

# Influence of the Effectiveness of Marigold Flower Pistil Powder on Mosquito Repellent

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## **Abstract**

*Aedes aegypti* mosquito bites can cause dengue fever, eradicate the vector's life cycle, by killing mosquito larvae, using fogging, abate powder, which has an effect on the environment. Researchers were looking for a natural larvicide solution that was safe and effective. Researchers looked at marigold plants at the research location. Marigold plants contain essential oils that are effective as larvicides on *Culex quinquefasciatus*, *Anopheles stephensi* and *Aedes aegypti* mosquitoes. Quasi-experimental research, cross sectional study design. The aim is to find out: The effect of the effectiveness of marigold flower pistil powder on mosquito repulsion. The research location is in a room where there is a mosquito net box containing 120 mosquitoes, almost all of them (90%) were found. 108 mosquitoes avoided and the remaining 12 (10%) mosquitoes landed from a total of 120 mosquitoes. in a mosquito net box with 2 grams of marigold flower pistil powder in under 10 minutes. The results of the Chi-square analysis obtained a value of  $P = 0.04 < \alpha 0.05$ , statistically there is a significant positive effect between marigold flower pistil powder on the ability to avoid mosquitoes, with an odds ratio = 4.10 times. So that people get used to it, put marigold flower pistil powder in the room to repel mosquito.

## **Keywords**

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