

**FIFRA Section 24(c) Special Local Need Label  
FOR DISTRIBUTION AND USE ONLY WITHIN THE STATE OF OREGON**

**Slugger 4.0 Slug & Snail Bait**

EPA Reg. No. 71096-13  
EPA SLN No. OR-110016

**For the Control of Slugs and Snails in Christmas Tree Plantations  
and Christmas Tree Landing Sites**

This label is valid until December 31, 2028, or until otherwise amended, withdrawn, cancelled or suspended.

Active Ingredient:

Metaldehyde .....	4.00%
Other Ingredients .....	96.00%
Total .....	100.00%

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN  
CAUTION**

Si usted no entiende la etiqueta, busque a alguien para que se la explique a usted en detalle.  
(If you do not understand the label, find someone to explain it to you in detail).

**ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

Follow all applicable directions, restrictions, and precautions in the Environmental Hazards section of the label affixed to the main container of Slugger 4.0 Slug & Snail Bait (EPA Reg. No. 71096-13).

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

- It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.
- This Special Local Need (SLN) label and the label affixed to the main container of Slugger 4.0 Slug & Snail Bait must be in the possession of the user at the time of pesticide application.
- Follow all applicable directions, restrictions, Worker Protection Standard requirements, and precautions on this SLN label and the label affixed to the main container of Slugger 4.0 Slug & Snail Bait.

**INFORMATION**

The primary purpose of this SLN is to eliminate slug/snail populations on exported and/or harvested, commercially-grown Christmas trees. This label allows pre-harvest applications to Christmas Tree Plantations. It also allows treatment to landing sites and to fencerows, roadsides, and general non-crop farmstead areas within 100 feet of landing sites.

For best results, in infested areas, begin treatments one year prior to harvesting or cutting. Product should not be applied to dry soil. Applications should be made following a rain for best

results. Bait may be applied during any time of the day, but evening applications are generally better.

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## APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

**Christmas Tree (Spring Treatment):** Apply before spring rains subside, approximately April 15<sup>th</sup> to May 30<sup>th</sup>. When using ground equipment, broadcast bait to the soil area between trees and as far under tree skirts as possible. Apply 15 – 25 lb. per acre every 14 to 21 days. A maximum of 3 applications may be made in the spring if slug activity is evident. For spring applications, this product may be applied aerially, and can be combined with fertilizer.

**Christmas Tree (Fall Treatment):** Starting on October 1<sup>st</sup> or after first fall rains, broadcast bait to the soil area between trees and as far under tree skirts as possible. Apply 15 – 25 lb. per acre every 14 to 21 days. The last treatment should be made at least 7 days before harvest or cutting. Depending on slug severity, up to 3 applications may be made in the fall. Apply by ground application only. Do not apply aerially in the fall. Do not apply bait in such a manner that the bait becomes physically lodged in the tree canopy or needles.

**Slugger 4.0 Slug & Snail Bait may also be used to control slugs and snails at landing sites and areas in which Christmas trees are baled, stored, handled and/or grouped for shipping. Vegetated fencerows, roadsides, and general non-crop farmstead areas can serve as a source of infestation; these areas within 100 feet of landing sites can be treated.** Apply 15 – 25 lb. per acre every 14 to 21 days. For smaller areas, use 1/3 – 1/2 lb. to treat 1,000 sq. ft. of soil surface.

For the best efficacy, the last treatment should be made at least 7 days before harvest. The entire slug population is not above ground every night to feed. A full feeding cycle is about one week.

## RESTRICTIONS

Do not place bait inside shipping containers.

Do not apply bait directly to trees once they have been cut.

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