

Come clean go clean

- help stop tomato virus spreading

Tomato brown rugose fruit virus (ToBRFV) is a plant virus that spreads easily. It affects **tomatoes, capsicums and chillies**. Always follow these steps to reduce the risk of spreading plant pests and diseases.



Clean shoes and hands

Before moving to another greenhouse or property, clean your shoes and hands to remove dirt and plant material that might carry pests and diseases.



Use clean gloves

Remove gloves before moving to another greenhouse. Put them in the bin. Use a fresh pair in the next greenhouse, or when moving to another location.



Wash clothes and hats

Before you move to another greenhouse or property, wash the clothes and hats you wore at the last one.



Disinfect equipment

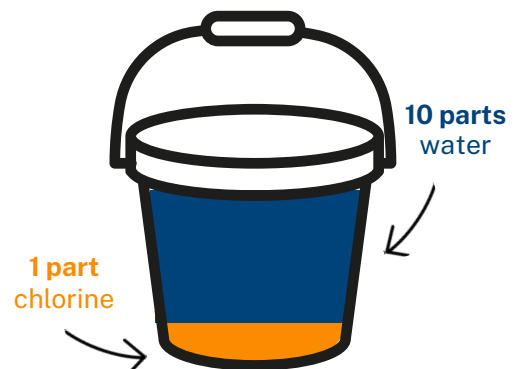
Disinfect tools, propagating material and equipment between plants.

Use **1 part chlorine to 10 parts water** - or 1/3 of a cup in 1L water.



Remember:

- Do not store chlorine next to nitrate products.
- Do not share equipment, tools or machinery with other growers - unless they have been disinfected.



Remove unwanted plants

Remove weeds, and any self-seeded or wild tomato plants, and put them in the bin. Do not compost.

If you see plants with unusual signs of disease, immediately report it to the Exotic Plant Pest Hotline



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