Selontra®

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A ready-to-use rodenticide soft block bait for the control of mice (Mus musculus), Norwegian or brown rats (Rattus norvegicus) and Roof rats (Rattus rattus) in and around buildings, including strains resistant to anticoagulants.

Active ingredient:
Aktiewe bestanddeel:
Cholecalciferol (Vitamin D3) ............................................ 0.75 g/kg

FOR FULL PARTICULARS, SEE REVERSE LABEL

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in Gereed-vir-gebruik sake bloklokaas vir die beheer van muisë (Mus musculus), Noorweegse of bruin rotte (Rattus norvegicus) en Dakrotte (Rattus rattus) in en om geboue, insluitend rasse weerstandbediend teen anti-stolmiddels.

VIR VOLLE BESONDERHEDE, SIEN ETIKET AAN DIE AGTERKANT

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WARNINGS

- Handle with care and especially avoid contact by mouth.
- Poisonous if swallowed and upon contact with the skin.
- KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN, IRRESPONSIBLE / UNINFORMED PEOPLE AND ANIMALS.
- Store in original container, tightly closed in a safe place, under lock and key, away from food and feedstuffs.
- Do not place the bait at random, but follow the DIRECTIONS FOR USE faithfully.
- IN CASE OF ACCIDENTAL POISONING, CALL A DOCTOR AND MAKE THIS LABEL AVAILABLE TO HIM.

Although this remedy has been tested under a large variety of conditions, the registration holder does not warrant that it will be efficacious under all conditions, because the action and effect thereof may be affected by factors, such as climatic and storage conditions and the occurrence of resistance of the animals against the remedy concerned, as well as by the method, time and accuracy of application. The registration holder furthermore does not accept responsibility for damage to crops, vegetation, the environment, harm to man or animal, or for lack of performance of the remedy concerned due to the occurrence of conditions which could not have been foreseen in terms of the registration. Consult the supplier in the event of any uncertainty.

PRECAUTIONS

- Avoid contact with the skin.
- Avoid all contact by mouth.
- Prevent access to bait by children, birds and non-target animals (particularly dogs, cats, pigs and poultry).
- WEAR RUBBER GLOVES when putting out the bait and wash hands afterwards.
- Do not place bait where food, feed or water could become contaminated.
- Destroy empty container and never re-use for any other purpose.
- SELECT BAITING POINTS WHERE THE BAITS WILL BE INACCESSIBLE TO CHILDREN AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS.
- Bury the bait that has not been consumed at the end of the treatment.
- Do not eat, drink or smoke while handling the bait.
- Remove all remains of the bait and bait containers after treatment and dispose of them in a responsible manner.
- Look for, and burn all rodent carcasses. Do not place them in refuse bins or on rubbish tips.
- This product is hazardous to mammals and birds. Exposure of non-target species should be prevented.
- Store in original container, tightly closed, under cool and dry conditions in a safe place.
- Do not reuse the container for any other purpose.

SYMPTOMS OF HUMAN POISONING

Lethargy, constipation or diarrhoea, loss of appetite, excessive thirst and an increase in serum calcium levels. This product is a hypercalcaemic.

FIRST AID TREATMENT

IF IN EYES:  Flush with clean water for at least ten minutes. If irritation persists, obtain medical advice.

IF INGESTED: Wash mouth out. If bait is swallowed, OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION IMMEDIATELY. DO NOT induce vomiting.

ONLY if medical assistance is not readily available, and if a large quantity has been swallowed, then vomiting can be induced, provided the patient is conscious. TAKE PATIENT TO NEAREST PHYSICIAN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN

Cholecalciferol causes hypercalcaemia. Treat symptomatically (decontamination, vital functions). Treatment should include a low calcium diet, a high salt and fluid intake and avoidance of exposure to sunlight. Monitoring serum calcium levels may aid treatment. Cortisone has been used successfully in some cases.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE:

GENERAL DIRECTIONS:

- Selontra® is a ready-to-use, soft block bait, for application in and around buildings.
- Selontra® is a highly palatable all-purpose rodenticide, based on cholecalciferol (vitamin D3).
- Equally effective against rats and mice, including strains resistant to anticoagulants.
- Place Selontra® at covered bait points, or in bait boxes, throughout the infested area. The prevention of access by non-target animals is a priority.
- Baits must be securely deposited in a way so as to minimise the consumption by other non-target animal species and children.
- Where possible, secure baits so that they cannot be dragged away.
- The product must never be used indiscriminately.
- Rodent death will occur 2 – 10 days after ingestion of a lethal dose, which may take two or more feeds. Most rodents die in their burrows, out of sight.
- This product contains deltamethrin (Bifen®) to help prevent accidental human consumption.

Preparation for baiting:

- Before placing Selontra®, inspect the infested site thoroughly to determine the location of all rat and mouse entry, nesting and feeding sites.
- Pay special attention to dark corners and areas, where rubbish has accumulated, roof spaces, hollow walls, under floors and particularly, in the case of rats, all sources of water.
- PLACE THE BAITS IN PLACES WHERE THEY ARE INACCESSIBLE TO CHILDREN AND NON-TARGET SPECIES.
- The bait should be covered to prevent access by birds and domestic pets, and to prevent them becoming unpalatable.
- Suitable covers would include drain pipes, tiles or boards placed against especially inside walls. Rodents feel more secure when feeding under cover.

Baiting:

- Follow DIRECTIONS FOR BAITING below.

SITe AND PEST

RATS (Norway and Roof rats)
Commensal rodent control in and around buildings (Domestic, commercial and agricultural):

- Select suitable baiting points after having inspected the infested site as mentioned under DIRECTIONS FOR USE above (e.g. in active rat holes, along runs, under rubbish and where rat droppings are located).
- Attempt to establish a barrier of pasta bait between the living and feeding areas of the rats. Place up to 150 g (5 units) of Selontra® bait at each bait point (at 10 m intervals). Always place bait where it is inaccessible to children, animals and birds, such as under flooring, inside ceiling cavities, along pipe runs and conduits and behind skirting boards, furniture and appliances.
- Inspect bait frequently, particularly in the first ten days and replace eaten bait. If a bait point is completely consumed, the quantity should be increased. Continue replenishing baits until they are left untouched.
- Look for, and burn all rodent carcasses and empty containers.

MICE
Commensal rodent control in and around buildings (Domestic, commercial and agricultural):

- Mice are more difficult to control than rats because their feeding patterns are more erratic. They usually range over limited areas and do not need to drink. Site exploration is therefore very important.
- Place up to 40 g (2 units) of Selontra® bait one to two metres apart in areas where activity is obvious, particularly where droppings, damage or any other signs of activity are seen. Always place bait where it is inaccessible to children, animals and birds, such as under flooring, inside ceiling cavities, along pipe runs and conduits and behind skirting boards, furniture and appliances.
- Inspect baiting stations regularly and replenish pasta bait as described above for the control of rats.
- Look for, and burn all rodent carcasses and empty containers.

DIRECTIONS FOR BAITING