

HOT SHOT HG-20177

Hot Shot No-Mess! Fogger with Odor Neutralizer (Model HG-20177) - Instruction Manual

Your guide to effective pest control with Hot Shot No-Mess! Fogger.

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Hot Shot No-Mess! Fogger with Odor Neutralizer creates an extremely fine, dry, penetrating fog that reaches deep into cracks, crevices, and under furniture and appliances to flush out and kill hidden bugs on contact. This product is designed for indoor household residential use only. It kills both flying and crawling insects on contact and continues to kill for up to 6 weeks. The odorless, non-staining dry fog formula will not harm drapes, upholstery, fabrics, carpeting, bedspreads, floor tiles, wood floors, linens, furniture, walls, clothing, ceilings, shades, or blinds when used as directed.

One can covers 2,000 cubic feet of unobstructed space (approximately 15.5 ft x 16 ft with an 8 ft ceiling). For rooms smaller than 5 ft x 5 ft, allow fog to enter from other rooms.

SAFETY INFORMATION

WARNING: READ ENTIRE LABEL BEFORE USE. This product is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Apply this product only as specified on this label.

General Precautions and Restrictions:

- Do not use in small, enclosed spaces such as closets and cabinets or under counters or tables. Do not use in a room 5 ft x 5 ft or smaller.
- Do not use more than one fogger per room.
- Do not apply this product in a way that will contact any person or pet, either directly or through drift. Keep people and pets out of the area during treatment.
- Do not allow adults, children, or pets to enter the treated area until vapors, mists, and aerosols have dispersed and the treated area has been thoroughly ventilated.
- Cover any water sources, such as fish bowls and aquariums. Remove or cover children's and pet toys.

- Do not use in food processing or preparation areas. All food preparation surfaces and utensils should be covered or removed. All food-processing equipment and surfaces should be covered or removed.
- Do not use in greenhouses where plants are grown for food.
- Do not apply directly into sewers or drains, or to any area where floor drains where drainage to storm sewers, water bodies, or aquatic habitat can occur.
- Do not allow the product to enter any drain during or after application.
- Flammable: Turn off all flames, pilot lights, and ignition sources.

SETUP AND PREPARATION

Before activating the fogger, proper preparation of the area is essential for safety and effectiveness.

1. **Open Cabinets and Drawers:** Open all cabinets, cupboards, drawers, closets, and doors in the areas to be treated to allow the fog to penetrate.
2. **Remove or Cover Items:** Remove or cover exposed food, dishes, utensils, and food-processing equipment. Remove pets and birds, and cover or remove aquariums. Turn off air flow systems in aquariums. Remove or cover children's and pet toys.
3. **Close Doors and Windows:** Close outside doors and windows. Shut off fans and air conditioners. Temporarily disconnect smoke alarms.
4. **Turn Off Ignition Sources:** Turn off all flames, pilot lights, and ignition sources (e.g., stoves, water heaters, furnaces, etc.). Call your gas utility or management company if you need assistance.



Image: How to Prep the Area - Visual guide for preparing your space before fogging.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Follow these steps carefully to activate the fogger:

1. **Place Fogger:** Place a chair, table, or stand in the center of the room to be fogged. Cover the surface with several layers of newspaper or paper towels.
2. **Activate Fogger:** Shake well before using. Tilt the sprayer away from your face (fogger can spray up). Press the valve all the way down, hooking the catch. Do not inhale the spray mist. Set the fogger on the newspapers or paper towels and leave the premises immediately.
3. **Vacate Premises:** Close all doors and hang a "Fogger in Use" tag on the doorknob. Keep the treated area closed and do not re-enter for at least two hours. Vacate the treated house, individual apartment unit, or other structure immediately.



Image: Place the fogger in the center of the room on a covered surface.




Image: Activate the fogger by pressing the valve down.




Image: Close doors and hang a warning tag, indicating the area is being treated.

AFTER FOGGING

After the recommended waiting period, it is crucial to properly ventilate the treated area.

1. **Air Out:** Before reoccupying the area, open all doors and windows. Turn on air conditioner and fans and allow the treated area to air out for two hours.
2. **Smoke Alarms:** Turn on smoke alarms that were temporarily disconnected.
3. **Flea and Tick Treatment Note:** When treating for fleas or ticks, clean and treat pet sleeping areas. Also, treat dogs and cats with a flea and tick control product registered for use on pets before allowing them to enter the treated areas.



Image: Airing out the treated area after fogging.

PESTS CONTROLLED

The Hot Shot No-Mess! Fogger is effective against a variety of insects:

- Brown Dog Ticks
- Carpenter Ants
- Crickets
- Firebrats
- Fleas
- Gnats
- Houseflies
- Mosquitoes
- Roaches
- Silverfish
- Spiders
- Waterbugs

Note: Does not control Bed Bugs. Excludes American cockroaches, fire ants, and pharaoh ants for certain applications.



DRY FOG FORMULA

Image: Pests killed by Hot Shot No-Mess! Fogger.

AREAS OF USE

This product is suitable for use in enclosed spaces such as:

- Apartments
- Attics
- Basements
- Barns
- Boat Cabins
- Cabins
- Campers
- Garages
- Homes
- Households
- Sheds
- Storage Areas

- Trailers

**WAIT AT LEAST 2 HOURS
BEFORE RE-ENTERING
TREATED AREA**



Image: Recommended indoor use areas for the fogger.

SPECIAL FEATURES

- **No-Mess Dry Fog Formula:** The fog is dry and penetrating, leaving no oily residue or lingering odor.
- **Odor Neutralizer:** Contains an odor neutralizer to help eliminate unpleasant smells.
- **No Need to Turn Off Pilot Lights:** Features deeper-reaching, dry fog technology that allows use without turning off pilot lights, enhancing convenience.
- **Extensive Coverage:** Each can treats 2,000 cubic feet of unobstructed space.

NO LINGERING ODOR



Image: No need to turn off pilot lights feature.



INSECT* SOLUTIONS

NEED TARGETED APPLICATION?

Use a convenient, ready-to-spray aerosol.



NEED TO TREAT A LARGE, ENCLOSED RESIDENTIAL AREA?

Use a total release fogger to treat up to 2,000 cu. ft. of unobstructed area.



NEED CONTINUOUS CONTROL?

Use a penetrating odorless vapor for up to 4 months protection against flying & crawling insects as listed.



Not available in NJ

*Listed Insects on individual product labels

Image: No lingering odor feature.

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To Use This Product Correctly

DO NOT USE MORE THAN ONE FOGGER PER ROOM.



General Precautions and Restrictions

Do not use in small, enclosed spaces such as closets and cabinets or under counters or tables. Use of a fogger in an enclosed space may cause the product to explode, resulting in injury to people or damage to property. Do not apply this product in a way that will contact any person or pet, either directly or through drift. Keep people and pets out of the area during treatment. Do not allow adults, children or pets to enter the treated area until vapors, mists and aerosols have dispersed and the treated area has been thoroughly ventilated. Cover any water inhabited by fish (such as aquariums and ornamental fish ponds) during treatment, and turn aquarium systems off. Do not apply when food is

present. Exposed food should be covered or removed. All food-preparation surfaces and utensils should be covered during treatment or thoroughly washed before use. Do not use in greenhouses where plants are grown for food. Do not apply directly into sewers or drains, or to any area like floor drains where drainage to storm sewers, water bodies or aquatic habitat can occur. Do not allow the product to enter any drain during or after application. Exit area immediately and remain outside the treated area until the area is thoroughly ventilated and until aerosols, vapors or mists have dispersed. Wait two hours after application, then open windows, vents and doors for two hours. If an odor is detected, additional ventilation is required.

Does not control bed bugs.



BEFORE YOU FOG



1 OPEN cabinets, cupboards, drawers, closets and doors in areas to be treated.



2 REMOVE or cover exposed foods, dishes, utensils, food-processing equipment and surfaces. **REMOVE** pets and birds and **COVER** and turn off air flow systems in aquariums. **REMOVE** or **COVER** children's and pet toys.



3 CLOSE outside doors and windows. **SHUT OFF** fans and air conditioners and temporarily disconnect smoke alarms.

TO START FOGGING



1 Place a chair, table or stand in the center of the room to be fogged. Cover with several layers of newspaper or paper towels.



2 SHAKE WELL BEFORE USING. Tilt sprayer AWAY from face (fogger can sprays up). Press valve all the way down, hooking the catch. Do not inhale the spray mist. Set fogger on newspapers or paper towels and leave premises immediately.



3 Close door(s) and hang "Fogger in Use" tag on doorknob. **KEEP TREATED AREA CLOSED AND DO NOT RE-ENTER FOR AT LEAST TWO HOURS.** Keeping area sealed for a longer period of time will enhance fogger performance. **Vacate the treated house, individual apartment unit or other structure immediately.**

AFTER FOGGING



AIRING OUT: BEFORE REOCCUPYING THE AREA, OPEN ALL DOORS AND WINDOWS. TURN ON AIR CONDITIONER AND FANS AND ALLOW TREATED AREA TO AIR OUT FOR TWO HOURS. Turn on smoke alarms and aquariums. **NOTE:** When treating for fleas or ticks, clean and treat pet sleeping areas. Also treat dogs and cats with a flea and tick control product registered for use on pets before allowing them to enter the treated areas.

Image: Non-staining and no messy residue feature.



Hot Shot® Fogger₆
With Odor Neutralizer



Hot Shot® No Mess![®]
Fogger₃ With Odor
Neutralizer

Kills by Contact & Use for Heavy Infestations	✓	✓
Includes an Odor Neutralizer	✓	✓
Kills Roaches, Fleas, Spiders & Other Listed Insects	✓	✓
Dry Fog Formula	✗	✓
No Need to Turn Off Pilot Lights	✗	✓
Non-Staining, No Messy Residue	✓	✓
No Lingering Odor	✗	✓

Image: Coverage area per can.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with pest control after following all instructions, consider the following:

- **Infestation Severity:** For very heavy infestations, multiple treatments or professional pest control may be necessary.
- **Area Preparation:** Ensure all cabinets, drawers, and doors were open, and all food/utensils/pets were removed or covered.
- **Ventilation:** Adequate ventilation after treatment is crucial. Ensure the area is aired out for the full recommended time.
- **Product Placement:** Ensure the fogger was placed in the center of the room and unobstructed.

For further assistance, refer to the product packaging for contact information or consult a pest control professional.

SPECIFICATIONS

Attribute	Value
Item Form	Aerosol
Item Weight	21.6 Ounces (Total for 6-pack)
Liquid Volume	21.6 Fluid Ounces (Total for 6-pack)
Brand	HOT SHOT
Specification Met	EPA
Model Number	HG-20177
Unit Count	21.6 Ounce (Total for 6-pack)
Manufacturer	United Industries
Target Species	Insects (excluding Bed Bugs, American cockroaches, fire ants, and pharaoh ants for certain applications)

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Hot Shot No-Mess! Fogger with Odor Neutralizer is **GUARANTEED! TO WORK OR YOUR MONEY BACK**. For specific details regarding the guarantee or for any product support, please refer to the contact information provided on the product packaging or visit the official Hot Shot website.