

Santa Clara County Master Gardener Pest Matrix

	Cover plant with net	Hang Mylar Scare tape	Plastic Owls, Scarecrows	Electric fence, other fence	Plant resistant plants	Wire cages	No pet food, bird seed, dropped fruits, nuts, trash	Remove trash piles or hiding cover	Call Vector Control	Trunk guards	Get a dog	Repellent	Use beneficial nematodes	Traps	Offensive sprays (Coyote urine)	2' metal collar on trees	Trim trees away from house	Poison Baits	Fumigants, toxic gas	Provide 4' diameter cleared around base of young trees	Wire fence 12" high & buried 6"-10" below ground	Close entry points	Build bat house	Keep pets, poultry secure	Turn on outside lights	Avoid, leave alone
Bats																						X	X			
Birds	X	X	X																							
Coyotes				X		X		X													X			X		
Deer				X	X	X							X													
Gray Fox				X			X	X													X				X	
Gophers					X								X				X									
Moles													X													
Opossums				X			X	X	X								X									
Wild Pigs				X					X																	
Rabbits				X			X			X	X	X														
Raccoons				X			X	X	X				X					X								
Rats and Mice							X						X				X									
Skunks							X		X				X	X												
Snakes																										X
Ground Squirrels							X						X				X	X								
Tree Squirrels											X				X	X	X									
Voles							X						X						X	X	X					