

BG-Counter:

More counts than catches



Problem



The BG-Counter counts more mosquitoes than are actually captured.



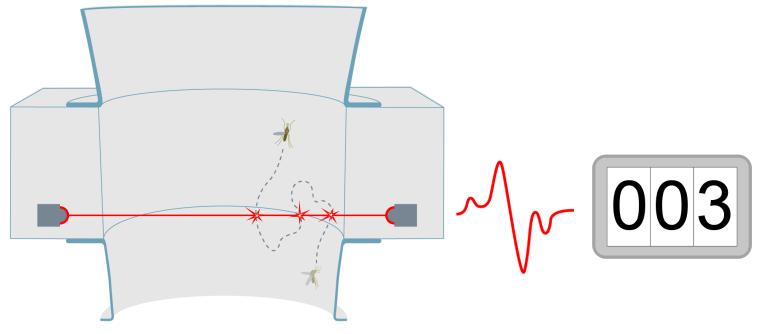
In the catch bag

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Reason 1: Mosquitoes escape from the catch bag



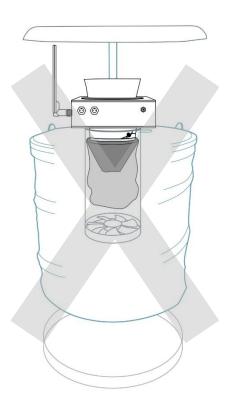
Mosquitos might be able to escape if the catch bag is full or due to a reduced air flow and spatial vicinity to the funnel. When leaving the trap, the mosquitoes sometimes cross the infrared barrier several times and are therefore also counted several times.

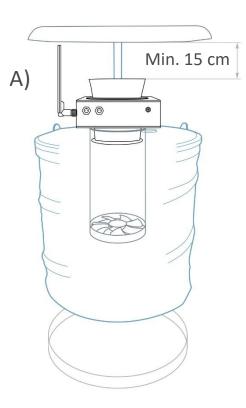


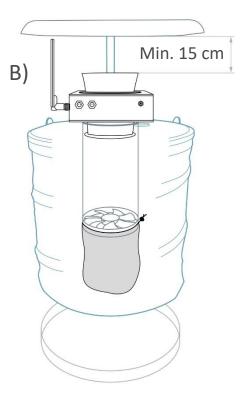
Solution: Remove the catch bag



- A) Remove the funnel net and catch bag.
- B) In case you need to analyze the mosquitoes, install a catch bag below the fan.







Reason 2: Ants or other Predators



- Ants crawl into the catch bag and feed the mosquitoes
- Solution: Place the trap ant-protected, e.g. in a water bath or grease the basement with petroleum jelly.