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# Vegetable Crop Facts



## Meeting Notices:

- Jan 19  
Processing  
Tomato  
Production  
Meeting,  
Modesto
- Jan 21  
Vegetable  
Production  
Meeting, Five  
Points

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## Northern San Joaquin Valley Processing Tomato Production Meeting

**January 19, 2005 (Wednesday)**

**Modesto Doubletree Hotel**

**1150 9<sup>th</sup> St**

**Modesto, CA**

**8:00 – 11:00 am**

***Meeting in conjunction with CTGA's Annual Exhibit and Membership Meeting.***

- Control of garden symphylans, Benny Fuche, Farm Advisor, San Joaquin Co.
- Nightshade and nutsedge control. Scott Stoddard, Farm Advisor, Merced Co.
- Powdery mildew evaluations. Jan Mickler, Farm Advisor, Stanislaus Co.
- Transplant spacing and EFS varieties. Michelle LeStrange, Fresno Co.
- Evaluation of mustard cover crops. Gene Miyao, Farm Advisor, Yolo Co.
- Role of Farm Advisors in the development of the CA processing tomato industry. Mike Murray, Farm Advisor, Colusa Co.

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## South San Joaquin Valley Vegetable Production Meeting

**UC West Side Research & Extension Center**

**Five Points, CA**

**Friday, January 21, 2005**

**8:00 am – noon**

- Weed control in onions and garlic. Kurt Hembree, Farm Advisor Fresno Co.
- White rot update in garlic. Shannon Mueller, Farm Advisor, Fresno Co.
- Symptoms and management of tomato spotted wilt. Scott Stoddard, Merced Co.
- Powdery mildew control in tomatoes and melons. Jan Mickler, Stanislaus Co.
- Food safety concerns in vegetable production and handling. Trevor Suslow, Specialist, UCD.
- Direct seed vs transplants in processing tomatoes. Gene Miyao, Yolo Co.
- Transplant spacing and EFS varieties. Michelle LeStrange, Fresno Co.
- Fertigation of drip irrigated row crops. Blaine Hanson, Specialist, UCD.
- Deficit irrigation and K fertigation in tomatoes. Paul Johnstone, Post graduate researcher, UC Davis.
- Post harvest evaluations of SmartFresh for fruit and leafy vegetables. Marita Cantwell, Specialist, UCD

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Scott Stoddard, Farm Advisor

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