For use to control Ants (including Imported Fire Ants), Mole Crickets and other Insect pests on lawns in landscaped areas and perimeters around residential, institutional, public, commercial and industrial buildings, parks, recreational areas and athletic fields.

EPA Reg. No. 279-3168  
EPA Est. 279-IL-1

Active Ingredient:  
By Wt.  
Bifenthrin* .............................................................. 0.2%  
Other Ingredients ............................................... 99.8%  
100.0%

* Cis isomers 97% minimum, trans isomers 3% maximum.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
CAUTION

See other panels for additional precautionary information.  
or  
See back panel pamphlet for additional precautionary information and complete directions for use.

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FIRST AID

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.

HOTLINE NUMBER

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. You may also contact 1-(800)-331-3148 for Emergency Assistance.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN

This product is a pyrethroid. If large amounts have been ingested, milk, cream and other digestible fats and oils may increase absorption and so should be avoided.

For Information Regarding the Use of this Product Call 1-800-321-1FMC (1362).

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

Hazards to Humans (and Domestic Animals)

Caution  
Harmful if absorbed through skin. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

Environmental Hazards

This pesticide is extremely toxic to fish and aquatic invertebrates. Do not apply directly to water or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not apply when weather conditions favor drift from treated areas. Drift and run-off from treated areas may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in neighboring areas. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment wash waters or rinseate.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal Law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Not for use on plants being grown for sale of other commercial use, or for commercial seed production, or for research purposes. For use on plants intended for aesthetic purposes or climate modification and being grown in interior plant scenes, ornamental gardens or parks, or lawns or grounds.

Do not apply more than 0.2 lb. active ingredient (a.i.) per acre per application on residential use sites (i.e., around private homes, apartment buildings, condominiums, non-agricultural outbuildings, non-commercial greenhouses, pre-schools or day care facilities). May be applied at up to 0.4 lb. a.i. per acre per application on non-residential use sites (i.e., around institutional, public, commercial or industrial buildings; parks; recreational areas or athletic fields).

Do not broadcast apply more than 0.4 lbs. A.I. (200 lbs. Talstar EZ Granular) per Acre per year.

Not for use on golf courses, sod farms, nurseries, in commercial greenhouses or on grass grown for seed.
STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

Pesticide Storage
Keep out of reach of children and animals. Store in original containers only. Store in a cool, dry place and avoid excess heat. Carefully open containers. After partial use close tightly.

In case of spill, avoid contact, isolate area and keep out animals and unprotected persons. Confine spills. Call FMC: (800) 331-3148.

To confine spill: Cover to prevent dispersal. Place damaged packaging in a holding container. Identify contents.

Pesticide Disposal
Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

Container Disposal
Paper and plastic bags: Non-refillable. Do not reuse or refill this container. Completely empty bag into application equipment. Then offer for recycling, if available, or dispose of empty bag in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or, by burning. Do not burn unless allowed by state or local authorities. If burned, stay out of smoke.

LAWN AND PERIMETER APPLICATIONS

Lawn Application: Broadcast Talstar® EZ granular insecticide with suitable application equipment to ensure uniform coverage over the treatment area.

APPLICATION RATES

The application rates listed in the following table will provide excellent control of the respective pests under typical conditions. However, at the discretion of the applicator, Talstar EZ may be applied at up to 0.4 lb AI/A to control each of the pests listed in this Table. However, for residential lawn use, do not apply more than 0.2 lbs. A.I. per Acre per application.

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<th>Pest</th>
<th>Active ingredient lbs. per acre</th>
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<td>Armyworms¹</td>
<td>0.1 lbs. AI/A</td>
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<td>Cutworms</td>
<td>0.4 lbs. AI/A</td>
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<td>Sod Webworm¹</td>
<td>0.1 lbs. AI/A</td>
<td>1.15 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft.</td>
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<td>Annual Bluegrass Weevil (Hyperodent) (Adult)</td>
<td>0.1 - 0.2 lbs. AI/A</td>
<td>1.0 - 2.3 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft.</td>
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<td>Black turfgrass Ateenuis (Adult)</td>
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<td>Leaffoppers</td>
<td>0.1 lbs. AI/A</td>
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<td>Mealybugs</td>
<td>0.2 - 0.2 lbs. AI/A</td>
<td>2.4 - 6.5 lbs. per 1000 sq. ft.</td>
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<td>Ants</td>
<td>0.2 - 0.4 lbs. AI/A</td>
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<td>Centipedes</td>
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<td>Chinch Bugs²</td>
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<td>European Crane Flies (larvae)³</td>
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<td>Millipedes</td>
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<td>Mole Cricket (Adult)</td>
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<td>Mole Cricket (Nymph)¹⁰</td>
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<td>Pillbugs</td>
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<td>Scorpions¹</td>
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<td>Sowbugs</td>
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In New York State, this product may NOT be applied to any grass or turf area within 100 feet of a water body (lake, pond, river, stream, wetland, or drainage ditch).

In New York State, do make a single repeat application of Talstar EZ Granular if there are signs of renewed insect activity, but not sooner than two weeks after the first application.

Comments
¹Armyworms, Cutworms, and Sod Webworms: To ensure optimum control, irritate the treated area with up to 0.1 inches of water immediately after application to activate (release from the granule) the insecticide.
²Annual Bluegrass Weevil (Hyperodent) adults: Applications should be timed to control adult weevils as they leave their overwintering sites and move into grass areas. This movement generally begins when Forsythia is in full bloom and concludes when flowering dogwood is in full bloom. Consult your State Cooperative Extension Service for more specific information regarding application timing.
³Billbug adults: Applications should be made when adult billbugs are first observed during April and May. Degree day models have been developed to optimize application timing. Consult your State Cooperative Extension Service for information specific to your region. In temperate regions, spring applications targeting billbug adults will also provide control of over-wintered chinch bugs.
⁴Black Turfgrass Ateenuis adults: Applications should be made during May and July to control generation of black turfgrass ateenuis adults, respectively. The May application should be timed to coincide with the full bloom stage of Vancoast chestnut (Spaebre vanconuluter), and horse chestnut (Aesculus hipposcarstanus). The July application should be timed to coincide with the blooming of Horse of Sharon (Hibiscus syriacus).
⁵Chinch Bugs: Chinch bugs infest the base of grass plants and are often found in the thatch layer. Irrigate the treated area with up to 0.25 inches of water immedi - ately after application to activate (release from the granule) the insecticide.
⁶Fleas (Adult) and (Larvae): Fleas must be controlled by applying at least 0.2 lb AI/A to the soil surface where contact with the insecticide will be maximized. Grass areas that receive pressure from adult mule crickets should be treated at peak egg hatch to ensure optimum control of subsequeent nymphal populations (see below).
⁷Mole Cricket nympha: Grass areas that received intense adult mole cricket pressure in the spring should be treated immediately prior to the summer growth. Optimal control is achieved at this time because young nymphs are more susceptible to insecticides and they are located near the soil surface where the insecticide is most concentrated. Control of larger, more damaging, nymphs in the fall may be necessary due to conflicting application rates and more frequent applications to maintain acceptable control. Applications should be made as late in the day as possible so the area will not be watered in with up to 0.25 inches of water on the day after treatment. If the soil is not moist, then it is important to irrigate before application to bring the mole crickets closer to the soil surface where contact with the insecticide will be maximized.
⁸Scorpions: To ensure optimum control, treat the building perimeter at dusk to prevent outdoor scorpions from entering the building. Scorpions reside hidden in cracks and voids during the day and are active at night at temperatures above 77°F/25°C. Resting areas can be identified at night using a blacklight (UV bulb) as scorpions will fluoresce. These areas should also be treated. Prior to treatment, to increase treatment efficacy, remove trash, debris, or firewood that scorpions may use as resting sites.
⁹Ticks (including ticks that transmit Lyme Disease and Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever): Do not make spot applications. Treat the entire area where exposure to ticks may occur. Use higher application rates when treating areas with dense ground cover or heavy leaf litter. Ticks may be reintroduced from surrounding areas on host animals. Do not allow public use of treated areas during application.
¹⁰Deer ticks (Ixodes sp.) have a complicated life cycle that ranges over a two year period and involves multiple life stages. Applications should be made in late summer to late spring to control larvae and nymphs that reside in the soil and leaf litter.
¹¹American dog ticks may be a considerable nuisance in suburban settings, particularly where homes are built on land that was previously field or forest. These ticks commonly congregate along paths or roadways where humans are likely to be encountered. Applications should be made as necessary from mid-spring to early fall to control American dog tick larvae, nymphs and adults.

Perimeter Application: Apply to ground area 5 to 10 feet wide around and adjacent to the structure.

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**Fire ant mound treatment:** Apply 1/2 cup of Talstar® EZ Granular Insecticide per mound and then drench the mound with 1 to 2 gallons of water. The mound should be drenched with sufficient force to break its apex and allow the insecticide to flow into the ant tunnels. Treat three feet out around the mound. For best results, apply in cool weather (65 to 80° F) or in early morning or late evening hours. Treat new mounds as they appear. Food utensils such as teaspoons and measuring cups should not be used for food purposes after use with insecticide.

**Industrial Non-Agricultural Applications**

(Including Industrial Sites, Parks, Ball Fields and Cemeteries)

**Broadcast Spot Applications:** For the control of actively foraging ants (including Imported Fire Ants) broadcast uniformly 2.3 to 4.6 lbs. Talstar EZ granular insecticide per 1000 sq. ft. (0.2 to 0.4 lbs. a.i./Acre). See comments section under **Lawn Applications** for additional rate recommendations.

**Pad Mounted Electrical Sites:** To reduce or prevent ant mound building activity on electrical pads, uniformly distribute 1.0 to 1.5 Tablespoons (0.06 to 0.09 lbs.) of Talstar EZ granular insecticide per 4 sq. ft. of mounting pad. Where existing transformers are completely or partially filled with soil excavated by resident ants, remove any excess fill and level the remaining soil prior to application. Food utensils such as tablespoons must not be used for food purposes after use in measuring pesticides.

**Note:** Electrical transformers appear to be more attractive to ants during the cooler months. For best results treat in the Fall or early Spring.

### Talstar EZ Spreader Setting Guide

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* Speed applied: Vicon - 5.5 mph, Lely - 4.5 mph, all others ~3.1 mph
** Use this setting & make 2 passes over treatment area to achieve 4.6lbs/1000 sqft

### Resistance:

Some insects are known to develop resistance to products used repeatedly for control. Because the development of resistance cannot be predicted, the use of this product should conform to resistance management strategies established for the use area. Consult your local or state pest management authorities for details.

If resistance to this product develops in your area, this product, or other products with a similar mode of action, may not provide adequate control. If poor performance cannot be attributed to improper application or extreme weather conditions, a resistant strain of insect may be present. If you experience difficulty with control and suspect that resistance is a reasonable cause, immediately consult your local company representative or pest management advisor for the best alternative method of control for your area.

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