



## 2025 Northern San Joaquin Valley Processing Tomato Meeting

University of California Cooperative Extension  
San Joaquin, Stanislaus, and Merced Counties

*In conjunction with*

The California Tomato Growers Association Annual Meeting & Exhibit

**Wednesday, February 12<sup>th</sup>, 2025, 8:00 – 11:00 am**  
*Modesto Centre Plaza, 1000 L St., Modesto, CA 95354*

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| 7:00 am  | Registration, coffee.  |
| 8:00 am  | Scott Stoddard, UCCE Merced. Introductions, CE units, etc. Summary of post plant applications of pre-emergent herbicides.              |
| 8:20 am  | Zheng Wang, UCCE Stanislaus. Review for the application of CropManage to guide processing tomato irrigation in the northern SJ Valley. |
| 8:40 am  | Tom Turini, UCCE Fresno. Stink bug damage, biology and management options  |
| 9:00 am  | Jaspreet Sidhu, UCCE Kern. Management of RKN and nematicide efficacy trials on tomatoes.   |
| 9:20 am  | Cassandra Swett, UCD. From Southern Blight to Fusarium FRD: management of two persistent soil-borne diseases.                          |
| 9:40 am  | BREAK  |
| 10:00 am | Patricia Lazicki, UCCE Yolo. Fusarium management with varieties and fungicides.  |
| 10:20 am | Steve Schroeder, Nunhems-BASF. Breeding for grower traits.   |
| 10:40 am | Matt Fatino, UCD. Progress toward in-season chemigation treatments for branched broomrape management.                                  |
| 11:00 am | VISIT VENDORS  |
| 12:00 pm | LUNCH  |

DPR CE Units requested – 2 hours “other”

*This Cooperative Extension sponsored meeting is free and open to the public. The meeting room and refreshments are generously provided by the California Tomato Growers Association, Inc. Pre-registration is required to attend the California Tomato Growers Association Annual Meeting, which will be held after the extension meeting. Please contact CTGA at (916) 925-0225 or [info@ctga.org](mailto:info@ctga.org).*

Meeting facility is handicapped accessible. Attendees may request meeting accommodations by contacting  
UCCE Stanislaus at (209) 525-6800.