Hazards To Humans And Domestic Animals

DANGERS: WEEVIL-CIDE® Pellets or dust may be fatal if inhaled. Do not get on eyes, on skin, or in clothing. Do not smoke or eat while handling phosphine fumigants. When a sealed container is opened, allowing moisture to contact with material, water or acids, toxic phosphine gas will be released. If a garlic odor is detected, for appropriate monitoring procedures, refer to section on Industrial Hygiene Monitoring in the Applicator’s Manual.

Physical and Chemical Hazards

Aluminum phosphide WEEVIL-CIDE® Pellets and partially spent dust will release phosphine gas if exposed to moisture and air. The gas will be released as a white powder which may be ignited and explode. In certain circumstances, the absence of a garlic odor does not mean that phosphine gas is absent. Observe proper application, aeration, re-entry and disposal procedures as specified in the labeling to prevent overexposure.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

WEEVIL-CIDE® is a fumigant which when applied according to label instructions is activated in moist or wet conditions. Frequent exposure to subacute concentrations over a period of days or weeks may cause poisoning. Treatment is symptomatic.

PHOSPHINE POISONING

Inhalation: Phosphine gas is highly toxic and affects humans in all cases of exposure. Lung edema (fluid in lungs) and may lead to dizziness, cyanosis (blue or purple skin color), unconsciousness, and death. In sufficient quantity, phosphine affects the liver, kidneys, lungs, nervous system and circulatory system. Inhalation can cause lung edema in humans. Phosphine poisoning may result in (1) pulmonary edema (fluid in lungs) and may lead to dizziness, cyanosis (blue or purple skin color), unconsciousness, and death. In sufficient quantity, phosphine affects the liver, kidneys, lungs, nervous system and circulatory system. Inhalation can cause lung edema in humans.

IF INHALED:

1. Remove the victim to fresh air. • Do not allow victim to be rebreathed. • Allow victim to inhale fresh air slowly and deeply until consciousness returns. • Told to do so by a Poison Control Center or Doctor. Vomiting may off-gas and release phosphine, which could pose a fire hazard. Do not induce vomiting unless previously told to do so by a Poison Control Center or Doctor.

2. If possible, determine atmospheric concentration at the time of exposure. Phosphine poisoning may occur even in trace amounts. Do not rely on garlic odor in difficult or complex situations. • Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. • Do not induce vomiting unless previously told to do so by a Poison Control Center or Doctor.

3. If phosphine gas is suspected, determine the atmospheric concentration. Do not rely on garlic odor in difficult or complex situations. • Do not induce vomiting unless previously told to do so by a Poison Control Center or Doctor.

IF ON SKIN OR CLOTHING:

1. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes before entry.
2. Wash skin and contaminated clothing with soap and water for 15 minutes. • Remove contaminated clothing and shoes

IF IN EYES:

1. Remove eye contact gently and flush with water for 15 to 20 minutes. • Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first episode of rinsing is completed. • Do not attempt to rinse or rub eye while performing this step.

IF SWALLOWED:

1. Do not attempt to induce vomiting without previous medical advice unless the victim is unconscious and/or vomiting rapidly or if the victim is known to be allergic to phosphine gas. Contact a Poison Control Center or Doctor immediately. • Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. • Do not induce vomiting unless previously told to do so by a Poison Control Center or Doctor.

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DANGER/PELIGRO - POISON

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

Storage and Disposal

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage in the same areas used to store commodities and sites) and precautions and restrictions.

Storage Instructions

1. JACOB'S FIELD® Pellets are in a dry, well ventilated area away from heat, under lock and key. Keep as a pesticide at all times and keep closely watched by those who have access to the contents. Do not store in a cabinet where humans or domestic animals reside. Keep out of reach of children.

3. WEEVIL-CIDE® Pellets are supplied in gas-tight, rounded aluminum flasks. Do not expose the product to atmos-pheric moisture any longer than is necessary and seal tightly before returning flasks to storage.

Pesticide Disposal

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.

4. IF YOU CANNOT READ ENGLISH, DO NOT USE THIS PRODUCT UNTIL THE LABEL HAS BEEN FULLY EXPLAINED TO YOU.