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EQUIPMENT CATALOG
PLUMS

Santa Rosa – Typical Shape – End View

Santa Rosa – Typical Shape – Side View

Red Beaut – Typical Shape

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PL-1-IDENT
MAY 1990
(Previously May 1972)
PLUMS

Fingernail Injury

Mechanical Injury

Bird Injury

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PL-2-IDENT
MAY 1990
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PLUMS

Deep Suture

Fairly Light Colored, Fairly Smooth Scar

Healed Cut

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PL-3-IDENT
MAY 1990
(Previously May 1972)
PLUMS

Santa Rosa Off-Shape Account Poor Pollinization

Santa Rosa Very Off-Shape Account Poor Pollinization

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PL-4-IDENT
MAY 1990
(Previously May 1972)
1. Hail Marks – Damage – Marks are not over 1/16” deep, but are rough and aggregate an area of more than that of a circle ¼” in diameter on a 1-7/8” plum. Near upper limit.

2. Split Pit – Damage – Healed crack in flesh is more than ¼” long. Not borderline.


PL-CP-1
DEFECTS
MAY 1990 (Previously May 1972)
PLUMS

Serious Damage By Pebbling

Damage by Pebbling (ignore shape)

U.S. No. 1 Maximum Allowed

En Route or At Destination, score pebbling as a condition factor.

Equal amounts of pebbling on opposite side of fruit.

PLU-CP-2
PEBBLING
JULY 1997
PLUMS
INTERNAL DISCOLORATION

U.S. No. 1
Maximum allowed

Damage
Maximum allowed

PLU-CP-3
INTERNAL DISCOLORATION
MARCH 2000