METHOD FOR CONTROL OF SOIL PESTS OF TRANS-PLANTED CROPS

Pyrethroids are useful in a method for protecting an underground germplasm part of a trans-planted crop against attack by a soil pest. Of particular interest is the use of bifenthrin for protecting an underground germplasm part of a trans-planted crop by contact and repellant activity against attack by a soil pest.
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