

Hym-Lure Home Garden Use



Hym-Lure is a yeast based protein that has been found to be highly attractive to the Queensland Fruit Fly. When Fruit Flies emerge from the pupae stage in their life-cycle both the male and female require a feed of protein to become sexually mature. Egg laying females will continue to seek protein for egg production but for effective management it is preferable to target the immature stage hence the need to apply baits weekly.

Bait spraying is the most effective means of managing fruit flies particularly when used in conjunction with trapping (Biotrap Attractant Gel) but some fruit damage will occur as egg laying females will sting the fruit before feeding on the bait.

HOW TO USE HYM-LURE:

1. Mix 20 mL of Hym-Lure to 1 litre of water and add an insecticide (e.g. Malathion)
2. Spray in patches around the garden in trees and on fences a general rule you need one sprayed patch every 3 sq. Metre.
3. Course droplets are better than a fine spray and spray early morning, WEEKLY.
4. Use only fresh bait and dispose of unused bait.
5. Avoid directly spraying fruit and observe the safety requirements of the insecticide.