



PLANT CARE  
SERIES

# Fruit Tree Spraying - Seeded Fruit

## Fall to Spring - Apples, Pears & Asian Pears

WHEN	SPRAY	REASON
Fall (as soon as all the leaves fall off)	Lime Sulfur	For control of leaf curls, leaf spot and other fungal diseases. Also helps control scale and borers.
Winter (mid-January)	Spray Oil & Lime Sulfur Combination	Kills over-wintering insects on dormant trees.
Spring 1 (when buds start to swell)	Lime Sulfur	Helps control fungal diseases like apple scab, black spot, leaf curls and mildews.
Spring 2 (7 days after Spring 1 application)	Lime Sulfur	Helps control fungal diseases like apple scab, black spot, leaf curls and mildews.
Spring 3 (7 days after Spring 2 application)	Lime Sulfur	Helps control fungal diseases like apple scab, black spot, leaf curls and mildews.
Spring (after 2/3 of flower petals have fallen)	Fruit Tree Spray or Orchard Spray	This application helps prevent diseases and insects/worms from attacking the fruit and trees. On apples, repeat this application every 7 – 10 days for 3 applications, or as directed on the label.

Always follow recommended application rates listed on manufacturer's label for each product. Be sure to follow the amount of time recommended between successive sprayings and also between the final spray application and harvesting the fruit from the sprayed trees.

The basic applications listed above should control the most common diseases and insects affecting fruits with seeds. If other problems should occur, the following are suggestions of products to use:

**Lime Sulfur** – Disease

**Fruit and Nut Orchard Spray** – Disease and insects

**Fruit Tree Spray** – Disease and insects; use after flowering.

**Copper Fungicide** – Disease

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