and do not spray insecticide over gel as this may cause the bait to become repellent. Do not apply gel to areas that are routinely washed, such as counter tops, as gel will be removed or diluted and spread onto the surface.
3. Place the bait as follows: Gel can be placed in cracks, crevices, corners and any out of the way place, such as under and behind kitchen appliances, along baseboards, under sinks, in pantry, around pipes and water heater, window and door frames, and in the garage, attic, or crawl space.

Applications in Food/Feed Handling Establishments. Application within food/feed areas of food/feed handling establishments is limited to crack and crevice treatment only. Apply with Maxforce® Bait Injector directly into cracks and crevices. Place applicator tip into cracks and crevices and where ants may travel. Apply gel up to 1 gram per spot. Apply bait in small amounts between different elements of construction, openings leading into voids and hollow spaces in floors, walls, ceilings, equipment legs and bases, around plumbing pipes, doors and windows, cabinets, sinks, stoves and other places where ants may enter the establishment. During follow-up visits inspect bait placements and reapply when necessary.

Do not apply bait to areas where food/feed, food utensils or food/feed processing surfaces may become contaminated. Do not apply bait in cracks and crevices of areas that are routinely washed, tops of tables, food/feed preparation and prepared food/feed holding surfaces as bait may be removed by washing. Do not apply bait to surfaces where the temperature exceeds 120 F as bait may run. Examples include, but are not limited to, portions of stoves, ovens, grills, fume hoods, heat lamps, coffee urns, steam tables, toasters, fryers, dishwashers and hot water pipes. Care should be taken to avoid depositing gel onto exposed surfaces. If gel contacts an exposed surface, remove it and wash exposed surface.

Food/feed areas include areas for receiving, storage, packing (canning, bottling, wrapping, boxing), preparing edible waste storage, and enclosed processing systems (mills, dairies, edible oils, syrups). Serving areas are also considered a food area when food is exposed and facility is in operation. Application of this product in food/feed areas of food/feed handling establishments other than as a crack and crevice treatment is not permitted.

For indoor use: Visually inspect for ants and place gel in areas where you see ants. Likely locations for ant activity and gel placements are areas where ants enter the building structure and areas with potential water damage including: wall voids, cracks and crevices in kitchen, bathroom, under sink, window sills, screen vents, garage, attic, and crawl spaces. Do not place bait in locations that are routinely or frequently washed, as bait will be removed by washing. Do not treat food preparation surfaces. Do not use this product in or on electrical equipment where a possibility of shock hazard exists.

For outdoor use: Place gel outdoors into, on or adjacent to structures where you see ants, next to ant trails and suspected areas of ant activity. Likely locations for ant activity and gel placements are points of entry into structure and areas with potential water damage including: eaves, soffits, weep holes, where wires and pipes enter the structure, trees, stumps, roots, wood decks, fences, planter boxes, wood piles, landscaping, and railroad ties. Exposure to extreme heat or cold, direct sunlight and water may reduce effectiveness.

Inspect placements and reapply as needed: The gel will remain attractive to ants for up to two weeks. Reapply in same area if bait is gone or in a different location if no ant activity is evident.

Pest population reduction will be apparent within a week.

Directions for using the Maxforce Bait Injector, loading reservoirs and operation: With the teeth of the drive rod facing up, pull the drive rod all the way back. Attach ant gel reservoir to the bait injector with a twist-locking movement. Remove the reservoir outlet cap and attach the dispensing tip. Push the drive rod until the drive plunger seats against the piston in the reservoir of gel. Turn drive rod knob until teeth are facing down. Gently squeeze the trigger until the gel flows out. Reservoirs that still contain gel can be sealed with the end cap for future use.

Directions for changing reservoirs: With the arrow on the drive rod pointing up, pull the drive rod out as far as it will go. Remove the empty reservoir, wrap, and place in trash can. Reservoirs that still contain gel can be sealed with the outlet cap for future use. To attach a new reservoir of gel, follow the above directions.

Contains 1 plastic reservoir
TOTAL NET WEIGHT 0.95 oz. (27 g.)

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Material Safety Data Sheet

I Product: MAXFORCE® CARPENTER ANT BAIT GEL											
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EPA REG. NO.: 64248-21	Maxforce Insect Control Systems 1221 Broadway Oakland, CA 94612	Notify your Supervisor Rocky Mountain Poison Center 1-800-446-1014 For Transportation Emergencies Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300									
II Health Hazard Data		III Hazardous Ingredients									
<p>Maxforce® Carpenter Ant Bait Gel may be minimally irritating to the skin following prolonged direct contact. It is not acutely toxic upon oral or dermal exposure. Follow the precautions outlined below.</p> <p>Practical Treatment: If swallowed, drink two glasses of water and induce vomiting by touching back of throat with finger. Do not induce vomiting or give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. For skin or eye contact, rinse with copious amounts of water. Seek medical attention.</p> <p>No known health conditions are aggravated by exposure to this product.</p>		<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Ingredient</th> <th>Concentration</th> <th>Worker Exposure Limit</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Fipronil</td> <td>0.001%</td> <td>^a0.1 mg/m³</td> </tr> <tr> <td>CAS Reg. No. 120068-37-3</td> <td></td> <td>^b0.032 mg/m³</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>None of the ingredients in this product is on the IARC, OSHA or NTP carcinogen lists.</p> <p>Rhone-Poulenc TWA for : ^a3 month 'on', 9 month 'off' exposure ^b12 month daily exposure</p>	Ingredient	Concentration	Worker Exposure Limit	Fipronil	0.001%	^a 0.1 mg/m ³	CAS Reg. No. 120068-37-3		^b 0.032 mg/m ³
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IV Special Protection and Precautions		V Transportation and Regulatory Data									
<p>Hygienic Practices: Avoid contact with skin and clothing. Wash skin with soap and water if contact. Remove contaminated clothing and launder before re-wearing.</p> <p>Engineering Controls: Use general ventilation to minimize exposure.</p> <p>KEEP OUT OF THE REACH OF CHILDREN.</p>		<p>U.S. DOT Hazard Class: Not restricted</p> <p>U.S. DOT Proper Shipping Name: Insecticide, non-toxic, solid-not restricted</p> <p>EPA CERCLA/SARA TITLE III: This product contains no CERCLA/SARA Title III materials.</p>									
VI Spill or Leak Procedures		VII Reactivity Data									
<p>Non-hazardous waste. Place in a container for disposal. Dispose in accordance with Local, State, and Federal regulations.</p>		<p>Stable under normal use and storage conditions. Product will stain porous surfaces.</p>									
VIII Fire and Explosion Data		IX Physical Data									
<p>Not flammable or explosive. Flash Point: 200°F (TCC) Fire Extinguishing Media: Water, Foam, CO₂ or dry chemical.</p>		<p>Appearance: Thick translucent, yellowish gel, sweet odor pH: not applicable Specific gravity: 1.27 g/cc Melting Point: 60° C</p>									