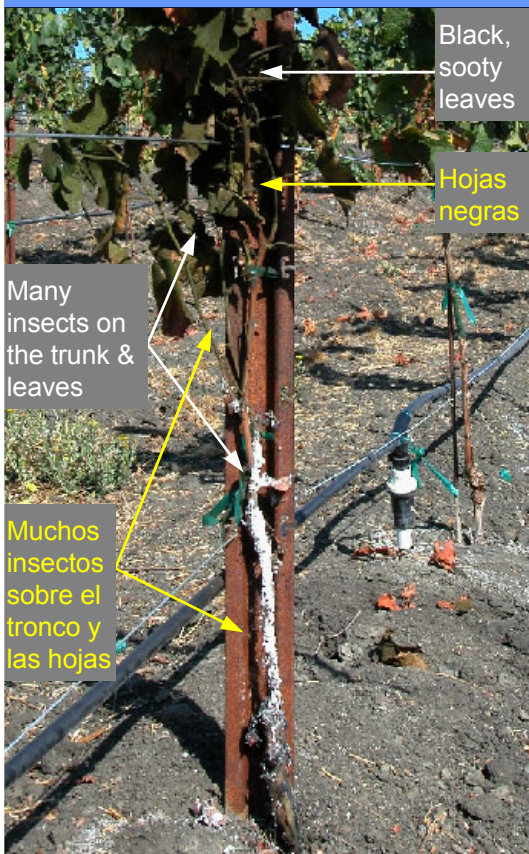


Wanted: Vine Mealybug

Se Busca: El Piojo Harinoso de la Vid

The Vine Mealybug is a serious new insect pest for California vineyards; it is important to locate any new infestations as soon as possible. If you find insects that look like the Vine Mealybug, notify your local Cooperative Extension or Agricultural Commissioner office for verification.

El Piojo Harinoso de la Vid es una nueva y seria amenaza para los viñedos en California; es importante encontrar lo más pronto posible cualquier nueva infestación. Si encuentra insectos parecidos, avise a su oficina local de Extensión Cooperativa o al Comisionado de Agricultura para verificación.



Black, sooty leaves

Hojas negras

Many insects on the trunk & leaves

Muchos insectos sobre el tronco y las hojas

Infested vines can be spotted by the large masses of white insects and the dark, sooty leaves.

Las plantas infestadas se destacan por las masas de insectos blancos y las hojas negras.

The adult insect is about 3 mm long; it is often tended by ants.

El insecto adulto mide alrededor de 3 mm; se encuentra asociado con hormigas.



Vine Mealybug
Piojo Harinoso de la Vid

Actual size
Tamaño actual

The Vine mealybug feeds on the entire vine, including the roots. The earliest indications of an infested vine are often wet spots on the lower trunk; peeling back the bark reveals the mealybugs.

El Piojo Harinoso de la Vid habita todas las partes de la planta, incluyendo las raíces. La primera indicación de que la planta está infestada suele ser manchas húmedas en la parte inferior del tronco; pelando la corteza se descubre la infestación.

Wet spots on the bark
Manchas húmedas sobre la corteza



Insects beneath the bark
Insectos debajo de la corteza



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