

Insect Monitoring Floor Trap



An innovative low profile insect monitoring system or blunder trap with 360° access. The specially designed ramps mean the insects can enter the trap from all directions. The low profile (20mm) height makes the trap ideal for placing in limited spaces or for discrete trapping under furniture or spaces with limited openings.

The low height also makes the trap the preferred solution for heritage sites where small mammals or bats may be active and which might be attracted by captured insects. The plastic design keeps the glue card dry in locations that may be damp.

The trap is designed with a clever armature at the rear hinged side so that when the lid is lifted, the arm raises the glue card for easy removal.

The black colour ensures an active monitoring programme can be undertaken discretely with limited potential for disturbance.

Dimensions

Trap: 105mm x 85mm x 20mm.

Entrance: 13mm narrowing to 5mm at the top of the entry ramp.



Trap No.	Date	Time	Species	Count

The floor trap is also supplied with a sticky label that can be placed on the trap surface or under the lid for easy trap maintenance record keeping that can be updated at each recording.

Traps should be inspected regularly – every one to three months.

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Each floor trap is supplied with 2 sticky insert glue cards (80mm x 60mm).

Replacement sticky glue inserts are available separately and are supplied in units of 10.



Guidance for Use:



- Open hinged lid (the front is the side with two cylindrical column corners)
- Add sticker and mark location and date placed
- Peel off cover paper from insert glue card
- Place glue card, glue side up, into central reservoir, making sure to engage the front edge under two lugs situated on the lower inside front edge
- If required, add an attractant or pheromone dispenser
- Close the lid so that fasteners engage
- Site where required.

When no pheromone or attractant is added, and even when these are included, blunder traps like the insect monitoring floor trap, will detect insects better if they are placed at a floor-wall junction, tightly against the wall so that insects cannot pass behind.

Check regularly to ensure the traps have not been moved during housekeeping and relocate if necessary.

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