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Greetings All

....And Thanks so much for the Questions and Feed-Back !!!So many Guys reporting awesome results with the MainStay-S.I.....Mostly Blues and Apple Guys....

++++Questions on the Cost-per-Acre of the Calciums we proudly Promote

-- The **RidgeCal-BPC-PhitePlus** has the Zn & the SeaWeed in it..... at a 1 Qt.-Ac.Rate = \$7.44 Acre.

-- The **FoliCAL** at the 3 - 4 Pint-Ac-Rate = \$5.93 - \$7.90

-- The **MainStay-S.I.** at the 1 - 2 Pint-Ac. = \$6.77 - \$13.55

-- The **PhoenixCAL** at 2-4 Qts. - Ac. = \$9.94 - \$19.88

And **Yup... Phoenix** is the one that some Guys like to add to the Tank-Mix when they are using our CS2005 Systemic Copper Bactericide-Fungicide. Even tho we don't need a "Safener" with "005"some Guys still like it in the Tank at 1 or 2 Pint-per-100-Gallon. I do not discourage them because it is just another little hit of Calcium which all crops really need and really like.

Some of you younger Guys maybe never heard of using a "Safener" Lime with Copper...??Like itbut Don't Need it....

++++The **Other Calciums** I mentioned yesterday..... That are used primarily for Soil Applns.....

-- The **PeneCAL**3 Qts-Ac. is a Medium Rate...Cost aprx \$37 - Ac.

-- The **OxyCom Cal**is the 0-4-20-14 Ca + 7Sulfur @ a 2Lb.-Ac. Foliar Rate = \$28.46and a 4 lb.Ac.Soil App costs \$56.92

-- The **MainStayCa** has a wide-range of Use-Rates..... 3 Qt. is a "medium" cost = \$22.22

Again...These 3 and the MainStayCa-S.I. are the Redox Products..... crazy good performers.

Alicandro said this morning that your HoneyCrisp Calcium Applns should be well-under-way already....He said 'over-pruning and over-thinning' Honeys are the easiest ways to aggravate BitterPit.

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++++Two Calls this A.M., from RowCrop Guysasking about Sequestering aspects we get with **Indicate 5** ...?? Yes - 1 Pint-per-100 ga.-water does any-all the needed sequestering ...and reduces the Water-pH to 5.5 - 6.0....and it is a "Middle-Weight" SpreaderStickerPenetrant ...*Not* a Full-Scale-Heavy-Weight like **InSpray-90**.... just a MiddleWeight.

Sequestering the Minerals in your Water is very important with several Chemistries including all the Glyphosates.....Always add the Indicate to your Tank-Mix first.....then your Glyphosate toward the end of your fill. Indicate totally replaces any need for any/all Ammonium Sulfate type products....and comes in 2x2.5g.Cases and also in 30g.Drums. You can save \$100 on a Drum compared to the cost of 6 cases. A Drum treats 24,000 gallon of Water @ 1 Pint-100.... If you're doin 12 GWA, that's 2000 acres.....so Your Indy is costin you apprx 50 cents-Ac.

~~ A very interesting "**Indy**" side-note.... Some of our Apple Guys and Blues Boys like to have 6-8-9 or more different Nutritions and Pesticides and PGRs and BioStimulants all in the same Tank....Sometimes 12 or 14 products....yes-really-seriously-no-kiddn ...and claim it is no problem when they get their Indicate 5 into the Tank first. They tell me they do not try to do those Tank-Mixes without the Indy.

++++If you need a Drift-Control product or a DeFoamer type product...??? We have the very best for the cheapest.

Warmest Regards.....

