

Potato Disease Advisory #22
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Disease Severity Value (DSV) Accumulation as of July 26, 2009 is as follows:

Location: Shadybrook Farms, Little Creek, DE in Kent County.

Greenrow: May 1

Date	LATE BLIGHT			EARLY BLIGHT
	Daily DSV	Total DSV	Spray Recs	Accumulated P- days*
7/1	2	114	10-day interval	519
7/2	1	115	10-day interval	528
7/3- 7/5	0	115	10-day interval	555
7/6-7/8	0	115	10-day interval	581
7/9- 7/12	0	115	10-day interval	616
7/13- 7/15	0	115	10-day interval	641
7/16	0	115	10-day interval	647
7/17- 7/18	2	117	10-day interval	662
7/19- 7/20	1	118	10- day interval	680
7/21	2	120	7-day interval	690
7/22	0	120	7-day interval	698
7/23	6	126	7-day interval	708
7/24	2	128	7-day interval	716
7/25	0	128	7-day interval	723
7/26	0	128	7-day interval	729

Current conditions are favorable again for late blight on potato and tomato. The weather of the last few days will continue to provide favorable weather for late blight especially if we continue to have scattered thundershowers and high humidity as predicted.