

TECHNOTE

Selontra® Soft Bait Rodenticide

Superior rodent control throughout all parts of your orchard

Selontra® Soft Bait Rodenticide is a highly effective, innovative rodent bait that quickly controls rodent infestations and offers several unique advantages for use within macadamia orchards, including shorter baiting regimes, high palatability, lower risk of secondary non-target poisoning and a reduced risk of produce contamination.

The active ingredient in Selontra, Colecalciferol, is naturally occurring and is neither persistent nor bio-accumulative, resulting in a favourable environmental profile when compared to first and second generation anticoagulants.





Feature	Benefit
Single product for your entire orchard	Selontra may be used within the orchard (in tree and on ground) and within adjacent on crop habitats. Selontra is also registered for use in and around packing sheds and along fence lines (including perimeter fence lines)
Non- anticoagulant	Selontra brings a noval mode of action to rodent management within macadamia orchards, providing growers with a powerful and effective resistance management tool
Superior Performance	Selontra controls rodents up to three times faster than anticoagulant rodenticides and has a stop-feeding effect, which results in reduced bait wastage and significant cost savings
Unique Environmental Profile	Selontra is neither persistent or bio accumulative and poses a significantly reduced risk of secondary poisoning, ensuring use does not risk the environment or the broader orchard system

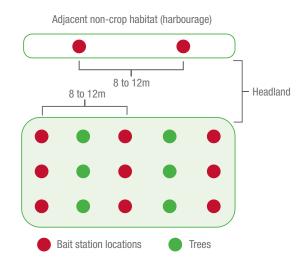
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How many bait stations are required for use in my orchard?

Selontra may be used in all areas frequented by rodents including in trees, on the orchard floor, within adjacent non-crop habitats as well as packing sheds and farm buildings. Selontra is designed and approved for use only within lockable tamper resistant bait stations. Stations should be placed in areas to minimise the ingress of water to ensure the bait remains dry.

Within the crop, bait stations should be placed at intervals as close as 8 to 12 m concentrate baiting to the outer rows of the orchard where rodent activity can move from adjacent areas. Place baits in areas where rodents frequent and check baits every 7-14 days. Once feeding stops the stations can be moved to other areas of activity.



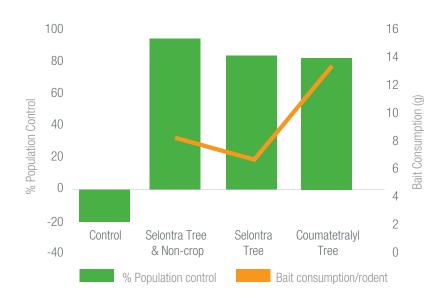
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How many baits per bait station should be used?

The directions for use in macadamia orchards is 3-4 baits per bait station. Selontra is available in 5kg buckets.

What should an Integrated Pest Management (IPM) strategy include?

Baiting programs within orchards should be part of a comprehensive IPM program and include other control methods. For example, headlands and adjacent non-crop habitats should be kept weed free and slashed (where applicable) to expose rodents to natural predators, eliminate nesting sites and reduce the availability of alternative food sources.



For more information on Selontra® Soft Bait Rodenticide, visit **crop-solutions.basf.com.au** or contact your local BASF representative on **1800 558 399**

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