

Product Name: Curiosity Bait for Feral Cats
APVMA Approval No: 81864 / 129491



Label Name:	Label A: CURIOSITY Feral Cat Bait Hard Shell Delivery Vehicle Label B: Curiosity Bait for Feral Cats (prepared bait).
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Signal Headings:	DANGEROUS POISON KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN READ SAFETY DIRECTIONS BEFORE OPENING OR USING
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Constituent Statement:	Label A: ACTIVE CONSTITUENT: 310 g/kg PARA-AMINOPROPIOPHENONE (PAPP) Each Hard Shell Delivery Vehicle (HSDV) contains 78 mg PARA-AMINOPROPIOPHENONE (PAPP) Label B: ACTIVE CONSTITUENT: 310 g/kg PARA-AMINOPROPIOPHENONE (PAPP) Each bait contains 78 mg PARA-AMINOPROPIOPHENONE (PAPP) in a Hard Shell Delivery Vehicle (HSDV)
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Statement of Claims:	Label A: For the preparation of baits as an aid in the control of feral cats Label B: An aid in the control of feral cats
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Restricted chemical product:	RESTRICTED CHEMICAL PRODUCT – ONLY TO BE SUPPLIED TO OR USED BY AN AUTHORISED PERSON THIS PRODUCT MUST BE USED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LABEL INSTRUCTIONS AND ANY RELEVANT DOCUMENTATION ISSUED WITH STATE/TERRITORY AUTHORISATION TO USE PAPP PRODUCTS. DO NOT transport Curiosity Bait for Feral Cats in such a way that unauthorised persons can access the Curiosity Bait for Feral Cats.☞
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Net Contents:	<p>Label A:</p> <p>500 HSDVs (141 g) – 2,000 HSDVs (564 g)</p> <p>Individual HSDVs are not for separate sale</p> <p>Label B:</p> <p>50 baits (1.2 kg) – 1,000 baits (24 kg)</p>
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Restrains:	<p>Label A:</p> <p>AUTHORISED PERSONS</p> <p>Only authorised persons may possess, store, transport, handle or use CURIOSITY Feral Cat Bait Hard Shell Delivery Vehicles. CURIOSITY Feral Cat Bait Hard Shell Delivery Vehicles must be transported and stored in such a way that unauthorised personnel cannot have access to the Hard Shell Delivery Vehicles.</p> <p>Note: Relevant government authority means the State or Territory Authority responsible for authorising people to possess and use products containing para-aminopropiophenone (PAPP).</p> <p>Store in a secure, locked facility.</p> <p>Store CURIOSITY Feral Cat Bait Hard Shell Delivery Vehicles in the closed, original container in a dry, cool, and well-ventilated area out of direct sunlight.</p> <p>The CURIOSITY Feral Cat Bait Hard Shell Delivery Vehicles are only to be kept, stored and transported in a container bearing this APVMA-approved label, as supplied by the manufacturer.</p> <p>DO NOT use CURIOSITY Feral Cat Bait Hard Shell Delivery Vehicles unless used with and loaded into 'CURIOSITY bait matrix' (sausage) manufactured to the specification approved by the APVMA.</p> <p>DO NOT use except by or in accordance with directions of the relevant government authority.</p> <p>Only for use by persons authorised by the relevant government authority.</p> <p>DO NOT apply baits to, or in, crops producing food for humans or feedstuffs for livestock consumption.</p> <p>DO NOT feed baits to non-target animals, including birds.</p> <p>In areas where western quoll (<i>chuditch</i>, <i>Dasyurus geoffroii</i>) or spotted-tailed quoll (<i>Dasyurus maculatus</i>) may be present seek expert advice in relation to the presence of quolls and their habitat from regional level conservation/ environment/ wildlife management departmental personnel. If quolls are not known to occur in the area baiting may be permitted. DO NOT bait until undertaking a risk assessment and if the risk is considered acceptable.</p> <p>PUBLIC NOTIFICATION</p> <p>The concentration level of PAPP in the product, CURIOSITY Bait for Feral Cats, poses a risk to domestic animals and pets. Neighbours must be notified to allow them to take appropriate action. The notification must advise that steps (e.g. containment, restraint, muzzling) need to be taken to ensure that domestic pets do not gain access to PAPP baits. The notification must specify the dates between which baiting will occur, the "location where baits will be laid" and a "contact phone number". This notification should be given to all adjoining landholders at least 72 hours in advance. A record of the notifications must be kept. If baiting is not undertaken within the dates specified, an additional notification must be made. Another 72 hours' notice of intent to lay baits is required advising the revised particulars.</p> <p>POISON NOTICES</p> <p>Signage is compulsory for all lands where baiting occurs. Do not lay baits until signage is in place. Signage must include — date baits laid, contact numbers, toxin name (PAPP), target animal and a warning that domestic animals and pets can be affected. Users must ensure that signs are put up before baiting with this product commences</p>
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	<p>on the property and are placed according to requirements specified by the relevant State/Territory authority. These notices must remain up for at least 4 weeks after the authorised period of bait lay has expired.</p> <p>DISTANCE RESTRICTIONS</p> <p>Ground baiting: Baits must be placed no closer than 150m from a residential dwelling; 20m from permanent or flowing water bodies; 5m from boundary fences; and 5m from the edge of formed public roadways or as specified by a State/Territory Government.</p> <p>Aerial baiting: Baits must be placed no closer than 150m from a dwelling; 20m from permanent or flowing water bodies; 500m from all property boundaries and constructed recreational sites; and 250m from the edge of formed/gazetted public roadways or as specified by a State/Territory Government.</p> <p>Label B:</p> <p>/AUTHORISED PERSONS</p> <p>Only authorised persons may possess, store, transport, handle or use CURIOSITY Feral Cat Bait (prepared bait). CURIOSITY Feral Cat Bait (prepared bait) must be transported and stored in such a way that unauthorised personnel cannot have access to the baits.</p> <p>DO NOT use except by or in accordance with directions of the relevant government authority.</p> <p>Only for use by persons authorised by the relevant government authority.</p> <p>DO NOT feed baits to non-target animals, including birds. DO NOT apply baits to, or in, crops producing food for humans or feedstuffs for livestock consumption.</p> <p>In areas where western quoll (<i>chuditch</i>, <i>Dasyurus geoffroi</i>) or spotted-tailed quoll (<i>Dasyurus maculatus</i>) may be present seek expert advice in relation to the presence of quolls and their habitat from regional level conservation/ environment/ wildlife management departmental personnel. If quolls are not known to occur in the area baiting may be permitted. DO NOT bait until undertaking a risk assessment and if the risk is considered acceptable.</p>
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<p>Directions for Use:</p>	<p>Label A:</p> <p>CURIOSITY Feral Cat Bait may provide an aid to the control of feral cats in situations where feral cats are impacting on native animals, either through predation or by the transmission of disease.</p> <p>Only for use by persons authorised by the relevant government authority.</p> <p>BAIT PREPARATION</p> <p>Curiosity Bait Assembly (manufacture): MUST only be undertaken by appropriately trained personnel.</p> <p>Curiosity Bait Assembly (manufacture): MUST only be undertaken using either</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Manual insertion of the HSDV using a plastic cannula and metal trocar specifically designed and supplied for insertion of the HSDV into the pre-manufactured CURIOSITY Bait matrix; or 2. Semi-automated HSDV insertion/loading apparatus specifically designed and supplied for insertion of the HSDV into the pre-manufactured Curiosity Bait Matrix. <p>Manual insertion</p> <p>Protocol for the manual assembly of the Curiosity Feral Cat Bait (prepared bait).</p>
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HSDVs are inserted into attractants (dried sausage emulsion - fresh, refrigerated, or thawed from frozen storage) using a plastic cannula and metal trocar.

1. The attractant is centrally pierced at one end (Figure 1) with the trocar with cannula and pushed into the attractant along the long axis of the attractant until the tip of the trocar was near to the other end of the attractant.
2. The trocar is withdrawn, leaving the cannula in place (Figure 2).
3. **One** (1) HSDV is placed into the open end of the cannula (Figure 3).
4. The trocar is then used to push the HSDV to the open end of the cannula.
5. The cannula is withdrawn along the trocar, using the trocar to expel the pellet from the open end of the cannula. The trocar and cannula are then withdrawn from the attractant; and
6. The attractant is compressed lightly to close the opening.

Prepared Bait Packaging

The loaded bait matrix 'CURIOSITY Feral Cat Bait (prepared bait)' with the HSDV inserted **MUST** be packaged and stored in either polyethylene bags or string plastic bags that are clearly labelled with the CURIOSITY Feral Cat Bait (prepared bait) label and packed into the outer cardboard box that is also labelled with the CURIOSITY Feral Cat Bait (prepared bait) label.

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The prepared bait **must be deployed within one day** (24 hours) of assembly (manufacturing).



Figure 1: equipment



Figure 2: Trocar with cannula attached



Figure 3: Ready to insert



Figure 4: Trocar with cannula inserted



Figure 5: Trocar removed, ready for HSDV insertion



Figure 6: Inserting HSDV through cannula



Figure 7: Trocar pushes HSDV through cannula

Semi-automated HSDV insertion/loading apparatus

The assembly (manufacture) of CURIOSITY Feral Cat Bait (prepared bait) MUST be undertaken in accordance with the protocol “semi-automated HSDV insertion/loading 2019”, available from SCIENTEC RESEARCH PTY LTD, utilising a semi-automated HSDV Insertion/loading apparatus specifically designed and supplied by the manufacturer.

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Ground baiting

For ground baiting, unless placement is otherwise specified by State/Territory requirements, individual baits must be placed on the surface of the ground at minimum intervals of 100m; the maximum rate of lay for ground baiting must not exceed 50 baits/km². Baits are usually placed along vehicle tracks, other linear features or in locations known to be frequented by feral cats.

Aerial baiting

For aerial baiting, baits must be dispersed at a maximum rate of lay of 50 baits/km². Aerial baiting may be conducted by fixed wing or helicopter with recommended pre-defined flight lines spaced at either 500m or 1km intervals. Site specific considerations will define actual flight lines. GPS logging and the use of a dispensing carousel will assist in the even placement of baits. For example, with a fixed wing flying at 135 knots at a height of 500 feet, 5 baits are delivered every 3 seconds with a 500m spacing between flight lines to provide a density of 50 baits/km².

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Other Limitations:	THIS PRODUCT IS NOT TO BE USED IN DOMESTIC OR HOME GARDEN SITUATIONS (see DISTANCE RESTRICTIONS below).
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Withholding Periods:	
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Trade Advice:	
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General Instructions:	
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Resistance Warning:	
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Precautions:	
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Protection Statements:	<p>PROTECTION OF WILDLIFE, FISH, CRUSTACEANS AND ENVIRONMENT</p> <p>DO NOT contaminate dams, rivers, streams, waterways or drains with this product or used containers.</p> <p>This product may be toxic to some native wildlife, including marsupial carnivores, goannas, bandicoots, and birds.</p> <p>DO NOT feed baits to non-target animals including birds.</p> <p>Baits should NOT be laid at times when, or in locations where, non-target wildlife are likely to be harmed by them. DO NOT apply baits when goannas (Spp. <i>Varanus</i>) are known to be active. The risk to goannas may be reduced by limiting baiting to the cooler months in areas where cool winters are experienced or when mean maximum temperatures are expected to be $\leq 16^{\circ}\text{C}$. Any incidents where it is suspected that non-target animals may have been poisoned should be reported to State/Territory authorities.</p> <p>In order to assess the risk posed to non-target species posed by baiting programs, determine non-target animals in the control area. A desktop risk assessment for all species, available on the Australian Government www.environment.gov.au/biodiversity/invasive-species/feral-animals-australia/feral-cats website, may provide assistance, but should not be solely relied on. Alternatively, gather information on the non-target animal distribution, conservation status, habitat preference, diet, tolerance to PAPP, body weight and size of home range. Most non-target animals are not readily susceptible to the dose of PAPP used for feral cat management. A sub-lethal exposure to PAPP is rapidly metabolised, excreted and an affected animal recovers quickly. Secondary poisoning is unlikely with PAPP due to its mode of action.</p> <p>In areas where western quoll (chuditch, <i>Dasyurus geoffroii</i>) or spotted-tailed quoll (<i>Dasyurus maculatus</i>) may be present. Seek expert advice in relation to the presence of quolls and their habitat from regional level conservation /environment/wildlife management departmental personnel; if quolls are not known to occur in the area, baiting may take place after undertaking the above risk assessment and if the risk is considered acceptable.</p> <p>To the extent possible, find and recover untaken baits after 14 days or as per relevant State/Territory baiting program requirements. Untaken baits should be destroyed by burning or burial according to the requirements of the State/Territory in which use has occurred.</p> <p>PROTECTION OF DOMESTIC ANIMALS AND WORKING DOGS</p>
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DO NOT place CURIOSITY Feral Cat Bait - HSDV or CURIOSITY Feral Cat Bait (prepared bait) in a position accessible to domestic dogs or cats.

The PAPP dose in CURIOSITY Bait for Feral Cats (78 mg/bait) may kill domestic cats and dogs. If the baited area is in close proximity to locations of domestic animals or working dogs, the person using the baits should advise neighbours to restrain these animals and ensure they do not enter the control area during control operations. Alternatively, dogs can be muzzled to safeguard against accidental poisoning. Pet cats should be confined.

In the event of accidental poisoning seek immediate veterinary assistance.

Storage and Disposal:	<p>Label A:</p> <p>DO NOT store baits in a domestic refrigerator/freezer where other foodstuffs are stored.</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left; padding: 5px;">CURIOSITY bait constituent</th> <th style="text-align: left; padding: 5px;">Storage recommendation</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td style="padding: 5px;">Storage of HSDV only in a secure, locked facility that is only accessible by authorised users</td> <td style="padding: 5px;">Store at ambient temperatures for up to two years.</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 5px;">Storage of bait matrix (sausage) only</td> <td style="padding: 5px;">Store vacuum packed (cryovac) and refrigerated for up to one month. Store frozen for up to three months. Once thawed, insert the HSDV and deploy within one day.</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 5px;">Storage of baits with HSDV loaded into the bait matrix only in a secure, locked facility that is only accessible by authorised users</td> <td style="padding: 5px;">Store vacuum packed (cryovac) and refrigerated for up to one month. Store frozen for up to three months. Once thawed deploy within one day.</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Store in a secure, locked facility.</p> <p>Store CURIOSITY Feral Cat Bait Hard Shell Delivery Vehicles in the closed, original container in a dry, cool, and well-ventilated area out of direct sunlight.</p> <p>The CURIOSITY Feral Cat Bait Hard Shell Delivery Vehicles are only to be kept, stored and transported in a container bearing this APVMA-approved label, as supplied by the manufacturer.</p> <p>Once the HSDVs have been loaded into the attractant (Bait matrix), at the conclusion of the approved baiting period, all unused baits containing Hard Shell Delivery Vehicles and unconsumed baits able to be found must be disposed of by burial at least 500mm below the surface in a disposal pit specifically marked and set up for this purpose, clear of waterways, desirable vegetation and tree roots in compliance with relevant Local, State or Territory government regulations.</p> <p>DO NOT burn empty container or product unless authorised by relevant Local, State or Territory Government Authority and as per the relevant Local, State or Territory Government Authority instructions.</p> <p>DO NOT reuse containers for any other purpose. Break, crush or puncture and deliver empty containers to an approved waste management facility. If an approved waste management facility is not available, bury containers at least 500mm below the surface in a disposal pit specifically marked and set up for this purpose, clear of waterways in compliance with relevant Local, State or Territory government regulations.</p> <p>Label B:</p>	CURIOSITY bait constituent	Storage recommendation	Storage of HSDV only in a secure, locked facility that is only accessible by authorised users	Store at ambient temperatures for up to two years.	Storage of bait matrix (sausage) only	Store vacuum packed (cryovac) and refrigerated for up to one month. Store frozen for up to three months. Once thawed, insert the HSDV and deploy within one day.	Storage of baits with HSDV loaded into the bait matrix only in a secure, locked facility that is only accessible by authorised users	Store vacuum packed (cryovac) and refrigerated for up to one month. Store frozen for up to three months. Once thawed deploy within one day.
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Safety Directions:	Poisonous if swallowed. When preparing the product for use, wear disposable gloves. Wash hands after use.
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First Aid Instructions:	If poisoning occurs, get to a doctor or hospital quickly.
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First Aid Warnings:	
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