

→ GRAPE MYRTLE BARK SCALE

Zylam® Liquid Systemic Insecticide

contains dinotefuran, a highly systemic third generation neonicotinoid. Zylam Liquid features translaminar activity to quickly move through the leaf and control crape myrtle bark scale.

Relatively new to Texas, Louisiana, and Arkansas, crape myrtle bark scale are white or gray encrustations about 2 mm long. Crape myrtle bark scale can attach anywhere on the plant, but are often found near wounds or branch crotches, and may gather on the underside of horizontal branches.

One of the few scales known to infest crape myrtles, the scale excretes honeydew that results in a sticky coating, and grows a sooty mold. This sooty mold may be mistaken for crape myrtle aphid mold, but crape myrtle bark scale is identifiable by the white scales and pink "blood" it excretes when crushed.

Zylam Liquid can be used for crape myrtle bark scale control on ornamental crape myrtles in residential, commercial, and industrial areas, as well as golf courses, parks, and schools, as a soil drench, bark banding (basal bark spray), or foliar application.



APPLICATION REFERENCE GUIDE	Use Sites	Landscape Trees <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In and around residential, commercial and industrial areas • Golf courses • Parks • Athletic fields and schools 		
	Pest	Crape Myrtle Bark Scale		
	Zylam Liquid Rate	SOIL DRENCH	0.8 fl. oz. per every 1" DBH*	
		BARK BANDING <i>Requires the addition of 1.0 fl. oz. of 100% silicone surfactant per gallon of spray solution.</i>	16 fl. oz. will treat 36" DBH* or 0.43 fl. oz. per every 1" DBH*	
Application Timing	For optimum control, apply in late spring for extended control throughout the growing season.			

*DBH – Diameter at Breast Height (4-5 ft. above soil surface)

GRAPE MYRTLE BARK SCALE INFO

- White or gray encrustations
- Can cause plant damage and nuisance through honeydew and resulting sooty mold
- Excretes pink "blood" liquid when crushed

OTHER TREE & SHRUB PESTS CONTROLLED:

(See product label for application & timing)

- Armored Scale (such as the hemlock elongate scale)
- Soft Scale
- Aphids
- Borers
- Many Others