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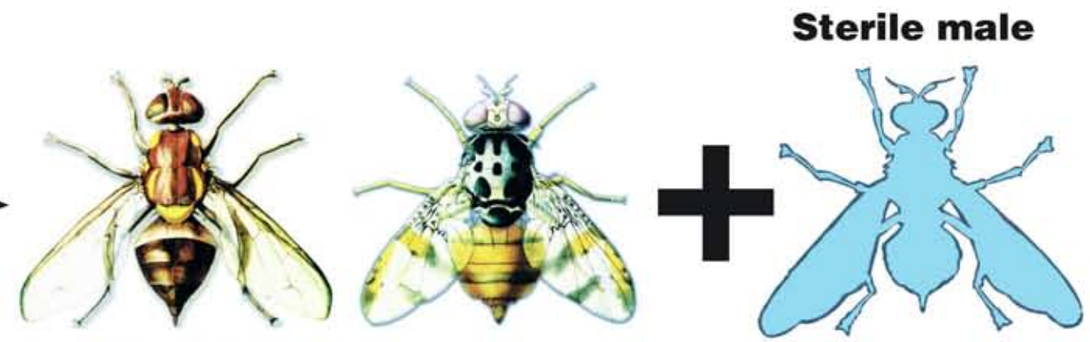
Sterile fruit fly release program

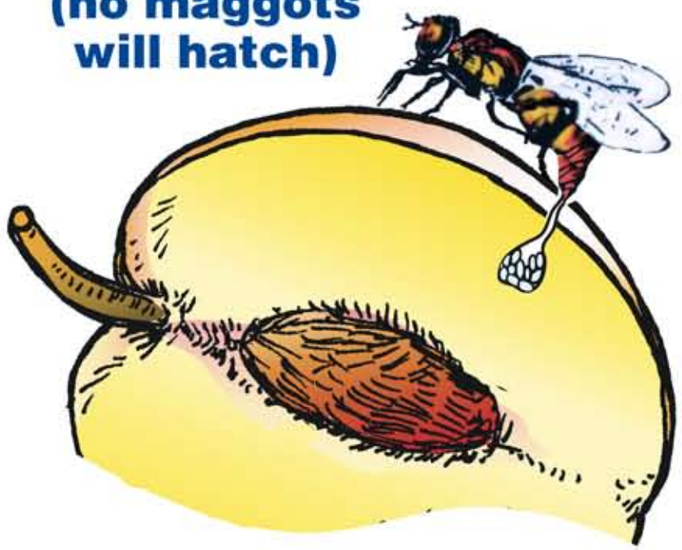
Sterile Insect Technique (S.I.T.)



Wild female mates with sterile male

Sterile flies greatly outnumber wild flies

Wild female lays infertile eggs (no maggots will hatch)



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Population eradicates itself

For Further Information:
Telephone – the Fruit Fly Hotline on 1300 666 010
or log on to the **PIRSA web site** – **www.pir.sa.gov.au/fruitfly**

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