

Resource List Dirt Talk: Slugs & Snails August 10th, 2022 – 6pm to 7:30pm

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YouTube Video Link for Presentation: https://youtu.be/ziegCWHOpxU

Presentation Resource List:

Oregon Guide – Slugs & Snails (applicable to WA State as has same species)
https://www.oregon.gov/oda/shared/documents/publications/ippm/odaguidemolluscs2016forweb.pdf

Slug Portal:

http://agsci.oregonstate.edu/slug-portal

Preferred Traps (referred to in presentation)

The traps that we use can be bought from Rincon Vitova: (https://www.rinconvitova.com/snailer.htm). To order you need to call 1-800-248-2847. The cost is \$8.99 per trap or \$39.00 for a pack of six. The traps come with an attractant, but we simply substitute the attractant for bread dough. Also there are two trap types, Slug Saloons and Snailers. We use Snailers but unless the growers use a toxicant, slugs will be able to escape once they eat their fill of dough.

Recipe used for bread dough (referred to in presentation)

The recipe for the bread dough is:

- 500 g of all-purpose enriched bleached flour
- 500 ml of deionized water
- 0.25 oz of active dry yeast.