

2009 Integrated Crop and Pest Management Update

For Agri-business, Pesticide Sales and Service Professionals, Crop Consultants, Field Crop Agents and Farmers



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This meeting will discuss...

- ◆ **2010 MSU Weed Control Guide Update**
- ◆ **Year-end pesticide purchasing and sales decisions**
- ◆ **MSU research based recommendations to your potential pest problems**
- ◆ **Poly Tanks – preventing catastrophic failures**
- ◆ **Transportation safety of cargo and equipment**
- ◆ **MDA and CCA credits – pending approval**

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**MSU Extension Field Crops Area of
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Please join us for the

2009 Integrated Crop and Pest Management Update

**Friday, December 18, 2009
9:00 a.m – 3:30 p.m.
MSU Pavilion**



All Agri-business, Pesticide Sales and Service Professionals, Crop Consultants, and Farmers are welcome to attend! Participants from out of state and Canada are invited.

**3 MDA credits (private and commercial core and IA)
CCA, MAEAP credits pending**

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2009 INTEGRATED CROP AND PEST MANAGEMENT UPDATE

For Agri-business, Pesticide Dealers, Crop Consultants, Extension Educators and Farmers

This crop management extension update is for Agri-businesses, Pesticide Sales and Service Professionals, Crop Consultants, and farmers. We will look back at the 2009 crop season and discuss MSU 2010 recommendations for weed, insect, and diseases. Farmers needing pesticide re-certification credits before the end of the year could earn MDA and CCA credits.

With improved grain prices and increased production costs, it is important that farmers and agri-business professionals consider all production management options and remain up-to-date on the latest MSU recommendations .

At this meeting, you will receive up-to-date information on 2010 MSU pest control recommendations and options. This will enable you to make year-end pesticide sales and purchasing decisions for the upcoming cropping season. MSU Extension Specialists will be present to answer your questions.

The program will be held on Friday December 18, 2009 at the MSU Pavilion. The cost of the program is \$50 per person, which includes refreshments, lunch, MSU Weed Control Guide for Field Crops (E-434), and other Extension Bulletins.

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Friday, December 18, 2009 MSU Pavilion

Tentative Agenda

MORNING SESSION 9:00 AM – 12 Noon

FEATURED TOPICS

- Insect Update WBC and Aphids
- Poly Tanks—Preventing Catastrophic Failures
- Nematode Update
- Biofuel Crops Update
- MSU Diagnostics Clinic Update

Morning Speakers:

Christine DiFonzo - MSU Entomologist
Fred Whitford - Purdue Pesticide Program
Kurt Thelen – MSU Agronomist
George Bird - MSU Nematology

12 NOON – 12:45 PM LUNCH

AFTERNOON SESSION 12:45 to 3:30 PM

FEATURED TOPICS

- Groundwater Stewardship & MAEAP Update
- Transportation Safety of Cargo and Equipment
- Weed Control Reports
- 2010 MSU Weed Control Guide

Afternoon Speakers:

Allen Krizek - MSUE/MDA MAEAP
Fred Whitford - Purdue Pesticide Program
Christy Sprague - MSU Extension Specialist
Wesley Everman—MSU Extension Specialist

3:30 PM – Pesticide Credits and Adjourn

Registration Form

2009 Integrated Crop & Pest Management & MAEAP Update

Friday, December 18, 2009 MSU Pavilion

Registration Deadline: December 11, 2009

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Organization: _____

County _____

E-mail: _____

Cost is \$50 per person (includes refreshments, lunch and handouts including the 2010 MSU Weed Control Guide and other bulletins). **After the December 11 deadline, the registration fee is \$60.**

Number of persons attending: _____

Total amount enclosed: \$ _____

**Mail Registration Form to:
Eaton County MSU Extension
551 Courthouse Drive, Suite One
Charlotte, MI 48813**

**Make Checks Payable in US dollars to:
Eaton County MSU Extension**

If you have questions or need driving directions, please call MSU Extension office at (517) 543-2310. Fax: 517-543-8119. This form may be duplicated or downloaded from <http://web1.msue.msu.edu/eaton/2009cropmanagementupdate.pdf>