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[1]DRAFT ANNEX TO ISPM 28: Cold treatment for *Thaumatotibia leucotreta* on *Citrus* *sinensis* (2017-029)

[2]**Status box**

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| [3]This is not an official part of the annex to the standard and it will be modified by the IPPC Secretariat after adoption. | |
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| [6]**Document category** | [7]Draft annex to ISPM 28 |
| [8]**Current document stage** | [9]*To* first consultation |
| [10]**Major stages** | [11]2017-06 Treatment submitted in response to 2017-02 Call for treatments (*Cold treatment of fruit and vegetables including citrus fruit* Citrus *spp. for* Thaumatotibia leucotreta).  [12]2017-07 Technical Panel on Phytosanitary Treatments (TPPT) reviewed and requested further information from Submitter.  [13]2018-05 SC added the topic to the TPPT work programme with priority 2.  [14]2018-02 Submitter provided further information.  [15]2019-07 TPPT revised the draft, restricting the scope to *Citrus sinensis*, and recommended it to the SC for approval for consultation.  [16]2020-02 SC approved for first consultation via e-decision (2020\_eSC\_May\_08). |
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| [20]**Notes** | [21]2020-02 Edited |

[22]Scope of the treatment

[23]This treatment describes the cold treatment of fruit of *Citrus* *sinensis*[[1]](#footnote-1) to result in the mortality of eggs and larvae of *Thaumatotibia leucotreta* at the stated efficacy[[2]](#footnote-2).

[26]Treatment description

[27]**Name of treatment** Cold treatment for *Thaumatotibia leucotreta* on *Citrus* *sinensis*

[28]**Active ingredient** n/a

[29]**Treatment type** Physical (cold)

[30]**Target pest** *Thaumatotibia leucotreta* (Meyrick) (Lepidoptera: Tortricidae)

[31]**Target regulated articles** Fruit of *Citrus sinensis*

[32]Treatment schedule

[33]**Schedule 1: 1.0 °C or below for 19 continuous days**

[34]There is 95% confidence that the treatment according to this schedule kills not less than 99.9972% of eggs and larvae of *Thaumatotibia leucotreta.*

[35]**Schedule 2: −0.2 °C or below for 16 continuous days**

[36]There is 95% confidence that the treatment according to this schedule kills not less than 99.9969% of eggs and larvae of *Thaumatotibia leucotreta.*

[37]For both schedules, fruit must reach the treatment temperature before treatment exposure time commences. The fruit temperature should be monitored and recorded, and the temperature should not exceed the stated level throughout the duration of the treatment.

[38]This treatment should be applied in accordance with the requirements of ISPM 42 (*Requirements for the use of temperature treatments as phytosanitary measures*).

[39]Other relevant information

[40]In evaluating this treatment, the Technical Panel on Phytosanitary Treatments (TPPT) considered issues associated with temperature regimes and thermal conditioning, taking into account the work of Hallman and Mangan (1997).

[41]Schedules 1 and 2 were based on the work of Moore *et al.* (2017) and were developed using the fourth- and fifth-instar larvae of *Thaumatotibia leucotreta* bred on an artificial diet. Research by Moore *et al*. (2016) demonstrated that larvae in artificial diet were at least as cold-tolerant as larvae in fruit.

[42]The efficacy of schedule 1 was calculated based on 108 859 fourth- and fifth-instar larvae treated with no survivors. This number is based on 109 304 larvae corrected per replicate for control mortality; the average control mortality was 0.4%.

[43]The efficacy of schedule 2 was calculated based on 98 113 fourth- and fifth-instar larvae treated with no survivors. This number is based on 100 044 larvae corrected per replicate for control mortality; the average control mortality was 1.7%.

[44]References

[45]The present annex may refer to ISPMs. ISPMs are available on the International Phytosanitary Portal (IPP) at <https://www.ippc.int/core-activities/standards-setting/ispms>.

[46]**Hallman, G.J. & Mangan, R.L.** 1997. Concerns with temperature quarantine treatment research. In: G.L. Obenauf, ed. *Proceedings of the 1997 Annual International Research Conference on Methyl Bromide Alternatives and Emissions Reduction*, San Diego, CA, 3–5 November 1997, pp. 79-1–79-4. Fresno, CA, Methyl Bromide Alternatives Outreach. Available at <https://www.mbao.org/static/docs/confs/1997-sandiego/papers/079hallman.pdf> (last accessed 13 February 2020).

[47]**Moore S.D., Kirkman, W., Albertyn, S. & Hattingh, V.** 2016. Comparing the use of laboratory-reared and field-collected *Thaumatotibia leucotreta* (Lepidoptera: Tortricidae) larvae for demonstrating efficacy of postharvest cold treatments in citrus fruit. *Journal of Economic Entomology*, 109(4) 1571–1577. Erratum (2016), *Journal of Economic Entomology* 110(2): 793, doi:10.1093/jee/tow270.

[48]**Moore S.D., Kirkman, W., Stephen, P.R., Albertyn, S., Love, C.N., Grout, T.G. & Hattingh, V.** 2017. Development of an improved postharvest cold treatment for *Thaumatotibia leucotreta* (Meyrick) (Lepidoptera: Tortricidae). *Postharvest Biology and Technology*, 125: 188–195.

1. [24] *Citrus* species and hybrids are named according to the nomenclature in Cottin, R. 2002. *Citrus of the world: A citrus directory*, version 2.0. France, SRA INRA-CIRAD. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)
2. [25] The scope of phytosanitary treatments does not include issues related to pesticide registration or other domestic requirements for contracting parties’ approval of treatments. Treatments adopted by the Commission on Phytosanitary Measures may not provide information on specific effects on human health or food safety, which should be addressed using domestic procedures before contracting parties approve a treatment. In addition, potential effects of treatments on product quality are considered for some host commodities before their international adoption. However, evaluation of any effects of a treatment on the quality of commodities may require additional consideration. There is no obligation for a contracting party to approve, register or adopt the treatments for use in its territory. [↑](#footnote-ref-2)