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Hello from Fruit Ridge Avenue On this, the First Day of Spring

This Extended-Out-Look-Forecast seems almost too good to be True !!! Lovin It

We are busy getting our Apple-Trial-Block-Protocols into place.... Lookn at some new stuff. Pretty exciting.

******Some Traditional "That's the way Dad always did it"** guys like to add a little 'Lime' to their Tank-Mix when using a Copper Fungicide.....??? Some Ol Boys called it a "Safener"...??? That's all wonderful...I really really like the whole idea alot.... It's actually not at all necessary when using CS2005 Systemic Copper Bactericide-Fungicide....**But...** I still like it--I Recommend it if we use the **Phoenix** Calcium.

Phoenix has a 'Soil-Amendment' Label for Calcium-Deficient-Soils. And....We have Phoenix Labeled so we can apply it right over the top of any-all Crops we're working with. It is a very very superb source of Calcium...from Ca.Carbonate.... The Tree likes it...The Tank-Mix likes it.... All of the 'Blow-By' hits the Soil and it really likes it.

Guys doing Phoenix have completely ceased the expensive-time-consuming-Labor-intensive-Liming Applns.... And Now getting much better Soil-Analysis and better Crop Quality & Yields.

We have some Guys that use Phoenix in the Foliar Tank at 1 Qt., two-three...maybe 4 Apps a Season...and they use it in the Weed-Control-Strip-Applns a couple times a season. They tell me they will never endure the hassles of the traditional 'Liming' again. Sounds crazy...but they've been carefully watching for 5 years or more now.

.....and Phoenix is very Low-Cost-Cheapless than \$5 - Quart....

******Kasumin 2L** now has a Supplemental Label for Bacterial Canker and Blossom Blast suppression in Sweet & Tart Cherry Not to be applied after Petal Fall..... with a 30 Da.PHI on Cherry.

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Use Rate 64 oz....Allowed 4 Apps.

So....I'm just guessn ...a wild-ball-park-guess.... That this is around \$60-Ac. @ that 2 Qt-Rate...??? My Tart-Grower-Pals havent been Net-Profiting-that much per-acre in a couple years.

I'd seriously be Lookn at 1 Qt-Echo 720 with 1 Qt.CS2005....2 Apps [cost\$25] early in the Season.... Then be doing 1-2 Pt + 1-2 Pt every 10 Days if I have an Issue.

Happy Tuesday Ever

