DON'T LET RODENTS DAMAGE YOUR BRAND

MOST COMMON FURRY FIENDS

House Mouse



Size: 2.5-3.5" Most common and economically significant

rodent species

Deer Mouse



Size: 2.75-4" Structural pest found in rural, suburban or

wooded areas



Size: 7-9.5" Found throughout the U.S. and worldwide

Roof Rat



Size: 6-8"

Worldwide presence; in the U.S. it is more common in coastal states, seaports and the southern third of the country.

A NOSE FOR FOOD

Rodents are attracted to facilities by the warmth and odors emitted.

They can scurry in through open doors or small gaps or hitchhike on incoming goods.

Rats and mice are capable of gnawing through packaging to reach a food source.



AND CONTAMINATE 10X THAT AMOUNT WITH URINE AND DROPPINGS
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TWO RODENTS CAN QUICKLY TURN INTO AN INFESTATION...

Because rodents are prolific breeders and rarely seen during the day or when operation is in full swing, an infestation can develop quickly.



MICE

Gestation Period: 18-21 days Litter Size: 2-13 Sexual Maturity: 35-60 days

A SINGLE MOUSE CAN QUICKLY GROW TO **11,000** BABY MICE ANNUALLY



RATS

Gestation Period: 20-25 days Litter Size: 3-8 Sexual Maturity: 70-90 days

A SINGLE RAT CAN QUICKLY GROW TO **1,500** BABY RATS ANNUALLY



LEADING TO BIG PROBLEMS



SIGNIFICANT HEALTH RISKS

According to the CDC, rats and mice can transmit more than **35 diseases** to humans including:

E.coli, Salmonella spp., Amoebic Dysentery, Anthrax, Cholera, Diphtheria, Hantavirus, Hepatitis, Lyme Disease, Ophthalmia, Shigella, Streptococcus, Tuberculosis, and Typhoid Fever

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EDUCATE EMPLOYEES

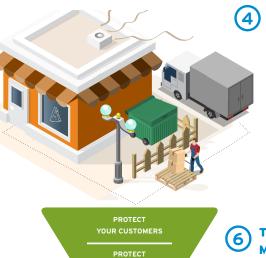
Employees are the first defense against rodents. Teach them to alert management at signs of droppings, nests, and gnawed packaging

KEEP FOOD & WATER OUT OF REACH

Store food in sealed containers and cover garbage to eliminate their food supply

NO HOLES, NO ENTRY

Reduce rodent entrance opportunities by sealing doors and filling holes and gaps



YOUR BRAND

SUCCESS

REMOVE UNNECESSARY CLUTTER

Clutter can make it difficult to inspect and monitor possible rodent behavior

5 CHANGE OF SEASONS = CHANGE APPROACH

Whether your facility is located in the frigid north or hot south, winter months mean cooling weather which can significantly impact pest behavior, so review your pest prevention protocols

TEAM UP WITH A PEST MANAGEMENT PROVIDER

Choose a partner who can offer a sustainable Integrated Pest Management (IPM) approach to minimize economic, health and environmental risks and get your business up and running again quickly

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