

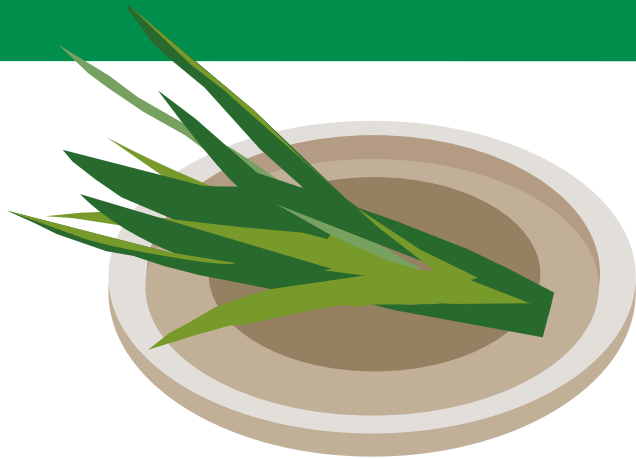
CARING FOR YOUR TEXTILES

Traditional Methods

Traditional Solutions for Pest Mitigation and Storage Plants that Insects and Pests Hate

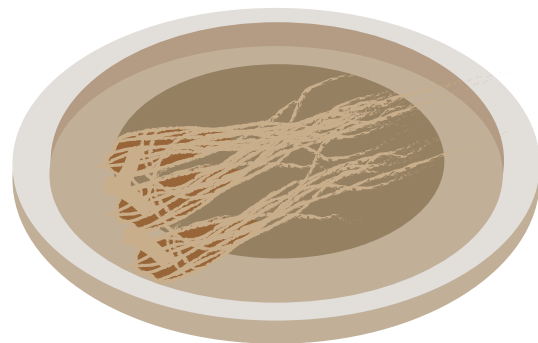
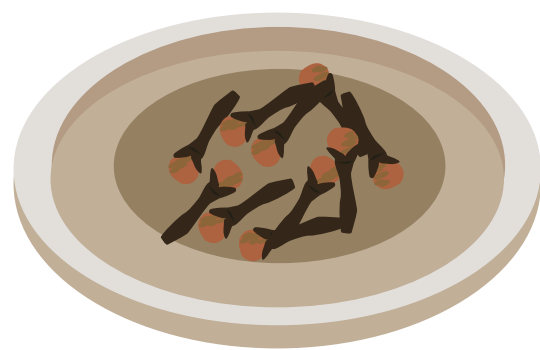
Some common **plants and herbs** are a **good alternative** to chemicals and pesticides.

Here are some of the most widely available plants, many from your kitchen, traditionally used since ancient times. Combined with traditional storage methods, these are toxic-free solutions. However, these are not for pest eradication, but only for mitigation.



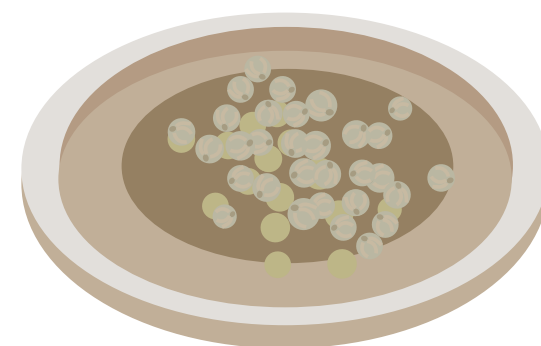
pandan leaves
Pandanus amaryllifolius

clove studs
Syzygium aromaticum



vetiver root
Chrysopogon zizanioides

peppercorns
Piper nigrum



tobacco leaves
Nicotiana tabacum

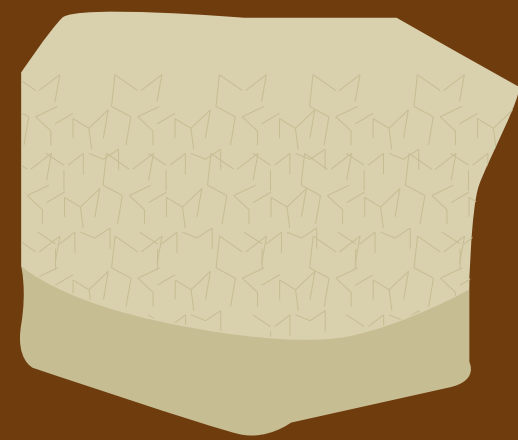
How To

1



Place dried herbs in a small cloth bag or mesh pouch near the textiles. The aroma of these spices will help keep insects away.

2



Store the textile in a basket, wooden/tin box, drawer, under the bed mattress (remember to wrap the textile in cotton first!) and place the little pouch of herbs and spices nearby. Check every month and replace with new herbs and spices when the aroma is gone.