

Amoeba Disease

Causative Agent: Amoeba

Range:

Life cycle:

- Infects the malpighian tubules and prevents wastes from being filtered out of hemolymph
- Most common in the spring

Management:

- Typically found in association with Nosema and controlling Nosema normally takes care of both problems

Misconceptions:

Other Useful Sites:

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