Instructions of Use

TetraAqua® Algetten®

Tablets with Depot Effect for the Prevention and Long-term Control of Algae

Why is the use of Algetten so important?

Algae have a negative effect on aquaria and can inhibit plant growth by consuming valuable nutrients. On a long-term basis, algae negatively influence the biological balance of aquaria.

Algetten are the reliable long-term solution to combat algae:

- Mild, long-term effect due to water-insoluble tablets: the Algetten, which are housed in a holder, emit their agents over a period of approx. four weeks.
- Safe agent formula to combat algae.
- Considerable reduction of existing algae after just 4 to 7 days.
- The formation of new algae is prevented.
- Harmless to fish, plants and micro-organisms (when used in accordance with instructions).

Instructions for Use of Algetten:

Dosage: 1 tablet per 20 litres of aquarium water (fresh water)

- 1. Take the number of Algetten required for the volume of your aquarium out of the film and press them into the grooves of the Algetten holder.
- 2. Stick the sucker onto the fitting and affix it to the glass just beneath the water surface.
- 3. To ensure the optimum distribution of the agents, we recommend putting the Algetten holder close to the filter outlet tube or an aeration stone.
- 4. A reduction of algae growth is noticeable even after a few days. Dead algae should be removed mechanically before and during the treatment (e.g. using a net or by changing the filter), since they reduce the quality of the water.
- 5. The Algetten slowly release the agents without dissolving. After approx. four weeks, all of the agents will have been released and the tablets are removed from the aquarium and replaced by new tablets for preventive measures and long-term control.
- 6. The aquarium must be ventilated during treatment with algaecides to ensure a sufficient supply of oxygen. Filter systems based on coal, peat or artificial resin may impair the algaecide effect of Algetten.

Recommendation:

All **Tetra***Aqua*[®] algaecides are easy and safe to use, and are compatible. To promote healthy plant growth, use **AlguMin** when algae problems first arise, followed by **Algetten** to prevent new algae from forming. **Algizit** is the "emergency stop" in stubborn cases of algae growth. The result will be lush plant growth, as in natural surroundings.

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