

## DANGEROUS POISON

## KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

## READ SAFETY DIRECTIONS BEFORE OPENING OR USING

### Felixer Cartridge (1080)

#### ACTIVE CONSTITUENT:

2.67 g/L SODIUM FLUROACETATE (1080)

Each cartridge contains 8 mg SODIUM FLUROACETATE (1080)

For the control of feral cats when used with the Felixer as per the directions for use.

**WARNING:** Small to medium sized canids may activate the Felixer, if fired upon the dose received may be fatal.

### RESTRICTED CHEMICAL PRODUCT ONLY TO BE SUPPLIED TO OR USED BY AN AUTHORISED PERSON.

### THIS PRODUCT MUST BE USED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LABEL INSTRUCTIONS AND ANY RELEVANT DOCUMENTATION ISSUED WITH STATE/TERRITORY AUTHORISATION TO USE FELIXER 1080 CARTRIDGES.

Important: Read the Label leaflet, Felixer Standard Operating Procedure, and complete the Felixer Accreditation <https://thylation.com/training/> before use. Felixer data must be assessed at minimum frequency of once per month when in toxic mode, or the number of toxic doses loaded into the trap must be restricted to a maximum of 10 cartridges. Felixer data must be uploaded to the Felixer Management System at least every three months. Felixer cartridges must be removed from Felixer if greater than 0.5% of non-target species are fired on.

**NET CONTENTS:** 10 cartridges (3 mL/cartridge)

Cartridges are NOT for resale.

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### AUTHORISED PERSONS

Only authorised persons may possess, store, transport, handle or use Felixer 1080 Cartridges. Felixer 1080 Cartridges must be transported and stored in such a way that unauthorised personnel cannot have access to the Cartridges.

Only for use by persons authorised by the relevant State or Territory Government authority responsible for authorising people to possess and use products containing sodium fluoroacetate ("1080") Felixer 1080 Cartridges.

Refer to [www.thylation.com](http://www.thylation.com) and Thylation quote for reference to the relevant State or Territory Government Authority and related use documents.

### DIRECTIONS FOR USE

#### RESTRAINTS

**DO NOT** load Felixer 1080 Cartridges into the Felixer until a minimum of two weeks in photo only mode has been observed and non-target species thresholds have not been exceeded.

**DO NOT** deploy Felixer in toxic mode until acceptable criterion of not more than 0.5% for non-target species has been achieved in photo-only trials.

In areas where vulnerable/endangered species or susceptible non target species are identified or may be present, seek expert advice in relation to the relative risks of deploying or not deploying Felixers from regional level conservation/ environment/ wildlife management departmental personnel before deploying in toxic mode.

**DO NOT** deploy Felixer in toxic mode in areas where dingoes are present during whelping season and dingo populations are protected.

**DO NOT** use except as instructed by this label or in accordance with directions of the relevant government authority.

Only for use by persons authorised by the relevant government authority.

**DO NOT** use Felixer 1080 cartridges unless loaded into the Felixer.

**DO NOT** store Felixer 1080 cartridges in the Felixer when the trap is not in deployed.

#### Usage restrictions

Information on non-target wildlife distribution, conservation status, habitat preference, diet, body weight, morphology and size of home range, can be used to reduce risks posed by toxic control programs.

Photo-only trials (without 1080) must be conducted for a minimum

duration of 2 weeks prior to the deployment of 1080 cartridges at all new sites or when recommencing deployment at previous sites.

In photo-only trials, false-positive activation rates must not exceed 0.5% for all non-target species (i.e., total false firings on all non-targets/ total non-target images x 100). Based on low risk of poisoning (adults only), the following non-target species may be excluded from the calculation: red kangaroo, western grey kangaroo, brush-tailed bettong, emu, malleefowl, Australian brush-turkey, and lace monitor. Individuals at young or juvenile life stages are NOT exempt from the calculation. Canines, except dingoes where protected, can be excluded from the calculation of the 0.5% non-target species criterion.

When in toxic mode, activation rates must be analysed at a minimum frequency of once per month to ensure the criterion of 0.5% false positive activations has not been exceeded. In locations where monthly site access is impractical, users must limit the number of toxic doses available to a maximum of 10 cartridges. Activation rates must be analysed prior to reloading 1080 cartridges into the Felixer. Toxic control programs must be suspended at sites where the Felixer has malfunctioned, or where non-targets (excluding exempt species) are fired on at a rate of greater than the criterion of 0.5%. When the 0.5% threshold has been exceeded, or the Felixer has been adjusted from a conservative mode to an aggressive mode, a minimum 2-week photo-only trial (non-toxic) MUST be undertaken prior to the deployment of 1080 cartridges.

To the extent possible, animal carcasses should be recovered during and for 14 days after a deployment and be destroyed by burning or burial according to the requirements of the State or Territory in which use has occurred.

Any incidents where it is suspected that > 0.5% non-target animals may have been poisoned must be reported the State or Territory authorities.

#### Record Keeping Requirements

A record of the non-target criterion assessment must be kept for all deployments of Felixer where the intention is to deploy the Felixer in toxic mode. Records MUST be kept for a minimum of 2 years and be made available to Regulatory Authorities on request.

A record of the number of cartridges loaded into each Felixer in each deployment must be kept.

#### Critical Use Comments:

- Place Felixer along the sides of trails, fence lines or underpasses and in other areas where feral cat activity is likely. Mark the location of the Felixers as appropriate (e.g., using flagging tape, spray marker or a GPS coordinate) to ensure they can be relocated for checking. Care should be taken when marking Felixer sites so that detection by unauthorised persons is minimised.
- In order to maximise the likelihood of the trap activating when it detects a target animal all Felixer must be set up in accordance with the instructions in the Felixer SOP.
- Lures may be used in conjunction with Felixer to increase efficiency where appropriate.
- Note that the Felixer may be activated by small-medium dogs/ canids present in a control area. The dose received is likely to be fatal.
- Additional integrated control programs to reduce feral cat populations will improve cat control program success. Felixers take photographs of all detected animals whether they activate the Felixer or not. These data should be loaded to the Felixer Management System at least every three months to enable analyses of which species are activating the Felixers and to track the response of wildlife to feral cat control. Programs should be reviewed and modified regularly to maximise feral cat control efficiency.
- Ensure all safety precautions and directions (see below) are followed when loading Felixer 1080 Cartridges into the Felixer and when setting the trap.
- Loaded Felixer in toxic mode must be checked at a minimum frequency of once per month unless the trap is deployed with 10 or less cartridges loaded.
- Loaded Felixers should be checked more often where feral cat populations are high.
- Remove all Felixer 1080 Cartridges at the end of the control program, (there may be value in leaving unarmed traps in place to habituate cats between trapping programs). Felixer magazines must be cleaned by washing in soapy water and rinsing in clean water between control programs to remove 1080 product residue as per **Rehandling** instructions.
- Between control programs, traps should be maintained and serviced according to the device manufacturer's instructions to ensure they function properly.

**NOT TO BE USED FOR ANY PURPOSE OR IN ANY MANNER, CONTRARY TO THIS LABEL UNLESS AUTHORISED BY APPROPRIATE LEGISLATION**

**THIS PRODUCT IS NOT TO BE USED IN DOMESTIC OR HOME GARDEN SITUATIONS (see DISTANCE RESTRICTIONS below)**

**NEIGHBOUR NOTIFICATION**

Neighbours must be notified to allow them to take appropriate action. The notification must advise steps (e.g. confinement, restraint, muzzling) needed to be taken to ensure domestic dogs and cats do not gain access to or activate Felixer or Felixer 1080 Cartridges or poisoned animals. The notification must specify the dates between which the Felixer are deployed with Felixer 1080 Cartridges loaded into the magazine, the "location where traps will be installed" and a "contact phone number". This notification should be in writing and should be given to all adjoining landholders at least 72 hours in advance of initial deployment. A record of the notifications must be kept. If trapping is not undertaken within the dates specified, an additional notification must be made. Another 72 hours' notice of intent to trap is required advising the revised particulars. Check with the relevant Government Authority for any additional public notification obligations.

**SIGNAGE**

Signage is compulsory for all lands where Felixer loaded with Felixer 1080 Cartridges are deployed. Do not use Felixer 1080 Cartridges until signage is in place. Signage must include – the date Felixer 1080 Cartridges are deployed, contact numbers, toxin name, target animal and a warning that domestic animals and pets can be affected. Users must ensure signs are put up immediately before 1080 poisoning operations commence on the property and are maintained and placed according to requirements of the relevant State/Territory authority. These notices must remain in place while Felixer 1080 Cartridges are deployed.

Signs may be available from your supplier and relevant Government Authority Officers.

**DISTANCE RESTRICTIONS**

Felixer with Felixer 1080 Cartridges deployed must be placed:

- At least 150 m from a dwelling
- 20 m from permanent or flowing water bodies;
- 5 m from the edge of formed public roadways (unless located in non-flooding under passes where public access is restricted/prohibited) or as specified by State/Territory Authorities;
- Traps must be placed at least 5 m from boundary fences, unless use within 5 m of the boundary fence has been agreed in writing by the neighbouring landholder.

**PRECAUTIONS**

**DO NOT** transport Felixer 1080 Cartridges in such a way that unauthorised persons can access the product. The product must be kept in a secure section of the vehicle when transporting.

**DO NOT** place Felixer 1080 Cartridges in a position accessible to children, livestock, or domestic animals.

Felixer 1080 Cartridges must be stored as per label instructions if not being loaded or are loaded in a Felixer as per instructions for that device.

Collect all activated and non-activated Felixer 1080 Cartridges following completion of the control campaign. Dispose of activated, damaged and unusable product as per the Storage and Disposal instructions below.

**PROTECTIONS**

**PROTECTION OF DOMESTIC ANIMALS / WORKING DOGS**

The person using the Felixer and Felixer 1080 Cartridges must advise neighbours to confine, restrain, or otherwise protect domestic dogs and cats and ensure they do not enter the control area during feral cat control operations. Traps may be temporarily deactivated or removed if working dogs are required to muster livestock in paddocks where traps are deployed.

In the event of accidental poisoning via spray from the Felixer, wear Personal Protective Equipment listed in the Safety Directions and wash the animal in warm soapy water and dispose of wash-down water into a covered or buried pit and seek immediate veterinary assistance if required.

**DO NOT** place the Felixer 1080 Cartridges in a position accessible to domestic animals.

**PROTECTION OF WILDLIFE, FISH, CRUSTACEANS AND ENVIRONMENT**

**DO NOT** contaminate wetlands or watercourses with this product or used containers.

**DO NOT** allow non-target species to access the Felixer 1080 Cartridges.

Toxic to birds and other native wildlife. Toxic control operations should

not occur at times when, or in locations where, birds or other non-target wildlife are likely to be harmed by them. Toxic control programs should be timed for when non-target species are least active or least susceptible. Seek expert advice in relation to the presence of vulnerable/endangered species and their habitat from regional level conservation/environment/wildlife management departmental personnel.

**STORAGE, TRANSPORT AND DISPOSAL**

Store in a secure, locked facility.

Store Felixer 1080 Cartridges in the closed, original container in a dry, cool, and well-ventilated area out of direct sunlight.

The Felixer 1080 Cartridges are only to be kept, stored and transported in a container bearing this APVMA-approved label, as supplied by the manufacturer.

**DO NOT** store Felixer 1080 Cartridges in a position accessible to children, livestock, domestic pets or wildlife.

**DO NOT** allow Felixer 1080 Cartridges to contaminate food stuffs, or feed, for human or animal consumption.

At the conclusion of the approved trapping period, unused Felixer 1080 Cartridges **MUST** be collected from the Felixer and returned to the original packaging for transportation and storage. Non-activated cartridges must be disposed of if damaged or showing signs of wear. Retrieved fired, damaged or worn cartridges should be delivered with empty packaging for appropriate disposal to an approved waste management facility. If an approved waste management facility is not available, all used, damaged or worn cartridges must be disposed of by burial at least 500mm below the surface in a disposal pit specifically marked and set up for this purpose, clear of waterways, desirable vegetation and tree roots in compliance with relevant Local, State or Territory government regulations.

**DO NOT** burn empty container or product unless authorised by relevant Local, State or Territory Government Authority and as per the relevant Local, State or Territory Government Authority instructions.

**DO NOT** reuse containers for any other purpose. Deliver empty containers to an approved waste management facility.

**SAFETY DIRECTIONS**

Very dangerous, poisonous if swallowed. Poisonous if absorbed by skin contact. May irritate the eyes and skin. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. When using the product, wear disposable gloves and goggles or safety glasses.

After each day's use wash goggles or safety glasses. If product on skin, immediately wash area with soap and water. If product in eyes, wash it out immediately with water. If clothing becomes contaminated with product remove clothing immediately. After use and before eating, drinking or smoking, wash hands, arms and face thoroughly with soap and water. After each day's use, wash safety glasses or goggles and contaminated clothing.

**Rehandling**

When replacing spent cartridges, removing unused cartridges or cleaning the Felixer, including the magazine, wear disposable gloves and goggles or safety glasses. After rehandling and before eating, drinking or smoking, wash hands, arms and face thoroughly with soap and water.

**FIRST AID INSTRUCTIONS**

If poisoning occurs, contact a doctor or Poisons Information Centre. Phone Australia 131126. If skin contact occurs, remove contaminated clothing and wash skin thoroughly. Remove from contaminated area. Apply artificial respiration if not breathing. If in eyes, hold eyes open, flood with water for at least 15 minutes and see a doctor.

**SAFETY DATA SHEET**

Additional information is listed in the Safety Data Sheet (SDS).