First Defense™
topical treatment
for dogs
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**CONTAINS FIPRONIL, the active ingredient used in Frontline® Top Spot®**

**KILLS**
Fleas, Ticks, Chewing Lice
Prevents and controls re-infestation

**FOR USE ONLY ON**
Dogs and Puppies 8 Weeks and Older
Weighing 5-22 lbs

**DETERMINATION OF TREATMENT SITE**

1. Remove one applicator tube from the package and hold in an upright position pointed away from your face.
2. Twist dispensing tip clockwise about 1/4 turn while pushing down to break the tube’s seal. Do not remove the dispensing tip.
3. Position the dispensing tip of the tube to part the dog’s hair so that the product will be applied at skin level. Begin squeezing out the contents of the tube to form a stripe as you move from the shoulder blades along the dog’s back to the base of the tail.
4. Repeat every month.

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN**

**CAUTION:** See back panel for additional precautionary statements.

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE:** It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS**

**HAZARDS TO HUMANS. CAUTION:** Harmful if swallowed. Causes eye irritation. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.

**HAZARDS TO DOMESTIC ANIMALS:**
For external use only. Do not use on puppies under 8 weeks of age. Sensitivities may occur after using ANY pesticide product for pets. If signs of sensitivity occur, bathe your pet with mild soap and rinse with large amounts of water. If signs continue, consult a veterinarian immediately. Pets may experience some temporary irritation at the site of product application. Consult a veterinarian before using this product on debilitated, aged, pregnant or nursing animals. Call 1-800-275-1414 for 24-hour assistance.

**PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS:**
Combustible:
Use only as directed. Do not use or store near heat or open flame. Combustible.

**TOXICITY TO HUMANS:**
Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If signs continue, consult a veterinarian immediately. Pets may experience some temporary irritation at the site of product application. Consult a veterinarian before using this product on debilitated, aged, pregnant or nursing animals. Call 1-800-275-1414 for 24-hour assistance.

**POISONING SYMPTOMS:**
Monitor your dog after application. Side effects may include signs of toxicity such as weakness, diarrhea, vomiting or a lack of interest in eating. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment information or pesticide incidents.

**FIRST AID:**

1. Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. You may also contact the hotline number 1-800-275-1414 for human and veterinary health concerns. Emergency medical attention or pesticide incidents.
2. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a person control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
3. IF IN EYES: Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
4. IF ON SKIN OR CLOTHING: Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
5. IF INHALED: Remove to fresh air. If not improved, seek medical assistance.
6. IF SWALLOWED: Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If signs continue, consult a veterinarian immediately. Pets may experience some temporary irritation at the site of product application. Consult a veterinarian before using this product on debilitated, aged, pregnant or nursing animals. Call 1-800-275-1414 for 24-hour assistance.

**INGEST THIS PRODUCT.**
Dosage amount for dogs.
Do not exceed recommended dosage amount for dogs.
Do not allow your dog to ingest this product.

**DO NOT USE ON CATS:**
This product can be used on dogs and puppies 8 weeks or older, including breeding, pregnant and lactating bitches.

**STORAGE AND DISPOSAL:**

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage and disposal. PESTICIDE STORAGE: Keep this product in its tightly closed original container, when not in use. Store in a cool, dry (preferably locked) area that is inaccessible to children and animals.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility. CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Non-refillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container, if empty. Offer for recycling, if available. Call your local solid waste agency for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

**DO NOT USE ON CATS:**
Keep cats away from treated dogs for 24 hours. If applied to a cat or ingested by a cat, contact your veterinarian.

**NET CONTENTS:**
Contains 3 Tubes, each 0.023 fl. oz. (0.67 ml)

**CAUTION:**
Reach of children