

University of California IPFP, IPM, and WPMA Pest Update #2
Tehama County 3/26/07

IPFP = Integrated Prune Farming Practices
 IPM = Integrated Pest Management
 WPMA = Walnut Pest Management Alliance

INSECT	FIRST BIOFIX	SECOND BIOFIX	THIRD BIOFIX	FOURTH BIOFIX	ACTIVITY MOTHS/DAY	AVG. DEG. DAYS/DAY	DAY DEGREES FROM BIOFIX
CODLING MOTH	-	-	-	-	.5	-	-
ORIENTAL FRUIT MOTH	3/5	-	-	-	10.3	14	312
PEACH TWIG BORER	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NAVEL ORANGE WORM	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SAN JOSE SCALE	3/19	-	-	-	-	11.3	68

As of 3/26 we have not caught enough Codling Moths to set a biofix for the orchard we monitor. We caught one male moth on 3/15 and 2 male moths 3/26 and no females yet. We use Pheromone, Combo and DA traps at the same location so we can follow male and female activity. With the cool wet weather we should get a biofix when the weather warms up. Remember Codling moth females need twilight temperatures above 62 F for egg laying.

Also note the 3/19 biofix for San Jose Scale which is about a week early compared to historical data (see pest update #1).

Additional Pest management information is available at the UC IPM website.
<http://www.ipm.ucdavis.edu>.

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