

# POISON

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



# Talon<sup>®</sup>

## Rat & Mouse Killer Pellets

syngenta<sup>®</sup>

ACTIVE CONSTITUENT: 0.05 g/kg BRODIFACOUM

For use in and around agricultural, commercial, domestic, industrial and public service buildings

ONE FEED KILLS RATS & MICE

Kills rodents resistant to Bromadiolone, Coumatetralyl and Warfarin

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**In a transport emergency dial 000, Police or Fire Brigade**  
**For specialist advice in an emergency only, call 1800 033 111 (24 hours)**

**APVMA Approval No: 33896/105633**



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## **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

### **Restraints**

PLACE THE PELLETS IN TAMPER RESISTANT BAIT STATIONS

DO NOT REMOVE PELLETS FROM BAIT STATION

DO NOT PLACE BAIT STATIONS IN THE OPEN

DO NOT EXCEED 3m BETWEEN BAIT STATIONS FOR MICE OR 9m FOR RATS IN CLEAN OUT TREATMENTS

DO CHECK FOR PELLETS PULLED BY RODENTS INTO THE OPEN

### **Baiting Strategy**

- Eliminate all alternative food sources as far as practical.
- Bait infested area. Place bait stations under cover.
- Set out bait stations in places frequented by mice and rats in and around buildings (within 2m) or enclosed spaces, eg drains.
- Actively search for, remove and destroy dead and moribund rodents whilst pellets are being used.

### ***Clean Out Treatments (Pulse Baiting)***

- Clean out treatments are used to remove existing infestations of rats and mice.
- For rats place 1 to 3 bait stations at intervals of 5 to 9m in infested areas.
- For mice place single bait stations at 2 to 3m intervals in infested areas.
- Use the greater number of bait stations and shorter distance between bait station placements when infestations are heavy.
- Always use tamper resistant bait stations and fix the stations securely with nails or wire where necessary.
- Place bait stations so as to prevent access to non-target animals.
- Always record the number and locations of bait stations for the purpose of replacement and later removal.
- Conduct initial inspection of bait stations after 3 or 4 days. Replace or refill bait stations where the pellets have been consumed. Repeat approximately 4 days later and then weekly. Replace contaminated or spoiled pellets.
- Baiting for at least 2 weeks (3 to 4 pulses) will be necessary to reduce rat/mouse numbers to a low level. Although heavy infestations may require longer treatments to achieve complete eradication.
- Discontinue the treatment when effective control has been achieved and remove all bait stations unless a maintenance treatment is to be undertaken.

### ***Monitoring and/or Maintenance Treatments***

- Monitoring and maintenance treatments are required at sensitive sites where there is no current rodent infestation but where the prevention of such infestation is essential to prevent significant risks to human health. Such treatments may be a condition for audit approval within food safety guidelines. However, use of this product must comply with the conditions of this label.
- For rats and mice place 1 bait station at intervals of between 15 and 30m in areas prone to rodent infestation.
- Always use tamper resistant bait stations and fix the stations securely with nails or wire where necessary.
- Place bait stations so as to prevent access to non-target animals.
- Always record the number and locations of bait stations for the purpose of pellet replacement and later removal.
- Bait stations should be checked at regular intervals according to an agreed and documented schedule.
- When a rodent infestation is detected revert to the directions for Clean Out Treatments.

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

## GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Ensure pellets are inaccessible to children, pets, domestic animals and wildlife. Place bait stations along walls or rafters and in dark sheltered spots where there are signs of rodent activity. Record the number and location of bait stations for the purpose of replenishment and later removal. Most deaths occur 4 to 7 days after consumption of pellets. Look for dead rats or mice and burn or bury them.

**Note:** One feed is sufficient to kill rats and mice. Rats and mice will continue to eat the pellets after a lethal dose has been eaten.

## PRECAUTION

Avoid contact with food, food utensils or places where food is prepared or stored.

## PROTECTION OF WILDLIFE, FISH, CRUSTACEANS AND ENVIRONMENT

Depending on the amount eaten, this product may kill or injure dogs, cats, pigs, poultry and other wildlife. DO NOT place bait stations in locations which are accessible to pets, domestic animals, livestock or birds. DO NOT contaminate dams, waterways and drains with the pellets or the used container. The use of this product for the control of protected native rodents and rodent like animals requires permission from wildlife authorities. The product is restricted to use in and around buildings (within 2m) or enclosed spaces, eg drains.

## STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Store in the closed, original container in a dry, cool, well ventilated area out of direct sunlight. Break, crush, puncture and deliver empty containers and unused bait to an approved waste management facility. If an approved waste management facility is not available, bury the empty containers and unused bait 500 mm below the surface in a disposal pit specifically marked and set up for this purpose, clear of waterways, desirable vegetation and tree roots, in compliance with relevant local, state or territory government regulations. DO NOT burn empty containers or product. DO NOT use containers which have held bait for any other purpose. Look for dead rats or mice and dispose of carcasses safely by burning or burying in an approved landfill. Ensure baits are removed when rodent activity has ceased.

## SAFETY DIRECTIONS

Poisonous if swallowed. DO NOT inhale dust. DO NOT touch pellets, use scoop or measure. If on skin and after each baiting, wash thoroughly with soap and water. Vitamin K1 (Phytomenadione) is antidotal.

## FIRST AID

If poisoning occurs, contact a doctor or Poisons Information Centre. Phone 131 126. Vitamin K1 (Phytomenadione) is antidotal.

## NOTE TO PHYSICIANS AND VETERINARIANS

Brodifacoum, the active constituent of TALON, is a long lasting anticoagulant chemical, which if ingested by humans, domestic animals or pets, can reduce the clotting power of the blood and haemorrhage may result. Vitamin K1 (Phytomenadione) should be administered urgently by medical, appropriate paramedical personnel or veterinarians. If administered intravenously the injection must be given slowly.

**POISONS INFORMATION CENTRE**  
**131 126**  
**ALL HOURS – AUSTRALIA WIDE**

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

If additional hazard information is required refer to the Safety Data Sheet. For a copy phone 1800 067 108, or visit our website at [www.syngenta.com.au](http://www.syngenta.com.au)

## DISCLAIMER

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