

Spotted Lanternfly

Lycorma delicatula



Adult

Adult spotted lanternflies have large and visually striking wings. Adults are about 1" long and 1/2" wide.

- Abdomen: yellow with black stripes
- Forewings: brown spotted with black tips.
- Hind wings: scarlet toward center, white striped with black tips.



Nymph

Nymphs in their early stages of development appear black with white spots and turn red before becoming adults.



Egg masses are yellowish-brown in color, and most are covered with a gray, waxy coating.

The Impact

Spotted lanternflies threaten agricultural and forest health in the regions they invade.

They impact many plant species including grapes, hops and tree fruit species. Adults and nymphs pierce plants and feed on the sap from stems.

Spotted lanternflies can be spread long distances on infested material or items containing egg masses.

Learn More & Report Sightings

Reports can be made to the Washington Invasive Species Council



-OR-
using the 'WA Invasives' App

