



INSECT MONITORING SYSTEMS

# PANEL TRAP - A UNIVERSAL TRAP FOR SURVEYING AND DETECTION OF BARK AND AMBROSIA BEETLES, LONGHORN BEETLES, WOOD WASPS, AND OTHER FORESTRY AND TROPICAL PESTS.



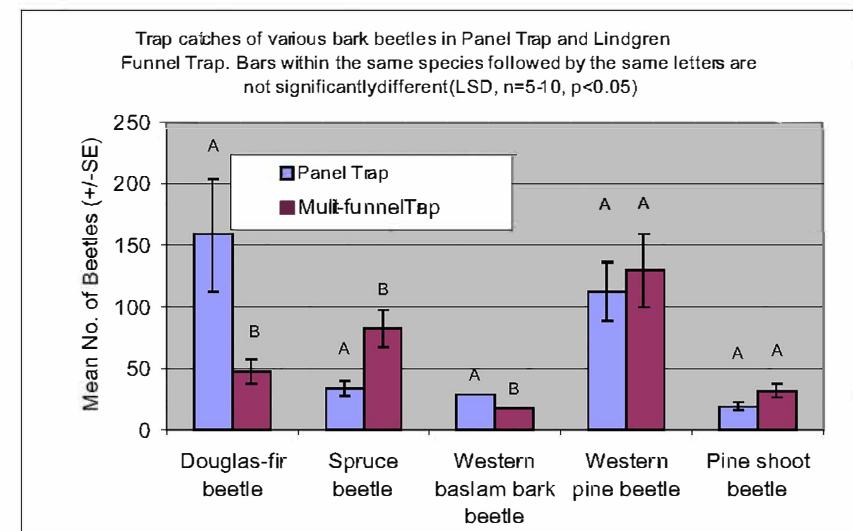
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The Panel Trap (PT) is an effective tool for monitoring Scolytids, Cerambycids, Buprestids, and other forest Coleoptera and Hymenoptera. PT are very robust under rigorous field conditions. They are lightweight, easy to carry, weather- and water-proof, and easy to install. PT disassemble rapidly, store flat, and use less storage space than Funnel traps.



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Field trials demonstrated feasibility of the trap for effective monitoring of various Scolytid species (Fig. 1).



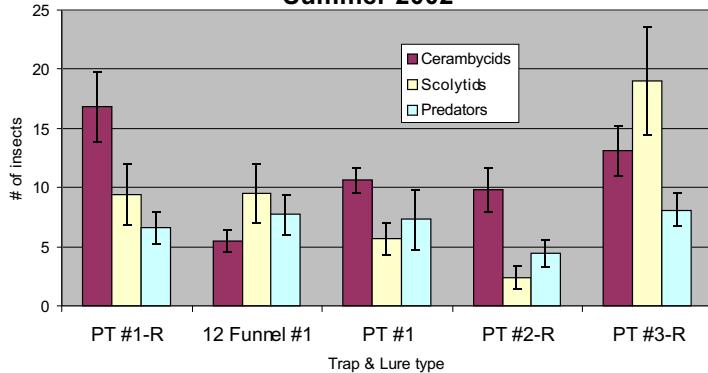
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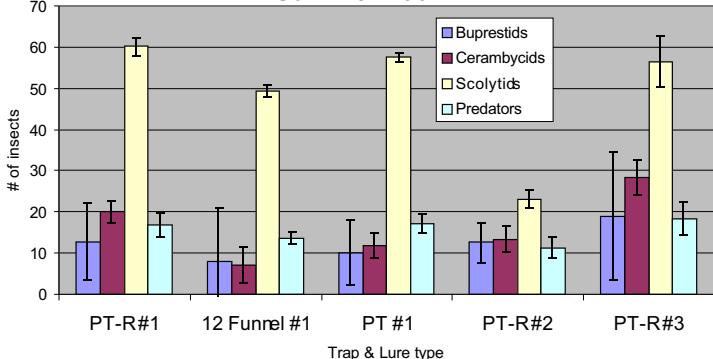
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# Panel Trap is commercially available for monitoring bark beetles, longhorn beetles, wood wasps, and other timber infesting pests.

**Comparative Trapping of Forest Coleoptera,  
PT and Multi-Funnel Trap, Cranberry Lake, NY,  
Summer 2002**

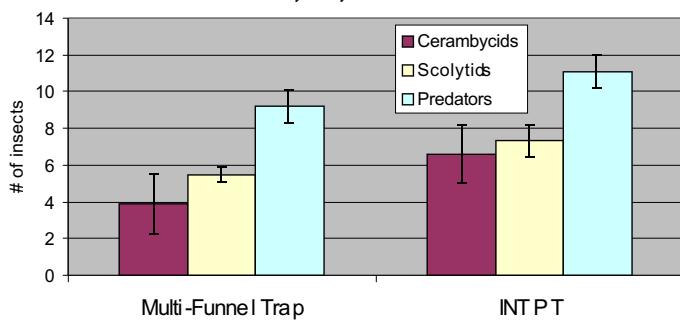


**Comparative Trapping of Forest Coleoptera,  
PT and Multi-Funnel Trap, Duluth, MN,  
Summer 2002**



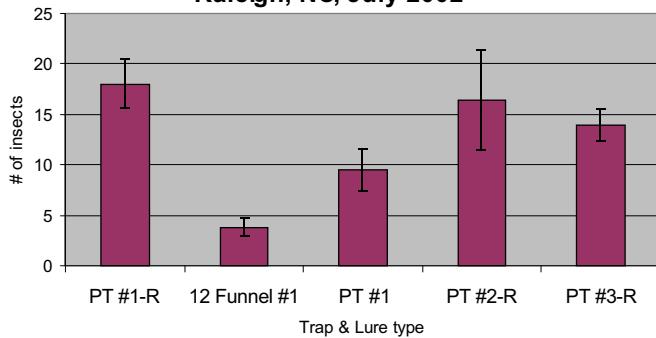
Three types of traps were tested: PT treated with Rain-X, PT untreated (PT), and Multi-Funnel Trap (Phero-Tech, Inc.). The traps were baited with three lure prototypes: (1) standard lure (alpha-pinene (ap), ipdienol (id), ipsenol (ie)), (2) turpentine lure (turpentine, id, ie), and (3) ethanol lure (ethanol, ap, id, ie).

**Comparative Trapping of Forest Coleoptera,  
PT and Multi-Funnel Trap, Mirror Lake State  
Park, WI, Summer 2002**

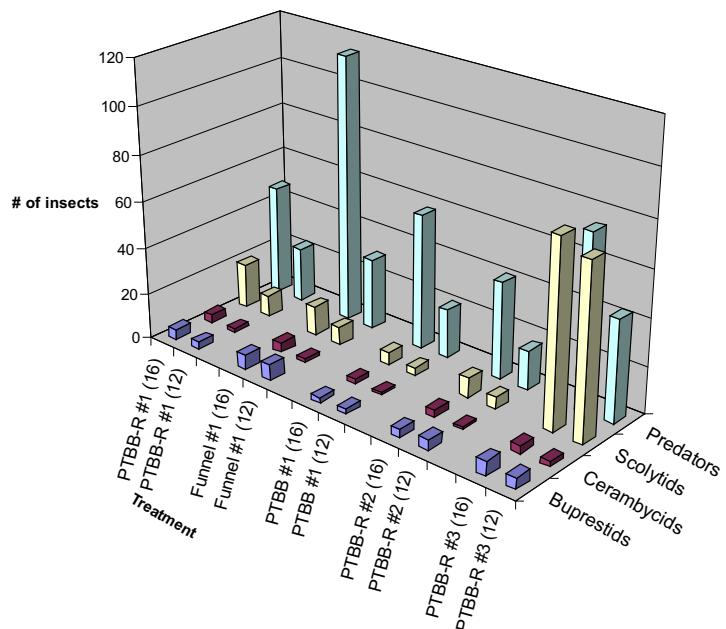


The Panel Trap is an effective tool for monitoring Cerambycids, as well as Scolytids, Buprestids, and other forest Coleoptera. It also captures fewer beneficial insects. The PT outperformed Phero Tech's Multi-Funnel Trap for most tested insect species. Higher beetle captures and increased detection capability in a less expensive trap equates to greater efficiency of forest pest monitoring programs. The Panel Trap is now commercially available.

**Comparative Trapping of Cerambycids,  
PT and Multi-Funnel Trap,  
Raleigh, NC, July 2002**



**Comparative Trapping of Forest Coleoptera, PT and Multi-Funnel Trap, Forest Grove, OR, Summer 2002**



# PANEL TRAP PERFORMANCE

Table 1. Pine Pitch Canker Vector Survey 2000, Salem, OR (Oregon Department of Agriculture): Capture comparison between Lindgren Funnel Trap (Funnel) and Panel Trap (Panel).

| ORDER       | FAMILY         | SPECIES  | NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS |       |       |
|-------------|----------------|--|-----------------------|-------|-------|
|             |                |  | FUNNEL                | PANEL | TOTAL |
| Coleoptera  | Anobiidae      | <i>Coelostethus quadrulus</i>                        |                       | 1     | 1     |
| Coleoptera  | Anobiidae      | <i>Hadrobregmus gibbicollis</i> LeConte              | 1                     | 3     | 4     |
| Coleoptera  | Bostrichidae   | <i>Melaglus confertus</i>                            | 1                     | 3     | 4     |
| Coleoptera  | Bostrichidae   | <i>Scobicia declivis</i>                             | 16                    | 38    | 54    |
| Coleoptera  | Buprestidae    | <i>Buprestis aurulenta</i>                           | 5                     |       | 5     |
| Coleoptera  | Buprestidae    | <i>Buprestis subornata</i> LeConte                   |                       | 1     | 1     |
| Coleoptera  | Buprestidae    | <i>Chalcophora angulicollis</i> (LeConte)            |                       | 3     | 3     |
| Coleoptera  | Cerambycidae   | <i>Asemum caseyi</i>                                 |                       | 1     | 1     |
| Coleoptera  | Cerambycidae   | <i>Megasemum asperum</i>                             | 1                     | 2     | 3     |
| Coleoptera  | Cerambycidae   | <i>Monochamus obtusus obtusus</i> Casey              | 8                     | 1     | 9     |
| Coleoptera  | Cerambycidae   | <i>Neoclytus leucozonous</i> (Lap. & Gory)           | 1                     |       | 1     |
| Coleoptera  | Cerambycidae   | <i>Xestoleptura behrensi</i>                         | 1                     |       | 1     |
| Coleoptera  | Cerambycidae   | <i>Xylotrechus longitarsis</i>                       | 8                     | 5     | 13    |
| Coleoptera  | Cleridae       | <i>Enoclerus lecontei</i> Wolcott                    | 4                     | 1     | 5     |
| Coleoptera  | Cleridae       | <i>Enoclerus moesta</i>                              |                       | 1     | 1     |
| Coleoptera  | Cleridae       | <i>Enoclerus sphegeus</i> Fabricius                  | 5                     | 7     | 12    |
| Coleoptera  | Cleridae       | <i>Phyllobaenus tristis</i> Schaeffer                | 1                     |       | 1     |
| Coleoptera  | Colydiidae     | <i>Lasconotus complex</i>                            |                       | 1     | 1     |
| Coleoptera  | Colydiidae     | <i>Lasconotus subcostulatus</i>                      | 4                     | 3     | 7     |
| Coleoptera  | Colydiidae     | <i>Lasconotus vegrandis</i>                          | 2                     |       | 2     |
| Coleoptera  | Colydiidae     | <i>Microsicus variegatus</i> (LeConte)               | 1                     | 1     | 2     |
| Coleoptera  | Curculionidae  | <i>Pissodes radiatae</i> Hopkins                     | 1                     |       | 1     |
| Coleoptera  | Elateridae     | <i>Megapenthes atterimus</i> (Motschulsky)           | 20                    | 24    | 44    |
| Coleoptera  | Eucnemidae     | <i>Asiocnemus basalis</i> (LeConte)                  |                       | 1     | 1     |
| Coleoptera  | Eucnemidae     | <i>Asiocnemus nitens</i> (Horn)                      |                       | 1     | 1     |
| Coleoptera  | Melandryidae   | <i>Eustrophus tomentosus</i> Say                     | 1                     | 1     | 2     |
| Coleoptera  | Nitidulidae    | <i>Epuraea</i> sp.                                   | 1                     | 1     | 2     |
| Coleoptera  | Nitidulidae    | <i>Pityophagus rufipennis</i>                        | 1                     | 2     | 3     |
| Coleoptera  | Rhizophagidae  | <i>Hesperobaenus abbreviatus</i> Motschulsky         | 1                     | 9     | 10    |
| Coleoptera  | Rhizophagidae  | <i>Macreuros longicollis</i> Horn                    |                       | 1     | 1     |
| Coleoptera  | Rhizophagidae  | <i>Rhizophagus grouvellei</i> Meq.                   | 3                     |       | 3     |
| Coleoptera  | Scolytidae     | <i>Dendroctonus valens</i>                           | 1                     |       | 1     |
| Coleoptera  | Scolytidae     | <i>Gnathotrichus sulcatus</i>                        | 79                    | 91    | 170   |
| Coleoptera  | Scolytidae     | <i>Hylastes gracilis</i>                             | 1                     |       | 1     |
| Coleoptera  | Scolytidae     | <i>Hylastes nigrinus</i>                             | 3                     | 1     | 4     |
| Coleoptera  | Scolytidae     | <i>Hylastes tenuis</i>                               | 1                     | 4     | 5     |
| Coleoptera  | Scolytidae     | <i>Hylurgops porosus</i>                             | 5                     | 1     | 6     |
| Coleoptera  | Scolytidae     | <i>Hylurgops reticulatus</i>                         |                       | 4     | 4     |
| Coleoptera  | Scolytidae     | <i>Ips mexicanus</i>                                 | 8                     |       | 8     |
| Coleoptera  | Scolytidae     | <i>Pityophthorus</i> spp.                            | 28                    | 8     | 36    |
| Coleoptera  | Scolytidae     | <i>Pseudohylesinus nebulosus nebulosus</i> (LeConte) | 1                     |       | 1     |
| Coleoptera  | Scolytidae     | <i>Pseudohylesinus pini</i> Wood                     | 3                     |       | 3     |
| Coleoptera  | Scolytidae     | <i>Pseudohylesinus sericeus</i>                      |                       | 1     | 1     |
| Coleoptera  | Scolytidae     | <i>Xyleborinus saxeseni</i>                          | 36                    | 177   | 213   |
| Coleoptera  | Scolytidae     | <i>Xyleborus intrusus</i> Blandford                  |                       | 2     | 2     |
| Coleoptera  | Staphylinidae  | <i>Scaphisoma castanea</i> Motschulsky               |                       | 1     | 1     |
| Coleoptera  | Throscidae     | <i>Trixagus mendax</i> Horn                          | 1                     | 1     | 2     |
| Coleoptera  | Throscidae     | <i>Trixagus sericeus</i> LeConte                     |                       | 3     | 3     |
| Coleoptera  | Trogositidae   | <i>Temnochila chloridia virescens</i>                | 23                    | 28    | 51    |
| Coleoptera  | Trogositidae   | <i>Tenebroides crassicornis</i> Horn                 |                       | 1     | 1     |
| Hemiptera   | Aradidae       | <i>Aradus</i> sp.                                    |                       | 1     | 1     |
| Hymenoptera | Orussidae      | <i>Orussus</i> sp.                                   |                       | 1     | 1     |
| Hymenoptera | Siricidae      | <i>Sirex juvencus californicus</i>                   | 3                     | 10    | 13    |
| Hymenoptera | Siricidae      | <i>Urocerus albicornis</i>                           |                       | 1     | 1     |
| Isoptera    | Hodotermitidae | <i>Zootermopsis angusticollis</i>                    |                       | 1     | 1     |
|             |                | TOTAL INDIVIDUALS                                    | 280                   | 449   | 729   |
|             |                | TOTAL SPECIES  | 36                    | 43    | 55    |
|             |                | NO. UNIQUE SPECIES                                   | 12                    | 19    |       |

# Panel Trap

1. Hanging wire
2. Hood
3. Main Body
4. Collecting funnel
5. Collecting cup
6. Plastic retainer
7. Lure hanging opening
8. Hanging tabs with holes

## Assembly instructions:

1. Align the tabs of the main body with the slots in the hood and collecting funnels,
2. Push the tabs through the holes as much as possible,
3. Protrude at least two plastic retainers through the holes in tabs (8)(that emerge from the collecting funnel). Attach collecting cup by hooking ends of the retainers in the keyholes in the corner of the cup (5a),
4. Attach the hanging wire through two holes in the opposite tabs protruding through the hood of the trap,
5. Mount lure into the lure opening (7) by putting the lure holder through the hole located directly above the opening.

