

The Spotted Menace!

A Spotted Lanternfly Update for Maryland



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Spotted Lanternfly Recap



- Planthopper
 - Hemiptera (Fulgoridae)
- Native to Asia
 - China, India, Vietnam
- Feeds on ~80 different plant species
- Preferred Host is Ailanthus altissima
 - Tree of Heaven
- First found in PA in 2014
 - Imported stone



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Adults: July - December



Egg Laying: September -November



Eggs: October - June



Fourth Instar: July - September

One Generation Per Year





Hatch and 1st Instar: May - June

Third Instar: June - July Second Instar: June - July

Ailanthus altissima







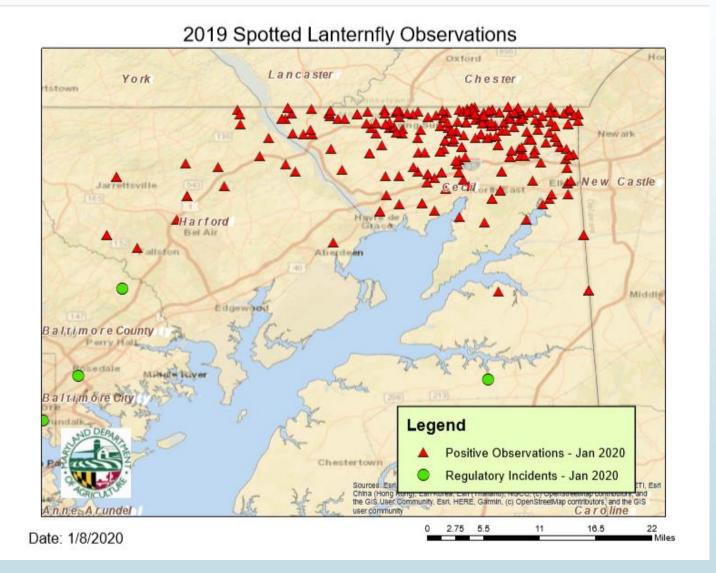






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Maryland does not want this! 🗽





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http://mda.maryland.gov/plants-pests/Pages/spotted-lantern-fly.aspx

