

# Prodeer®

## Possum+Rat Bait

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<b>DANGER: DEADLY POISON</b>
<b>KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. ECOTOXIC.</b>
<b>HSNO GHS CLASSIFICATIONS:</b> <b>6.1B</b> - acute oral toxicity Category 2 - acute dermal toxicity Category 2 - acute inhalation toxicity Category 2 <b>6.8A</b> - reproductive toxicity Category 1 <b>9.1D</b> - hazardous to aquatic environment Category 4 <b>9.3A</b> - hazardous to terrestrial vertebrates



### PRECAUTIONS

**Acutely toxic.** May be fatal if swallowed, inhaled or absorbed through the skin. Repeated oral exposure may cause reproductive or developmental damage. When handling open containers or baits, wear protective equipment as shown in precautions box below.

**Very toxic to terrestrial vertebrates.** Take measures to reduce the risk of non-target domestic animals being exposed to the toxin either through eating baits or by scavenging the carcasses of poisoned animals.

**Harmful to aquatic organisms.** Manage bait application rates carefully and comply with any restrictions imposed on placing baits over or near waterways. Avoid pollution of any water supply with pellets or used container.

**Storage:** Store in original container, tightly closed, under lock and key and away from feed or foodstuffs. Keep out of reach of children. Store in a cool, dry place and away from direct or diffused sunlight. Ensure this product is stored below 25 degrees Celsius. Avoid cyclic heating and cooling. This product must always be under the control of a Certified Handler who holds a current compliance certificate issued in accordance with Part 4 of the Health and Safety at Work (Hazardous Substances) Regulations 2017 for Class 6.1A and 6.1B substances.

**Handling:** When handling open containers or laying baits, wear overalls worn outside rubber boots, and impervious rubber or PVC gloves. When loading aircraft or working in windy conditions, wear goggles and a dust mask as protection against dust entering the eyes or mouth. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using the product or handling open containers. Wash protective clothing and equipment daily after work. Remove protective clothing and wash hands and exposed skin thoroughly before meals and after any contact. Thoroughly wash implements, spreading equipment, and aircraft before removing them from the operational area.

### EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

**Symptoms of Poisoning:** Early Symptoms: Nausea, vomiting, tingling and numbness in face and hands, stomach pains, apprehension and anxiety. Later Symptoms: Muscular twitching, blurred vision, mental confusion. Severe Symptoms: Coma, convulsions.

**First Aid:** Act immediately if poisoning is suspected. DO NOT induce vomiting. Call a doctor or emergency physician at your nearest hospital immediately. For further advice contact **National Poisons Centre 0800 POISONS (Phone 0800 764 766)**.

**Spillage:** In the event of major spills, inform the Fire Service immediately, and then local health protection officers at your District Health Board or hospital. Isolate the spill area and exclude all bystanders. Take all practicable steps to manage any harmful effects of a spillage including preventing baits from entering streams or waterways. Scoop spilled baits into secure containers. Recover any undamaged bait for later use by placing in appropriately labelled containers and dispose of spoiled bait as directed below. Use a broom to collect fine material and wash down the spill area with copious volumes of water only after all spilled bait has been removed.

**Disposal:** The active ingredient, sodium fluoroacetate, is degraded through microbial activity and will decompose at temperatures above 200 degrees Celsius. It dilutes readily in water. Packaging and product and which is surplus or spoiled should be disposed of by burying with other on the active tip face of an appropriately managed landfill by an approved chemical waste company. Do not use the empty container for any other purpose.

### DIRECTIONS FOR USE

**Ground based treatment:** Pellets may be applied in weather proof bait stations or in bait bags, broadcast by hand or by using mechanical spreading equipment. A period of pre-feeding using Prodeer non-toxic bait several days before applying Prodeer toxic baits is recommended for best results and in line with best practice. Ensure Prodeer non-toxic baits have been consumed before applying Prodeer toxic baits.

**Aircraft:** Apply bait by aircraft. Pre-feed the area to be treated with Prodeer non-toxic bait at least 2 weeks prior to the application of the Prodeer toxic baits. Bait application rates of approximately 1kg per hectare for pre-feed and 2kg per hectare for Prodeer toxic deer repellent bait are recommended.

**Weather conditions:** This product should not be laid unless fine weather is expected for 48 hours after bait application.

**Deer Repellent:** This product contains a deer repellent and is intended for use in areas where feral deer may be at risk from eating standard 1080 baits without repellent. The repellent substance will reduce the uptake of baits by deer but may be less effective where deer are food-stressed, over-abundant, or where toxic pellets are applied at a rate higher than 2kg per hectare in open forest or rangeland.

### LEGAL OBLIGATIONS

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**Signage:** Signs must be erected at every normal point of entry to the place where the substance is to be applied. Signs must remain in place until baits are retrieved or are no longer toxic, or until any other legal requirement affecting signage has been complied with.

**Tracking:** It is a legal requirement that this product is tracked using the unique pack identifiers for its full life cycle, including date, location of its use or means of disposal.

### GENERAL INFORMATION

**Shelf life:** The shelf life of this product may vary according to the suitability of storage conditions. As a guide, it is recommended that the product be used within 3.5 months of date of manufacture as studies have shown that the palatability of bait may progressively decline after that time. Any product held more than 12 months after the manufacture date shown on the bag should be disposed of according to label directions.

**Livestock:** It is extremely important to prevent access to baits by domestic livestock and pets. Stock must be kept off the treatment area until baits have been washed out by rain, removed or destroyed. Dogs and cats are particularly at risk from eating poisoned possum and rat carcasses and pet owners in the immediate vicinity must be notified of this risk. Collect poisoned animal carcasses where practicable for burning or burying at least 600 mm below ground, otherwise limit access to the treatment area until poisoned animal carcasses are unlikely to be eaten or to contain residues.

**Conditions of sale:** As no control can be exercised over the methods or conditions under which this product is used, no responsibility or claim, other than those required by statute, will be accepted for any damage or injury whatsoever arising from the storage, handling, application, use or disposal of this product.

### TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**Proper shipping name:** PESTICIDES, SOLID, TOXIC, N.O.S.

UN 2588	Packing Group II	Toxic 6.1B	Hazchem 2X
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**25kg**

Pack No.:	PRF No./DOM	Lure/Size:	Expiry Date:	Batch No.:
			17/01/2025	



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			300	350		
			400	450		
			500	550		
			600	650		
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