

PRESENTING

ProtekNet

THE ONLY EFFECTIVE ECOLOGICAL WAY TO PROTECT
YOUR CROPS AGAINST PESTS



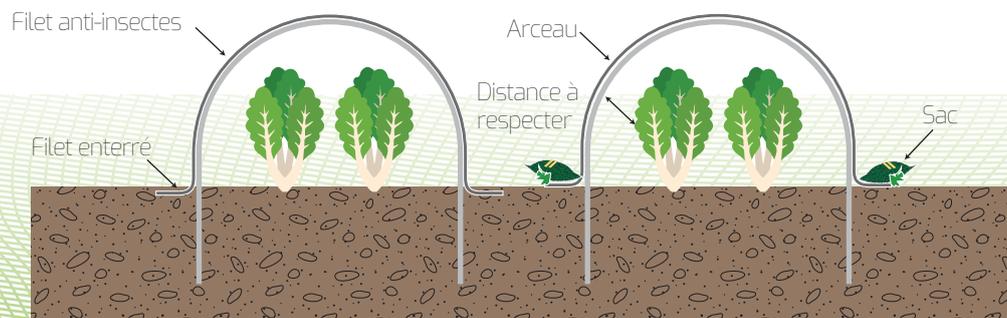
THE PRODUCT

ProtekNet

Ideal to eliminate or reduce the use of pesticides, ProtekNet is the only effective ecological way to protect your plants against insects.



Available in several sizes and meshes, the ProtekNet insect netting can be adapted to any type of production. Very versatile, it can be used in fields, in large tunnels or in greenhouses. The net is placed directly on the plants or on arches for best results. The ProtekNet net can also be used as a substitute for plastic film in the composition of greenhouses, caterpillar tunnels and large tunnels.



THE FACTS



Perméabilité à l'air

Effet climatique : la plante bénéficie de plus d'air.

Peu de surélévation de température.

Hygrométrie mieux régulée (moins de maladie).



Lumière

Très faible ombrage, donc pratiquement pas de réduction de lumière.

Beaucoup de fils sont autant d'éléments de diffusion de la lumière.

Moins de risque de brûlure ou de montaison



Environnement

Limite l'utilisation de produits phytosanitaires.

Réduit les dépenses en pesticides.

Respecte les auxiliaires en PBI.

Significant increase in fruit size *

Significant increase in the quantity of healthy fruit **

Significant reduction in incidence of frost damage **

Significant reduction of pests **

Better Size

Less Damage



More Healthy Fruit

Less Insects

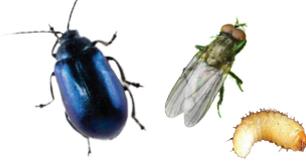
* Source : "Évaluation de filets d'exclusion contre la drosophile à ailes tachetées en bleuëtière au Québec" IRDA 13-1641

** Source : "Évaluation de la technique d'exclusion par filets dans deux vergers de pommiers du Québec" Gerald Chouinard, IRDA

THE NETS

Different needs call for different net!

Considering the insect to fight, lighting, shading effect and water permeability, you will want to select the net that allows you to get the best conditions to your crop, while effectively protecting it. Here are the different ProtekNet types of nets based on weights and the most popular insects from which they offer protection.

17 gr	Tarnished Stink Bug	
25 gr	Aphids & Thrips	
55 gr	Japanese Beetle & Ladybugs	
56 gr	Flea Beetle & Thrips	
60 gr	Leaf Beetle & Cabbage Fly	
70 gr	Drosophila	

SPECIFICATIONS

Features	ProtekNet 17 gr	ProtekNet 25 gr	ProtekNet 56 gr	ProtekNet 55 gr	ProtekNet 60 gr	ProtekNet 70 gr
Mesh size	0,85 mm X 0,85 mm 0.0335" X 0.0335"	0,35 mm X 0,35 mm 0.0138" X 0.0138"	0,25 mm X 0,73 mm 0.0098" X 0.0287"	5 mm X 3 mm 0.19" X 0.12"	1,2 mm X 1,9 mm 0.05" X 0.07"	0,85mm X 1,4 mm 0.0335" X 0.0551"
Material	Polyamide	Polyamide	Polypropylene	High Density Polyethylene	High Density Polyethylene	Polyethylene
Weight	17 gr / m ² 0.056 oz / ft ²	25 gr / m ² 0.082 oz / ft ²	52 gr / m ² 0.171 oz / ft ²	55 gr / m ² 0.18 oz / ft ²	60 gr / m ² 0.197 oz / ft ²	70 gr / m ² 0.230 oz / ft ²
U.V. Treated	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Porosity	≈ 75%	≈ 62%	≈ 80%	≈ 95%	≈ 80%	≈ 75%
Light Transmission	≈ 93%	≈ 90%	≈ 93%	≈ 75% - 80%	≈ 93%	≈ 90%
Color	Clear	Clear	Clear	White	Clear	Clear
Lifespan†	1 - 2 Seasons	2 - 3 Seasons	5 Seasons	10 Seasons	5 Seasons	5 Seasons
Design	Knit	Knit	Knit	Knit	Knit	Knit

Insects	ProtekNet 17 gr	ProtekNet 25 gr	ProtekNet 56 gr	ProtekNet 55 gr	ProtekNet 60 gr	ProtekNet 70 gr
Aphids		X	X			
Armyworm	X	X	X		X	X
Brown Marmorated Stink Bug	X	X	X		X	X
Cabbage Root Fly	X	X	X		X	X
Carrot Rust Fly		X	X			
Chrysomelid	X	X	X		X	X
Corn Borer	X	X	X		X	X
Eriophyid Mite		X				
Flea Beetles		X	X			
Japanese beetle	X	X	X	X	X	X
Ladybugs	X	X	X	X	X	X
Leafhopper	X	X	X			X
Leek Moth		X	X			X
Nymph		X	X			
Onion Maggot	X	X	X		X	X
Sawfly	X	X	X		X	X
Seedcorn	X	X	X		X	X
Spotted Wing Drosophila	X	X	X			X
Squash Bug	X	X	X		X	X
Swede Midge		X				
Tarnished Plant Bug	X	X	X		X	X
Thrips		X				
Twospotted Spider mite		X	X			
White Fly		X				
Wasps	X	X	X	X	X	X

Reference chart based on our data (not scientific) - Consult your agronomist

** Custom sizes can be ordered - please contact your sales rep for more information.

† Lifespan is approximate and conditional to storage, handling, and climate conditions.

Recommendation For nets directly on crops, be aware that some insects can lay eggs on the foliage in contact with the net - using hoops will eliminate this problem.

TESTIMONY



Some of our client's comments

So glad we found Proteknet two years ago at a farm tour. We have a 1 acre non profit garden / farm and this stuff is awesome. Stops rabbits, insects, stays put in high wind, easy to see plants (unlike with row cover), and easy to water through. Everything grown under this looks pristine and outgrows the same crops without it. We've used it on all greens and salad crops, edamame, and root crops with excellent results. And it doesn't seem to tear and break down nearly as easily as row cover.

-Susan

I love this netting! Using a barrier is the best form of protection for organing growing. ProtekNet is one of the best barriers I've found.

-Steve in Lake

Fellow gardeners and farmers, this is one fantastic product. We have a 5,000 sq. ft. organic vegetable garden in New Jersey; in years past we battled flea beetles, white flies, cucumber beetles and aphids among many others. We started using the Proteknet this year. So far the insect pressure from pests is miniscule (flea beetles) to zero (aphids) and the spring harvest of lettuce, swiss chard and broccoli rabe has been both hugely productive and insect damage free. Setting up the protective tunnels is easy, and the fabric is light and slides freely over the PVC plastic hoops to adjust where you want it. We spent a fraction of the time setting up as we would have fighting pests. Also it's easy to open the tunnels, flip the fabric over the hoops and harvest. We have both drip irrigation and overhead watering, and the fabric allows the water to sprinkle right in. The vegetables thrive in perfect conditions, they look like they came out of a green house. We've gone through several strong thunder and wind storms this spring and the tunnels stayed in place. We use garden fabric to minimize weeds throughout the garden and I suggest using fabric or plastic under the tunnels.

-Gail Lynn

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