

LEAF SAVER™



Ant Bait

- Kills Texas Leafcutting Ants and 24 other species
- For use on ornamental gardens, forested areas, lawns, landscaped areas, golf courses and other noncropland areas
- Kills the queen and destroys the mound
- Bait formula ensures ant control for up to 3 months

SPECIMEN LABEL

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:	By wt.
Hydramethylnon (CAS No. 67485-29-4).....	0.88%
OTHER INGREDIENTS:	99.12%
TOTAL:	100.00%

1 lb contains 0.14 oz of active ingredient

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION! ¡PRECAUCION!

Si usted no entiende la etiqueta, busque a alguien para que se la explique usted en detalle. (If you do not understand this label, find someone to explain it to you in detail.)

See Additional Precautionary Statements and Directions for Use

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PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS – HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS – CAUTION

Harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes moderate eye irritation. May be harmful if swallowed. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

FIRST AID	
If on Skin or Clothing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Take off contaminated clothing. • Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. • Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
If in Eyes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 eyes. • Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

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If Swallowed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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. • Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
HOT LINE NUMBER	<p>Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment. You may also contact 1-800-248-7763 for emergency medical treatment information.</p>

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE):

Applicators and other handlers must wear:

- Long-sleeve shirt and long pants
- Chemical-resistant gloves (such as rubber or waterproof gloves)
- Shoes plus socks

Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables exist, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

Engineering Controls:

When handlers use closed systems, enclosed cabs or aircraft in a manner that meets the requirements listed in the Worker Protection Standard (WPS) for agricultural pesticides [40 CFR 170.240 (d) (4-6)], the handler PPE requirements may be reduced or modified as specified in the WPS.

User Safety Recommendations

Users should:

- Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.
- Remove clothing/PPE immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.
- Remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product is toxic to fish. Do not apply directly to water, to areas where surface water is present, or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters. Do not apply when weather conditions favor drift from target areas.

WHY LEAF SAVER™ ANT BAIT IS SO EFFECTIVE:

1. Leaf Saver™ Ant Bait is highly attractive to many ant species. Leaf Saver™ Ant Bait granules are carried directly into the mound by workers as food for the colony.
2. Inside the mound, Leaf Saver™ Ant Bait is passed to the queen, as well as to other ants. By the end of one to four weeks, the queen and most of the ants in the mound will have eaten this product and died.
3. When the queen is dead, no new worker ants can be produced, so the mound dies.
4. Ants think that Leaf Saver™ Ant Bait is food. They carry it into the colony and share it with other ants and the queen. When the queen dies, the colony dies.

Product Information: Leaf Saver™ Ant Bait is attractive to many ant species, and the delayed action of hydramethylnon allows foraging ants to bring the bait back to the nest so that the entire colony, including the queen(s), is destroyed. You should see fewer ants within a week of treatment. Some species may require additional applications to achieve maximum control.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

Do not apply this product in a way that will contact workers or other persons, either directly or through drift. Only protected handlers may be in the area during application. For any requirements specific to your State or Tribe, consult the agency responsible for pesticide regulations.

AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS

Use this product only in accordance with its labeling and with the Worker Protection Standard, 40 CFR Part 170. This Standard contains requirements for the protection of agricultural workers on farms, forests, nurseries, and greenhouses, and handlers of agricultural pesticides. It contains requirements for training, decontamination, notification, and emergency assistance. It also contains specific instructions and exceptions pertaining to the statements on this label about personal protective equipment (PPE) and restricted-entry interval. The requirements in this box only apply to uses of this product that are covered by the Worker Protection Standard.

Do not enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restricted-entry interval (REI) of 12 hours.

PPE required for early entry to treated areas that is permitted under the Worker Protection Standard and that involves contact with anything that has been treated, such as plants, soil, or water is:

- Coveralls
- Chemical-resistant gloves, (such as rubber or waterproof gloves)
- Shoes plus socks

NON-AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS

The requirements in this box apply to uses of this product that are NOT within the scope of the Worker Protection Standard for agricultural pesticides (40 CFR Part 170). The WPS applies when this product is used to produce agricultural plants on farms, forests, nurseries, or greenhouses.

Keep unprotected people out of treated area during pesticide applications.

Do not use Leaf Saver™ Ant Bait on vegetable or other food crops. This product will retain its effectiveness for up to 3 months after the package has been opened.

OUTDOOR USE

Leaf Saver™ Ant Bait controls acrobat ants, Allegheny mound ants, Argentine ants, bigheaded ants, black turf ants, carpenter ants, citronella ants, cornfield ants, crazy ants, field ants, fire ants (imported and native), ghost ants, harvester ants, honey ants, lawn ants, little black ants, nuisance ants, odorous house ants, pavement ants, Pharaoh ants, pyramid ants, southern ants, thief ants, white-footed ants and the Texas leafcutting ant. Leaf Saver™ Ant Bait is for use on lawns, landscaped areas, golf courses, ornamental gardens, forested areas and other noncropland areas such as airports, roadsides, cemeteries, commercial grounds, parks, school grounds, picnic grounds, athletic fields and other recreational areas, as well as on grounds surrounding poultry houses (excluding runs and ranges) or corrals and other animal holding areas. Do not expose animals to Leaf Saver™ Ant Bait granules. Refer to the Use Rate Table for directions. Do not graze or feed treated lawn or sod clippings to livestock.

GRASS FORAGE (PASTURE AND RANGELAND)

Leaf Saver™ Ant Bait may be applied to grass forage (pastures and rangeland) for the control of fire ants only in the following states: Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, and Virginia. Use on grass forage (pastures and rangeland) in states other than those listed is unlawful. See Use Rate Table for application directions.

Do not exceed 8 pounds per acre per year or apply more than 4 times a year, with a minimum re-treatment interval of 90 days. Do not bale and cut treated pastures and rangelands for 7 days following application. These cutting and baling hay restrictions for pasture and rangeland do not apply when the treated pasture and rangeland is used solely to support **COMPANION ANIMALS** (e.g., horses, llamas, etc.). Companion animals grazed on treated areas **cannot** be used for food or feed. Leaf Saver™ Ant Bait may be used on uncultivated, agricultural, non-food crop and non-agricultural land.

CONTAINER OR NURSERY STOCK

Use Leaf Saver™ Ant Bait in and around container or field grown ornamental nursery and non-bearing nursery stock. Leaf Saver™ Ant Bait may also be applied to the soil around non-bearing fruit or nut trees. Do not harvest food/feed from non-bearing fruit/nut tree nursery stocks within 1 year of application, if by chance, they bear fruit within that time. Apply to sod farms or other types of commercial turf. Do not graze or feed grass clippings to livestock.

Do not use on vegetable or other food crops, or commercial seed production.

Use Rate Table		
Use Precautions: Applications can be made any time that ants are active. However, do not apply Leaf Saver™ Ant Bait to wet ground or grass, or if rain is expected within 24 hours, or when temperatures are below 50°F. Avoid leaving the bait exposed to direct sunlight for prolonged periods. During hot weather, application is best performed in the early morning or early evening when temperatures are cooler and ants are active. Check treated colonies/mounds for ant activity 30-40 days after treatment. Repeat applications as needed.		
Treatment	Rate	Comments
Individual mounds: Texas leafcutting ant	¾ lb/colony	Locate the central concentration of mounds, indicating the location of the colony. Apply Leaf Saver™ Ant Bait directly onto and around mounds using a disposable spoon or measuring cup. Do not contaminate kitchen utensils by use or storage. Do not apply more than 2 lbs per acre.
acrobat ants, Allegheny mound ants, Argentine ants, bigheaded ants, black turf ants, carpenter ants, citronella ants, cornfield ants, crazy ants, field ants, fire ants (imported and native), ghost ants, harvester ants, honey ants, lawn ants, little black ants, nuisance ants, odorous house ants, pavement ants, Pharaoh ants, pyramid ants, southern ants, thief ants, white-footed ants	1 to 2½ oz per mound	For fire ants, sprinkle Leaf Saver™ Ant Bait around the mound, taking care to not disturb the mound. For all other listed ant species, sprinkle Leaf Saver™ Ant Bait directly onto and around mounds using a disposable spoon or measuring cup. Do not contaminate kitchen utensils by use or storage. Do not apply more than 2 lbs per acre. <i>(Continued)</i>

Broadcast treatment: Texas leafcutting ant, acrobat ants, Allegheny mound ants, Argentine ants, bigheaded ants, black turf ants, carpenter ants, citronella ants, cornfield ants, crazy ants, field ants, fire ants (imported and native), ghost ants, harvester ants, honey ants, lawn ants, little black ants, nuisance ants, odorous house ants, pavement ants, Pharaoh ants, pyramid ants, southern ants, thief ants, white-footed ants	1½ to 2½ lbs/acre [3 to 4½ oz/5,000 square feet]	Bait can be broadcast using spreader/seed.
Around structures: acrobat ants, Allegheny mound ants, Argentine ants, bigheaded ants, black turf ants, carpenter ants, citronella ants, cornfield ants, crazy ants, field ants, fire ants (imported and native), ghost ants, harvester ants, honey ants, lawn ants, little black ants, nuisance ants, odorous house ants, pavement ants, Pharaoh ants, pyramid ants, southern ants, thief ants, white-footed ants	4 to 8 oz per average building (2,000 sq ft bldg.; 40'x50') – or – 4 oz. per 180 linear ft. – or – 12 oz per 540 linear ft – or – 24 oz per 1,080 linear ft – or – 30 oz per 1,350 linear ft – or – 2.5 lbs per 1,800 linear ft	Apply in a band 1 ft wide around the outside perimeter of the building. Treat areas such as porches, patios, sidewalks, flower gardens, and around trees, wood piles, dumpsites, and loading docks where ants are trailing, feeding or nesting. Concentrate treatment at visible ant trails as well as cracks or crevices where ants may enter the structure.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

Pesticide Storage: Store in cool, dry, secure place and keep container tightly closed. Store container away from pets. This product is formulated in an oil bait. Prolonged exposure to air may turn oil rancid and reduce the attractiveness of the bait. Use within 3 months after opening.

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

Container Disposal: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Completely empty container into application equipment. Then dispose of empty container in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or, if allowed by State and local authorities, by burning, or offer for recycling if available. If burned, stay out of smoke.

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

In case of an emergency involving this product, call 1-800-248-7763.

For more information, please visit our website at
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