Product data sheet

Nutari

Carpoglyphus lactis | Dried fruit mite



- Alternative food for predatory mites
- For build-up and maintenance of the population

Use for

Natural enemies

Use Nutari for *Amblyseius swirskii, Amblyseius andersoni, Amblydromalus limonicus, Neoseiulus californicus, Neoseiulus cucumeris* and *Transeius montdorensis.*

How it works

Mode of action

When density of the target pest is low and there is no alternative food available in the crop Nutari can be provided as alternative food source for predatory mites. This will ensure a standing army of predatory mites in the crop, keeping the target pest on a low level.

Appearance

Mobile stages are beige, oblong, approximately 0.5 mm in size with 2 dark spots and 4 long hairs on the back of the body.

Product specifications

Pack size

30 gram (2 million); 150 gram (10 million) *Carpoglyphus lactis*.

Presentation

0.9 litre; 3.6 litre cardboard cylinder.

Developmental stage

All stages.

Carrier

Bran.

Directions for use

Application

- Apply Nutari weekly
- Start directly together with or just after the first introduction of predatory mites
- Continue to apply during the season, even when pests are present
- Nutari can be applied by sprinkling on the leaves by hand or with an Air(o)bug
- Large heaps of carrier material may cause leaf damage, so make sure the material is distributed as a thin, even layer

Dosage

The dosage of Nutari depends on climate, crop and pest density and should always be adjusted to the particular situation. Start introduction together with the first predatory mite release. Apply 1000-5000 mites/m² per release. Consult a Koppert advisor or a recognized distributor of Koppert products for advice on the best strategy for your situation.

Environmental conditions

Carpoglyphus lactis is tolerant to a wide range of conditions and generally survives in conditions suitable for predatory mites.

Product handling

Storage time after receipt

Apply as soon as possible after receipt. If necessary, the product can be stored for 1-2 days.

Storage temperature

8-10°C/47-50°F.

Storage conditions

Store in a dry place in the dark, provide ventilation to prevent CO_2 accumulation.

Precautions

Application of this product can cause sensitization or allergic reactions, we therefore advise to take the necessary precautions.

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