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DISCLAIMER: ALTHOUGH THIS PRODUCT HAS BEEN EXTENSIVELY TESTED UNDER A LARGE VARIETY OF CONDITIONS, FAILURE THEREOF MAY ENSUE AS A RESULT OF A WIDE RANGE OF REASONS. IF THIS IS SUSPECTED, KINDLY NOTIFY THE REGISTRATION HOLDER.

WARNINGS:

Handle with care. Harmful when swallowed.
Harmful to fish and other animals.
Store in a cool place and away from food and feedstuffs.
Keep out of the reach of children, uninformed persons and animals.
Shelf-life: expires 2 years from date of manufacture.

PRECAUTIONS:

Avoid contact by mouth and skin.
Wear rubber gloves during application.
Wash with soap and water immediately after use or accidental skin contact.
Do not eat, drink or smoke whilst applying and before washing hands and face.
Apply only in positions where it will be completely inaccessible to children and pets.
Do not contaminate dams, drains, ponds, streams and other waterways with the product or used containers.

Do not apply gel to surfaces on which food or feed is stored, prepared or eaten.
Protect food preparing equipment and eating utensils from contamination during application.
Destroy used container and do not re-use for any other purpose.

FIRST AID MEASURES:

General advice: The nature of this product, when contained in commercial packs, makes spillage unlikely. However, if significant amounts are spilled then the following advice is applicable: Move out of dangerous area. If the patient is likely to become unconscious, place and transport in stable sideways position. Remove contaminated clothing immediately.

Skin contact: Wash off immediately with plenty of soap and water, if available polyethyleneglycol 400, subsequently rinse with water. Take medical treatment if irritation develops and persist.

Eye contact: Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Ingestion: Call a physician or poison control center immediately. **DO NOT** induce vomiting.



NOTES TO PHYSICIAN:

Treatment:

Treat symptomatically.

Monitoring of respiratory and cardiac functions.

In cases of significant ingestions gastric lavage should be considered only within the first 2 hours. However, the application of activated charcoal and sodium sulphate is always advisable.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE: USE ONLY AS DIRECTED.

For maximum effectiveness **Maxforce**[®] **Platin** must be placed in and around cockroach harbourages and, if possible between these areas and food sources.

Survey the area to be treated to identify sites of cockroach infestation e.g. by using traps and/or flush-out aerosols, searching for droppings, cast skins and egg cases etc.

Maxforce[®] **Platin** can be placed in the vicinity of: corners, cracks and crevices, voids, service-ducts, lift shafts, equipment and furniture e.g. counters, refrigerators, cookers, sinks, baths etc.

Maxforce[®] **Platin** is particularly valuable in sensitive areas where the use of conventional insecticide formulations is restricted e.g. in the vicinity of electric and electronic equipment etc. Where immigration of cockroaches has been identified placement of additional bait in peripheral areas of the site will aid control.

Apply **Maxforce**[®] **Platin** directly as spots or thin ribbons to surfaces in identified target areas. It should be placed out of sight and where light intensity is low. Place the bait spots in places inaccessible for children or pets.

Avoid application to excessively dusty, damp or greasy locations, and areas which are subject to washing.

DO NOT apply to areas that have recently been treated with other insecticides or contaminate the bait with other insecticides.

Maximum levels of control are achieved between six days and several months after treatment depending upon the level of infestation and as long as the gel is present.

Where infestations are high inspect the applied spots of **Maxforce**[®] **Platin** regularly and make further applications as required.

30 g: Maxforce[®] **Platin** is dispensed using a purpose-built caulking gun / applicator, which is used as follows: Insert the cartridge into the gun frame. Remove the cap of the cartridge tip. Insert a dispensing tip as supplied with the caulking gun / applicator. A plastic dispensing tip should be used in and around electrical installations and equipment. Press the trigger of the caulking gun / applicator until the plunger contacts the piston of the cartridge. The next application of pressure to the trigger should release a droplet of gel from the dispensing tip.



Application rates:

Bait application should equal approximately 0,25-0,5 g / spot and 10 to 20 spots / 10 m².

Infestation Level	Pest	Dosage Rate	Remarks
Low infestation	German and Oriental Cockroach	0,25 g (3 mm diameter)	For cockroaches rarely visible during the day. The lower application rate should be used for low and moderate German and Oriental cockroach infestations or re-treatments.
High infestation	American, German and Oriental Cockroach	0,5 g (6 mm diameter)	For cockroaches commonly visible during the day. The higher rate should be used for more severe infestations of American, German and Oriental cockroaches or first treatment.

Numerous smaller placements will provide faster control than a few larger spots.

The gel will remain pliable and palatable to cockroaches as long as it is visible; usually up to 12 weeks.

Where infestations are high inspect gel four weeks after treatment and replace if necessary. The life of the bait will reduce under daylight conditions.

Maxforce® Platin can be integrated with space or surface spray treatments but must **NOT** be contaminated with other insecticides or placed on freshly sprayed surfaces.

For any product enquiry, contact Bayer Environmental Science: +27 11 921 5911 (Office Hours: 9am - 5pm). For poisoning emergencies only, contact Griffon Poison Information Centre: 082 446 8946.

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