



Stoprust systemic ground treatment **Usage guide & frequently asked questions**

How do I stop frangipani rust?

Frangipani rust is a fungal disease that spreads via spores that infiltrate the plants own system. Only a systemic product and good hygiene practices can reduce and eventually eliminate frangipani rust. Re-infection is always possible by spores carried on the wind from neighbouring trees. Good hygiene and prevention are key.

Directions for use of ground treatment

- 1) Clear the pot or ground of all old leaves and dispose of in the bin.
- 2) Aerate the ground of the entire root zone of the plumeria with a garden fork.
- 3) Add 40g (2 scoops) using the scoop provided of powder per 9 litres of water in a plastic watering can and stir well.
- 4) Using the watering can, water in well to the entire root zone of the tree or plant. For large trees, multiple batches may need to be mixed and applied as required.
- 5) Re-apply every 2 weeks during spring through to the end of summer.

For best results

For potted trees and smaller plants use in conjunction with our - Stoprust rust spore control spray.

Frequently asked questions (FAQs)

Q Is Stoprust systemic ground treatment safe to use?

A The ground treatment should be kept out of reach of children and pets when in its powder form. Once diluted with water and the ready for use solution has been applied to the ground there is no risk to children or pets. Always follow the directions on the pack. Avoid contact with eyes and skin when adding the powder to water. Not suitable for ground closely shared with edible plants.

Q Will Stoprust systemic ground treatment cure my frangipani of rust?

A No, used on its own it will only reduce the severity and frequency of outbreaks. Only correct and repeated use of both Stop rust products and good hygiene practises will help to reduce rust.

Q How do I know how far the root zone of my plumeria tree extends too?

A Generally the root zone extends to the distance of the farthest branches. Watering should extend to the entire drop zone area. If the entire root zone cannot be treated e.g. concrete slabs, then the results will be limited by this.

Q Can I use Stoprust systemic ground treatment on my unrooted cuttings?

A No, this product is only for use on trees and well rooted cuttings. Do not use on stressed plants, or plants with soft or wrinkled stems.