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**Step 1.** Judge whether the soil moisture level is moderate to wet or dry to normal. If you're in doubt about soil moisture level, you should default to the "Moderate to Wet Soil" instructions when using a EZject soil injector.

**Step 2.** To make a master batch of treatment solution, follow the proportions of water and packets of product shown in the Mixing chart below. Warm water works best. Put the water in the mixing container first; then add packets and shake well until all is dissolved. To load the tank, pour through a funnel and paint filter to eliminate any undissolved material.

| MIXING THE MASTER BATCH                                       |   |   |  |
|---|---|---|--|
| Amount of<br>Product  | Amount of Water for<br>Moderate to Wet Soil | Amount of Water for<br>Dry to Normal Soil |  |
| Put 1 entire 1.6 oz packet into water; don't open the packet. | 17 fl oz                                    | 34 fl oz                                  |  |
| 2 packets   | 34 fl oz                                    | 68 fl oz                                  |  |
| 3 packets   | 51 fl oz                                    | 102 fl oz                                 |  |
| 4 packets   | 68 fl oz                                    |   |  |
| 5 packets   | 85 fl oz                                    |   |  |
| 6 packets   | 102 fl oz                                   |   |  |

Step 3. Measure the trunk diameter of the tree at breast height. This is called "inches dbh."

**Step 4.** Rake back any leaf litter, duff or debris from the base of the tree so that bare soil is accessible. At a distance of no more than 12 inches from the base of the tree, make one injector hole in the soil for each inch of trunk diameter. The holes should be evenly spaced around the tree and no deeper than 2-4 inches. Note: For trees that are smaller than 4 inches dbh, make a minimum of 4 shallow holes around the tree.

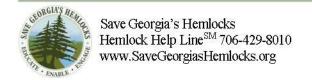
Step 5. Based on the trunk diameter, pump the injector handle the number of times shown in the Dosing chart below. Be sure to stay in the same moisture level column as you used for mixing.

| DOSING                                  |   |   |  |  |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Inches (DBH)                            | Strokes PER INCH DBH for Moderate to Wet Soil | Strokes PER INCH DBH for Dry to Normal Soil |  |  |
| 1-11                                    | 1 stroke / hole                               | 2 strokes / hole                            |  |  |
| 12-18                                   | 1.5* strokes / hole                           | 3 strokes / hole                            |  |  |
| 19-22                                   | 2 strokes / hole                              | 4 strokes / hole                            |  |  |
| >22 should be treated 2 years in a row. | 3 strokes / hole                              | 6 strokes / hole                            |  |  |

<sup>\*</sup> To get the equivalent of 1.5 pumps per hole, do 1 pump in half the holes and 2 pumps in the other half, distributing these two levels evenly around the tree.

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