

Birch Leaf Miner

(Penusa pusilla)

Common hosts:

Birch trees

Signs of infestation:

Brown, distorted, translucent or blistered leaves.

Damage: Heavy infestations will weaken trees causing them to be more susceptible to Bronze Birch Borer (which may ultimately kill the trees).



Treatment Timing: A foliar application for each generation—mid-spring and early summer—or a soil injected systemic treatment applied through October will protect trees for the following growing season.

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