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READ SAFETY DIRECTIONS BEFORE OPENING OR USING

ProLink® PELLETS MOSQUITO GROWTH REGULATOR

ACTIVE CONSTITUENT: 40 g/kg (S)-METHOPRENE

GROUP	7A	INSECTICIDE
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A SUSTAINED RELEASE PRODUCT TO PREVENT ADULT MOSQUITO EMERGENCE

NET CONTENTS: 10 kg

DIRECTIONS FOR USE:

Restraint: DO NOT use in areas grazed by livestock.

Site	Pest	Rate (kg/ha)	Critical Comments
Temporary water sites: Freshwater swamps and marshes, salt and freshwater lagoons, salt marshes, mangrove swamps, estuarine areas, woodland pools, any natural water holding features.	Aedes, Anopheles, Culex and Ochlerotatus spp.	3	Use this rate when water is shallow (<30 cm), clean, and where larval mosquito counts are low (<10 per dip).
Permanent water sites: Ornamental ponds, pools, birdbaths, plant pot holders, water troughs, gutters and any other artificial water holding containers, construction and other manmade depressions, tree holes, cesspools, septic tanks, sewage treatment settling ponds.		4	Use this rate when water is deep (>30 cm), or is rich in organic matter and/or sediment, or where larval mosquito counts are high (>10 per dip).
(For treatment by hand of small areas or containers with ProLink® Pellets, refer to the Application section in the General Instructions)			4 kg/ha should be used when the major target is <i>Culex sitiens</i> .

NOT TO BE USED FOR ANY PURPOSE, OR IN ANY MANNER, CONTRARY TO THIS LABEL UNLESS AUTHORISED UNDER APPROPRIATE LEGISLATION Users in NSW must comply with the Protection of the Environment Operations Act, 1997, and its subsequent amendments.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS Always keep unused product as dry as possible

ProLink PELLETS, when submerged in water, release (S)-methoprene for at least 30 days, preventing the emergence of adult mosquitoes including common *Aedes, Anopheles, Culex* and **Ochlerotatus spp.** from treated sites. Treated larvae continue to develop normally to the pupal stage after which they fail to emerge. **(S)-methoprene has no effect on mosquitoes which have reached the pupal or adult stage prior to treatment.**

Application: ProLink PELLETS can be applied prior to flooding, or at any stage of larval development after flooding or in permanent water sites.

Aerial: Apply at rates from 3-4 kg/ha by fixed-wing aircraft or helicopters equipped with

granular spreaders. Aerial application rates should be frequently checked by comparing amount of product used against area flown during application.

Ground: Apply using ground equipment which will achieve good, even coverage at the above

rates.

ProLink PELLETS may be used in artificial containers which breed mosquitoes, such as water tanks, plant pot holders, tyres, gutters and catch basins, and in ornamental plants such as Bromeliads. For residual treatment of water in small containers or wet areas, the following is recommended: 1 pellet/L or m² for control up to 3 months; 3 pellets/L or m² for control up to 6 months.

Insecticide Resistance Warning GROUP 7A INSECTICIDE

For insecticide resistance management, ProLink is a Group 7A insecticide. Some naturally occurring insect biotypes resistant to ProLink and other Group 7A insecticides may exist through normal genetic variability in any insect population. The resistant individuals can eventually dominate the insect population if ProLink or other Group 7A insecticides are used repeatedly. The effectiveness of ProLink on resistant individuals could be significantly reduced. Since occurrence of resistant individuals is difficult to detect prior to use, Wellmark International accepts no liability for any losses that may result from the failure of ProLink to control resistant insects.

Protection of Crops, Native and Other Non-Target Plants

DO NOT apply when weather conditions favour drift from treated areas.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL: Keep out of reach of children. Store in the closed, original container in a dry, cool, well-ventilated area out of direct sunlight. Triple or preferably pressure rinse container into the treated water. Do not dispose of undiluted chemicals on-site. If recycling, replace cap and return clean containers to recycler or designated collection point. If not recycling, break, crush or puncture and bury empty containers in a local authority landfill. If no landfill is available bury the containers below 500 mm in a disposal pit specifically marked and set up for this purpose clear of waterways, vegetation and roots. Empty containers and product should not be burnt.

SAFETY DIRECTIONS: Will irritate the eyes. Avoid contact with eyes. When preparing product for use, wear elbow-length PVC gloves and face shield or goggles. If applying by hand, wear elbow-length PVC gloves. If dust is present, wear disposable dust mask. If product in eyes, wash it out immediately with water. Wash hands after use. After each day's use, wash gloves and face shield or goggles.

FIRST AID: If poisoning occurs, contact a doctor or Poisons Information Centre (Phone: 131126) **Material Safety Data Sheet:** If additional hazard information is required refer to the Material Safety Data Sheet. For a copy phone your distributor.

WARRANTY AND EXCLUSION OF LIABILITY: This product is warranted fit for the purposes specifically recommended by Wellmark International when used strictly as directed on this label. All other warranties and obligations for liability, whether expressed or implied by statute or otherwise, are excluded to the full extent that exclusion is permitted by law.

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