

DEGREE DAY ACCUMULATION*

AREA	BIOFIX	DD TOTAL Jun 16, 2022	1650 DD 2nd CRAWL
Arvin	3/2	1418	6/24
Delano	2/26	1396	6/25
Porterville	3/2	1405	6/25
Orange Cove	3/10	1387	6/27
Lindcove	3/2	1467	6/23

*Temperature data and DD models retrieved from UC IPM websites

The red scale biofix dates above are *only* a guide.

FIELD NOTES

Second generation red scale flights have started in all citrus districts. Expect to find crawlers next week in orchards with heavy red scale populations. **Centaur** applications will begin next week in Kern County and Tulare County. June is also an excellent time to apply **Centaur** to control immature stages of soft scale and mealybug pests. Citrus thrips treatments have mostly wrapped up in navel oranges as fruit is finally sizing, but applications continue in other citrus varieties. Hot temperatures will continue to drive two spotted mite and citrus flat mite sprays. Now is the time to treat for Citricola scale! Most Citricola scale are at the nymph stage on the leaves and exposed.



Red Scale Crawlers and White Caps

CENTAUR WDG

- **California Red Scale: Apply at early crawler emergence (1650 DD)** for the 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.
- **CENTAUR has 3 weeks of residual activity on red scale crawlers.**

BEXAR CA

- Bexar CA can take on ANY level of Citricola scale infestation.
- 'Lights out!' for Citricola scale nymphs in 2-3 days after treatment.
- Also controls katydid, aphid, Asian citrus psyllid, red mite, and thrips.
- Use Rate: **27 oz/A**
- Apply: **300-500 GPA** for Citricola scale or 100-150 GPA for citrus thrips. Tractor speed should be 2 MPH or less for maximum performance.
- 3-day PHI in Citrus.



Citricola Scale Nymphs on Leaf

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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