

## DIRECTIONS FOR USE

For the control of Norway rats, Roof rats and House mice inside homes, industrial, commercial and public buildings.

**USE LIMITATIONS: Selection of Treatment Areas:** For indoor use only. Before placing bait, eliminate as much of the naturally occurring food as possible. Place bait in locations where rats and mice travel and will most likely find and consume the bait. Placement along walls, in corners, by gnawed openings, and in concealed locations where rats and mice feed is desirable. For roof rats, bait placement should also be made in areas other than at ground/floor level. Maintain a steady supply of fresh bait. Remove any spoiled or contaminated bait promptly.

Bait **MUST** be placed either in tamper-resistant bait stations or in locations not accessible to children, pets, livestock or non-target wildlife.

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.

### 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 all food, packaging material and utensils before placing bait in baiting stations. Remove all baits and dead rodents and wash treated areas before re-use of the food handling establishment (processing areas include storage and service).

**APPLICATION DIRECTIONS: RATS:** Place 10 to 20 packs of bait per placement at intervals of 5 to 10 meters. Larger amounts (up to 50 packs) may be necessary at points of very high rat activity. Maintain an uninterrupted supply of fresh bait for 10 days, or until signs of rat activity cease.

**MICE:** Place 1 pack of bait per placement at intervals of 2 to 4 meters. If a bait placement is not disturbed after several days, move the placement approximately 1 meter. Two to five packs of bait may be necessary at points of very high mouse activity. Maintain an uninterrupted supply of fresh bait for 15 days, or until signs of mouse activity cease.

**Note:** Replace contaminated or spoiled bait immediately. Collect and dispose of all dead animals and unconsumed bait properly. To prevent reinfestation, eliminate rodent food, water and harbourage as much as possible. If reinfestation occurs, repeat treatment. Where a continuous source of infestation is present, establish permanent bait stations and replenish bait as needed.

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# FIRST STRIKE<sup>®</sup> SOFT BAIT PASTE

**KILLS NORWAY RATS, ROOF RATS  
HOUSE MICE AND WARFARIN-RESISTANT  
HOUSE MICE**

**RATS AND MICE MAY CONSUME A LETHAL DOSE  
IN A SINGLE FEEDING**

ACTIVE INGREDIENT: Difethialone 0.0025% (when packed)

REGISTRATION NO. 29503

PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS ACT

Contains butylated hydroxytoluene at 0.02%  
and edetate calcium disodium (anhydrous) at 0.01% as preservatives

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

WARNING



POISON

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN  
READ THE LABEL BEFORE USING

WARNING - CONTAINS THE ALLERGENS  
WHEAT AND SOY

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## PRECAUTIONS

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN, PETS AND LIVESTOCK.** May be harmful or fatal if swallowed or absorbed through the skin. This material may reduce the clotting ability of blood and cause bleeding. Do not open pre-measured place packs. Chemical-resistant gloves must be worn 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. Users should remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash skin thoroughly and put on clean clothing. Wash contaminated clothing, separately from other laundry, with soap and hot water before reuse. This product is toxic to fish and wildlife. Keep out of lakes, streams or ponds. Do not place bait in areas where there is a possibility of contaminating food or surfaces that come in direct contact with food. **KEEP AWAY FROM FEED AND FOODSTUFFS**

**FIRST AID: 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. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control centre or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

For all cases of human ingestion call a poison control centre or doctor immediately for treatment advice.

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:** Vitamin K<sub>1</sub> 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.

**STORAGE AND DISPOSAL:** Store product not in use in original, tightly sealed container in a cool, dry, secure location away from other chemicals and food or feed and inaccessible to children and non-target animals. Do not reuse empty container. Dispose of unused or spoiled bait in accordance with local requirements. Follow provincial instructions for any required cleaning of the container prior to its disposal. Make the empty container unsuitable for further use. Dispose of the container in accordance with provincial requirements. 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 a spill, and for clean-up of spills.

**RODENT DISPOSAL:** To protect pets and non-target wildlife, carefully dispose of animals killed by this bait. Wrap poisoned carcasses securely with paper. Dispose of them by: placing in a closed container and taking them to a provincial or municipal landfill site OR burying deep enough to prevent scavengers from reaching them.

**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. (07020)