the breakthrough in effective & ecological FRUIT FLY MANAGEMENT

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**BioControl** 

MASS TRAPPING Population Control ZERO RESIDUE Pesticide Free

- MEDITERRANEAN FRUIT FLY (Ceratitis capitata)
- ORIENTAL FRUIT FLY (Bactrocera dorsalis)
- MARULA FRUIT FLY (Ceratitis cosyra)
- NATAL FRUIT FLY (Ceratitis rosa)



**CeraTrap**<sup>®</sup> is a **Biological Solution** which can successfully be used in an Integrated Pest Management programme against the following fruit fly species:

## TARGET SPECIES

- Mediterranean fruit fly (Ceratitis capitata)
- Oriental fruit fly (Bactrocera dorsalis)
- Marula fruit fly (Ceratitis cosyra)
- Natal fruit fly (Ceratitis rosa)



### **BENEFITS**



Highly selective

- Non-toxic, biological solution
- Provides comprehensive fruit fly control
- 🙆 Compatible in an integrated pest management programme
- Population suppression in consecutive seasons
- Neither harmful nor disruptive to beneficial insects
- Attracts fruit flies of all species including Bactrocera dorsalis
- 🙆 Reduced labour intensity
- 👩 No mechanical damage close to harvest
- 100% compliance with regulations on export crops

# **MONITORING RECOMMENDATIONS**

- Fruit fly population levels and damage should be assessed throughout the susceptible period of the crop to determine pest pressure.
- Recommended monitoring systems include FF lure baited Delta traps (Chempac), Biolure baited Bucket traps (Chempac), or Capilure- and Questlure baited Sensus traps (River Bioscience).
- Monitoring traps should be examined at weekly intervals.
- Monitoring of Oriental fruit fly (Bactrocera dorsalis) with ME lure baited Bucket traps (Chempac) is a
  requirement for phytosanitary registration of fruit for export to specific markets. If detected in the area
  the appropriate authorities should be informed and all susceptible varieties in a 25 km<sup>2</sup> area should
  be treated until eradication is achieved as per the guidelines supplied by the
  Department of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries (DAFF).







*CeraTrap*<sup>®</sup> is registered on the following crops:

- Table Grapes
  - Stone Fruit
  - Pome Fruit
    - Citrus

# **MODE OF ACTION**

#### **MASS TRAPPING**

- Hydrolysed protein attractant (no chemicals)
- Killed by drowning (no escape)
- **CeraTrap**<sup>®</sup> bait attracts fruit flies of all species, predominantly adult females.





# **APPLICATION RECOMMENDATIONS:**

#### **CeraTrap® TRAPS:**

CROP	PEST	RATE PER HECTARE	REMARKS
Citrus, Stone- & Pome fruit and Table grapes.	Mediterranean fruit fly, Natal fruit fly, Marula fruit fly and Oriental fruit fly.	100 Traps per hectare.	Refer to to positioning diagram of <b>CeraTrap</b> ®.

#### **CeraTrap® BAIT:**

CROP	PEST	RATE PER HECTARE	REMARKS
Citrus, Stone- & Pome fruit and Table grapes.	Mediterranean fruit fly, Natal fruit fly, Marula fruit fly and Oriental fruit fly.	600 ml per trap.	Refill every 8 — 10 weeks.

# NOTES

- CeraTrap® is a biological solution which could successfully be used in an integrated pest management programme against listed target pests.
- CeraTrap® bait attracts fruit flies of all species, predominantly females.
- CeraTrap® bait is most effective when used in combination with the original CeraTrap® trap.
- Hang the first **CeraTrap**® traps as soon as the fruit become susceptible to fruit fly attacks or as early as 12 weeks before harvesting, depending on the crop and cultivar.
- It is vitally important that infested fruit are regularly removed from orchards before and during the harvest period. Additionally, all fruit left after harvest should be removed from trees to reduce pest pressure.
- CeraTrap® traps should be hanged on the northern side of the tree, at a height of approximately 1.5 m and within the canopy of the tree.
- CeraTrap® could be used in combination with Male Annihilation Technique (MAT) for improved Bactrocera dorsalis control.
- Density of **CeraTrap**®traps should be increased on perimeter of orchards bordering an alternative host or source of fruit fly invasion.
- In the case of significant damage, application of complementary aerial- or ground sprays with a suitable insecticide is recommended.
- To reduce overwintering fruit fly populations, traps should be refilled with CeraTrap® bait after harvest.
- CeraTrap® traps should be refilled with CeraTrap® bait up to a maximum of 600 ml before total evaporation occurs.
- CeraTrap® traps can be left in the orchard to be refilled the following season or removed and stored until such time.
- Refilling intervals of CeraTrap® traps with CeraTrap® bait is dependent on temperature, relative humidity and direct sunlight.



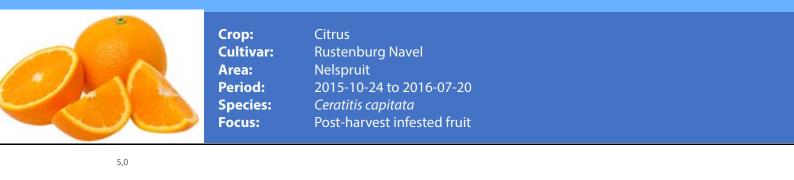
CeraTrap<sup>®</sup>

Standard



Crop: Cultivar: Area: Period: Species: Focus: Citrus Rustenburg Navel Nelspruit 2015-10-24 to 2016-07-20 *Ceratitis capitata* Pre-harvest infested fruit





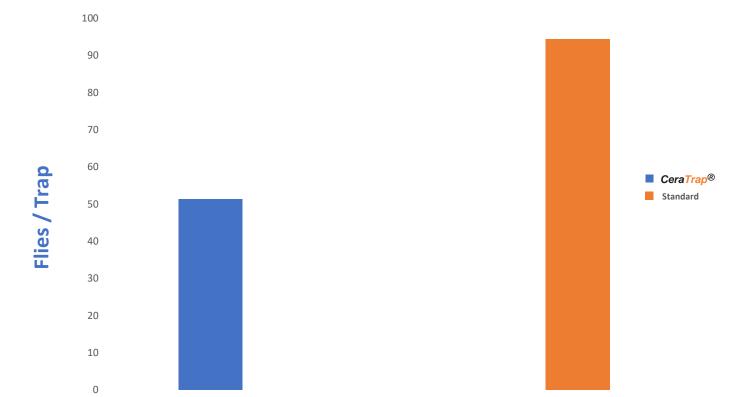


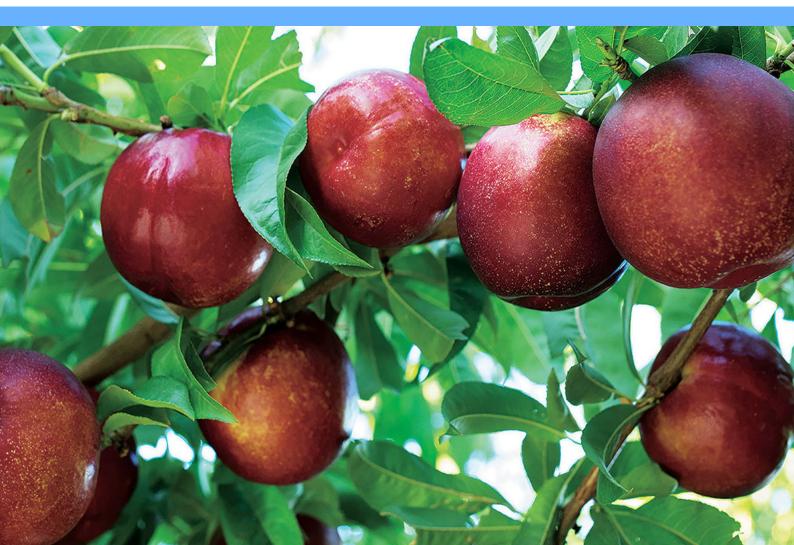






Crop: Cultivar: Area: Period: Species: Gender: Nectarines Alaska Red Franschhoek 2015-02-11 to 2016-01-11 *Ceratitis capitata* Male











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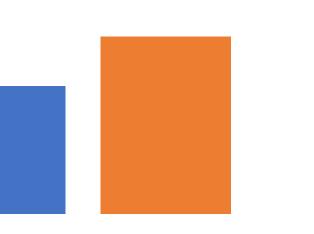
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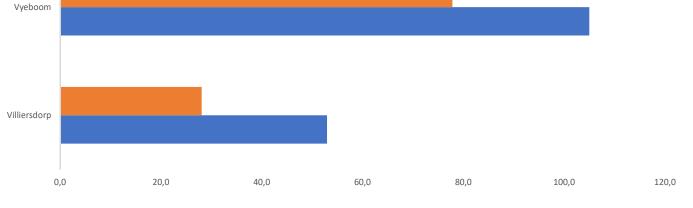
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Fruit Fly-infested fruit



CeraTrap® Standard



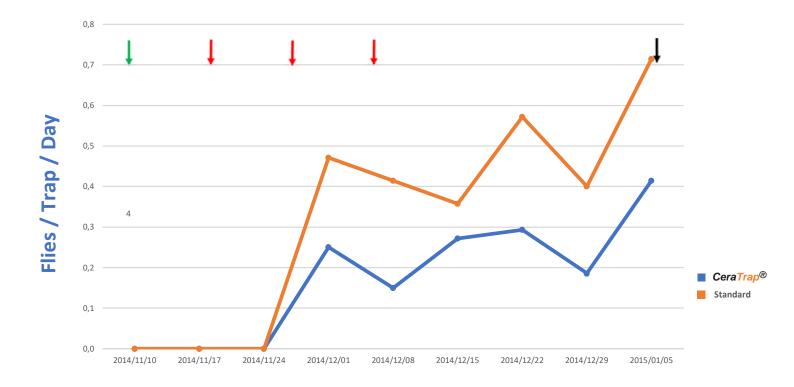


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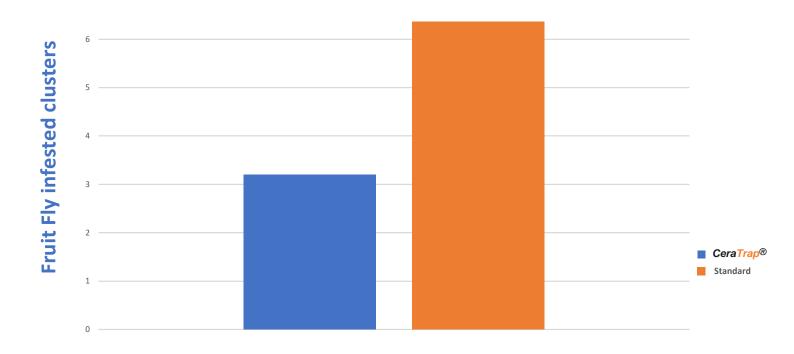
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Crop: Cultivar: Area: Period: Species: Focus: Grapes Dauphine De Doorns 2014-11-10 to 2015-01-05 *Ceratitis capitata* Pre-harvest cluster infestation



fruit crops citrus stone fruit table grapes wine grapes

targeted



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withholding period 100% export crops 100% biological 8-10 5,9% # Profile Weeks before REFILL 12 hangweeks before harvesting 1,5M above the ground within the canopy

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"Due to pressure on fruit farmers to control fruit flies to a threshold of almost no catches and zero infestation, the need for a product such as **Ceratrap**<sup>®</sup> is of great importance. I have for the past 3 years personally tested the **Ceratrap**<sup>®</sup> technology together with **InteliGro**. **Ceratrap**<sup>®</sup> works well by catching all detrimental fruit flies. In the process there are no chemicals on the fruit."

Petru du Plessis, Bon Esperance, Stellenbosch

"I'm farming next to the town and for years have had difficulty with fruit fly control in spite of bait applications and chemical sprays. The past 3 years I have had excellent results since hanging **Ceratrap**<sup>®</sup> and combining it with my weekly ground bait application. My fruit fly damage is now minimal. It would be a good thing if the Agricultural industry can create awareness of the importance of **Ceratrap**<sup>®</sup> among the Municipalities and town residents."

Pietman le Roux, Hugodore Boerdery, Villiersdorp

# about inteliBio solutions

With the ever-increasing focus on food safety, residue management and environmental stewardship, the need exists for more alternative crop protection solutions.

These solutions can be implemented in well-structured programmes without resulting in additional residues and a possible negative impact on the environment.

The **Bio-Control** range forms the foundation of a well-structured, integrated crop solution approach and in future will assist our focus towards residue and pesticide free food production.











**InteliGro** promotes an Integrated Crop Solutions Approach that includes the use of biological solutions in combination with the responsible implementation and positioning of conventional crop protection products.

**IPM** is a flexible system of managing pests which is designed to be sustainable, making the best use of all available technologies to manage problems effectively and safely. **IPM** involves using the best combination of cultural, biological and chemical measures for particular circumstances, including plant biotechnology as appropriate.

This is exactly the approach that InteliGro follows to help growers with sustainable crop solutions:

The IPM approach is built on three main areas of expertise with specific underlying areas:

- Good knowledge of the specific crop involved; plant physiology, plant biological and specific production aspects.
   This also include an understanding of the specific cultivars, seed varieties, rootstocks, and its specific susceptibility to certain pests.
- 2) Knowledge of the pests (weeds, insects, diseases, nematodes) and the potential economic impact is an important focus area. Monitoring plays a crucial part in accurate decision-making, and forms the basis of well-structured crop solution approach.
- 3) Thirdly, **InteliGro** has a good knowledge of the available crop protection solutions that include, chemical, biological and cultural management options.









**CeraTrap**<sup>®</sup> is an specific second generation attractant, for the capture of *Ceratitis capitata* and other fruit flies.

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# **Provider of integrated crop solutions**

- Sustainable crop protection
- Integrated biological offering InteliBio Solutions™
- Customised plant nutrition advice
- Specialist technical support and a comprehensive product portfolio
- Professional crop specialists
- Innovative supportive technology

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