

### 2018 Asian Citrus Psyllid (ACP) Regional Quarantine for Bulk Citrus Movement FAQs for Growers, Packers/Processors, and Transporters

To more effectively protect California citrus from Huanglongbing (HLB), a regional Asian citrus psyllid (ACP) quarantine for movement of bulk citrus and nursery stock went into effect on Jan. 1, 2018. This document will focus on bulk citrus movement and outlines frequently asked questions, and the compliance and mitigation requirements for movement of bulk citrus. A map of the new regional quarantine zones is also attached.

## Q: What should a grower, packer or transporter do to be compliant with the 2018 ACP regional quarantine for bulk citrus movement?

**A:** Growers, packers/processors, and transporters need to complete a new exhibit form in 2018 and return it to the California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA) as soon as possible if they haven't already done so this year. An organization will need to list its current compliance agreement identification number on top of the new exhibit form. CDFA mailed new exhibit forms to growers, packers and transporters earlier this year. The form can also be downloaded from the CDFA website <u>here</u>.

Completed exhibits should be returned to CDFA through one of the following methods:

- Mail to CDFA: ACP Program, 1220 N Street, Suite 325, Sacramento, CA 95814
- Email as PDF to <u>ACPCompliance@cdfa.ca.gov</u>
- Fax to 916-654-0986

## Q: Are there new ACP-free compliance standards for bulk citrus movement when moving citrus between these new regional quarantine zones?

A: The ACP-free compliance standards for bulk citrus movement remain the same when moving citrus between the regional quarantine zones 1-5 and 7. If you are growing or packing citrus in regional quarantine zone 6, additional exhibits and mitigations are required. Remember, the quarantine zone boundaries have changed. View the ACP-free compliance standards <u>here</u> and a map of the new quarantine zones <u>here</u>.

### Q: Where can I find the new exhibit forms on CDFA's website?

A: New exhibit forms and instructions for completion can be found <u>here</u>.

#### Q: When are the completed exhibit forms due to CDFA?

**A:** Growers, packers/processors, and transporters are encouraged to complete their new exhibit forms as soon as possible if they haven't already in 2018. Establishments can verify their exhibits have been received by CDFA by checking for an "X" in the far left-hand column of the online database found <u>here</u>.

## Q: The ACP regional quarantine map for bulk citrus movement shows two separate areas for Quarantine Zone 6, and a small circular portion of Zone 6 is inside Zone 5. How does this affect movement of bulk citrus in this area?

**A:** Shipments of bulk citrus fruit originating in an area of Quarantine Zone 5 may be transported through Quarantine Zone 6 without mitigation (i.e. field cleaning or treatment) to be packed/processed in another area of Quarantine Zone 5. For example, a shipment of bulk citrus originating in Coachella may travel through the city of Riverside to be packed/processed in Ontario.

Similarly, any shipment of bulk citrus fruit originating in Quarantine Zones 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, or 7 may be transported into Quarantine Zone 6 for final packing/processing without mitigation (i.e. field cleaning or treatment). For

example, a shipment of bulk citrus originating in Coachella may travel to the city of Riverside for final packing/processing.

In both above situations, the shipment must be completely safeguarded during transit as required, and travel in a direct route and without undue delay to the destination.

## Q: If I am a grower in Quarantine Zone 6, what mitigations must I do to move my fruit to a packer/processor?

**A:** Growers in Quarantine Zone 6 who send bulk citrus fruit to a packer/processor within their contiguous Quarantine Zone 6 must either field clean the fruit or conduct a preharvest treatment of the grove. Such growers who wish to send their fruit for packing/processing outside of their contiguous Quarantine Zone 6 must either conduct a wet wash or BOTH the field cleaning and treatment mitigations. The applicable HLB Pest Risk Mitigation Form must also be submitted with the shipment.

#### Fact Sheet on Steps for Movement of Bulk Citrus for Entities Located in Zone 5: Imperial and San Diego Counties & Areas of Riverside and San Bernardino Counties NOT in an HLB Quarantine Area

In order to move bulk citrus from an ACP regional quarantine zone, growers, grove managers, haulers and harvesters must do the following:

- 1. Have a signed compliance agreement and 2018 exhibit form provided by the ACP or HLB Program.
- Complete the <u>ACP-Free Declaration form</u> or <u>HLB Pest Risk Mitigation form</u> (if located in ACP Regional Quarantine Zone 6, an HLB quarantine area) and submit to the originating county agricultural commissioner's office at least 72 hours in advance of harvest to ensure the shipment is free of ACP and mitigated for HLB.
- 3. Include the completed ACP-Free Declaration form or HLB Pest Risk Mitigation form with each shipment. The grower must also notify the county agricultural commissioner of the receiving county at least 24 hours prior to shipment.
- 4. Ensure pallets or field bins are completely safeguarded (completely covered with a tarp or moved in a vehicle that is fully enclosed with solid walls) when being transported anywhere.
- 5. Deliver bulk citrus fruit only to a packing house, processor, or hauler that has a signed compliance agreement and 2018 exhibit form. Please contact the local county agricultural commissioner for a list of approved receivers. Packers are required to notify their local county agricultural commissioner upon receipt of each shipment originating from a <u>different</u> ACP quarantine zone.
- 6. Provide the ACP-Free Declaration form or HLB Pest Risk Mitigation form to the receiving packing house, processor or hauler with the shipment.

|   | Shipping to a Packer/Processor  |   |  |  |  |  |
|---|---|---|--|--|--|--|
| Shipping From:  | Within the Same ACP Bulk Citrus<br>Regional Quarantine Zone (Zone 5)<br>or into Regional Quarantine Zone 6<br>(HLB Quarantine Area – LA, Orange<br>and parts of Riverside and San<br>Bernardino Counties) | In a Different ACP Bulk Citrus Regional<br>Quarantine Zone (Zone 1, 2, 3, 4 or 7)   |  |  |  |  |
| ACP Regional Quarantine<br>Zone 5 (Imperial and San<br>Diego counties, and parts of<br>Riverside and San Bernardino<br>counties that ARE NOT in the<br>HLB quarantine area) | Transport Completely Tarped or in a<br>Fully Enclosed Vehicle   | Field Clean<br>OR<br>Treatment Option (see below*)<br>WITH A Complete ACP-Free<br>Declaration Form<br>AND ALWAYS<br>Transport Completely Tarped or in a<br>Fully Enclosed Vehicle |  |  |  |  |

## **Required Mitigation Steps for Movement of Bulk Citrus**

\*Pre-harvest application of a product applied within 14 days prior to harvest. A list of products and use rates recommended by University of California, Integrated Pest Management Program (UC IPM), and agreed upon by CDFA, are provided below.

It is incumbent upon the user to follow all label directions when using any of the products listed below. Reference the California Department of Pesticide Regulation to obtain product and label information: www.cdpr.ca.gov

| When applying by ground, use 100-200 gallons per acre (gpa) water volume for mature trees.                                       |
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| Adjust water volume for young trees as necessary. When applying by air, use 5-25 gpa water volume depending upon pesticide used. |

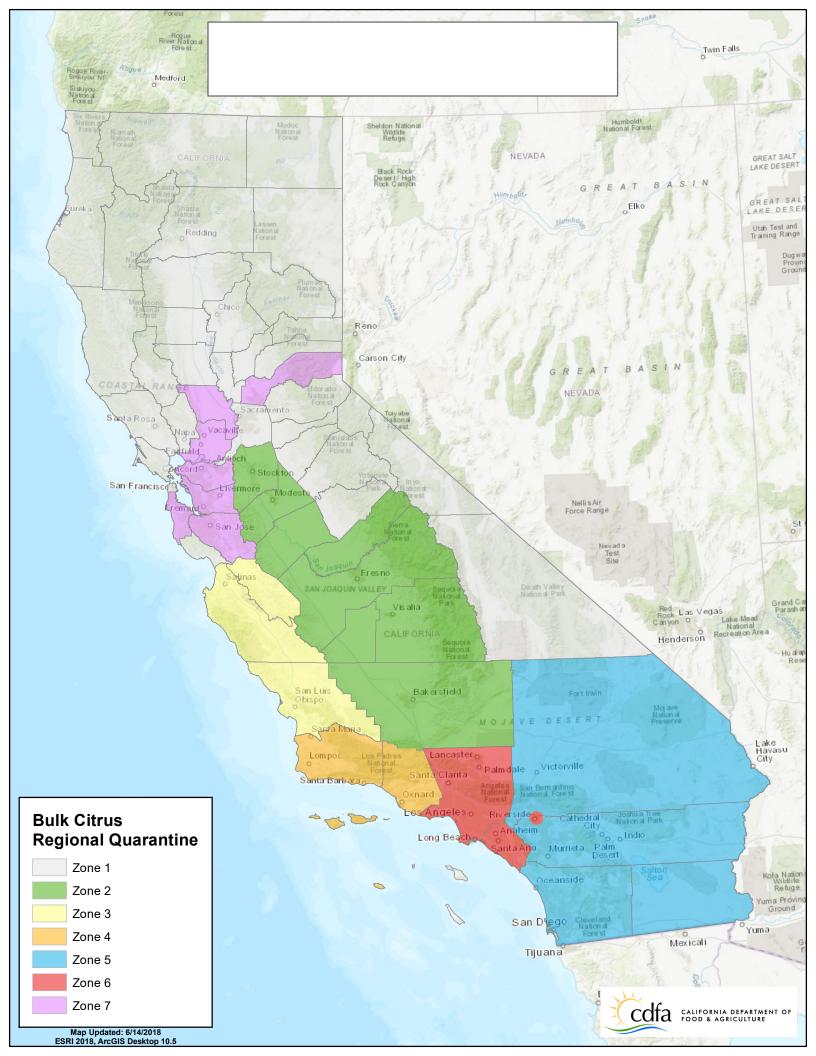
|                         |               |  | Products            | listed below       | are subject to change.  |          |     |  |  |
|-------------------------|---------------|--|---------------------|--------------------|---|----------|-----|--|--|
| Product                 | EPA No.       | Active<br>Ingredient   | Treatment<br>Method | Rate per<br>Acre   | Rate of Active<br>Ingredient  | рні      | REI | Maximum<br>Amount per<br>Crop Season             | Minimum<br>Application<br>Volume by<br>Air |
| Actara                  | 100-938       | 25%<br>thiamethoxam  | foliar              | 4.0 - 5.5<br>fl oz | 0.063 - 0.086 lb ai<br>thiamethoxam   | 0<br>day | 12h | 11 oz maximum<br>per season                      | 5 pga                                      |
| Admire<br>Pro**         | 264-827       | 4.6 lb ai/gal<br>imidacloprid                                    | foliar              | 7 fl oz            | 0.25 lb ai per acre   | 0<br>day | 12h | 14 oz  | 25 gpa                                     |
| Baythroid<br>XL         | 264-840       | 1 lb ai/gal beta-<br>cyfluthrin                                  | foliar              | 3.2 - 6.4<br>fl oz | 0.025 - 0.050 lb ai<br>beta cyfluthrin                                      | 0<br>day | 12h | 6.4 fl oz of<br>cyfluthrin or<br>beta-cyfluthrin | 25 gpa                                     |
| Danitol 2.4<br>EC Spray | 59639-<br>35  | 2.4 lb ai/gal<br>fenpropathrin                                   | foliar              | 16 - 21.3<br>fl oz | 0.3 - 0.4 lb ai<br>fenpropathrin  | 1<br>day | 24h | 21.3 oz  | 5 gpa                                      |
| Lannate<br>LV*          | 352-284       | methomyl   | foliar              | 1.5 - 3<br>pints   | 0.45 - 0.9 lb ai<br>methomyl  | 1<br>day | 72h | 9 pints, 4 appl.<br>per season                   | 15 gpa                                     |
| Lannate<br>SP*          | 352-342       | methomyl   | foliar              | 0.5 - 1.0<br>lb    | 0.45 - 0.9 lb ai<br>methomyl  | 1<br>day | 72h | 3 pints, 4 appl.<br>per season                   | 15 gpa                                     |
| Leverage<br>360         | 264-<br>1104  | 1 lb ai/gal beta-<br>cyfluthrin + 2 lb<br>ai/gal<br>imidacloprid | foliar              | 3.2 - 6.4<br>fl oz | 0.025 - 0.50 lb ai<br>beta-cyfluthrin +<br>0.05 - 0.1 lb ai<br>imidacloprid | 0<br>day | 12h | 6.4 fl oz of<br>cyfluthrin or<br>beta-cyfluthrin | 25 gpa                                     |
| Mustang                 | 279-<br>3126  | 17.1% by<br>weight zeta<br>cypermethrin                          | foliar              | 4.3 oz             | 0.05 lb ai zeta<br>cypermethrin   | 1<br>day | 12h | 17.2 fl oz appl.<br>14 days apart                | 10 gpa                                     |
| Tombstone               | 34704-<br>912 | 2 lb ai/gal<br>cyfluthrin  | foliar              | 3.2 - 6.4<br>fl oz | 0.10 lb ai cyfluthrin   | 0<br>day | 12h | 6.4 fl oz of<br>cyfluthrin or<br>beta-cyfluthrin | 25 gpa                                     |
| Tombstone<br>Helios     | 34704-<br>978 | 2 lb ai/gal<br>cyfluthrin  | foliar              | 3.2 - 6.4<br>fl oz | 0.10 lb ai cyfluthrin   | 0<br>day | 12h | 6.4 fl oz of<br>cyfluthrin or<br>beta-cyfluthrin | 25 gpa                                     |

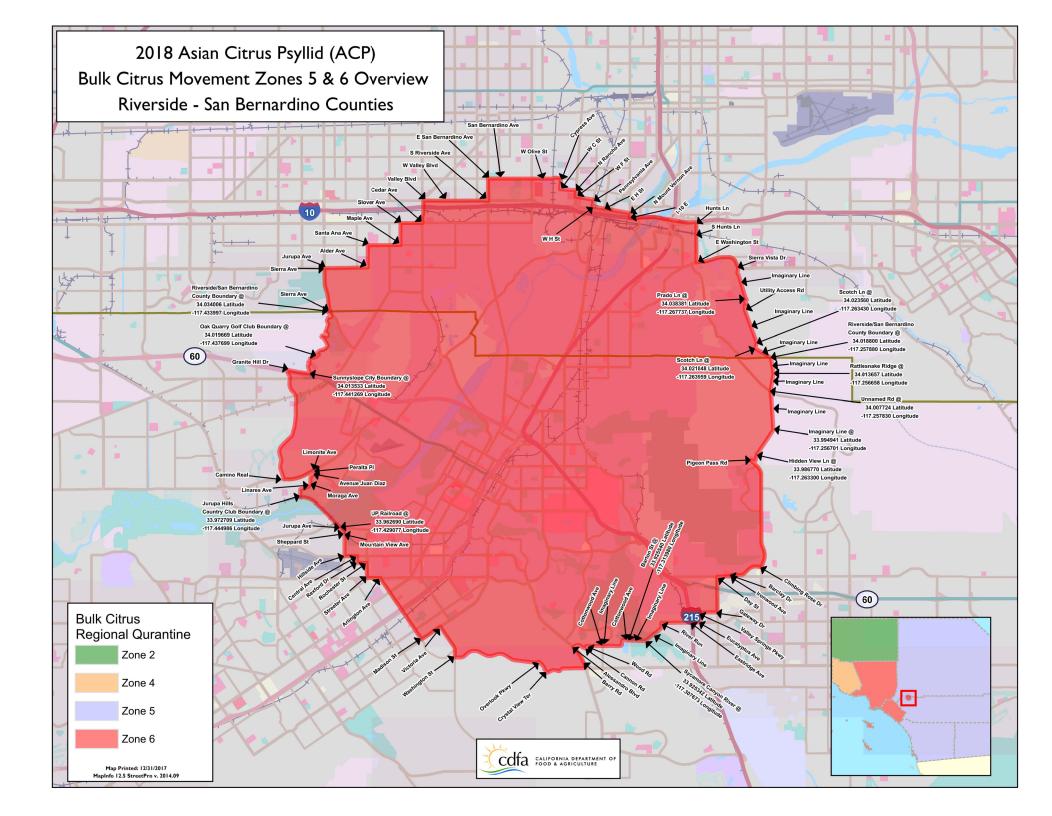
\*Product to be used during citrus bloom.

\*\*Do not use if a soil imidacloprid treatment has been applied to the orchard in the same season.

DISCLAIMER – The 14-day treatment interval and all pesticides listed in the above table are solely the recommendations of the University of California. The California Department of Food and Agriculture bears no responsibility for the efficacy of these recommendations.

Click <u>here</u> for more detailed information from the California Department of Food and Agriculture.





2018 Asian Citrus Psyllid (ACP) Bulk Citrus Regional Quarantine Zones 5 & 6 Los Angeles, Orange, and San Bernardino Counties

> Los Angeles/San Bernardino County Boundary @ 33.994407 Latitude -117.791323 Longitude

| <b>Bulk Citrus Regional</b> |  |  |  |  |  |
|-----------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| <b>Quarantine Zone</b>      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Zone 1                      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Zone 2                      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Zone 3                      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Zone 4                      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Zone 5                      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Zone 6                      |  |  |  |  |  |

Map Updated 6/14/2018

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Zone 7

Grand Ave @ 33.994407 Latitude -117.791323 Longitude

Imaginary Line @ 33.954433 Latitude -117.771614 Longitude

Canon Ln



# **Chino Hills Pkwy**

Windmill Creek Rd

**Avenida Hacienda** 

Rancho Hills Dr

Valley Vista Ln

Imaginary Line @ 33.955471 Latitude -117.768968 Longitude

Red Apple Ln

Orange/San Bernardino County Boundary @ 33.919791 Latitude -117.745582 Longitude

