

EXTINGUISH[®]

Professional Fire Ant Bait

Supplemental Labeling

For Use to Control Pavement Ants

EPA Reg. No. 2724-475

All label restrictions and Directions for Use of **EXTINGUISH[®] PROFESSIONAL FIRE ANT BAIT (EXTINGUISH[®])** apply.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal Law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

IMPORTANT

Before using this product, read and carefully observe all applicable directions, restrictions, Precautionary Statements, and Directions for Use on the EPA-registered **EXTINGUISH[®]** container label.

GENERAL INFORMATION

EXTINGUISH[®] contains an insect growth regulator (IGR) with specific activity to pavement ants. The IGR is contained in an attractive bait that foraging pavement ant workers take back to the mound to feed to the queen. IGR's are different from conventional products which provide a direct kill to pavement ants. IGR's work by affecting queen reproduction. The effects of the treatment may not be immediately evident. IGR's are slower in activity than conventional products. Though slower in action, control is complete without the concern of rebounding or movement of the colony to another location. Reduction in colony size can be seen beginning at three weeks with colony elimination within 8 to 10 weeks. When existing workers die, replacement workers are not produced resulting in starvation and elimination of the queen and colony.

APPLICATION SITES

OUTDOOR USE

EXTINGUISH[®] may be applied to, but not limited to, the following areas: residential turf and landscapes (around flowers, shrubs, and trees), golf courses, commercial nurseries including field grown and container stock, sod farms, parks, zoos, airports, roadsides, cemeteries, sport fields, school grounds, perimeter areas of buildings, homes, sheds, kennels, barns, poultry houses, swine operations, dairies, electrical and phone boxes, pump houses and other associated areas, [pastures, rangeland, citrus groves, cropland, forestry sites].

METHODS OF APPLICATION

GENERAL

Application during heat of the day or when rain is expected within 6 hours of application will reduce the effectiveness of this product. Moisture reduces the attractiveness of the bait in wet areas. In areas of heavy infestation, repeat applications may be necessary 10 to 12 weeks following the initial application.

1. Individual Mound Treatments

Treat all visible mounds with 3 to 5 tablespoons of **EXTINGUISH**[®] per mound. To treat the mounds, sprinkle the adjacent areas of the mound, applying evenly in a manner to encompass the mound to a perimeter of 4 feet. Do not disturb the mound during application. Worker ants will locate the bait quickly and begin taking it back to the mound.

2. Broadcast Applications

Apply **EXTINGUISH**[®] to areas at the rate of 1 to 1.5 pounds of product per acre (3.5 tablespoons/1000 ft²) using suitable application equipment. Backpack, hand, or motorized mechanical equipment may be used. Aerial applications can be made using either rotary or fixed wing aircraft. No withdrawal or grazing restrictions are necessary on treated areas. Repeat applications may be made as often as pavement ants are observed.

3. Hopper Blend

Blend **EXTINGUISH**[®] with other pavement ant bait products such as Amdro Pro[™], ProBait[®], or other bait products labeled for pavement ant control. When blending products, the more restrictive label will apply. Use a 50/50 mix to blend **EXTINGUISH**[®] and other bait. For broadcast applications, mix the required amount of bait so that the application is made using 0.75 lb. **EXTINGUISH**[®] and 0.75 lb. of other bait for a total of 1.5 lb. of total bait per acre. For mound treatments, blend a 50/50 mix of **EXTINGUISH**[®] and other bait and apply at the rate of 3-5 tablespoons per mound.

Rates and Timing

Treatment	Rate	Comments
Broadcast Treatment	0.75 lb. EXTINGUISH [®] plus 0.75 lb. other bait product per acre	Mix bait products together thoroughly prior to application; distribute bait uniformly with ground (granular spreaders) or aerial equipment.
Individual Mound Treatment	50/50 mix of EXTINGUISH [®] plus other bait. Apply blended product at 3-5 tablespoons per mound.	Mix thoroughly and apply product around and on the mound.

Observe all restrictions and precautions which appear on all product labels.

4. Refillable Bait Stations

EXTINGUISH[®] may be used in refillable bait stations. Place up to 1 oz of **EXTINGUISH**[®] per refillable bait station. Locate stations along the perimeter of a structure or fence line with 1 station every 15-30 linear feet. Locate stations near potential ant entry points of a structure or near locations where ants are a problem. Examples include: weep holes, foundation vents, stairs, decks, patios, picnic areas, utility areas, and other areas frequented by ants. Inspect stations frequently and replenish bait if soiled or wet. Affix a sticker to bait station indicating the contents.

INDOOR USE

Use **EXTINGUISH**[®] indoors in homes, residences (apartments, nursing homes), commercial buildings and warehouses, and any other structures where ants may enter. Also for use in non-food/feed areas of institutions, restaurants, commercial food processing areas, including poultry and livestock operations. Apply bait as a crack, crevice, and void or to areas that are inaccessible such as attics, crawlspaces, wall voids. Apply 0.25 – 0.50 oz per crack, crevice, or void. For use in attics or crawlspaces, use 0.25 oz per 100 square feet in those areas that are inaccessible to children or pets.

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THIS LABELING MUST BE IN THE POSSESSION OF THE USER AT THE TIME OF APPLICATION.

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