

RED SCALE DEGREE DAY ACCUMULATION*

AREA	BIOFIX	DD TOTAL Jul 12, 2018	2200 DD 3 rd FLIGHT
Arvin	3/10	2070	7/16
Famoso	3/15	1995	7/19
Lindcove	3/15	1979	7/20
Orange Cove	3/15	1858	7/24
Madera	3/23	1612	8/02

*Temperature data and DD models retrieved from UC IPM websites

FIELD NOTES: The red scale biofix dates above are *only a guide*. The third red scale generation male flight will begin in Kern and Tulare counties next week. Red scale treatments are completed in most districts except for Madera County. Citricola scale, barnacle scale, brown soft scale, and cottony cushion scale have emerged and nymphs have settled on the leaves and twigs. This is still a good time to apply CENTAUR for soft scale control. PCAs have wrapped up citrus thrips sprays; however, red mite and two-spotted mite treatments continue.



CENTAUR WDG

- **California Red Scale:** For third generation crawler hatch, apply at early crawler emergence (2750 DD) for best control.
- Use Rate: 46 oz/A.
- To improve coverage on the foliage, add spray oil or a high-quality surfactant, following the directions for use on that product's label.
- When timing CENTAUR applications, it is always better to **be early rather than late**. CENTAUR has **3 weeks of residual activity on red scale crawlers**.
- Applications made Jun–Sep will provide good control of **Citricola Scale**.
- Applications made Jun–Jul will control immature stages of **Cottony Cushion Scale**.

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- **Now has a 3-day PHI for citrus!**
- Apply when mite populations are at treatment thresholds; **also controls ACP nymphs and adults**.
- Use Rate: 2 to 4 pts/A; add **415 oil**
- Good coverage is essential for control. **USE A MINIMUM OF 200 GPA** and a tractor ground speed (less than 2 mph) that allows for complete coverage.

NOTE: The above field observations are given as general comments to help in treatment decisions. Individual field conditions can vary widely. Monitor individual fields carefully.

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