Rid-A-Snake Pro: Mixing & Spraying Guide

Safety First (PPE)

Before you start, put on:

- Safety glasses (splash protection)
- Chemical-resistant gloves
- Long sleeves and pants
- Closed-toe shoes/boots

Optional: a light face covering if you're sensitive to strong essential-oil aromas. Keep kids and pets away from treated areas until dry.

Tools & Prep

- Clean pump sprayer or B&G (1–2 gal) with fan tip
- Measuring cup or graduated cylinder (dedicated to chemicals)
- Small funnel (reduces spills and foam)
- Clean water source

Check conditions: Apply to dry surfaces with no rain/irrigation expected for the next 24 hours.

Mixing (Low-Foam Method)

Always follow the dilution rate on your Rid-A-Snake Pro label.

- 1. Rinse the tank if previously used.
- 2. Fill sprayer 1/3-1/2 with water first.
- 3. Measure concentrate per label rate.
- 4. Add concentrate slowly down the inside wall of the tank.
- 5. Rinse measuring cup into tank.
- 6. Top up with water to final volume (low flow to avoid foam).
- 7. Swirl gently—do not shake.
- 8. If foam forms, vent pressure, let settle, swirl again.

Application Strategy

Apply an even, continuous perimeter band and treat hot spots.

Perimeter Band:

- Foundation-soil seam
- Base of exterior walls
- Door thresholds and garage edges
- Crawlspace vents and access doors
- Around utility penetrations

Common Snake Harborage Spots:

- Under decks, porches, stairs

- Around sheds and outbuildings
- Perimeter of woodpiles
- Compost & brush piles
- Dense groundcovers and rock gardens
- Retaining walls & stone borders
- Fence lines and gaps
- AC/pool equipment pads
- Drainage culverts and timbers
- Rodent activity areas

Spraying Technique (Clean, Even Bands)

- 1. Use a fan spray, low to surface.
- 2. Keep nozzle 8–12" from the target treatment site.
- 3. Overlap passes for no gaps.
- 4. Avoid runoff—damp coverage only.
- 5. Work clockwise around the property to keep track of where you have treated.
- 6. Treat perimeter first, then hot spots.

Coverage, Frequency & Aftercare

- Follow label coverage rate.
- Re-treat as directed, after rain, or when scent fades.
- Let surfaces dry before re-entry.
- Reduce clutter/harborage for better results.

Cleanup & Storage

- 1. Relieve pressure before opening tank.
- 2. Triple-rinse tank, wand, nozzle; spray rinsate on treated areas.
- 3. Store product in original container, tightly closed, cool/dry.
- 4. Keep away from children and pets.

Quick Checklist

- ✓ PPE on: glasses, gloves, long sleeves/pants
- ☑ Weather window: dry now + 24 hrs
- \square Water first \rightarrow add concentrate slowly \rightarrow top up \rightarrow swirl
- **☑** Perimeter band complete
- ✓ Hot spots treated
- ✓ No runoff; even coverage
- ☑ Reapply as needed