Burrow Application

DeTour is a wonderful product for use in burrows. With the recent re-labeling of toxic baits and the elimination of burrow baiting further than 50 feet from a building, there is now an opportunity to use DeTour as a replacement strategy.

DeTour is not “toxic” to the rodent but that does not mean that there may not, in many instances, be a “lethal” component. DeTour is so irritating to the rodent that they will spend most of their time trying to remove the irritating sensation from the fur. In the process the rodent will expend huge amounts of energy which may lead to its demise. In addition, the animal may remove its fur leaving it susceptible to exposure and vulnerable to the elements.

DeTour may be injected directly into the burrow in thick glob. The thicker the better since the product will be carried away on the rodents. Also, you want the product available to contact as many rodents as possible. Rodents entering the burrow will spread the product to other rodents.

Please note that DeTour is made from mineral oil and can be absorbed by porous material. Some soils are porous! This will vary with the amount of clay in the soil. If you find the DeTour has turned into rubber the mineral oil has been pulled from the product. The thicker it is applied the more likely the product will stay in grease form.
If there is a porosity issue you may want to use something to keep the product off the soil. PVC pipe works very well as short sections can be cut and inserted directly into the burrow. The size of the pipe will vary with the size of the burrow.

DeTour applied to the interior of the PVC pipe. The pipe can then be inserted into the burrow.

PVC pipe sections can also be placed along walls or in other areas where rodents will be travelling.

DeTour is available in 10 oz tubes and in 2 gallon buckets

Labels and MSDS Available at:

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