

The Golden Rule: Clean. Drain. Dry.

Help Protect California Agriculture from Invasive Golden Mussels

Stop the Spread!

If you see a mussel:



Don't move any water or equipment from the area



Take a photo and note the exact location



Notify the California Department of Fish and Wildlife →



How Golden Mussels Affect California Growers

Golden mussels can attach to pump equipment, irrigation systems and canals — clogging the infrastructure farmers rely on to deliver water to their crops.

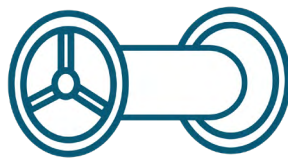
When infestation spreads, water flow is reduced and maintenance costs can increase. Golden mussels make it more difficult and expensive to move water and are a threat to California's agriculture industry and the millions who rely on it for food and jobs.

Check these hotspots for golden mussels:

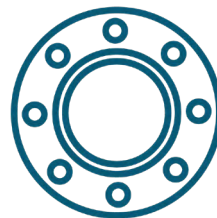
Canals



Irrigation Pumps



Pipes



Vehicles & Equipment



For more info on how
to protect CA agriculture:



About The Golden Rule Campaign

The Golden Rule Campaign is a partnership between local Kern County water interests to help protect our water resources from the threat of golden mussels.

Learn more about the campaign at: GoldenRuleKernCounty.com

