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# PLACER COUNTY PESTS: INVERTEBRATES

## INSECTS, MITES, MOLLUSKS, NEMATODES

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As nominated by Placer County master gardeners based upon their personal gardening experiences. For pest notes, which provide descriptions and methods of controlling these pests, click to follow the link. For the University of California's official guidelines for managing pests with environmentally sound methods, visit <http://ipm.ucanr.edu/PMG/menu.homegarden.html>



[Ants](#)



[Black Widow Spider](#)



[Codling Moths](#)



[Aphids](#)



[Bordered Plant Bug \(nymph\)](#)



[Earwigs](#)



[Bark Beetle](#)



[Budworm/Caterpillars](#)



[Flea Beetles](#)

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[Fruit Fly](#)



[Hoplia Beetle](#)



[Leafhopper](#)



[Gnats](#)



[Hornworm \(caterpillar\)](#)



[Leafminer \(mines\)](#)



[Grasshopper](#)



[Lacebug](#)



[Leafroller \(larva\)](#)



[Harlequin Bug](#)



[Leaffooted Bug](#)



[Nematode \(root damage\)](#)



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Sawfly (larva)



Squash Bug



Whitefly



Scale



Stink Bug



Snails & Slugs



Thrips



Spider Mites



Wasps & Yellowjackets