

Table 1. Average fruit set, crop density, time required for hand thinning and fruit size of ‘Housi’ Asian pear trees which had been sprayed with MaxCel[®] on 14 May 2007 in New Jersey.

Treatment	Fruit set ^z (fruit/100 clusters)	Crop load ^y (fruit/cm ² LCSA)	Hand thinning time ^x (min/tree)	Fruit diameter ^w (mm)
Control	100.4 a ^v	6.1 a	29.8 a	59.7 a
MaxCel [®] 200 ppm	58.1 b	3.2 b	23.9 a	61.3 a
MaxCel [®] 250 ppm	53.7 b	2.8 b	15.5 b	62.1 b

^z Fruit set is mean number of fruit present 14 June 2007 (31 days after treatment) per 100 blossom clusters.

^y Crop load is mean number of fruit present 14 June 2007 per cm² of limb cross-sectional area.

^x Hand thinning time is the mean number of minutes required for one person to perform hand thinning of fruit on one tree on 18 June 2007.

^w Fruit diameter is the mean fruit diameter measured near time of harvest on 28 August 2007.

^v Means within a column with no letters in common are significantly different at $\alpha=0.05$ according to LSD.