

Spray Schedule for Fruit Trees

To control disease and insect problems, completely clean up fruit and leaves on and around trees after leaf drop.

Never spray when trees are blooming in order not to harm pollination insects, and do not spray within 2 weeks of harvest.

Dormant Sprays To be sprayed late winter/early spring.

Step 1: Copper Fungicide

Use when fruit plants are dormant and temperatures are above 40 degrees and before dormant oil spray. Excellent for reducing foliar disease due to fungus.

Step 2: Dormant Oil

You may spray this 24 hrs after copper fungicide spray. Use when fruit plants are dormant and temperatures are above 40 degrees. Use when tips of buds are swelling but before they turn green. This will control scales and over-wintering insect eggs by suffocating them.

YOU MAY MIX THE COPPER AND DORMANT OIL TOGETHER AND DO ONE APPLICATION. STILL FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS ON THE PARTS PER GALLON FOR EACH PRODUCT.

Growing Season Sprays

Since trees may bloom at different times, the sprayings may be at irregular intervals until after your petal and fruit sprays are done. Then you can spray the entire orchard if you have multiple trees. **Be sure to shake the concentrate prior to mixing.**

Spray schedule for Bonide Citrus, Fruit & Nut Orchard Spray

GREAT IF YOU WANT A NATURAL PRODUCT TO CONTROL INSECTS AND DISEASE.

1. Bud Spray - Use when leaf buds are just beginning to open. This will control most insect and disease problems.
2. Pink Bud Spray - Use when blossom buds show pink and are nearly ready to burst open --**but not when blooming.**
3. Petal Fall Spray - Use when all petals are off the tree. **Now is also the time to set out sticky insect traps.**
4. Summer Spray - Use 7 to 12 days after petal fall spray.
5. Summer Spray - Use 10 to 12 days later.
6. Summer Spray - Use 10 to 12 days later.

Try to spray around July 4 and/or put up Apple Maggot Fly sticky traps.

May be continued every 10 to 12 days until **two weeks** before harvest.



Spray schedule for Bonide Fruit Tree & Plant Guard

EFFECTIVE AND ECONOMICAL WAY TO CONTROL INSECTS AND DISEASE.

1. Bud/Pink Bud Spray - Use between the time the leaf buds are just beginning to open to when flower buds are pink but **not open.**
2. Petal Fall Spray - Use when all petals are off the tree. **Now is also the time to set out sticky insect traps.**
3. Fruit Set - Use at least 21 days after spray 2 and when fruit is visible.

Remember to spray around July 4 and/or put up Apple Maggot Fly sticky traps.

4. Summer Spray - Use at least 21 days after spray 3 but not within 21 days of harvest.

Do not make more than 4 applications of this product in a year.



Note: Before you begin any spraying there are a few things we suggest you consider. Air temperature and wind speed is a consideration since these factors can cause spray drift and possibly harm neighboring plants or insects working them. **When your trees are in bloom, pollinating insects are very active. We strongly suggest that you do not spray during bloom to protect these insects.** It is also not advised to spray within two weeks of harvesting any fruit. Finally, please follow label directions and use personal protection and caution when us-