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# Amblyseius Andersoni Predatory Mite Sachets Application Instructions

*Please use immediately upon receipt for best results*

## Required conditions:

- Temperature range: **14°C and above** (optimally: 20–28°C)
- Humidity: **65%** (lower humidity will not be fatal but will reduce reproduction)
- Do not apply *Andersoni* if insecticides have been used in the past 1–2 weeks

## Before application:

- Prune any heavily damaged leaves
- Do not open the sachets. The sachets already contain an emergence hole
- Do not apply the sachets with *Amblyseius swirskii* or *Amblyseius cucumeris* predatory mites

## Application:

- Hang the sachets onto stems, or leaves, at a rate of 1–2 per plant
- Hang the sachets away from direct sunlight
- Apply all of your sachets at once and do not store
- Do not use any insecticides once the predators have been applied
- The sachets will release predators for 4 weeks

## Next steps:

- Observe pest activity over the 4 week emergence cycle of the sachet and ensure to replace the sachets to continue protection
- *Andersoni* sachets can be used with other Thrip predators such as our *Mighty Mite*, *Hypoaspis*, *Orius laevigatus* and *Lacewing larvae* predators.



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# Encarsia Formosa Whitefly Killer

## Application Instructions

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### Required conditions:

- Temperature range: **17-25°C**
- Do not apply *Encarsia* if insecticides have been used in the past 1-2 weeks

### Before application:

- Take down any sticky traps before releasing the *Encarsia*
- Open the package within the area you wish to release the *Encarsia*
- Refrain from touching the black dots on the cards, these are the *Encarsia* eggs

### Application:

- Do not apply the cards in direct sunlight
- Break strips into individual cards & hang approximately 75cm below plant head
- The minuscule *Encarsia* wasps will gradually emerge from the eggs on the cards
- The *Encarsia* lay eggs inside Whitefly larva, which turns the pupa black in colour, killing the Whitefly. The colour transition takes 2 weeks (temperature dependant)
- The cards can be taken down after 7 days (The *Encarsia* will have hatched by then)
- Do not use any insecticides once the parasites have been released

### Next steps:

- Consider opting for an *Encarsia* programme where you will receive 5 or 10 *Encarsia* cards each week for a selected duration. You can find these programmes on our website
- Repeat applications of *Encarsia* will ensure best results
- In the summer months consider supplementing your *Encarsia* applications with ***Amblyseius swirskii* sachets**. These predators will also consume Whitefly eggs



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