

Dormant Spray Application

Most fruit trees, fruiting bushes, ornamental trees and shrubs will benefit from an early spring application of Liquid Lime Sulphur and Horticultural Oil. These are typically mixed together as a dormant spray, and control or reduce many over-wintering insects, insect eggs and plant diseases. For many plant health issues, this is the only effective method of control.

Applying Liquid Lime Sulphur and Horticultural Oil while plants are still dormant allows for higher rates of application without causing harm to the plant.

Dormant Spray Applications must occur when trees are dormant and before the buds begin to grow in spring. Depending on your region, timing for this is usually late March into early April.

The following may be controlled with Horticultural Oil & Lime Sulphur application:

Insects: Gypsy Moth eggs, Scale Insects, Spider Mites, Pear Psylla

Diseases: Apple Scab, Black Knot, Peach Leaf Curl, Powdery Mildew, Rust, Anthracnose

Application Precautions

- ·Spray in the morning to allow for drying of the spray. Injury may occur to tree if spray is not completely dry before a cold night.
- •Do not spray in temperatures below 4°C nor any temperature above 27°C. Only 1 application is necessary with this combination spray before buds start to swell.
- ·Liquid Lime Sulphur and Horticultural Oil may be used separately at lower application rates during the growing season; read instructions carefully before use.
- ·Do not spray in windy conditions.
- ·Do not use Horticultural Oil on Sugar Maple, Japanese Maple, Beech, Butternut, Colorado Blue Spruce, Douglas Fir, Hickory, Holly and Walnut.
- ·Horticultural Oil will damage the bark on Empire, Mitsu and Red Delicious apple trees.
- Do not use Lime Sulphur on Apricot. Do Not use Lime Sulphur on Plum trees when they are in leaf.



Gypsy Moth Egg Masses



Magnolia Scale

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