



Course Content

INCLUDED WITH LEVEL 1

Module 1: Welcome

- 1.1 Course Outline and Mission Statement
- 1.2 Assessment – where are you with moth treatment now? (questionnaire)

Module 2: The World Of Textile Moths & Principles Of Control

- 2.1 Textile Moths – History & The last 10 years
- 2.2 The Life Cycle Of the Common Clothes Moth & Its Importance For Control
- 2.3 Identifying Textile Moth Infestations
- 2.4 The Myth Of The Carpet Moth – The Importance of Latin names
- 2.5 Principles Of Control – What Are Our Options?
 - a. Physical Removal
 - b. Residual Insecticide
 - c. Fogging
 - d. Diatomaceous Earth
 - e. Heat & Cold
 - f. Pheromone Breeding Control Systems
 - g. Biological Control

Module 3. Practical Control Methods

- 3.1 Physical Removal
 - a. What are we talking about?
 - b. Carpet, Rugs and The Textile Moth
 - c. Vacuuming & lifting carpet edges
 - d. Carpet Disposal
- 3.2 Insecticides – Residual, Fogging
 - a. Why not just rely on insecticides?
 - b. What's wrong with repeat spraying
 - c. Spraying under carpet edges
- 3.3 Diatomaceous Earth – an often underrated product
 - a. What is it?
 - b. How does it work?
 - c. How we use it in moth control

Module 3A. Domestic Case Studies

Module 4: Monitoring – A Vital Tool

- 4.1 What is it?
 - a. Demi Diamond traps & their use
- 4.2 How Does it Work?
 - a. Pheromone attraction and why it is not a control system
 - b. Seasonal changes and how to interpret them
- 4.3 Why is it so important?
- 4.4 Getting clients to use the Proton Moth Monitoring Programme
 - o How it works
 - o Putting them in control & making your job easier

Module 5: The Survey – Why It Is So Important

- 5.1 What are we trying to do when carrying out a survey?
- 5.2 How to use the Proton Survey Form
- 5.3 Answering the client's questions...
- 5.4 The specific questions you WILL be asked, and how to answer them.

LEVEL 2 – EXTRA MODULES

Module 6: Templates & Resources

- 6.1 Survey form
- 6.2 Customer Survey Questionnaire (for remote survey)
- 6.3 Before & After Info Sheets
- 6.4 Monitoring Sheet
- 6.5 Estimate Generator

Module 7: Long Term Control Systems

- 7.1 Pheromone based breeding control
 - a. How it works?
 - b. When to use it
 - c. How to price for it
- 7.2 Biological Control – Trichogramma Evanescens

Module 8: Mansion Blocks

- a. How to approach multiple occupancy buildings for moth control
- b. Monitoring
- c. Case Study



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