

UCCE Northern SJV Processing Tomato Meeting
University of California Cooperative Extension Farm Advisors
San Joaquin, Stanislaus, and Merced Counties

In conjunction with

**The California Tomato Growers Association
65th Annual Meeting of Members and 9th Exhibit**

Double Tree Hotel

1150 9th Street
Modesto, CA

Thursday, February 2, 2012
8:00 – 11:00 am

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- 7:30 Registration, coffee and refreshments, courtesy of CTGA.
- 8:00 Scott Stoddard, UCCE Merced County. Brief intro and acknowledgements.
- 8:05 Brenna Aegerter, UCCE San Joaquin County. Powdery mildew and bacterial speck management update.
- 8:20 Gene Miyao, UCCE Yolo, Solano, and Sacramento Counties. Disease management update: 1) fungicidal control of blackmold and 2) drip chemigation studies.
- 8:40 Steve Schroeder, Nunhems USA. Processing tomato seed development and production issues.
- 9:00 Dave Meester, California Tomato Machinery, Inc. [Tomato Harvesters, Present and Future Challenges](#).
- 9:15 Anthony Presto, SJV Air Pollution Control District. Air Quality in the San Joaquin Valley.
- 9:30 Break
- 9:45 Sheras Gill, Supervising Air Quality Engineer, SJV Air Pollution Control District. Diesel Engine rules and regs and dust mitigation on farms.
- 10:00 Tom Lanini, UC Davis Weed Science. Weed control update including bindweed.
- 10:20 Jeff Mitchell, UC Cooperative Extension Cropping Systems Specialist. Making the CT paradigm work in processing tomatoes.
- 10:40 Steve Blank, UC Davis Dept of Agriculture and Resource Economics. Agriculture market outlook for California in a global context.
- 11:00 End. Visit vendors
- 12:00 Lunch and CTGA program.

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