

Chafer grubs in the lawn

Description:

Although less of a problem than Leather Jackets this flat, curved larvae of the European chafer beetle will gnaw at the roots of lawn grasses during late spring until the first frosts.



Detection:

Small brown patches of dying grass will appear. These are easily pulled from the ground as little root system remains.



Control:

Non-chemical control:-

A good lawncare regime is the most effective method of control. Autumn lawn renovations and spring/ summer care routines will ensure a healthy lawn which is much less likely to suffer from attack. Compacted soil beneath your lawn along with an overly short cut will encourage these pests to take up residence.

Biological control:-

The biological control for this pest is a nematode available for purchase in July, August and September.

Chemical control:-

The chemical control available to control this pest is **Provado Lawn Grub Killer** – active ingredient imadachlopid.

ALWAYS READ AND FOLLOW THE MANUFACTURERS INSTRUCTION WHEN USING CHEMICAL CONTROL PRODUCT