**READ ENTIRE LABEL BEFORE EACH USE. USE ONLY ON DOGS AND PUPPIES OVER 12 WEEKS OF AGE. DO NOT USE ON CATS**

**IMPORTANT CONSUMER INFORMATION**

**PURPOSE:** Dog MD Maximum Defense® Flea & Tick Shampoo for Dogs & Puppies kills fleas and ticks while it cleans and deodorizes in one easy and convenient step. This rich, conditioning, non-staining formula contains a highly effective flea and tick killing ingredient combined with an excellent pH balanced shampoo.

**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS**

**HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS**

**CAUTION:** Harmful if inhaled. Avoid breathing vapors. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes or clothing. Prolonged or frequent contact may cause allergic reactions in some individuals. Wear protective rubber gloves when applying this product. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet. Apply this product only as specified on this label. Do not use on dogs under 12 weeks of age. Consult a veterinarian before using this product on debilitated, aged, medicated, pregnant or nursing animals. 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.

**FIRST AID**

**IF INHALED:** • Move person to fresh air. • If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth, if possible. • Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.

**IF IN EYES:** • Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15 - 20 minutes. • Remove contact lenses, if present, after first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. • Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

**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.

**HOT LINE NUMBER**

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or veterinarian. For additional information on this product (including health concerns, medical emergencies or pesticide incidents), you may call 1-877-416-7330.

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE:** It is a violation of federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Wet dog’s coat thoroughly. Pour shampoo into the cup of your hand. Starting at the head and working back, work up a lather with this quick thickening formula, being sure that the lather is worked thoroughly into dog’s coat down to the skin. Allow lather to stand five minutes, then rinse completely and towel dry. It should not be necessary to repeat the shampoo application unless the animal is excessively dirty. Kills fleas fast and begins to kill ticks within 1 or 2 days; reaching maximum effectiveness in 7 to 10 days. To maintain maximum effectiveness against both fleas and ticks, repeat every week. Cats that actively groom or engage in close physical contact with treated dog may be at risk of serious harmful effect.

**STORAGE AND DISPOSAL:** PESTICIDE STORAGE: Store in original container in a cool, dry area inaccessible to children and pets. CONTAINER DISPOSAL: If empty. Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Offer for recycling, if available. If partly filled: Call your local solid waste agency for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

**ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:**

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*for puppies over 12 weeks of age

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN**

CAUTION See Back Panel for Additional Precautionary Statements

**NET CONTENTS:** 16 fl oz (1 pt) (473 mL)

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**In Case of Emergency, call:** 1-877-416-7330

**Non-Emergency, call:** 1-888-814-4738 (4PET)

**If you have questions or comments about this product, please write to:** Consumer Response, P.O. Box 540224, Omaha, NE 68154-0224