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(57) Abstract: The present invention provides a method for controlling snails and slugs by applying a composition comprising finely ground glass particles. The glass particles can include a specially formulated glass.



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