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Fruit Ridge Notes

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Fruit Ridge Notes - Apples - Friday - May 5 - 2017

Hello to All Apple Guys

...the Doggone Forecast sure stays Nerve-Wracking ...

***The **Perlan** thing for after a freeze does work... Really good. 1 Pint-Ac--within 24 hours of the Freeze.

....*But* spraying it on before a freeze...?? Not that I know of. There's a bunch of that goin on right now....as we speak, but we don't know what it's going to do. Its a Legal Appln of course because of the 'Elongation' thing...

But here's the thingIn a few days/weeks we will all know a bunch more about it. One thing for sure... it will be fun to see what "typiness" we get from it on some of the different varieties.

*****Glacier**....Great Tool. Needs to go on 24-48 Hrs before the Freeze Event. The Label says do not apply during Bloom, because it can cause a discoloration of the Bloom Flower Petals....??? But to my knowledge that has never caused Crop Reduction. Use 4 Qts.-per-Acre on Full-Production Trees. TreeRowVolume down from there....Get real good coverage.

Dont Tank-Mix this with other Pesticides.

*****NovaGib** time....??? Yup.....For suppression of Russet on Goldens. Just plan that 1 - 64 oz Btl does the first 3 Treatments on 1 acre.... Thats 21 and 1/3 oz-per-Ac-per-Appln. Its great if you can get that 4th Appln on, but I hear most of Ya's don't.....??

....and remember that our NovaGib has only 1/6th of the naughty gibberellin in it that the competitive products do....the one gibb that interferes with Return Bloom.

And of course we get feed-back every Season about the outstanding results Guys are getting with preventing-suppressing Russet.

*******Saturday** AM... Yup.....Deanna and Matt said they'd be here for sure....Probably 8am til Noon*****

***Good Luck ...Hope You Have a Great Weekend...
Kentucky Derby Tomorrow... Post-Time 6:34pm ...on NBC***