



Insecticide Resistance Management Strategies
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Crop(s) : Pome Fruit
Mite(s) : Two-spotted Mite, European Red Mite

Guidelines:

1. Make no more than one application from each registered miticide group per season. Rotate registered miticides that have different mode of action (i.e. Group 6A, Group 13A, Group 14A, Group 21A and Group 2D).
2. For miticides that have the same mode of action (eg. Group 21A) do not use consecutive applications within and between seasons.

Group*	Chemical sub-group	Example chemical
6	Avermectins	abamectin
13	Chlorfenapyr	chlorfenapyr
12C	Propargite	propargite
21A	METI acaricides	fenpyroximate, tebufenpyrad
UN	Bifenazate	bifenazate
10B	Etoxazole	etoxazole

* Refer CropLife Australia Insecticide Resistance Management Review Group Mode of Action Classification for Insecticides

Notes:

1. Miticides should be used as part of an Integrated Mite Control (IMC) program.
2. Mite levels should be monitored and thresholds utilised before deciding to make miticide applications.
3. Where practicable, predatory mites should be incorporated into an IMC program.
4. When using insecticides/miticides to control other pests of pome fruit such as codling moth, lightbrown apple moth and woolly aphid, consider the chemical group and the potential impact it may have on resistance development of mite pests.

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