

# OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY

## POTATO UPDATE

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### Insect Trap Report

Area Pest Alert Serving Umatilla & Morrow Co  
Traps are collected on Thursdays.

TRAP	PTW	BLH	OLH
1	3	0	0
2	1	0	0
3	0	0	2
4	1	0	1
5	0	5	13
6	0	2	2
7	0	4	46
8	0	2	6
9	0	1	9
10	0	1	3
11	1	1	9
12	0	24	20
13	0	1	5
14	1	0	6
15	0	0	3
16	1	0	1
17	4	0	1
18	3	2	3
19	0	0	4
20	0	1	1
21	0	0	6
22	0	2	2
23	0	0	5
24	0	0	1
25	2	0	0
26	0	1	2
27	0	0	2
28	1	1	3
29	0	0	0
30	1	0	2
31	0	1	8
32	0	1	2
33	0	1	10
34	14	2	23

PTW: Potato Tuberworm

BLH: Beet Leafhopper

OLH: Other Leafhopper

### FYI

#### Whitefly

- Adults resemble tiny white moths.
- Whiteflies usually occur in groups on the undersides of leaves.
- Immature forms look like scale insects.
- They rarely, if ever, require control in the Pacific Northwest.
- They are common late in the season.



Pictures by A. Murphy (OSU-Rondon's lab).

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For regional trapping information visit <http://www.potatoes.com/IPM-Home.cfm>.

Please send questions and comments to [silvia.rondon@oregonstate.edu](mailto:silvia.rondon@oregonstate.edu).

For more information:

<http://oregonstate.edu/dept/hermiston/trap-reports>

<http://oregonstate.edu/dept/hermiston/entomology-laboratory>

Late blight has been found in Washington and confirmed in Oregon's portion of the Columbia Basin. Please bring in samples for confirmation. Continue to scout and maintain weekly protectant fungicide applications.

**LATE BLIGHT HOTLINE 1-800-705-3377**

The OSU Area-wide monitoring program support is provided by the Oregon Potato Commission and OSU Extension Service. **This is an alert system; growers are encouraged to install their own traps for field specific monitoring.**