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Can't find insect eggs?
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## What is the host plant?

- The host plant is the plant the insect egg was found on/attached to.
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- If you don't know the host plant, take a couple of photos and write down the image numbers in the box next to the egg mass number. Suggested images of plants include: leaves, flowers, fruit, bark and entire plant.
- Email the images to Maddie Potter (mpotter@terpmail.umd.edu) referencing the date, site and egg mass number in the email.
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|  | Egg mass number | Parasitoid present? $\sqrt{ }$ if yes | Host plant name | Egg mass number | Wasp present? $\sqrt{ }$ if yes |  | Wasp present? $\sqrt{ }$ if yes | Host plant name |
|  | 1 |  |  | 6 |  | 11 |  |  |
|  | 2 |  |  | 7 |  | 12 |  |  |
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| $0$ | 4 |  |  | 9 |  | 14 |  |  |
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