



Food Handling

# PRESCRIPTION TREATMENT® brand

# AVERT®

## Cockroach Gel Bait

**CONTROLS:**  
Cockroaches (including carbamate, organophosphate, organochlorine and pyrethroid resistant strains).

Formula 3

**FOR USE IN AND AROUND:**  
Commercial, Industrial and Residential Buildings including Apartments, Garages, Food Storage Areas, Homes, Hospitals and Nursing Homes, Hotels, Meat Packing and Food Processing Plants, Motels, Restaurants and other Food Handling Establishments, Schools, Supermarkets, Transportation Equipment (Buses, Boats, Ships, Trains and Planes) and Warehouses.

<b>ACTIVE INGREDIENT:</b>	
Abamectin B1 .....	0.05%
<b>OTHER INGREDIENTS:</b> .....	99.95%
	TOTAL: 100.00%

**EPA Reg. No. 499-410**  
**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN**  
**CAUTION**

### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

#### HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

**CAUTION:** Wash hands and exposed skin before eating, drinking or smoking and after handling. Wash all contaminated clothing thoroughly before re-use.

#### ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This pesticide is toxic to fish and wildlife. Do not apply directly to water. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of equipment washwaters.

#### PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS

Do not treat directly into any electronic equipment such as radios, televisions, computers, etc. Do not treat where electrical short circuits might result.

### DIRECTIONS FOR USE

**IT IS A VIOLATION OF FEDERAL LAW TO USE THIS PRODUCT IN A MANNER INCONSISTENT WITH ITS LABELING.**

**GENERAL USE DIRECTIONS:** Avert Cockroach Gel Bait Formula 3 is for use in controlling cock-

roaches indoors and outdoors. Use suitable equipment capable of application into cracks and crevices, void spaces and other locations where insects may be harboring, living and breeding. Concentrate the bait placements as individual spots or a bead at insect activity sites.

#### PRECAUTIONS:

- Do not use on or contaminate fruit, vegetables or other food or feed crops.
- Do not apply to humans, animals, clothing or bedding.
- Do not contaminate feed or food products or food preparation surfaces, dishes, kitchen utensils and food containers.
- To prevent staining, exposed bait should be cleaned up immediately with a damp cloth or sponge.

**FILLING RESERVOIRS USING THE WHITMIRE MICRO-GEN DOCK 'N GUN®:** The 120 gram and 300 gram piston cans of Prescription Treatment brand Avert Formula 2 (EPA Reg. No. 499-406) may be used to fill empty 30 gram reservoirs of Prescription Treatment brand Avert Formula 3 (EPA Reg. No. 499-410). To fill the reservoir, first snap the handle of the Dock 'n Gun securely onto the top of the piston can and then

attach the empty reservoir by screwing it onto the trigger (lever). Care should be taken not to depress the trigger of the Dock 'n Gun until the empty reservoir has been completely attached. To fill the reservoir, depress the trigger of the Dock 'n Gun until the reservoir is filled to approximately one inch from the end. Remove the filled reservoir and uncouple the Dock 'n Gun from the piston can. Clean excess product from the Dock 'n Gun following use.

**APPLICATION RATES - ALL USES:** For light infestations of cockroaches, 4 - 6 bait points are recommended per 100 sq. ft. of treatment area. For heavy infestations of cockroaches, 12 - 24 bait points are recommended per 100 sq. ft. of treatment area. Each bait point should equal about 0.25 to 0.50 grams of product. A spot approximately 3 mm or 1/8 inch in diameter equals 0.25 grams of product, while a spot approximately 6 mm or 1/4 inch in diameter equals 0.50 grams of product.

#### APPLICATION IN ALL EXCEPT FOOD/FEEED HANDLING AREAS OF FOOD/FEEED HANDLING ESTABLISHMENTS

For treatment in residential and the non-food/non-feed areas of institutional, warehousing and commercial establishments, place bait into cracks and crevices, holes, pipe chases, undersides of furni-



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ture, under drain plates, in or under trash containers, hidden surfaces around sinks and storage areas, behind baseboards; around doors and windows, inside, behind and under cabinets, drawers and shelving, under and behind appliances such as stoves and refrigerators, and in attics and crawl spaces. Also apply in points between different elements of construction, between equipment and floors, openings leading to voids and hollow spaces in walls, equipment legs and bases and crawl spaces where insects hide. During follow-up visits, inspect bait placements and re-apply when necessary. Care should be taken to avoid depositing the product onto exposed surfaces. If gel contacts an exposed surface, remove gel and wash exposed surface. This product may also be used in food/feed areas of food/feed handling establishments as outlined below.

Non-food/feed areas are areas such as garbage rooms, lavatories, floor drains (to sewers), entries and vestibules, offices, locker rooms, machine rooms, boiler rooms, garages, mop closets and storage areas (after canning or bottling).

### APPLICATIONS IN FOOD/FEED AREAS OF FOOD/FEED HANDLING ESTABLISHMENTS

Application within food/feed areas of food/feed handling establishments is limited to Crack & Crevice® treatment only. Apply Avert directly into cracks and crevices. Apply small amounts of gel (up to 0.50 gram) per point. Do not apply bait to areas where food utensils or food processing surfaces may become contaminated. Do not apply bait to areas that are routinely washed such as cracks and crevices in tops of tables, food/feed preparation and prepared food holding surfaces as bait may be removed by washing. Care should be taken to avoid

depositing gel onto exposed surfaces. If gel contacts an exposed surface, remove gel and wash exposed surface. Food/feed areas include areas for receiving, storage, packing (canning, bottling, wrapping, boxing), preparing edible waste storage, and enclosed processing systems (mills, dairies, edible oils, syrups). Serving areas are also considered food/feed areas when food is exposed and facility is in operation. Apply bait in small amounts between different elements of construction, between equipment and floors, openings leading into voids and hollow spaces in floors, walls, ceilings, equipment legs and bases, around plumbing pipes, doors and windows, behind and under refrigerators, cabinets, sinks, closets, stoves and other equipment where cockroaches hide. During follow-up visits, inspect bait placements and re-apply when necessary.

APPLICATION OF THIS PRODUCT IN FOOD/FEED AREAS OF FOOD/FEED HANDLING ESTABLISHMENTS OTHER THAN AS A CRACK & CREVICE TREATMENT IS NOT PERMITTED. DO NOT TREAT FOOD PREPARATION SURFACES.

### APPLICATIONS IN AIRCRAFT

Application within passenger areas of aircraft is limited to Crack & Crevice treatment only. Apply Avert in areas between elements of construction (such as areas under sinks, openings around pipes, under shelving, where shelving meets other shelves or the wall, area between and around microwaves, where support braces attach to the main structure and where seats are attached to the floor). Use 12-24 bait placements per 100 sq. ft. Do not apply bait to areas where food utensils or food preparation surfaces may become contaminated. Do not apply bait to

areas that are routinely washed such as cracks and crevices in tops of tables, food preparation, and food holding surfaces as bait may be removed by washing. Care should be taken to avoid depositing gel onto exposed surfaces. If gel contacts an exposed surface, remove gel and wash exposed surface. During follow-up visits, inspect bait placements and re-apply when necessary.

Do not apply any bait in cockpit area.

### OUTDOOR USE

Use for control of cockroaches. Inject into cracks and crevices around windows and doors, porches, screens, eaves, patios, garages, under stairways and in open crawl spaces and other areas where pests may be nesting or trailing, such as tree holes and cracks in fence.

### STORAGE & DISPOSAL

Do not puncture or incinerate. Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.

**STORAGE:** Store in a cool dry area away from heat or open flame and inaccessible to children.

**PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:** Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

**CONTAINER DISPOSAL:** Empty container by using the product according to the label directions. Place empty container in trash or offer for recycling if available. If container is partly filled, call your local solid waste agency or call 1-800-CLEANUP for disposal instructions. NEVER PLACE UNUSED PRODUCT DOWN ANY INDOOR OR OUTDOOR DRAIN!

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