INSECT CONTROL RECOMMENDATIONS

FLY CONTROL FOR POULTRY PRODUCERS

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TREATMENTS FOR THE CONTROL OF FLY MAGGOTS IN DROPPINGS UNDER CAGED LAYERS

Insecticide and Percent Dilution

How to Mix and Apply

Precautions and Days Between Last Application

Fly larvae, especially house fly maggots

Dismethoate (Cyga or Defend) 1%

Defend or 2 1/2 gals. of 20% EC. Apply to droppings as coarse spray at rate of 3 gal. per 100 sq. ft.

Do not contaminate feed, poultry litter, or feed troughs. Do not apply to poultry or cages. Well-timed spot treatment of heavy maggot infestation should eliminate the need for blanket applications on a routine basis. Repeat applications as needed. Sanitation such as cleanup of spilled feed outside poultry house should not be overlooked. KEEP MANURE DRY. STOP WATER SEEP.

Supona [Copper or Spray and Larvicide]

Use 1 pt. of 21% EC per 40 gal a cc of water for cleanup and 1 qt. of 21% EC per 40 gal. for maintenance applications. Apply to droppings as coarse low-pressure spray at rate of 1 gal. per 25 sq. ft.

Stirofos (Rabon) 1%

Use 1 gal. of 23% EC or 1 lb. of 50% WP per 100 gal. of water. Apply to droppings at rate of 1 gal. per 100 sq. ft.

Do not contaminate feed, poultry litter, or feed troughs. Do not apply to poultry or cages. Keep mangue dry. Stop water seep.

Space Treatment for Control of Adult Flies in Poultry Houses

Adult flies including all species found in poultry houses

Atroban (WP)

Follow directions on label for % WP. Apply spray to fly resting surfaces at the rate of one gallon per 750 sq. ft. - or just short of runoff.

Do not make direct contact with animals, feed, or water. Insure animals, feed, and water are not contaminated by spray drift.

Ectiban (EC)

Dilute EC 1 qt. to 12.5 gal. of water. Use 1 gal. diluted spray per 750 sq. ft. of surface just prior to run-off whichever comes first. Spray directly to walls and ceiling as residual surface treatment only.

Retreat as needed, but more often than once every two weeks. Do not treat litter. Do not apply directly to poultry.

WP)

Dilute WP, 6 oz. to 11 gal. of water. One gal. per 750 sq. ft. of surface or just prior to run-off whichever comes first. Spray directly to walls and ceiling as residual surface treatment only.

Pyrethrins (0.03%) and DDVP (Py-Vona) prepared aerosol

Follow directions on label. Apply 2 fluid oz. per 1,000 cu. ft. as a finely atomized spray. Keep room closed 10 minutes following application. Repeat daily, atoning and room as needed.

Do not contaminate feed or water. Follow manufacturers' instructions.

Dichlorvos (Vapona)

No mixing is necessary. Suspend from ceiling as directed on label, using 1 strip per 1000 cubic ft.

Do not place over feed or water. Keep out of reach of animals and children.
Precautions and Days

Insecticide and How to Mix and Apply Between Last Application and Slaughter

### RESIDUAL SURFACE SPRAY -1

**Pests**
- Adult flies especially house flies

**Insecticide and Percent Dilution**
- Malathion 1.0%
- Malathion 5% EC OR 5 pt. of Dibrom 36% EC. Apply not more than 2 gal. per 1,000 sq. ft. or to point of runoff. The addition of 3 oz. of sugar per gal. of water will increase effectiveness.

**How to Mix and Apply**
- Birds do not have to be removed from house while spraying. Do not contaminate feed or water.
- Use 1 1/2 gal. of Malathion 5% EC OR 5 pt. of Dibrom 36% EC. Apply not more than 2 gal. per 1,000 sq. ft. or to point of runoff. The addition of 3 oz. of sugar per gal. of water will increase effectiveness.

**Between Last Application and Slaughter**
- Adult flies especially house flies

### BAITS -2

**Pests**
- Adult flies especially house flies

**Insecticide and Percent Dilution**
- Malathion
- Malathion 5% EC OR 5 pt. of Dibrom 36% EC. Apply not more than 2 gal. per 1,000 sq. ft. or to point of runoff. The addition of 3 oz. of sugar per gal. of water will increase effectiveness.

**How to Mix and Apply**
- Use 4 tbsp. Malathion 5% EC OR 1 lb. of granulated sugar [mix thoroughly] OR 1 tbsp. Malathion 5% EC in 3 gal. of water + 2 pt. of molasses or syrup OR 1 tsp. Dibrom 36% EC in 1 lb. of granulated sugar (thoroughly mix) OR 2 1/2 tbsp. Dibrom in 3 gal. of water + 1 1/2 pt. of molasses or syrup.

**Between Last Application and Slaughter**
- Adult flies especially house flies

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-1 Residual surface sprays are used for treatment of inside and outside walls and ceilings to kill flies that rest on the treated surfaces.
-2 Baits are used to kill adult flies. Commercially prepared liquids and/or dry baits are available and should be used according to manufacturer's directions.

**AG** - Indicates the proper EC formulation for agricultural uses; **AI** - Active Ingredient; **AI/Gal.** - Active Ingredient per Gallon; **D** - Dust; **E** - Emulsifiable; **EC** - Emulsifiable Concentrate; **EL** - Emulsifiable Liquid; **F** - Flowable; **fl. oz.** - fluid ounce; **G** - Granular; **gal.** - gallon; **gal/100** - gallon per 100; **in.** - inch; **IU** - International Unit; **lb.** - pound; **lb./gal.** - pounds per gallon; **LC** - Liquid Concentrate; **liq. sol.** - liquid solution; **LS** - Liquid Solution or Suspension; **MG** - Milligram; **oz.** - ounce; **pt.** - pint; **qts.** - quarts; **S** - Soluble or Sprayable; **SC** - Soluble Concentrate; **SP** - Sprayable or Soluble Powder; **sq. ft.** - square foot; **tbsp.** - tablespoon; **tsp.** - teaspoon; **W** - Wettable; **WP** - Wettable Powder

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**KEYS TO PROPER USE OF PESTICIDES**

1. Read the label on each pesticide container before each use. Follow instructions to the letter; heed all cautions and warnings, and note precautions about residues.
2. Keep pesticides in the containers in which you bought them. Put them where children or animals cannot get to them, preferably under lock and away from food, feed, seed, or other material that may become harmful if contaminated.
3. Dispose of empty containers in the manner specified on the label.

**SEE YOUR DOCTOR IF SYMPTOMS OF ILLNESS OCCUR DURING OR AFTER USE OF PESTICIDES.**