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## How does temperature affect insects?

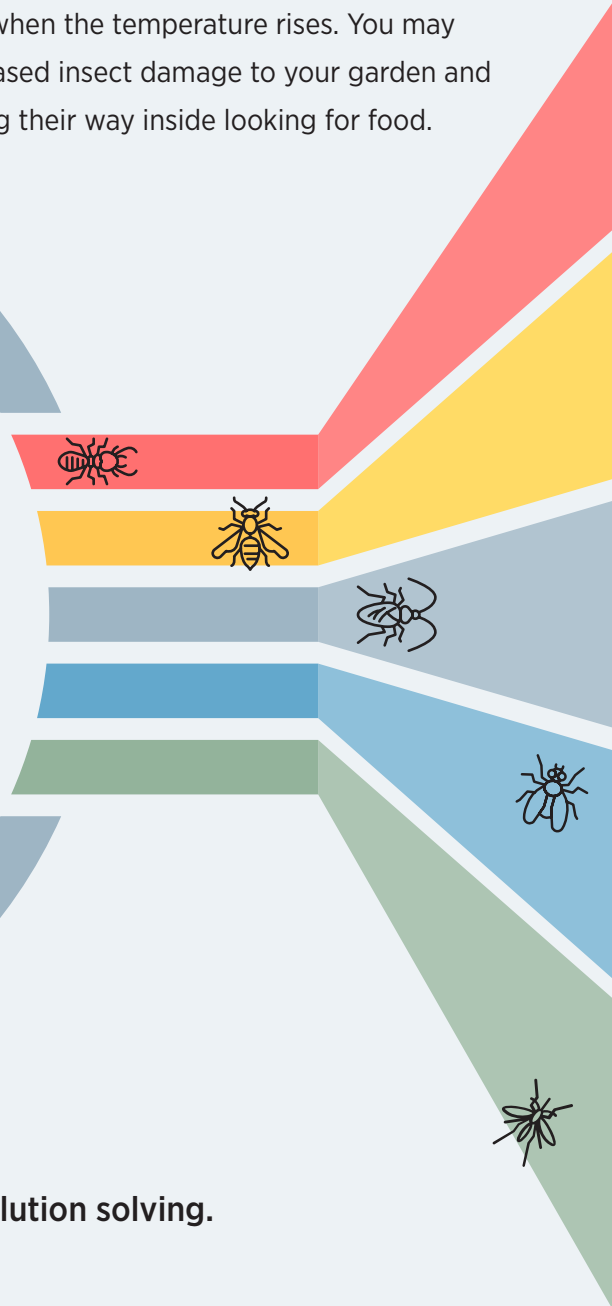
Insects are cold-blooded creatures that can't produce their own body heat, meaning the temperature of their surroundings plays an important role in their growth, development, and behavior.

**Cold Weather** - Spiders, lady bugs, boxelder bugs, and American cockroaches are commonly seen making their way indoors as temperatures begin to drop

**Hot Weather** - Insect reproductive rates typically increase in warmer months, which is why you see more bugs when the temperature rises. You may notice increased insect damage to your garden and more making their way inside looking for food.

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Identifying your specific pest problem is the first step in solution solving.

- Different bugs require different pest-control treatments
- The seriousness of an infestation can help with tailoring solutions
- Plan and understand how to time treatments and/or re-treatments

## Ants

Ants are attracted to food, which means indoor ants are often found in the kitchen. **Place ant baits near the kitchen, dining areas, and places where ants are most likely to feed.** Ant baits aren't designed to trap ants. Instead of killing them on contact, the **baits are designed to let ants feed on them and ultimately kill the colony.**

**Raid® Ant & Roach Killer 26** kills on contact and keeps killing with residual action for up to 13 weeks\*.

\*on Cockroaches and Ants on non-porous surfaces such as ceramic and laminate. Carpenter Ants for up to 12 weeks. Kills by contact.

**Raid® Ant Baits III** kill ants for up to three months.



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## Wasps & Hornets

What to know when treating nests:

- Treat the nest at dusk or dawn when it is cooler and the insects are less likely to be active.
- When spraying, make sure you stand away from the nest and not directly underneath.

To help safeguard from stinging insects, use an insecticide spray labeled for treating outdoor nests. Once the nest is thoroughly saturated, it can be removed or left alone — either way it won't be used again by other wasps.

Just be sure to **read the label so you know how long to wait after treatment to remove the nest.**

**Raid® Wasp & Hornet Killer 33** kills wasps and hornets on contact and is electrically non-conducting up to 32,500 volts.



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## Cockroaches

Act swiftly at the first sign of roaches. Roaches have evolved to survive when fewer of their natural predators can see them, so they come out of hiding in the dark. If you see these critters during the daytime, this could be a sign that you have a roach problem.

- Apply a roach-control spray to attack the roaches you see. You can also **apply the spray to areas where they hide, like cracks and crevices.** Use a barrier product to create a line of defense around your space and keep roaches out.

**Raid Max® Ant & Roach** kills problem insects on contact\*\* and is effective for up to 6 months. \*\*kills under 1 minute.

**Raid® Double Control Large Roach Baits** kills the entire nest, including the eggs.



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## Flies



Flies can pick up bacteria and other pathogens from feeding and breeding grounds, including garbage, feces and carcasses. Wherever flies land, those contaminants are then transferred from their bodies or through their vomit or feces.

While it might be hard to completely get rid of flies, there are ways to **keep them under control – eliminating areas where flies are known to reproduce.** Prevent drain flies and larvae by proactively keeping your drains clean.

**Raid® Flying Insect Killer** kills flies, mosquitoes, wasps and more on contact.

**Raid Essentials® Flying Insect Light Trap** uses blue light technology to manage fruit flies, house flies, gnats and more.



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## Mosquitoes

**DEET:** Powerful synthetic works by confusing the receptors on mosquitoes' antennae, essentially making it harder for them to "smell" people and land on their skin. The concentration of DEET in your insect repellent basically determines how long mosquitoes are confused for, with higher concentrations offering longer protection.

**DEET-free:** Products that repel insects without using the chemical DEET, often opting for plant-based or alternative synthetic ingredients, such as the synthetic compound picaridin. Picaridin blocks and confuses the receptors of biting insects, forming a vapor barrier at the skin surface that deters mosquitoes from biting.

**OFF!® Deep Woods® Insect Repellent V** is formulated with 25% DEET—provides up to 8 hours of protection against mosquitoes.

**OFF!® Clean Feel Insect Repellent** is a non-sticky and fragrance-free formula made with 20% picaridin for an effective and proven protection against mosquitoes for up to 8 hours.

**OFF!® Deep Woods® Insect Repellent Towelettes** are individually wrapped disposable towelettes repel ticks, mosquitoes, biting flies, chiggers, and gnats for up to 8 hours.



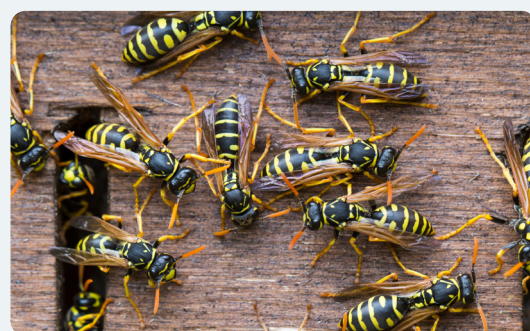
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**PRODUCT DESCRIPTION**

Raid® Ant & Roach Killer 26 / 17.5 oz / 12	386210	10046500117173
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Raid® Ant Baits III / 8 ct	308819	10046500767200
Raid® Wasp & Hornet Killer 33 / 14 oz / 12	377651	10046500013536
Raid Max® Ant & Roach / 14.5 oz / 6	345742	10046500702614
Raid® Double Control Large Roach Baits / 12 ct	697324	10046500157445
Raid® Flying Insect Killer / 15 oz / 12	1300816	0046500016605
Raid Essentials® Flying Insect Light Trap	341900	10046500038706
OFF!® Deep Woods® Insect Repellent V / 6 oz / 12	354266	10046500018425
OFF!® Clean Feel Insect Repellent / 5 oz / 12	350495	10046500037624
OFF!® Deep Woods® Insect Repellent Towelettes / 12 ct / 12	611072	10046500549967
Raid MAX® Perimeter Protection / 30 oz / 6	377256	10046500015639
RAID MAX® Concentrated Deep Reach™ Fogger / 3 x 2.1 oz / 6	305694	10046500125652
OFF!® Active® Insect Repellent I / 6 oz / 12	334678	10046500018104
OFF!® Deep Woods® Insect Repellent VIII (Dry) / 4 oz / 12	315652	10046500717649
Raid® Essentials Ant & Roach Killer 29, Essential Oil Insecticide Trigger 12 oz / 6	321038	10046500030953
Raid® Essentials Ant & Roach Killer 28 Aerosol / 10 oz / 6	321025	10046500023566



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