



PRESSURE CHAMBER DEMONSTRATION

Date/Time:

Tuesday April 20, 2004. 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM

Location:

Danny Augier Prune Block – Southside Ave. 172, ¼ mile east of Rd. 152. See attached map.

Meeting Synopsis:

The pressure chamber has become widely accepted as a tool for irrigation scheduling and water conservation in orchards and vineyards since its introduction by UC Cooperative Extension several years ago. We will demonstrate its use and will have some different models on display. We will be referring primarily to prunes but the technology is applicable to any woody perennial and may be of special interest to growers of vines and other tree fruits.

Tentative Speakers:

- Dick Jacobs, CSU Chico, retired. Experience with Pressure Chamber Monitoring on Microsprinkler Irrigated Prunes.
- Fred Thomas, CERUS Consulting. PMS Industries: Equipment and Deficit Irrigation Strategies.

This meeting is free and no pre-registration is required.

For further information please contact Kevin R. Day, Tree Fruit Farm Advisor at (559) 685-3309, extension 211.

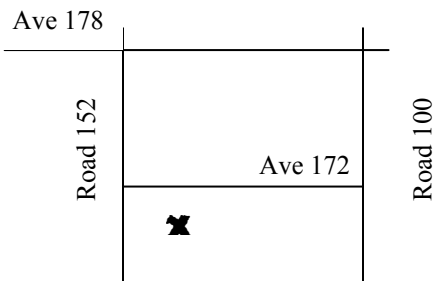
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