

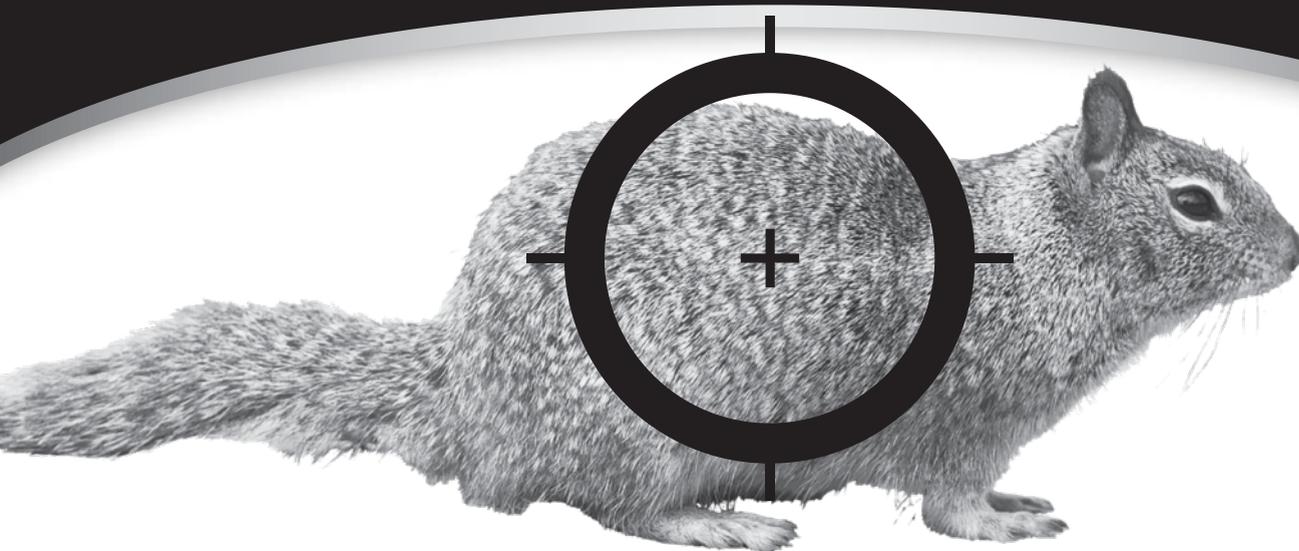
**RESTRICTED USE PESTICIDE  
DUE TO HAZARD TO NON-TARGET ORGANISMS**

For retail sale to and use only by Certified Applicators or persons under their direct supervision and only for those uses covered by the Certified Applicator's Certificate.

***Kaput-D***<sup>®</sup>

**GROUND SQUIRREL BAIT**

**KILLS CALIFORNIA GROUND SQUIRRELS AND THEIR FLEAS**



**NET WT. 25 LBS. (11.3 kg)**

EPA Reg. No. 72500-11

EPA Est. 72500-CO-1

**ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:**

Diphacinone(CAS No. 82-66-6)..... 0.0025%

Imidacloprid (CAS Number 138261-41-3) ..... 0.0250%

**OTHER INGREDIENTS** ..... 99.9725%

**TOTAL** ..... 100.0000%

**Keep Out of Reach of Children**

**CAUTION**

Harmful if swallowed

See back panel for First Aid and additional  
Precautionary Statements.

## DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. This label must be in the user's possession at the time of application of this product.

**READ THIS LABEL** Read this entire label and follow all use directions and use precautions. Use only for the sites, pests and application methods described on this label.

**IMPORTANT:** Do not expose children, pets or other domestic animals to rodenticides. To help prevent accidents:

1. Store product not in use in a location out of reach of children, pets and other animals.
2. Post treated areas with warning signs indicating that a combination rodenticide/insecticide has been applied and that the product is hazardous to dogs and other pets. Keep pets and livestock out of treated areas. Isolate treated areas using existing fencing, if present.
3. Dispose of product container, unused, spoiled or unconsumed bait as directed by this label.

**Use Restrictions:** This product may be used to control California ground squirrels (*Spermophilus beecheyi*) in parks, golf courses, fruit tree orchards (dormant season only), non-crop rights-of-way and other non-crop areas. The insecticide in this product may act systemically to aid in the reduction of fleas that infest California ground squirrels. The types of fleas that might be controlled include, but are not necessarily limited to, *Oropsylla montana* and *Hoplopsyllus anomalus*. Apply this product only at times of year when California ground squirrels are readily accepting grains.

Do not use this product where nontarget species are likely to be adversely affected by it or where threatened or endangered species potentially at risk from it are present. Do not apply bait over roads, walkways or water.

Do not allow young children, pets, domesticated animals or persons not associated with the bait application to be in areas where the bait is being applied.

Wear gloves when applying bait. With detergent and hot water, wash all utensils used for applying bait. Do not use these utensils for mixing, holding or transferring foods or feeds.

**Baiting:** Manually scatter ½ cup of bait (approximately 2½ ounces or 70 grams) on ground or in modified bait stations (inverted "T" with "elbows" or platform station) near each burrow opening being used by California ground squirrels. (See more information in *Endangered Species Considerations*). Bait spoons, measuring cups or other suitable implements may be used to measure and distribute bait. The area around each burrow over which bait is distributed may be no larger than 50 square feet (e.g. a circular area no more than 8 feet in diameter). Re-apply bait to the same area at intervals of 2 to 3 days for a total of 3 to 4 applications, if ground squirrels remain active and continue to consume bait. A continuous supply of bait is needed for 6 to 12 days to ensure that all squirrels present have opportunity to feed on bait for at least 5 consecutive days. Do not exceed the maximum application rate of ½ cup per burrow per application.

**Surveillance and Follow-Up:** Dead ground squirrels should begin to appear in or near treated areas within 4 to 5 days after the first bait application. Visit the application site to monitor the effects of treatment 4 days after the first application and at subsequent intervals of 1 to 2 days. Wearing gloves, collect and properly dispose of visible carcasses of ground squirrels and other species found in or near treated areas. Dead animals buried on site must be buried a minimum of 18 inches below the ground surface, preferably deeper. Continue to collect and dispose of dead ground squirrels and search for non-target animals for at least 2 weeks after the last bait application, or longer if carcasses are still being found at that time. Carcass collection and burial should be performed in the late afternoon, near sundown, to reduce the potential for nocturnal scavengers or predators to find carcasses on the ground surface. Wear gloves and use leak-proof plastic bags or other suitable containers for transporting

carcasses not buried on site. Where there is a continuous source of reinfestation, establish permanent bait stations and replenish bait as needed.

## STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal. **Pesticide Storage:** Store in original container in a cool, dry place inaccessible to children and pets.

**Pesticide Disposal:** Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility. **Container Handling:** Non-Refillable Container; do not reuse or refill this container. Offer for recycling or reconditioning; or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by incineration.

Lot Number: See Container Lid

## PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

### HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

**CAUTION:** Harmful if swallowed. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes. Keep away from children, domestic animals and pets.

### Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

All handlers (including applicators) must wear shoes, socks and gloves. Any person who retrieves carcasses or unused bait following application of this product must wear gloves.

## User Safety Requirements

Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry. Remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash hands thoroughly after applying the bait and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet and change into clean clothing.

## FIRST AID HAVE LABEL WHEN OBTAINING TREATMENT ADVICE

### If Swallowed:

- Call a poison control center, or doctor, or **1-800-222-1222** 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.

### 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 center, or doctor, or **1-800-222-1222** immediately for treatment advice.

### NOTE TO PHYSICIAN OR VETERINARIAN

If swallowed, this material may reduce the clotting ability of the blood and cause bleeding. If ingested, administer Vitamin K1, intramuscularly or orally. Repeat as necessary based on monitoring of prothrombin times.

### TREATMENT FOR PET POISONING

If animal eats bait, call veterinarian at once.

## ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product is highly toxic to aquatic invertebrates and toxic to mammals and birds. Do not apply this product directly to water, or 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.

## ENDANGERED SPECIES CONSIDERATIONS

**Notice:** It is a Federal offense to use any pesticide in a manner that results in the death of a member of an endangered species. Suggested measures to protect endangered species in your county may exist in an EPA "Interim Measures" pamphlet. You may call the Endangered Species Hotline, 1-800-447-3813, to find out if an "Interim Measures" pamphlet exists for your county and have one sent to you. You may also contact your local county extension office or pesticide state lead agency to determine whether they have imposed any requirements in your area to protect endangered and threatened species.

In California, obtain a copy of the Interim Measures for your county from the County Commissioner's office or from the following internet site: <http://www.cdpr.ca.gov/docs/es/index/htm>.

Where necessary to protect endangered kangaroo rats, use one of the modified bait stations (inverted "T" with "elbows" or platform station) developed for this purpose in association with the California Department of Food and Agriculture and the California Department of Fish and Game. A publication on those stations is available at the website indicated above.

## WARRANTY

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

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