

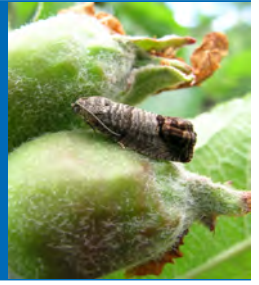
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Apple Pest Management Transition Project Signup

Name: _____

Email: _____

Primary phone: _____ 2nd phone: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City, State & Zip code: _____

How would you like to receive meeting notices and the Newsletter? (check box below)

email* (plain text) email* (rich text/html) regular mail

*Please add pmtip.info@wsu.edu to your address book to receive our mailings.

Orchard name: _____

General Orchard Location: _____

Apple acres: _____ I make pest management decisions: yes no

Primary role in the apple industry: (choose only one): grower _____ manager _____

consultant _____ other _____

CM Mating Disruption: yes no Product/Rate: _____

Guthion: yes no Total lbs product: _____ Acres Treated: _____

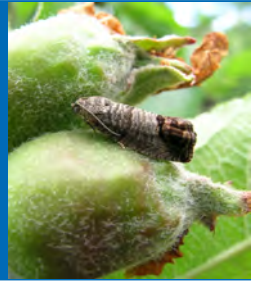
Did you participate in the Pest Management Transition Project in 2009: yes no

Are there specific things you would like more information about: i.e. Mating Disruption,
New Insecticides, Secondary Pests, Web Resources (like DAS), etc.

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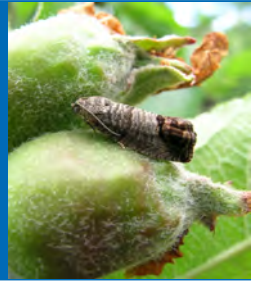
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Azinphos-methyl Phase-Out



EPA Decision on Guthion Phase Out

2007	limit of 4 lb ai/A	8 lb product
2008-2009	limit of 3 lb ai/A	6 lb product
2010	limit of 2 lb ai/A	4 lb product
2011-2012	limit of 1.5 lb ai/A	3 lb product

Regulatory action is requiring changes in pest management programs.

There is little chance that regulatory action on older insecticides will change.

Pest Management Transition Project

Objectives:

1. Reduce the usage and recommendations of organophosphate (OP) insecticides for pest control in WA apple orchards while increasing the recommendations and use of new IPM practices. To increase adoption of new IPM technologies through sharing information on successes and failures.
2. Increase the use of the WSU-Decision Aid System (DAS), which will improve real-time pest management decisions and assist with IPM adoption.
3. Increase knowledge about reduced-risk pesticide safety and IPM practices among year-round and seasonal farm workers in order to increase their awareness of a safer work environment created through the adoption of OP-alternatives.

