

NEW PRODUCT

Seasonal 1/4" spout Single use Disposable



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The seasonal 1/4" spout
reduces over-tapping.
It helps the tree to
grow more wood than
annual tapping will take.

A new spout year
after year will provide clearer
and less contaminated sap.


A study published in 2008 by Centre Acer, a Maple research institution in St-Norbert, Quebec entitled "Leading to the formulation of new tapping norms for sustainable maple production" The researchers warns maple producers to be prudent in their tapping practices. They highlight that each maple season leaves a compartmented (dead wood) zone in the tree. They say that it can be risky to generate more dead wood surface than the tree itself can grow in return. This can explain partially why we have been observing a constant decline in maple syrup production yields in Quebec for the last couple of decades, despite the improvements of sap gathering equipment and methods. There could then be a direct link between over-tapping and sap yields



Made with crystal clear
polycarbonate, the thin-wall
seasonal spout provides a perfect
fit to the tap hole
for maximum air-tightness.

The seasonal spout
literally sticks to the
tap hole thus reducing
the time spent for
managing the leaks.

Despite its reduced diameter, the seasonal 1/4" spout provides excellent yields

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