KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
READ SAFETY DIRECTIONS BEFORE OPENING OR USING

Maxforce® Quantum Liquid Ant Bait

ACTIVE CONSTITUENT: 0.3 g/L IMIDACLOPRID

A ready to use viscous liquid bait for the management of certain pest ants. Bait remains palatable to ants for 8 weeks after application.

GROUP 4A INSECTICIDE

Contents
30 g - 120 g

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

RESTRAINTS

DO NOT place in exposed areas accessible to children, pets and other animals.

DO NOT allow to contact food, livestock feed or their water.

SITUATION	PEST	RATE	CRITICAL COMMENTS
In and around domestic, commercial and institutional buildings: (e.g. hospitals, health and aged care facilities, food processing areas, offices, houses and schools).	Nuisance ants, including; Black house ant (*Ochetellus glaber)* Ghost Ant *(Tapinoma melanocephalum)* Argentine ants (*Linepithema humile*) Pharoah's ant (*Monomorium pharaonis*) White footed house ants (*Technomyrmex albipes*)	0.2 g or 200 mg/m^2 (equivalent to one pea-sized drop or a number of smaller drops). Use sufficient number of baiting points to maximise bait uptake. The greater the number of baiting points the greater the chance of control since more ants will be able to access the bait. The number of bait locations and actual volume of bait required will depend on the level of infestation. Maintain sufficient bait levels until ant activity has ceased. Since Maxforce Quantum has been shown to remain palatable to ants for eight weeks after treatment replenishment of bait may not be necessary if adequate quantities are placed at the first visit.	Place bait on non-porous horizontal surfaces or in bait stations at intervals along ant trails and/or where ants are seen. Place securely in areas where bait will not be disturbed or contaminated by cleaning or work activities. Bait effectiveness will be optimised if other possible sources of food are eliminated. Use sufficient number of baiting points to maximise bait uptake. The greater the number of baiting points the greater the chance of control since more ants will be able to access the bait. Refer to General Instructions for additional information.

NOT TO BE USED FOR ANY PURPOSE, OR IN ANY MANNER, CONTRARY TO THIS LABEL UNLESS AUTHORISED UNDER APPROPRIATE LEGISLATION

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Ants are attracted to this bait and greater numbers of ants will be seen around the bait for some time after placement. An effect on the ant population can be expected within 7 days, when frequency of foragers will decline. Most nests are eliminated within 14 days. However, under some circumstances like very high ant numbers or re-invasion, total control may take up to 2 months. Under such circumstances the use of an integrated management program utilising other control methods (eg. outdoor barrier sprays) may also be warranted. (Note that if accurate ant identification has not been peformed and the pest ants are not observed feeding on this bait within minutes after placement then it is likely that alternative management techniques may be required). When used in outdoor areas it is recommended that Maxforce Quantum be applied on non-porous surfaces to prevent absorbance into the surface. Bait may be removed from non-porous surfaces by wiping with a damp cloth.

COMPATIBILITY

DO NOT use in a direct mix with any other products.

RESISTANCE WARNING

For insecticide resistance management, Maxforce Quantum Liquid Ant Bait is a Group 4A insecticide. Some naturally occurring insect biotypes resistant to Maxforce Quantum and other Group 4A insecticides may exist through normal genetic variability in any insect population. The resistant individuals can eventually dominate the insect population if Maxforce Quantum or other Group 4A insecticides are used repeatedly. The effectiveness of Maxforce Quantum on resistant individuals could be significantly reduced. Since the occurrence of resistant individuals is difficult to detect prior to use, Bayer CropScience Pty Ltd. accepts no liability for any losses that may result from the failure of Maxforce Quantum to control resistant insects. Maxforce Quantum may be subject to specific resistance management strategies. For further information contact your local supplier or Bayer representative.

PROTECTION OF WILDLIFE, FISH, CRUSTACEANS AND THE ENVIRONMENT
DO NOT contaminate ponds, waterways or drains with the product or used containers.

PROTECTION OF DOMESTIC ANIMALS
DO NOT apply in areas accessible to domestic animals.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL
Store in the closed, original container in a dry, cool, well-ventilated area out of direct sunlight. Dispose of empty packaging by wrapping in paper, placing in plastic bag and putting in garbage.

SAFETY DIRECTIONS
Wash hands after use.

FIRST AID
If poisoning occurs, contact a doctor or Poisons Information Centre (Phone Australia: 13 11 26; New Zealand 0800 764766).

SAFETY DATA SHEET
Additional information is listed in the Material Safety Data Sheet.

Exclusion of Liability
This product must be used strictly as directed, and in accordance with all instructions appearing on the label and in other reference material. So far as it is lawfully able to do so, Bayer CropScience Pty Ltd accepts no liability or responsibility for loss or damage arising from failure to follow such directions and instructions.

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