



# <u>Spidex Vital Plus (*Phytoseiulus persimilis*) - Premium Sachet Application</u> Instructions

#### Please use immediately upon receipt. For indoor use only.

#### Required conditions:

- Temperature range: between 13 and 27°C
- Humidity: 70% (lower humidity will not kill the *phytoseiulus* predators but will make reproduction more difficult)
- Do not apply the phytoseiulus if insecticides were used in the past 1-2 weeks

#### **Before application:**

- If possible, manually remove any webbing on the leaves of your plants
- Prune any heavily damaged leaves
- Do not open the sachets. The sachets already contain an emergence hole

### **Application:**

- Use all of the sachets at once and do not store
- Hang the sachets onto stems, or leaves, at a rate of 1-2 per plant
- Hang the sachets out of direct sunlight
- Do not use any insecticides once the predators have been applied
- The sachets will release predators for 2 weeks

## **Next Steps:**

- Observe Spider Mite activity during the 2 week life cycle of the sachet and ensure to replace the sachets to continue protection
- The sachets can be used with our *Amblyseius californicus* predators
- If Spider Mite numbers rapidly increase switch to a curative application of our *Phytoseiulus persimilis*

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