

# OvoControl® P

Ready-to-Use Bait (EPA Reg No: 80224-1)

# FOR USE IN REDUCING EGG HATCHABILITY IN PIGEONS

(Columba livia, Rock Dove, Feral Pigeon), EUROPEAN STARLINGS (Sturnus vulgaris), RED-WINGED (Agelaius phoeniceus), YELLOW-HEADED (Xanthocephalus xanthocephalus) and BREWERS (Euphagus cyanocephalus) BLACKBIRDS, GREAT-TAILED (Quiscalus mexicanus), BOAT-TAILED (Quiscalus major) and COMMON (Quiscalus quiscula) GRACKLES, BROWN-HEADED (Molothrus ater) and BRONZED (Molothrus aeneus) COWBIRDS and COMMON MYNA (Acridotheres tristis)

#### **ACTIVE INGREDIENT**

Nicarbazin	0.5%
INERT INGREDIENTS	99.5%
TOTAL	100.0%

# KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

**PRECAUCION:** Si usted no entiende la etiqueta, busque a alguien para que se la explique a usted en detalle.

#### **Precautionary Statements**

### **Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals:**

**CAUTION**: Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes or clothing. Wear protective eyewear. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum or using tobacco. Wear: Long sleeved shirt and long pants, socks, shoes and gloves.

# First Aid

If in Eyes	<ul> <li>Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes.</li> <li>Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>	
Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for		
treatment.		
Note to Physic	ian: Treat symptomatically.	

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EPA Reg. No: 80224-1 EPA Est. No.: 009811-ID-001 Net Weight: 30 pounds (13.61 kgs)

For Technical Support and Information Call: 888.908.0853

#### **Important!**

Read This Entire Label Before Using This Product: Replace label in pouch and reseal after reading.

#### **Environmental Hazards**

Do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment wash water or rinsate.

#### Information

OvoControl P is a ready-to-use bait designed for administration to feral pigeons and other pest birds listed on this label. For efficacy, OvoControl P must be fed daily during the nesting period and consistently consumed by the birds. OvoControl P reduces egg hatchability. Birds fed OvoControl P according to label directions may continue to lay eggs, although the hatch rate will be reduced.

This product will reduce egg hatchability and adversely affect other aspects of reproduction in all avian species. OvoControl P is not recommended for individual homeowner use.

#### DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

#### **Use Restrictions**

- For outdoor use only to control pigeons and other pest birds listed on this label.
- For use in non-food areas of manufacturing facilities, power utilities, hospitals, food processing plants, distribution centers, oil refineries and processing centers, chemical plants, rail yards, schools, campuses, military bases, seaports, hotels, apartments, condominiums, maintenance yards, shopping malls, feed mills, airports and other commercial or industrial locations.
- Do not contaminate food or feed by application.
- OvoControl P may only be applied to rooftops or other flat paved or concrete surfaces. Use only in secured areas with limited public access.
- Applicators must ensure that children and pets do not come in contact with the bait.
- Do not apply within 20 feet of any body of water, including lakes, ponds or rivers.
- Not for use in Guam, American Samoa, Northern Mariana Islands or the U.S. Virgin Islands.
- See additional restrictions under Non-Target Species.

# Additional Requirements for use in Hawaii

- ✓ Prior to application, applicator must contact the Department of Land and Natural Resources and obtain a Wildlife Control Permit if one is required.
- ✓ Do not apply in areas where nene goose (*Nesochen sandvicensis*), Hawaiian coot (*Fulica alai*), Hawaiian moorhen (*Gallinula chloropus sandvicensis*) and Hawaiian duck (*Anas wyvilliana*) are known to occupy or graze.
- ✓ Users must notify the Pesticides Branch of the State of Hawaii Department of Agriculture, in writing prior to use. Two weeks advance notice must be given to allow time for consultation with Hawaii Department of Land and Natural Resources and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.
- ✓ Observe warnings under the *Non-Target Species* section of the label. In Hawaii, Zebra doves (aka, Barred Ground dove, Blue-faced dove) *Geopelia striata*; Mountain doves (aka, Spotted dove, Chinese dove, Pearl-necked dove, Lace-necked dove) *Spilopelia chinensis*; and Common myna (aka, Common mynah, Indian myna) *Acridotheres tristis*, are exempt from the non-target restrictions.

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#### **Application Rate and Directions - Pigeons**

Depending on the climatic zone and habitat, pigeons nest seasonally or year-round. Pigeons have a social order and baiting strategy must accommodate their behavior.

Bait must be broadcast to allow all birds opportunity to consume the bait. To ensure that the pigeons receive bait daily, OvoControl must only be applied with an automatic wildlife feeder programed to trigger once a day, shortly after dawn.

Begin the OvoControl program by locating a suitable flat rooftop to install an automatic feeder(s). Each feeder will accommodate up to 150 pigeons.

If a flat rooftop is not available, identify a suitable flat paved or concrete surface appropriate for the application of OvoControl P. Choose secured areas with limited public access. Do not apply bait to areas where water may accumulate or to standing water.

Begin conditioning the pigeons with cracked corn or other grains at a rate of one pound (1lb) per 80 birds per day until the birds are accustomed to the daily baiting event. Conditioning is a process whereby the birds become habituated to the daily feeding routine.

Pigeons are fully conditioned to the baiting event when they return to the same site each day for feeding. Depending on site characteristics and pigeon behavior, the conditioning period can last from three (3) to thirty (30) days. If pigeons cannot be conditioned to consume the pre-bait within 30 days, discontinue baiting at that location.

Monitor the baiting site periodically to ensure that pigeons and no other birds or animals are converging on the feeder each morning. Do not apply if non-target feeding persists and/or cannot be prevented.

Once pre-bait is consumed consistently, gradually transition the pigeons to OvoControl P. Add OvoControl to the feeder and mix with the remaining pre-bait. Gradually increase the proportion of OvoControl over a period of two (2) to four (4) weeks until no pre-bait remains.

Feeding must continue DAILY through the entire breeding season, which can last all year. The daily dose (based on flock size) must be entirely consumed within 15 minutes of application. Periodically monitor the site and reconfirm pigeon numbers. The daily amount of bait applied must be increased or decreased according to the number of pigeons at the feeder.

Any accumulation of bait indicates that the birds are not consuming it regularly. In this event, remove uneaten bait and restart the conditioning program with pre-bait. Discontinue use at any location where the conditioning program fails repeatedly to consistently attract the flock.

#### Dosage Calculation:

Estimated pigeon population x 0.2 ounces (5 grams) OvoControl P = Amount of OvoControl P to be applied daily.

For example,

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8 ounces of bait = 40 pigeons
1 pound of bait = 80 pigeons
2 pounds of bait = 160 pigeons
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Follow the operating instructions on the automatic feeder to set the correct application rate. Confirm feeder calibration prior to baiting.

#### Application Rate and Directions - Starlings, Blackbirds, Grackles, Cowbirds and Mynahs

Follow all restrictions and guidelines provided in the pigeon section, above. Depending on the geography, starlings, blackbirds, grackles, cowbirds and mynahs can breed seasonally or all year. Furthermore, subject to your location, flocks of these pest birds can be resident or migratory. OvoControl should only be used in *resident* flocks. Application can begin in advance of the breeding season and end after all egg laying is complete. The following table is provided for guidance,

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	Recommended dose	
Bird Group	per 100 birds	Breeding Season
Starlings	8 ounces	Spring and Summer
Blackbirds	8 ounces	Spring and Summer
Grackles	10 ounces	Spring and Summer
Cowbirds	4 ounces	Spring and Summer
Mynahs	10 ounces	Throughout the year

# **Non-target Species**

Do not apply more OvoControl P than the pigeons will eat in a single feeding, as this may result in non-target species' exposure to leftover bait. Do not apply in areas where the product may be consumed by federally listed Threatened and Endangered birds.

Do not apply if non-target feeding persists and/or cannot be prevented. English house sparrows (*Passer domesticus*), are exempt from this restriction. It is a violation of state and federal law to intentionally feed treated bait to non-target species, including protected species.

#### **IMPORTANT: READ BEFORE USE**

Read the entire **Directions for Use, Conditions, Disclaimer of Warranties and Limitations of Liability** before using this product. If terms are not acceptable, return the unopened bag at once.

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# Storage and Disposal

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

Pesticide Storage: Store at or below room temperature. Store bait in a DRY location, free of other pests.

<u>Pesticide Disposal</u>: Wastes resulting from the use of this product must be disposed of at an approved waste disposal facility.

<u>Container Disposal</u>: If empty: Do not reuse this container. Place in trash or offer for recycling if available. If partly filled: Call your local solid waste agency for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain. Keep unused bait dry.

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