

The present invention provides a method for controlling insects that includes a step for applying at least one compound selected from among compounds represented by formula (I) and salts thereof to seeds. (In the formula, R^1 is a substituted or unsubstituted C1-6 alkylthio group, a substituted or unsubstituted C1-6 alkylsulfinyl group, or a substituted or unsubstituted C1-6 alkylsulfonyl group, R^2 is a hydrogen atom or a substituted or unsubstituted C1-6 alkyl group, R is a C1-6 haloalkyl group or a C2-6 haloalkenyl group, X is a substituted or unsubstituted C1-6 alkyl group or the like, and n is an integer from 0 to 4 that indicates the chemically acceptable number of Xs).

