

Disease Management

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What happened in 2007?

- Little to no leaf scab or other foliar diseases
- Nut scab did not show up until late summer.



**Avoid
this
area.**

enough

too many

2003 vs. 2007

**good
protection**

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Number of fungicide applications

Responsive Spray Schedule

- **Use extended intervals.**
- **Use AuPecan.**

AU PECAN TRIAL

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Schedules

- 1) **Au-Pecan:**
- 2) **Au-Pecan:**
- 3) **Calendar:**
- 4) **Calendar:**
- 5) **Calendar:**

Spray Dates for 2007

AU-Pecan

	<i>AUP 1</i>	<i>AUP 2</i>	2; 3	2	2	
	Trt 1	Trt 2	Trt 3	Trt 4	Trt 5	Trt 6
App #	P std	P SI	Calendar	Calendar	Calendar	Nontreated
1	11-Apr	11-Apr	11-Apr	11-Apr	11-Apr	
2	4-Jun	4-Jun	25-Apr	25-Apr	25-Apr	
3	2-Jul	2-Jul	9-May	9-May	9-May	
4	25-Jul	16-Jul	22-May	22-May	22-May	
5	9-Aug	3-Aug	13-Jun	4-Jun	4-Jun	
6			4-Jul	18-Jun	18-Jun	
7			25-Jul	3-Jul	3-Jul	
8			16-Aug	16-Jul	16-Jul	
9				31-Jul	31-Jul	
10				14-Aug	14-Aug	
11					28-Aug	
12					11-Sep	

AU Pecan

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“pecan weather”


Fungicide Selection

- **Performance**
- **Cost**
- **Resistance Management**

Fungicide Class	Common name	Trade name
Benzimidazole	thiophanate-methyl	Topsin-M
Guanidine	dodine	Elast
Organo-metallics	fentin hydroxide (=TPTH)	Super Tin, Agri Tin
DMIs	propiconazole fenbuconazole	Orbit, Tilt, Propimax, <i>½ of Stratego, ½ of Quilt</i> Enable
Strobilurins	azoxystrobin kresoxim-methyl pyraclostrobin trifloxystrobin	Abound, <i>½ of Quilt</i> Sovran Headline <i>½ of Stratego</i>

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Dematiomycetes	4-hydroxyphenyl methyl	Toscano M
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propiconazole	Orbit, Tilt, Propimax, 1/2 of Stratego, 1/2 of Quilt	
fenbuconazole	Enable	
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pyraclostrobin	Headline	ax,
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E	Do not use alone. 1-2 applications.	Topsin-M
C	Do not use full season.	Elast
Organo-metallics	fentin hydroxide (=TPTH)	Super Tin, Agri Tin
	If you use a full rate alone, then DO NOT use a reduced rate later in season.	Orbit, Tilt, Propimax, 1/2 of Stratego, 1/2 of Quilt Enable
	azoxystrobin Do not make more than 3 total applications. trifloxystrobin	Abound, 1/2 of Quilt Sovran Headline 1/2 of Stratego

First Question: What to spray for nut scab?

- Post-pollination is the critical period for protection.
- Decide what you want to spray during this time, and work from there.

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April/May

Enable or Propimax
Headline or Sovran
Stratego or Quilt
DMI + Tin

June/July

Tin
or
Elast + Tin

August

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A Few More Topics

- **Coverage**

- Eliminate overcrowding
 - Humidity
 - Poor coverage
- Reduce stress
 - proper fertility
 - adequate moisture

Pecan Orchard Air Blast Sprayers
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Air delivery or air blast sprayers are used to apply pesticides, plant growth regulators, and foliar nutrients to orchard trees by applying these materials as liquids carried in large volumes of air. Air blast sprayers have adjustments in the fluid and air delivery systems that permit tailoring of applications to fit a wide range of orchard conditions.

The efficiency of management operations is improved.



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vent

A sprayer

operating under favorable conditions is a liability under adverse conditions. Sprayers should at least meet the demands of spraying large, thick trees under the poorest conditions allowable for spraying. Reliability, maintenance history, and the ability to cover the projected acreage should be considered in selecting spray equipment.

Horsepower requirement is a very important consideration because fans must move a considerable weight of air and materials. Manufacturers provide recommended horsepower range, but reliability and equipment longevity are often enhanced by selecting from the upper range of suggested horsepower.

A good practice is to observe sprayers operating in orchards where tree size, row spacing, weather, speed, application volume, and so on, are challenging, and examine coverage. Request dealer

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Questions or Comments?

