

Harvesting soft fruit



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SAFE AND HEALTHY

Work attitude

- Not reaching far, alternating posture

Clamping wires

- Maintain correct working posture, consider the tension wires
- Most soft fruit plants are supported by tension wires attached to a metal structure. As the crop grows, these profiles are not always visible. Pick carefully at the level of these profiles

Transportation equipment

(tractors, forklifts)

- Riding only if designated by employer
- Belt wearing
- Do not ride along (on machines not intended for that purpose)
- Watch out
- Wearing safety shoes

ULO cells

Oxygen deficiency/ suffocation

- Never open doors or shutters of a ULO cell!!!

Plant protection products

Shrubs may contain pesticide residues

- Keep skin covered (preferably long pants, long sleeves)

Outdoor/climate

UV radiation

- Keep skin covered - Wear sunscreen (at least factor 50), headgear

Storm

- In case of thunderstorm, go inside or (company) car

Rain

- Using rainwear

Allergic reactions

Allergic to wasp and humbebee stings, etc.

- Notify employer in advance so that emergency responders know what to do.