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FOR CAUSING SERIOUS DAMAGE TO OUR TREES

SPOTTED LANTERNFLY
Lanternfly Q&A

**Q:** Why isn't the lanternfly an issue in Asia?

**A:** The lanternfly is native in Asia. So over in Asia it has natural predators to keep the lanternfly population at a steady rate. Whereas in the US it doesn't have natural predators.

**Q:** What do they affect?

**A:** Lanternflies causes damage to trees which ooze sap, leaf curling, and dieback. When feeding they leave a substance called honeydew and when turned into mold they affect plants and not humans.
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Q: Are spotted lanternflies dangerous to people and animals?

A: The spotted lanternfly is not known to bite harm, sting, or attack pets. They are poisonous when digested by humans or pets. They are only known to feed on the sap from the trees.

Q: Why are they spreading so fast?

Lanternflies lay eggs on every surface.