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## **IDENTIFICATION and MANAGEMENT REQUEST FORM - INSECTS AND RELATED ARTHROPODS**

From: UW Agent or Representative	E-mail	County	Date
Specimen Obtained From:			
Cooperator's Na	ame		E-mail
<b>Processing Fee:</b> Please check the appropriate Resources, UW	box and enclose cl	neck or money order pa	ayable to the Department of Renewab
Insects of agricultural importance or in the home environment		\$10.00 per identification	
Insects of medical importance		\$30.00 per identification	
Processing Policy: Mail identification requests to: P.O. Box 3354, University of Wyoming, Laramie Sample preparation instructions: 1. Never send loose of the damaged material or description of the dishould be sent in alcohol solutions in a strong preserved specimen (possibly as an addition to remove the insect after the water is lukewarm. from blackening in alcohol. 4. Sending live inse of the mailer "LIVE INSECTS ENCLOSED - AV such as cotton or tissue paper. Dead, hard-boreturn address in mailer.  Response: Each response will include identification considered. Reference to commercial product made with the understanding that no discrimin use of a pesticide is listed as a management of publications without the expressed permissio representative who submitted the sample. All given.	e, WY 82071-3354. e insects in a letter or amage. 3. Dead spect, small bottle (rubbin o a reference collection. Then place the insect ects is not encouraged OID SEVERE HEAT odied specimens may at the taxonomic leve ts is for educational pation is intended and option, all label instruction of the University of	soft-bodied insects in a visimens of soft-bodied insects in a vig alcohol diluted to 75% a), a) drop the insect in It in a vial with 75% alcohol; check with a mail carried DR COLD." 5. Moths and be packed in this manneal, which is sufficient to durposes only. Reference no endorsement by the Citions should be read and of Wyoming. Please rou	ial without preservative. 2. Include a porticts such as caterpillars, grubs, and magge with tap water is satisfactory). For a we hot water that has just come to a boil and ol. This procedure will prevent many larver for restrictions and clearly label the outsibutterflies should be packed in soft mater or placed in a vial with alcohol. 6. Platetermine if management options should to commercial products or trade names Cooperative Extension Service is implied. If followed. These results cannot be used ute inquiries to the University of Wyomi
HABITAT AND DAMAGE INFORMATION (Check all suggesting management options.)  Habitat  Feeding on plant		Degree of Infestation	(Check all that apply)
Kind Part			Large contiguous area
Feeding on animal Type of animal Part of body		Light No. of acres (if applic	Localized, dense in spots Scattered throughout area cable)
Found in home Where		<u>Damage</u>	
Feeding on man Part of body	<u></u>	☐ Damaging plants List symptomolo	ogy:
Other		Damaging anima	als gy:
Life Stages of Insect Observed (circle one): Adults Immatures Both			nd type of storage:
		Damaging struct	ture

## **UW RESPONSE: IDENTIFICATION and MANAGEMENT OPTIONS**

Signed by responder:		Date
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