

MAIN PANEL

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



**Maxforce<sup>®</sup> 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.

**APVMA Approval No.: 64123/120g/0110**

**Contents:  
120 g NET**

**In NZ - APPROVED PURSUANT TO THE HSNO ACT 1996, NO. HSR100039**

See [www.ermanz.govt.nz](http://www.ermanz.govt.nz) for approval controls

**HSNO CLASSIFICATIONS: 9.1C, 9.4B**

**WARNING:** Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Toxic to terrestrial invertebrates.

## ANCILLARY PANEL

**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).

**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.

**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.

**MATERIAL 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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## ANCILLARY PANEL (contd)

**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: (eg. hospitals, health and aged care facilities, food processing areas, offices, houses and schools).	Nuisance ants, including; Black house ant ( <i>Ochetellus glaber</i> ) Ghost Ant ( <i>Tapinoma melanocephalum</i> ) Argentine ants ( <i>Linepithema humile</i> ) Pharaoh's ant ( <i>Monomorium pharaonis</i> ) White footed house ants ( <i>Technomyrmex albipes</i> )	0.2 g or 200 mg/m <sup>2</sup> (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 performed 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. It is also recommended to protect bait from the elements and non-target animals (eg. through the use of bait stations).

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.