

# NATULAR® XRT

# Mosquito Larvicide / Extended Release Tablet

Controls larvae of mosquitoes which may carry Dengue, Chikungunya, and Zika.

To be used in governmental mosquito control programs, by professional pest control operators, or in other mosquito or midge control operations.

Active Ingredient (dry weight basis):

Spinosad (a mixture of spinosyn A and spinosyn D)
Other ingredients

6.25% 93.75%

Total

100.00%

U.S. Patent No. 5.362.634 and 5.496.931

Natular XRT is a 6.25% tablet. This product may absorb moisture; therefore, the weight of the tablet and percent by weight of active ingredient will vary with hydration.

Group

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INSECTICIDE

# Keep Out Of Reach Of Children

# CAUTION

# PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

Harmful if swallowed. Causes moderate eye irritation. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, enewing gum) or using tobacco. Avoid contact with eyes or clothing. Wear protective eyewear (such as goggles, face shield or safety glasses).

First Aid

# lf swallowed:

- Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatmental vice.
- Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow.

  Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor.
- · Do not give anything to an unconscious person.
- If in eyes:
- Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with warm water for 15-20 minutes.
- Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing.
- Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment. You may also contact 1-800-214-7753 for emergency medical treatment information.

#### **Environmental Hazards**

This product is toxic to aquatic organisms. Non-target aquatic invertebrates may be killed in waters where this pesticide is used. Do not contaminate water when cleaning equipment or disposing of equipment washwaters.

#### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

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

Read all Directions for Use carefully before applying.

#### **Product Information**

Natular XRT is a product for killing mosquito and midge larvae. This product's active ingredient, spinosad, is biologically derived from the fermentation of *Saccharopolyspora spinosa*, a naturally occurring soil organism. Natular XRT tablets release effective levels of spinosad over a period up to 180 days in mosquito breeding sites. The tablet is designed for easy application to catch basins.

Release of spinosad is affected by the dissolution of the Natular XRT tablet. If tablets become covered by obstructions such as debris, vegetation, or loose sediment as a result of high rainfall or flow, normal dispersion of the active ingredient can be inhibited. Water flow may increase the dissolution of the tablet, thus reducing the residual life of the tablet. Inspect areas of water flow to determine appropriate re-treatment intervals. To assure positive results, place Natular XRT tablets where they will not be swept away by flushing action.

## **Use Precautions**

# Integrated Pest Management (IPM) Programs

Natular XRT is intended to kill mosquite and midge lar as. Mosquitoes are best controlled when an IPM program is followed. Larval control efforts should be managed through habitat mapping, active adult and larval surveillance, and integrated with other control strategies such as source reduction, public education programs, harborace or barrier adult mosquito control applications, and targeted adulticide applications.

# Insecticide Resistance Management (IRM)

Natular XRT contains a Group 5 insecticide. Insect biotypes with acquired resistance to Group 5 insecticides may eventually dominate the insect population if appropriate resistance management strategies are not followed. Currently, only spinetoram and spinosad active ingredients are classified as Group 5 insecticides. Resistance to other insecticide groups is not likely to impact the effectiveness of this product. Spinosad may be used in rotation with all other labeled products in a comprehensive IRM program.

To minimize the potential for resistance development, the following practices are recommended:

- · Base insecticide use on comprehensive IPM and IRM programs.
- . Do not use less than the labeled rates.
- · Routinely evaluate applications for loss of effectiveness.
- Rotate with other labeled effective mosquito larvicides that have a different mode of action.
- In dormant rice fields, standing water within agricultural/crop sites, and permanent marine and freshwater sites, do not make more than 3 applications per year.
- Use insecticides with a different mode of action (different insecticide group) on adult mosquitoes so that both larvae and adults are not exposed to products with the same mode of action.
- Contact your local extension specialist, technical advisor, and/or Clarke representative for insecticide resistance management and/or IPM recommendations for the specific site and resistant pest problems.
- For further information or to report suspected resistance, you may contact your local Clarke representative by calling 800-323-5727.

#### Application

Proper application techniques help ensure adequate coverage and correct dosage necessary to obtain optimum kill of mosquito and midge larvae. Natular XRT tablets can be applied prior to flooding, on snow and ice in breeding sites prior to spring thaw, or at any time after flooding in listed sites. Under normal conditions, one application will last the entire mosquito season, or up to 180 days, whichever is shorter. Natular XRT tablets will be unaffected in dry down situations and will begin working again during subsequent wetting events until the tablet is exhausted. Note: Natular XRT has no effect on mosquitoes which have reached the pupal or adult stage prior to treatment.

#### **Application Sites and Rates**

Natular XRT tablets are designed to kill mosquitoes in natural and manmade depressions that hold water. Do not apply to water intended for irrigation. Examples of application sites are:

Storm water drainage areas, sewers and catch basins, woodland pools, snow pools, roadside ditches, retention ponds, freshwater dredge spoils, tire tracks, rock holes, pot holes and similar areas subject to holding water.

Natural and manmade aquatic sites, fish ponds, ornamental ponds and fountains, other artificial water-holding containers, flooded crypts, transformer vaults, abandoned swimming pools, construction and other natural or manmade depressions.

Stream eddies, creek edges, detention ponds.

Freshwater swamps and marshes including mixed hardwood swamps, cattail marsh, common reed wetland, water hyacinth ponds, and similar freshwater areas with emergent vegetation.

Brackish water swamps and marshes, intertidal areas.

Sewage effluent, sewers, sewage lagoons, cesspools, oxidation ponds, septic ditches and tanks, animal waste lagoons and settling ponds, livestock runoff lagoons, wastewater impoundments associated with fruit and vegetable processing and similar areas.

Also for use in dormant rice fields (for application only during the interval between harvest and preparation of the field for the next cropping cycle) and in standing water within agricultural areas where mosquito breeding occurs: pastures/hay fields, rangeland, orchards, vineyards, and citrus groves. Do not apply to waters intended for irrigation.

For mosquito kill in non- or low-flow, shallow depressions (up to 2 feet in depth) treat on the basis of surface area placing 1 Natular XRT tablet per 100 sq ft. Place tablets in the lowest areas of mosquito breeding sites to maintain continuous kill as the site alternately floods and dries up.

## Natular XRT Application Chart

Number of Tablets per 100 sq. ft.	Water Depth (ft)	
1	0 - 2	
2	2 - 4	
3	4 - 6	
4	6 - 8	

For applications in storm water drainage areas, sewers and catch basins, place 1 Natular XRT tablet into each catch basin.

For application sites connected by a water system, i.e., storm drains or catch basins, treat all of the water holding sites in the system to maximize the efficiency of the treatment program.

For application to small contained sites which may not be amenable to a rate of a single tablet per 100 sq ft, use 1 tablet per contained site (e.g., cesspools and septic tanks, transformer vaults, abandoned pools, and other small artificial water-holding containers).

**Restriction:** Do not apply to natural or artificial containers of water intended for consumption by people, animals, or livestock.

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

Pesticide Storage: Store in a cool dry place in original container only.

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

## Container Handling:

For Refillable Container: Refillable container. Refill this container with spinosad pesticide formulation only. Do not reuse this container for any other purpose. Cleaning the container before final disposal is the responsibility of the person disposing of the container. Cleaning before refilling is the responsibility of the refiller. To clean the container before final disposal, empty the remaining contents from this container into application equipment or mix tank. Fill the container about 10 percent full with water. Agitate vigorously or recirculate water with pump for 2 minutes. Pour or pump rinsate into application equipment or rinsate collection system. Repeat this rinsing procedure two more times. Offer for recycling, if available, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by incineration, or by other procedures allowed by state and local authorities.

For Nonrefillable Container: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Offer for recycling, if available, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by incineration, or by other procedures allowed by state and local authorities.

WARRANTY: To the extent consistent with applicable law, Clarke Mosquito Control Products, Inc. makes no warranty, express or implied, concerning the use of this product other than as indicated on the label. Buyer assumes all risk of use/handling of this material when use and/or handling is contrary to label instructions.

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EPA Reg. No.: 8329-84	EPA Est. No.:
Net Weight:	Lot No.:



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## SECTION 1. Identification of the Substance/Mixture and of the Company

#### 1.1 Product Identifier

Formulation Identifier:

Natular™ XRT

EPA Registration Number:

8329-84

## 1.2 Relevant Identified Uses of the Substance or Mixture and Uses Advised Against

Relevant Identified Uses:

Insecticide for control of mosquito and midge larvae

Uses Advised Against:

See product label for use restrictions

#### 1.3 Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet

Clarke Mosquito Control Products, Inc.

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Email: Clarke@clarke.com

#### 1.4 Emergency Telephone Number

24-Hour Medical Emergency: POISON CONTROL Toll-free (800) 214 - 7753

24-Hour Transportation Emergency: INFOTRAC (800) 535-5053

#### SECTION 2. Hazards identification

United States (US)

According to OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200 HCS (2012)

#### 2.2 Classification of the Substance or Mixture

Not Classified

Hazard Symbol(s):

None

Signal Word:

None

Hazard statements:

None

Precautionary Statements:

None

#### 2.3 Other Hazards Not Classifiable Under OSHA 2012 HCS

See product label for any additional hazards

# SECTION 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

3.1 Components

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Substance Name	CAS No.	Concentration % w/w
Spinosad:		6.25
Spinosyn A	131929-60-7	
Spinosyn D	131929-63-0	

Ingredients not identified are non-hazardous and/or are not required to be disclosed pursuant to 29 CFR 1910.1200 (2012), and are withheld as trade secret.

#### **SECTION 4. First Aid Measures**

## 4.1 Description of First Aid Measures



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Eye Contact:

Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with warm water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes then continue rinsing. Call a poison control center/doctor for treatment

advice.

#### 4.2 Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Both Acute and Delayed.

Eye Contact:

This product may release nuisance dust in handling or use. Dust may cause slight transient (temporary) eye

#### 4.3 Indication of Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment

Treatment:

Appropriate supportive and symptomatic treatment as indicated by the patient's condition is recommended. For medical treatment information, contact the poison control hotline at 1-800-214-7753. Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment.

#### **SECTION 5. Fire-Fighting Measures**

#### 5.1 Extinguishing Media

Suitable Extinguishing Media:

Water Fog, Carbon Dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), Dry Chemical, Foam

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media:

None known

#### 5.2 Special Hazards Arising From the Substance or Mixture

Specific Hazards:

Under fire conditions some components may decompose. Combustion products may

include CO and NOx.

#### 5.3 Special Protective Equipment and Precautions for Fire-Fighters

Protection Against Fire:

Wear positive pressure, self-contained breathing apparatus and protective firefighting

clothing (includes fire-fighting helmet, coat, pants, boots, and gloves).

Special Procedures:

Fight fires from a protected location. Dike fire control water for later disposal. Keep

container cool by spraying with water.

#### **SECTION 6. Accidental Release Measures**

#### 6.1 Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

General Precautions:

Use appropriate protection (see section 8)

**Environmental Precautions:** 

Prevent product from entering into drains and waterways. Collect and dispose of this material and its container in accordance with national and regional regulations. If the product has contaminated surface water, inform the appropriate authorities. See Section 12

for additional ecological information.

#### 6.2 Methods and Material for Containment and Cleaning Up

Clean Up Methods:

Collect all material with shovel, other instrument, or by hand while using appropriate

personal protection equipment, and place in closable marked containers.

#### SECTION 7. Handling and Storage

#### 7.1 Precautions for Safe Handling

Handling:

Keep out of reach of children. Do not take internally. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

Hygiene Measures:

Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using

tobacco or using the toilet.

#### 7.2 Conditions for Safe Storage, Including Any Incompatibilities



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Storage:

Product should be stored in compliance with local regulations. Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated place in the original container. Protect from excessive heat and cold. Do not store near food, drink, animal feeding stuffs, pharmaceuticals, cosmetics or fertilizers. Keep out of reach of children.

#### **SECTION 8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection**

These precautions are suggested for conditions where the potential for exposure exists. Emergency conditions may require additional precautions.

#### 8.1 Control Parameters

Component Name	CAS No.	List	Туре	Value
Spinosyn A &	131929-60-7	DOW IHG	TWA	0.3 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Spinosyn D	131929-63-0			

#### 8.2 Exposure controls

**Engineering Controls:** 

Use with adequate ventilation. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Wash clothing before re-using.

Individual Protection Measures, such as Personal Protection Equipment:

Eye Protection:

Safety Glasses, Goggles or Face Shield

Skin Protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing

Hand Protection:

It is good industrial hygiene practice to minimize skin contact. If required or preferred, use suitable

protective chemical resistant gloves such as latex, nitrile, or neoprene.

Respiratory Protection:

None required

#### SECTION 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

#### 9.1 Information on Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance:

Solid tablet

Color:

Tan/white

Odor:

Earthy scent

Odor Threshold:

Not Available

Melting Point:

Not Determined

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Not Determined

Freezing Point:

Not Applicable

Initial Boiling Point:

Not Applicable

Flash Point:

Not Determined

**Evaporation Rate:** 

Not Applicable

Flammability:

Not Determined

Explosion limits [U/L]:

Not Applicable Not Applicable

Vapor Pressure:

Not Applicable

Vapor Density: Relative Density:

1.766 g/mL

Solubility:

Not Determined

Partition Coefficient:

Not Determined

Auto-Ignition Temperature:

Not Determined

Viscosity:

Not Applicable

Decomposition Temperature:

Not Available

Explosive Properties:

Not Available



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Oxidizing Properties:

Not Available

#### **SECTION 10. Stability and Reactivity**

#### 10.1 Reactivity

Not Available

#### 10.2 Chemical Stability

Stable under normal conditions

#### 10.3 Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Hazardous Reactions:

None under normal conditions

Hazardous Polymerization:

Not known to occur

#### 10.4 Conditions to Avoid

Protect from direct sunlight and excessive heat.

#### 10.5 Incompatible Materials

Avoid contact with strong oxidizing agents, strong acids, strong bases

#### 10.6 Hazardous Decomposition Products

None known under normal conditions of storage and use

## **SECTION 11. Toxicological Information**

#### 11.1 Information on Likely Routes of Exposure

Eye Contact:

This product may release nuisance dust in handling or use. Dust may cause slight transient (temporary) eye

irritation.

#### 11.2 Information on Toxicological Effects

#### Acute Toxicity/Effects\*

\*Acute toxicity values are not available for Natular™ XRT. Presented values are based on toxicity values of a product of similar composition and form.

Oral, Rat LD50:

> 2,000 mg/kg-bw

Dermal, Rat LD<sub>50</sub>:

> 4,000 mg/kg-bw

Inhalation, Rat LC<sub>50</sub>:

 $> 5.0 \text{ g/m}^3$ 

Skin Corrosion/Irritation:

Not a skin irritant

Serious Eye Damage/Irritation:

Slight irritant. Natular™ XRT is not classified as an eye irritant according to OSHA

2012 HCS

Skin Sensitization:

Not a skin sensitizer

STOT - Single exposure

No data is available to indicate product or any components present at greater than

0.1% present a specific target organ toxicity hazard from single exposure.

Chronic Toxicity/Effects

Germ Cell Mutagenicity This product has not been tested. No data is available to indicate product or any

components present at greater than 0.1% are mutagenic or genotoxic. Spinosad

is not mutagenic.

Carcinogenicity:

This product does not contain any carcinogens as listed by OSHA, IARC, or NTP.

Spinosad is not carcinogenic.



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Reproductive Effects:

No data is available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% cause reproductive or teratogenic toxicity. For Spinosad: in laboratory animal studies, effects on reproduction have been seen only at

doses that produced significant toxicity to the parent animals.

STOT - Repeated Exposure:

In animals, spinosad has been shown to cause vacuolation of cells in various tissues. Dose levels producing these effects were many times higher than any dose levels expected from exposure due to use.

#### **SECTION 12. Ecological Information**

#### 12.1 Ecotoxicity

Product specific data is not available. Data referenced is in relation to the active ingredient, Spinosad. Spinosad is moderately toxic to aquatic organisms on an acute basis (LC50/EC50 between 1 and 10 mg/L in the most sensitive species tested).

Toxicity to Fish:

96-hr Acute LC50 5.0 mg/L, Common Carp (Cyprinus carpio)

96-hr Acute LC<sub>50</sub> 5.9 mg/L, Bluegill Sunfish (Lepomis macrochirus) 96-hr Acute LC<sub>50</sub> 30 mg/L, Rainbow Trout (Oncorhynchus mykiss)

Toxicity to Aquatic Invertebrates:

48-hr Acute EC50 1.5-14.0 mg/L, Water Flea (Daphnia magna)

48-hr LC<sub>50</sub> > 7.9 mg/L, Mysid Shrimp (Americamysis bahia)

Toxicity to Aquatic Plants:

5-d EC<sub>50</sub> 8.1 mg/L, Blue Green Algae (Anabaena flos-aquae)

#### 12.1 Persistence and Degradability

Product specific data not available. Data referenced is in relation to the active ingredient, Spinosad.

Log Kow:

Spinosyn A: 3.91; Spinosyn D: 4.38 (distilled water)

Bioaccumulation:

Bioconcentration potential is low (BCF < 100)

Bioconcentration Factor:

Spinosyn A: 19; Spinosyn D: 33 mL/g (fish)

Mobility in Soil:

Potential for mobility in soil is low (Koc between 500 and 2000)

Partition Coefficient, Koc:

701

#### **SECTION 13. Disposal Considerations**

#### 13.1 Waste Treatment and Disposal methods

Consult product label for disposal instructions. Avoid release to the environment. Improper disposal of excess product or rinsate is a violation of the Federal law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste Representative at the nearest EPA regional office for quidance.

#### **SECTION 14. Transport Information**

14.1

Not regulated (Bulk and Non-Bulk Quantities)

14.2 IMDG (Vessel)

**UN Number:** 

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Hazard Class:

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Packing Group:

III

Proper Shipping Name:

ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE SOLID, N.O.S. (Spinosad)

Marine Pollutant:

14.3 ICAO/IATA (Air transport)



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Environmental Hazard: Ye

#### **SECTION 15. Regulatory Information**

<u>FIFRA Information</u>: This chemical is a pesticide product regulated by the Environmental Protection Agency and is subject to certain labeling requirements under federal pesticide law. These requirements differ from the classification criteria and hazard information for safety data sheet, and for workplace labels of non-pesticide chemicals. Following is the hazard information as required on the pesticide label:

Signal Word: CAUTION

Keep Out of Reach of Children

<u>PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals</u>: Harmful if swallowed. Causes moderate eye irritation. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, or using tobacco. Avoid contact with eyes or clothing. Wear protective eyewear (such as goggles, face shield, or safety glasses).

If swallowed. • H	Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice.  Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow.
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#### Other Federal Regulations

#### SARA TITLE III CLASSIFICATION

Section 302:

None

Section 311/312: Immediate (acute) hazard

Section 313:

None

CERCLA RQ:

None

OSHA HAZARD COMMUNICATION STANDARD: This product is not considered a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910,1200.

#### U.S. California Proposition 65: Not listed

STATE RIGHT-TO-KNOW: National, state, provincial or local emergency planning, community right-to-know or other laws, regulations or ordinances may be applicable--consult applicable national, state, provincial or local laws.

## **SECTION 16. Other Information**

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