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Locust borer

Locust borer larvae weaken trees, rendering them susceptible to wind breakage and retarding growth.

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It is a very upright tree with a straight trunk and narrow crown that grows scraggly with age. Prevention is the key in controlling wood-boring insect pests.

Black locust (Robinia)

Chemical Contact the Plant Clinic 630-719-2424 or for current recommendations. Honey locust borer *Agrilus difficilis* attacks large and small honey locust trees, as well as branches more than 2 inches in diameter. Water-stressed trees also may be highly susceptible to attack; thus, watering trees during times of drought may increase their resistance.

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Black locust is also attacked by , a virus which causes growths, clear leaflet veins are a symptom of the disease. After mating, females lay eggs in small clusters in bark cracks and crevices. Such removal may reduce the threat to healthy trees.

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All stems should be cut, and new stems that appear subsequently should also be removed in the same growing season. Sharp spines may be present, especially on sucker growth.

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