



Tips for Keeping Termites Out of Your Property

- There are approximately 300 species of termite in Australia. Subterranean termites (also called white ants) cause most of the damage. Termites feed off cellulose-containing materials such as timber.
- Apart from timber, termites are attracted by water or moisture; ensure the perimeter of your property is kept free of damp spots to reduce the risk.
- Gardens like mulch...so do termites, as it retains moisture and is a food source. Keep mulch away from the brickwork or wall edge of property. Keep mulch below weep holes.
- Timber piles should be stored off the ground. If your house is raised, do not store timber, boxes, magazines or wooden furniture on the ground underneath your property.
- Dead trees or tree stumps should be removed, or regularly inspected for termites, and treated if required.
- Don't assume your property is free of termites because you can't see any damage. Regular termite inspections are essential.
- If you find termites do not disturb them and DO NOT try to treat them with regular insect control chemicals. Professionals require live and active termites to work with.

Regards

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