





Technical Bulletin for: Uglynest Caterpillar

Archips cerasivorana (Fitch) • Lepidoptera, Tortricidae • ARCCER



DISTRIBUTION	Alaska, Canada and the northern United States.
HOSTS	Preferred hosts are chokeberry and black cherry.
DESCRIPTION	
ADULT MOTH	Dull orange with yellow hind wings, wing span of 18-25 mm.
LARVAE	Olive to greenish yellow, about 20-23 mm long.
EGGS	Oval and brown.
LIFE HISTORY	Eggs overwinter as masses on trunks or stems and begin to hatch in May. Larvae may be present until September, with adults emerging from May until September. There is one generation per year.

MONITORING INFORMATION

LURE ACTIVE INGREDIENTS, SUBSTRATE & FIELD LIFE	(Z)-11-Tetradecenyl acetate and (E)-11-Tetradecenyl acetate on a Gray Rubber Septum. Field life: twelve (12) weeks.	
TRAP TO USE	Rec Paper or Plastic Delta Trap	
MONITORING STRATEGY	In smaller fields, use one trap every 1 to 1 ½ acre. A minimum of two traps should also be used for fields of uneven topography. For larger fields (10 acres or greater) use 1-2 traps per five acres. Traps should be placed at approximately the same height as the crop. Traps should be checked weekly or more frequently, depending on pest population. Check with Cooperative Extension or Master Gardener for local information and recommendations.	
CULTURAL & PHYSICAL CONTROL	Prune and destroy webbed nests.	

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