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Greetings from Very Parched & Dry Fruit Ridge & M-37.... OoooBaby.... If we don't get some serious Precip out of this System, It's Gonna get even more Seriously Ugly We got nuthin here yet

******Q & A...Yes...Leverage is also a "Combo"** product which includes serious Butt-Kickrs Baythroid and Imidacloprid I really like both of those.

ButHere's the thing.... Leverage says to use 2.8 oz-Ac... while it is only 1/2 strength Imidacloprid and apprx 22% weaker on the Baythroid.... And ...All the while the full-rate Imidacloprid is 3.2 oz and Baythroid is 2.8 oz... See the problem here....??? We want the Biggest-Legal-Jolt of both of these Chemistries....

So...Lets check out the co\$t for all of the "Full-Rate\$" ...

Imidacloprid[Provoke]==\$2-Ac....Baythroid==\$3.50...Total==**\$5.50**.....

Leverage==**\$5.50**...but for much less A.I. of Butt-Kickrs.

And.... Deanna says we don't even stock Leverage.....Because she already did the Math.... Our Guys do the 2 product\$ \$eparately....More Bang.

******More Discussion - OxiDate 2.0 ... As a Matter of Fact...** I have been made aware of a 'Jet-Ag' product that has some similarities to some of the BioSafe Products.

So....Here's my take

If **OxiDate 2.0** was priced crazy-high... or the Manufacturer was made up of a group of Goofy & Donald Duck-Types.... I would certainly seriously look into a competitive product. But fortunately for us, the BioSafe Folks are very experienced and well informed and energized and helpful ...and all of their Products including OxiDate 2.0 are very reasonably priced in my opinion.

The only time I can imagine possibly thinking OxiDate was too much money is if I was spraying 200-250-300 GWA..... Why...?? Because we do a %%**v.v.**%% when figuring the Rates of OxiDate to put into the TankIt goes '*so much product per-100-Ga*'.....*Not per-Acre*.... I have Blues Boys using this for \$6-per-Acre....but of course some of those only use 14 GWA in their Applns.....

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and also...

There are some very compelling A.I.Chemistry reasons for liking BioSafe products better.

Here at RGSs ...We're Stickn with the BioSafe stuff. We can very likely source the other stuff for you... but just can't justify recommending it.

We may be able to \$ave you some per-acre-co\$t by getting you the other stuff...??? ...Just can't recommend it. Look real close....It's just not the same stuff.

******RidgeCAL-BPC-PhitePlus.....**Does indeed have a really low pH coming out of the Jug. It brings a huge Jolt of "Phite" without the Potassium Component, which brings the pH back up...like your Foliar-Phosphites are "Neutral" pH...the Phos and the 'K' off-set each other.

So far I have never had any Complaints about our Calcium-Phosphite-Product in any Category.... Performance getting Calcium into the PlantTank-Mixing.... All is wonderful. All Feed-Back is all Thumbs-Up-Happy-Happy.

Remember this stuff has the Fresno-CAF-Phite in the formula. Thats what helps this Calcium work so great and so fast. And it has SeaWeed... And Zinc. This is really a superb choice for Calcium.

******GreenFeed.27.0.0** is a Liquid HiTec-Very-Clean ""N""Source....If you have a Scenario in which you want to include a little poke of "N"...I highly recommend this GreenFeed stuff...

2 Qt - 3 Qt-per-Acre is the Medium-Low-Moderate approach. 2 Qt=\$7.90 Really good stuff.

******Wow...There are \$ome really Impre\$ive Result\$** where Guys used the ""Sizer XL"" in Blues and Sweet Cherries ... Very Happy Growers.

This is a very extremely Clean Liquid 04-20-22 with a bunch of Manufacturer "Proprietary-Inerts" I really like where on the Label it says....

Guaranteed Analysis: Chlorine Not More Than.....0.00% You'll be hearing a bunch more on this one.

Fervently Praying for 1.8 Inch Easy-Rain.....r