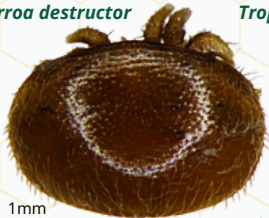


TROPILAEAPS

See it, STOP it!

Learn to ID Tropi to STOP the spread!

Varroa destructor



1mm

Tropilaelaps mercedesae



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- Similar length to *Varroa*, but narrower body
- Reddish-brown, semitransparent
- 8 legs, walks with forelegs held like antennae
- Moves quickly with a stop-start motion

Spot Tropi Look-Alikes



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Varroa mite



Pollen
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Tropilaelaps mite

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If you suspect you see *Tropilaelaps*, contact your state Apiary Inspector (apiaryinspectors.org) and APHIS State Plant Health Director.