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# Fruit Ridge Notes

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## **Fruit Ridge Notes - Apples - Thursday - April 20 - 2017**

Greetings All .... Lots of rain here again over-night.... a lot.

There's a bunch of serious Pink in several Varieties now. I'm thankful the ForeCasters are talkin upcoming Cooler Temps.

Pink-Spray Insecticides are hugely important.

Please remember that Chlorpyrifos4E/Lorsban is still working great.... a huge asset in your arsenal. And it is seriously low-cost. One of my Faves was at my desk and says he was told by a BigNationalRetailer [BNR] Rep that Lorsban4E doesn't work worth a crap anymore....???? And then he tried to sell him some new chemistry @ \$50-Acre.....???

Here's the thing....

\*\*Lorsban4E [Chlorpyrifos] is workn great.

\*\*Be sure to get the "4E" like Chlorpyrifos4E

....Hatchet...Warhawk....There's close to 25 "4E" products to legally choose from.

\*\*If someone gets you spun-off into a newer Lorsban formulation, it can cost you 50 - 85% more money-per-acre. So...Use the "4E"

\*\*Dont get confused where "Agrian.com" might say "0 Days PHI" ...thats only because you are only allowed 1 Appln of 2 Qt-Ac. *real early...*

*'Dormant/Delayed Dormant'...Like right Now....PrePink/Pink.*

\*\*Most all these 4Es say "4 Days R.E.I."

\*\*Try very hard to have your "4E" on before Full-Blown-Pink....

TightCluster-OpenCluster-1st Pink is best....altho Full Pink is Legal

\*\*Dont use less than the 2 qt [4 Pint] ...You only get 1 shot with this low-cost chemistry. Max it out.

\*\*You might notice on 'Agrian.com' that there's a couple "4Es" that say you can use 70 oz.-acre... which is 6 oz more than most of the '4Es'.....?? If I were you I'd keep it safe and use the 4 Pint. Dont do anything that might make your Auditor spend more time with you.

\*\*The old 'Lorsban 50W' ...the original...isnt even labeled on Apples in Michigan anymore !!????!!

\*\*The newer Lorsban 75WG is labeled on Apples, but its still 4 Days R.E.I. If you get a real sweet deal so it doesn't cost you a lot more, use the maximum 2.67 Lb-Ac. of this 75WG

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\*WarriorI/LambdaCy or \*MustangMaxx or \*Asana or \*PermUp  
along with your Chlorpyrifos4E....those will only cost you \$2-\$3-  
\$4 per Ac. So ""All-In"" you're lookn at \$18-Ac...apprx 1/3 the  
cost of the New Chemistry' the BNR Reps are promoting.

The "4E" and these Nukes all Tank-Mix nicely and work together  
well with your choice of the FungiCides--BacteriCides--Calciums-  
-VitaZyme--the CS2005 Systemic Copper--the FormulaII-SW  
Foliar PhosPhite---All the Good Stuff you have heard me talk  
about.

Hope to see You at the Meeting ...Patrick Goodfellows..... 4pm

