



# Taxidermy PROTECTOR

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PROFESSIONAL PRODUCTS FOR DOMESTIC USE

## Insect Infestations and your Taxidermy Mounts

Moths and other insects are a constant threat to a taxidermy mount. When you finish all that hard work to preserve your animal, insects will see it as an easy food source.

### About insect infestations...

- Despite your mount being free of any muscle tissue, insects will still seek out the proteins that they need from the hair shafts of your animal.
- Moths, beetles and cockroaches are common pests that will infest your taxidermy mounts. If you find the adult insects, it's most likely that the an infestation has already occurred.
- If larvae has already found their way into your mount, you will find their tracks, bald patches and areas where the hair has been noticeably broken.
- Cockroaches will pretty much eat everything your mount has to offer, including the glue.
- Once a mount has been damaged by insects, there is very little that can be done to restore it to it's former glory. The best action to take is prevention.



Signs of an infestation to look out for: adult insects, shed beetle shells, active larvae, visible damage of your mount, insect eggs.

### Prevention vs Cure

When it comes to protecting your taxidermy mounts, prevention is definitely better than cure. From the moment you start your new project, ensure your room is free of insects. You can be sure of this with one of **RugRemedy's Smoke Bombs** to kill any unseen insects that might be lurking in hidden corners, behind furniture and under carpets or rugs.

If you find a serious infestation of eggs, on several of your mounts, our **Hot Room Treatment** will also be an option.

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### Ongoing care of your mount

Once you start working on your mount, spray with **RugRemedy Taxidermy Protector** to ensure your mount isn't seen as a free meal while left unattended.

We recommend spraying your mount at the beginning of March, June and September when insects will be most active and producing eggs.

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**RugRemedy TAXIDERMY PROTECTOR** will prevent insect damage from ruining your precious mounts.

We know how much you treasure your taxidermy mounts, make sure you protect them from damaging insects.

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