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# Fruit Ridge Notes

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Sweet Fancy Moses !!!

This crazy warm Sunny Stuff has really got things poppin !!!

Do you have any of the "Black Pearl" Sweets ... ??? A Grower Pal just left here with some ButtKickn Fungicides/Bactericides.... His Black Pearls are starting Bloom.... and he is north of our office.

My "Informants" claim that of all their choices in "New-Low-A.I.-MagnaBon.CS2005-WannaBe-LookAlikes" ...there's none that stack up to "005" ...

The others \*\*cost more per acre... \*\*are just too dangerous based on their disclaimers and cautions, which are reiterated and emphasized in the E-154... \*\*and most still paint the equipment blue....??

It really kinda takes the guess-work out of the equation....when in Trial after Trial conducted by University and Independent Researcher Heavy-Weights, "005" is the real performer, while many/most of the others barely show up.

Thanks ...to so many of you all that have proven how safe "005" is to use.....and for telling your friends and neighbors.

Wherever you might have Black Knot pressure in Stone Fruit, hopefully you have at least 1 app of CS2005 on. You may have time for another App.

Chlorothalonil/Bravo Apps also work well for Black Knot and is rated 'E' for Leaf Spot and 'F/G' for Brown Rot.

In most any Stone Fruit in the Ridge area, except maybe for the Black Pearl Sweets and some Cots...?? ...there isn't any Bloom yet..... be sure to get a CostEffective Insecticide on.... like \*PermUp or

\*Warrior I/LambdaCy ....or \*MustangMaxx. At full Rates those are only like \$2.50 - \$3.50 per Acre ??

Those Tank-Mix with Chlorpyrifos also.

Dont forget the Big MSU Spring Spray Meeting at Patrick Goodfellow's this Thursday - 4pm..... North side 12 Mile Rd 1/2 Mi west of M-37. Use orchard driveway down by Laubach Ave.

Hoping You Have a Blessed Week ....