

# PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS & DOMESTIC ANIMALS

**CAUTION:** Harmful if swallowed. May cause irritation. Avoid contact with eyes or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

## ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

For terrestrial uses, do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark.

This pesticide is toxic to birds and fish. Wildlife feeding on treated bait may be killed. Do not contaminate water by cleaning equipment or disposal of waste. Do not feed to livestock or poultry. Do not mix with grain for livestock or poultry feed.

## DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal Law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

### USE RESTRICTIONS

Do not use where food (grain or meat) might become contaminated.

Avitrol must not be exposed in any manner that may endanger desirable and protected bird species. If there is a question of such hazard, consult local, state and federal game authorities before undertaking bird management with Avitrol.

Investigate local laws that may prohibit the use of any toxic chemical in bird control.

## STORAGE & DISPOSAL

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

### 1. STORAGE INSTRUCTIONS:

Store in original container only. Store apart from food or animal feed and protect against rodent penetration of the carton. Store apart from other pesticides, fertilizers, food or feed that may cause cross-contamination of odor or insect infestation.

### 2. DISPOSAL INSTRUCTIONS:

Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture, or rinsate is a violation of Federal Law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance. Completely empty liner by shaking and tapping sides and bottom to loosen clinging particles. Empty residue into application equipment. Then dispose of liner in a sanitary landfill or by incineration if allowed by State and Local authorities. If drum is contaminated and cannot be reused, dispose of in the same manner.

# RESTRICTED USE PESTICIDE DUE TO ACUTE AVIAN TOXICITY

For sale to and use only by Certified Applicators or persons under their direct supervision and only for those uses covered by the Certified Applicator's Certification.



## DOUBLE STRENGTH CORN CHOPS

Active Ingredient: 4-Aminopyridine	1.0%
Inert Ingredients:	99.0%
Total	100.0%

Avitrol is a poison with flock alarming properties used for the control of Red-Winged, Yellow-Headed, Rusty and Brewers Blackbirds, Grackles, Cowbirds and Starlings in, on or in the area of feedlots, structures, nesting, roosting and feeding sites, in such a way that a part of a flock may react and frighten the rest away. Birds that react and alarm a flock usually die.

## KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

If swallowed: If the patient is unconscious, maintain breathing and heart beat (CPR: Cardiopulmonary resuscitation). Contact your local Poison Control Center, hospital or physician immediately.

If patient is conscious: Induce vomiting with syrup of Ipecac (if not available, stimulate the back of the throat with finger). Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Contact your Poison Control Center, hospital or physician immediately.

If in eyes: Flush with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

**See side panel for additional precautionary statements.**

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# SPECIMEN LABEL

Avitrol Lot No. \_\_\_\_\_

Net Contents: \_\_\_\_\_ Pounds

## PREBAITING DIRECTIONS

This product must not be applied where nontarget birds are feeding. Careful observations of the birds' feeding habits must therefore be made to establish proper feeding locations and to determine that no nontarget birds are feeding on the prebait. Prebaiting with untreated grains of the same composition as the Avitrol carrier is usually essential to the effective deterrence of birds with Avitrol. The target species are primarily ground feeders and bait should be placed at ground level if possible.

For the control of Starlings in feedlots, corn bait may be rendered more attractive by mixing four parts with one part of peanut butter. This mixture must be kept off the ground, out of reach of cattle.

## DILUTION DIRECTIONS

Avitrol treated grain should be thoroughly mixed with untreated grain of the same composition as the Avitrol carrier at the dilution ratios indicated below. For the control of Blackbirds, Cowbirds, Grackles and Starlings with Avitrol, no dilution ratio less than one part treated to nine parts untreated is recommended.

## BAITING DIRECTIONS

To obtain minimal mortality, the distribution of Avitrol should be limited to scattered spot placements that will provide feeding opportunities only for the necessary number of target birds. After the birds' feeding pattern has been established through prebaiting, replace untreated bait with diluted treated bait only at sites where the target birds are actively feeding. Do not apply treated bait to inactive feeding sites. Where uneaten bait may be a hazard to other birds or animals, it should be picked up at the end of each day. This product must not be applied where nontarget bird species are feeding.

Bait mixed with peanut butter must be kept off the ground, out of reach of cattle.

During the first few days, baiting with Avitrol may require successive applications until control is obtained. Note that retreatment may also be necessary after rainfall.

Notice: Buyer and/or user assumes all risks of use and/or handling of these materials contrary to label instructions.