

DIATOMACEOUS EARTH

FRESH WATER FOOD GRADE

WHAT IS IT?

Diatomaceous earth is the fossil remains of microscopic, single-celled algae. It mostly consists of silicon dioxide. It is found in abrasives, toothpastes, cosmetics, pharmaceuticals and filtering devices.

FOR ANIMALS:

Suggested Daily Doses to add to food for your pets:

Kittens: ¼ tsp.

Cats: 1 tsp.

Small Dogs: ½ tsp.

Dogs < 50# 1 tsp.

Dogs 50-100# 1Tbsp.

Dogs >50# 1-2 Tbsp.

AS AN INSECTICIDE:

Used as an insecticide, (slugs, fleas, lice, cockroaches, worms, garden pests, etc.) the fine powder removes the lipids from the insects waxy exoskeletons, then absorbs the fluid, causing them to dehydrate. The most effective DE is that which has not been heated.

There are no limits when using DE as an insecticide.

IN FARMING:

Used to deworm and for anti-caking in livestock and poultry feed.