



Australian Pesticides &  
Veterinary Medicines Authority

Product Name: SNAILEX SLUG AND SNAIL PELLETS

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Label Name:	SNAILEX SLUG AND SNAIL PELLETS
Signal Headings:	CAUTION KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN READ SAFETY DIRECTIONS BEFORE OPENING OR USING
Constituent Statements:	ACTIVE CONSTITUENT: 15 g/kg METALDEHYDE
Mode of Action:	
Statement of Claims:	For the control of slugs and snails in many agricultural and horticultural situations as specified in the Directions for Use table.
Net Contents:	Net Contents: 20 kg - 1000 kg, 22,000 kg
Restraints:	Restraint: DO NOT place pellets in heaps. DO NOT apply to edible plant parts. DO NOT graze or cut for stockfeed any crops while pellets are visible in the plant foliage.
Directions for Use:	This section contains file attachment.
Other Limitations:	
Withholding Periods:	WITHHOLDING PERIODS: HARVEST Horticultural Crops, Vineyards: DO NOT APPLY LATER THAN 7 DAYS BEFORE HARVEST. Agricultural Crops: DO NOT APPLY LATER THAN 8 WEEKS BEFORE HARVEST. GRAZING DO NOT ALLOW STOCK OR POULTRY TO GRAZE TREATED CROPS, VINEYARDS OR OTHER AREAS.

	DO NOT ALLOW STOCK TO GRAZE TREATED PASTURE FOR 8 WEEKS.
Trade Advice:	
General Instructions:	<p><b>GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS</b>  Scatter pellets using an appropriate applicator. The best time to apply is immediately after rain or during humid overcast weather when slugs and snails are most active. The pellets eventually decompose leaving no harmful residue. Use regularly to control re-infestation.</p> <p><b>TIMING</b>  The best time to apply is immediately after rain, or during humid overcast weather when slugs and snails are most active. For broadacre crops, start when rain/moisture triggers snail activity in Autumn and before significant egg laying. For other crops, time the application to protect the sensitive growth stage. For seedlings best results may be achieved by applying 5-10 days prior to planting. See your distributor for further advice.</p>
Resistance Warning:	
Precautions:	
Protections:	<p><b>PROTECTION OF WILDLIFE, FISH, CRUSTACEANS AND ENVIRONMENT</b>  DO NOT contaminate streams, rivers or watercourses with the chemical or used containers.</p> <p><b>PROTECTION OF DOMESTIC ANIMALS AND LIVESTOCK</b>  Keep away from animals, poultry, ducks and domestic pets as accidental poisoning may be fatal. Dogs and other animals find this bait attractive and it may kill them. If pets or livestock are poisoned contact a veterinary surgeon.</p>
Storage and Disposal:	<p><b>STORAGE AND DISPOSAL</b>  Store in the closed, original container in a dry, cool, well-ventilated area, out of direct sunlight. Store in a locked room or place away from children, animals, food, feedstuffs, seed and fertilisers. Shake and empty into applicator. DO NOT dispose of unused product on-site. Break, crush or puncture and deliver empty packaging to an approved waste management facility. If an approved waste management facility is not available bury the empty packaging 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.</p>
Safety Directions:	<p><b>SAFETY DIRECTIONS</b>  Poisonous if swallowed. When opening the container, preparing the product for use and if applying by hand, wear cotton overalls buttoned to the neck and wrist (or equivalent clothing) and elbow length chemical resistant gloves. Wash hands after use. After each day's use, wash gloves and contaminated clothing.</p>
First Aid Instructions:	<p><b>FIRST AID</b>  If poisoning occurs contact a doctor or Poisons Information Centre.  Phone Australia 13 11 26, New Zealand 0800 764 766.</p>
First Aid Warnings:	

## DIRECTIONS FOR USE

SITUATION	PEST	RATE	CRITICAL COMMENTS
			Use the higher rates where there are large populations of snails or slugs and where wet cool climatic conditions are favourable for snail and slug movement.
<b>Agricultural crops</b> cereals, oilseeds (including poppies), pulses  <b>Horticultural crops</b> Fruit (including grapevines) Vegetables	Snails and slugs including: Common white snail ( <i>Cernuella virgata</i> ) White Italian snail ( <i>Theba pisana</i> ) Conical snail ( <i>Cochlicella acuta</i> ) Grey field slug ( <i>Deroceras reticulatum</i> )	5-20 kg/ha	Broadcast pellets evenly over the surface of the ground where snails and slugs are active or incorporate with seeding equipment when direct drilling. Use low rate only when snail density is low. Use higher rate for moderate to high infestations. Brown field slug mortality may be delayed, requiring longer feeding times.
Other agricultural, industrial and commercial situations where snails and slugs congregate	Brown field slug ( <i>Deroceras invadens</i> ) (excludes Small Brown Snails)	5-20 kg/ha	Broadcast pellets evenly over the surface of the ground where snails and slugs are active or incorporate with seeding equipment when direct drilling. Use low rate only when snail density is low. Use higher rate for moderate to high infestations.
<b>Direct Drilled Pasture</b>	Slugs	5-20 kg/ha	Incorporate with seed when direct drilling. Use low rate only when slug density is low. Use higher rate for moderate to high infestations.
Around plants. Around crops and/or border areas where snails and slugs congregate.	Slugs, Snails	50 g/m <sup>2</sup>	Scatter the pellets around the area to be protected and/or where snails and slugs congregate. Spread pellets evenly.

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