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For All Ponds

Skeeter Stopper™

Safe for containerized ornamental ponds, fountains and birdbaths



**CAUTION: KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
SEE BACK PANEL FOR ADDITIONAL
PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS**

ACTIVE INGREDIENT*:

Bacillus thuringiensis subsp. *israelensis* (Equivalent to 100 ITU/mg)..... 1.7%

OTHER INGREDIENTS:..... 98.3%

TOTAL..... 100.00%

*The percent active ingredient does not indicate product performance and potency measurements are not federally standardized.

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NET CONTENTS 0.2 OZ WATER PERMEABLE POUCHES

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- Kills developing mosquitoes (mosquito larvae) before they become breeding, biting adults, including those which can carry West Nile virus, Encephalitis and Equine Encephalitis.
- One pouch treats up to 50 sq. ft. of water
- Works even in stagnant, polluted or algae prevalent water
- Can be used in all types of containerized standing water sites where mosquitoes breed, except finished, treated human drinking water sources (See directions for use for specific use sites).

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

CAUTION: Harmful if inhaled or absorbed through the skin. Avoid contact with skin or clothing. Avoid breathing spray mist. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: Do not apply to treated, finished drinking water reservoirs or drinking water receptacles, when the water is intended for human consumption.

FIRST AID

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 National Pesticide Telecommunications Network at 1-800-858-7378 for emergency medical treatment information.

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

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

Beckett Skeeter Stopper™ is a highly selective microbial insecticide, effective against mosquito larvae in standing water. The active ingredient, *Bacillus thuringiensis* subsp. *israelensis* (or Bti) kills mosquito larvae upon ingesting. **Beckett Skeeter Stopper™** will not harm fish, amphibians or other [beneficial] aquatic organisms.

Beckett Skeeter Stopper™ can be applied to any water site except, 1) New York State Waters, 2) treated, finished water reservoirs or drinking water receptacles, when the water is intended for human consumption. Use **Beckett Skeeter Stopper™** to control mosquito larvae in containerized water gardens, flower pots, fountains, bird baths, unused swimming pools or spas and any other containerized location around homes or other buildings where

water can collect [and form a breeding ground for mosquitoes] and remain for extended periods.

Beckett Skeeter Stopper™ is provided in a water permeable pouch to be placed directly on the surface of the water to be treated. The pouch will float on the water surface. [These granules then slowly release the long-term Bti larvicide.]

HOW TO APPLY:

[APPLICATION RATE] 1 pouch (0.2 oz.) will treat up to 50 sq. ft. of water surface. [An area approximately 7' x 7'] When using multiple pouches to treat larger areas, distribute the pouches uniformly on the water surface to ensure adequate dispersion of the granules. Lower rate (1 pouch/50 sq. ft.) can be used in clear water, against low larval infestations or young larvae (from egg hatch to mid-third instar). When larger larvae [late third instar to early fourth instar] predominate, larval populations are high, or water is polluted and/or algae are prevalent, use the higher rate of 2 pouches per 50 sq. ft.

The following table can be used as a guide for determining how much **Beckett Skeeter Stopper™** to use in a particular situation.

| Water Condition | Mosquito Infestation | Water surface area to be treated | |
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| | | Up to 50 sq. ft. | 100 sq. ft. |
| Clear water (containing little or no algae or other organic matter) | Light infestation or small larvae | 1 pouch | 2 pouches |
| | Heavy infestation or large larvae | 2 pouches | 3 pouches |
| Polluted water, high organic matter, or algae present | Light infestation or small larvae | 2 pouches | 3 pouches |
| | Heavy infestation or large larvae | 3 pouches | 4 pouches |

Application can be repeated every 7 to 14 days, as needed, if environmental conditions favor continuous breeding of mosquitoes. Longer periods of mosquito suppression may result where sufficient numbers of aquatic parasites or predators of mosquito larvae are present, since these are not affected by **Beckett Skeeter Stopper™** and contribute to overall reduction in mosquito populations.

STORAGE & DISPOSAL

Storage: Store and transport in an upright position. Store in a cool dry area inaccessible to children or pets.

Pesticide Disposal: If empty - Do not reuse this container. Place in trash or offer for recycling if available.

If partly filled - Call your local solid waste agency or 1-800-CLEANUP for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

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