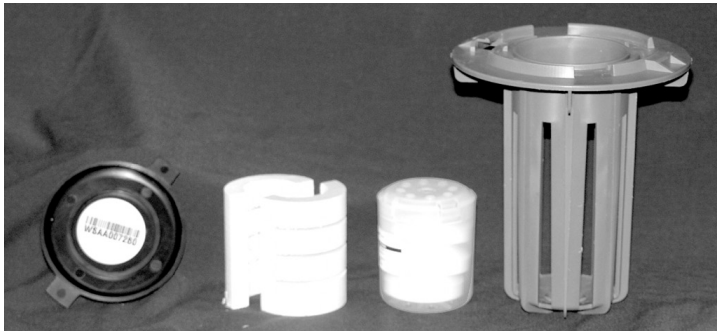


# Advance®

## Termite Bait System

### Quick Installation/Service Guide



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#### Components

Advance Termite Bait Station (TBS) is pre-assembled and consists of:

- 1) Advance Quik-Lock® Cap with bar code
- 2) Advance Termite Monitoring Base (TMB)
- 3) Advance Termite Inspection Cartridge (TIC)
- 4) Advance Termite Bait Station (TBS)

The top of the Advance TBS is technician friendly for easy access to the interior compartment of the station. The station cap is opened with a special device called The Spider®. Inside the in-ground station is a combination of a highly preferred wood monitor and a Termite Inspection Cartridge (TIC) that contains Puri-Cell® monitoring tablets, the pre-bait. Termites will initially feed and aggregate in the lower Termite Monitoring Base (TMB), then readily forage upward and feed on the Puri-Cell tablets. This combination enables the technician to inspect and detect termite activity in the station with minimal disturbance to termites in the station.

#### Placement

Place the Advance TBS in the soil around the perime-

ter foundation of a structure. The operator should identify critical areas where stations should be installed including, but not limited to, termite active tubes and infested wood. Other critical areas may include infested materials and areas conducive to termite activity including wood-to-soil contact, moist soil around downspouts, air conditioner drain lines, sprinkler heads and mulch beds.

The recommended spacing between stations is 10 feet with the maximum spacing between stations not to exceed 20 feet if access to soil is unrestricted.

#### Installation

Tools required: 2-3/4 inch hand auger or an electric or gaspowered auger bit measuring 2-1/2 inches in diameter.

When using a 2-1/2 inch auger in heavy soil such as clay or clay loam, the hole may need to be slightly enlarged.

Also, in heavy soil, it is recommended that the depth of the hole extend below the bottom of the station for excess water drainage. In areas with heavy thatch or dense grass (i.e. St. Augustine, Bermuda) a sod cup cutter can be used so the station does not extend above the soil causing a tripping or mowing hazard.

Once the soil is removed from the hole, insert the Advance TBS in the hole and press down. The top of the station should rest on the soil without extending significantly above the ground.



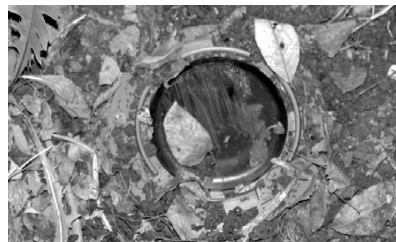
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## Monitoring Station



To open the Advance TBS, place The Spider station access tool over the station cap and rotate counter clockwise (to the left) until the two locking tabs clear the locking ring. Once unlocked, the station cap stays in The Spider and can be lifted away.

After the station cap is removed, use a cotter pin puller or needle nose pliers (both sold separately) inserted into one of the outer holes to lift the TIC out of the station to inspect for termite activity. If termites are not yet active in the TIC, the technician should peer into the center cavity of the TMB for evidence of termite activity. Generally, it is not necessary, or recommended, to remove the TMB when inspecting the station.

If termites are not present, place the TIC back in the station and lock the station cap by turning The Spider tool clockwise (right turn). If termites are present in the TIC or the TMB, replace the TIC with a Termite Bait Cartridge (TBC sold separately), replace station cover and lock into position.

**NOTE: Station monitoring should be conducted at regular intervals. Always read and follow label directions. In high termite pressure areas, it may be necessary to inspect more frequently.**

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