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PESTMASTER SNAIL & SLUG BAIT

Pestmaster Snail & Slug Pellets is a 1.5% metaldehyde based bait. It is produced in Australia in a new state of the art production facility which is very focused on product quality.

The key properties of Pestmaster Snail & Slug Pellets are;

- 2.5mm or 4mm diameter pellet.
- Very hard and resistant to breakdown.
- Low dust and fines content.
- Available in 25kg and 500kg bags.

Successful Baiting

The keys to successful baiting are;

- Determine live snails or slugs per square metre
- Bait just after moisture
- Bait before eggs are laid
- Multiple applications may be necessary
- Fence line baiting can inhibit re-invasion into paddock.
- Monitor snail or slug numbers to determine need for further baiting.

Strategic baiting should also be undertaken around stone heaps, farm buildings and weedy scrub areas as well as along the edge of contaminated paddocks to inhibit movement into non contaminated areas. Spraying a herbicide along fence lines can remove an important breeding ground and provide a clear area for baiting.

Crop/Situation	Pest	Rate	How to Apply
Seedlings and mature crops of vegetables and flowers and all areas where snails and slugs congregate.	Snails & Slugs	5g/m ² or 5-8kg/Ha	Scatter the pellets around seedlings and plants to be protected and in areas where snails and slugs congregate. Spread pellets evenly. Dogs and other animals find this bait attractive and it may kill them. If pets or livestock are poisoned contact a veterinary surgeon. Broadcast pellets evenly over the crop or pasture area to be protected from snails and slugs. Pay particular attention to areas adjacent to headlines, fence lines and other areas where snails and slugs shelter and move into crops and pastures.

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