

Valley Center Citrus Quarantine

Effective November 30, 2023



Do NOT move leaves or stems from citrus trees



\$138 million in citrus crops at risk

AFFECTED AREAS

NEW AREA

- North by the intersection of I-76 and Pala area; to the south by I-15 and Deer Springs Road; to the west by Camino del Rey; and to the east by Valley Center.

Existing HLB areas:

- City of Oceanside
- Rancho Bernardo

Scan the QR code to view map of affected areas.



WHAT IS HLB?

Huanglongbing (HLB) is a fatal citrus tree disease that impacts California agricultural exports and food supply.

Infected trees may have areas with blotchy yellow leaves and misshapen fruit that's not fit for sale or eating.

HLB is a citrus bacterial disease and is not harmful to people or animals.

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