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# Fruit Ridge Notes

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from Ron Reister  
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**Greetings All..... We received** Apprx 4/10th Inch Rain around Mid-Night over by Gooding & 16th ..... God is Good.

Getting a pretty impressive shower here Fruit Ridge right now



\*\*\***Peaches**---On Killin **SWDs**.... Harvesting Now... But if you can live with a 14 Da.PHI in some Blocks...?? This fight is really InExpensive.

Lookn at some of MSUs Performance-Ratings.... Some Options... with Apprx-Per-Ac.-Cost

**Grandevo**= **G** [0 Da.PHI] ... \$33

Imidan= **E** [14 Da.PHI is a problem] ... \$28

Perm-Up 3.2EC [14 Da.PHI] ... Legal...But not MSU Rated...(I say 'E') \$3

Mustang Maxx= **E** [14 Da.PHI] ... \$3.75

**Baythroid**= **G** [7 Da.PHI] \$3.75 ...Use 2.8 oz-Ac. I think this one is better than **G**

**Danitol**= **G** [3 Da.PHI] \$28

**Delegate**= **G** [7 Da.PHI] \$60

**Exirel 10SE**= **E** [3 Da.PHI] \$75

\*\*\***I am also** getting my 3.2 oz-Ac. Imidacloprid into the Tank - [0 Da.PHI] Ours Today is called ProVoke - **\$2** - Doing this as a Tank-Mix-Partner

**Lannate**= **E** [4 Da.PHI with a 4 Da.R.E.I.] \$28

**Leverage**= Is a Combo-Chemistry of Imidacloprid and Baythroid... *Not rated* for SWD but is rated 'E' for BMSB... I think it works very well on SWD.

But need to consider here also... Agrian says its a 7-Da.PHI on Peaches, while MSU claims only 1 Da.PHI....??? ....I'm not finding a reason for that glitch yet....??

...But this Leverage stuff is very-low-cost-cheap...Less than \$6???  
...Love this stuff. I should also mention we unfortunately do not have any Leverage in stock right now.

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....I believe all of the Pyrethroids really are 'E' on SWDs... MSU doesn't necessarily always mention all of the Products that are Legal and Effective on a given Pest. If they did, our E.154 Spray-Guide Book would be 900 more pages.

I think I'd be doin the **Baythroid/ProVoke** Tank-Mix if it fits in that 7-Day Time-Frame....Less than \$6/Ac..... This Combo also gets a bunch of the other Pest Targets.

**\*\*\*Wow--Seemingly Twice-per-Week** I read where Alicandro is telling his Disciples to keep their High-Investment-New-Young-Blocks protected against Late-Season-Blight-Infections.... Because they are "Lush-Fast-Growing-Trees" .....He seems really nervous about it..... They have had numerous Hail-Storms there around

Wayne County-NY. 

**\*\*\*So many Great Grower Pals** have managed to bring a really good Volume Crop of Not-so-Pretty Apples to this point in Maturity...Pretty amazing really...??

But now as we look around at all of the Frost-Damage-Russeting... Splits & Cracking at the Calyx ... generally quite ugly Fruit, it really makes us wonder.... Asking ourselves if all the Extra-Efforts exploited really helped us so much. We are all watching ....As we proceed to Market, as that 'Bottom-Line'

becomes more legible, what have we really gained....?? 

For future decision-making, we all really need to keep some good notes on this... Some Guys say it may have messed-up their

Crop-Insurance somehow...?? 

**\*\*\*Q & A... Yes** Indeed....Indar is rated **E** for SootyBlotch---

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**Be Safe....!**