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I have something going on with my peaches . They have been prone to leaf curl but I hit them quite hard with copper this year . That part is looking good . But now I'm finding the branches are seeping . In some places the bark has split in others it's where I did a pruning cut . The " ooze " is both clear or amber in colour . Branches will go dark and die off .

sorry not able to get pictures . Any thoughts ?

David

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May 25, 2018 11:56PM

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Hi David,

Sounds like **Cytospora Canker**

Three sites to learn more . . .

[\[extension.colostate.edu\]](#)

[\[extension.psu.edu\]](#)

[\[pnwhandbooks.org\]](#)

. . . and a video to show you some careful pruning approaches to this problem in peaches

[\[youtu.be\]](#)

Good luck!

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That does look like my culprit Paul , thank you so much . (I need to learn to talk better computer , that never came up for me) Have you had experience with this ?

David

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Good job using the **Just Talk** category to figure out an unknown, guys. *Now in my editorial role* . . . it would be excellent to start a new thread specifically on "Cytospora Canker" in the **Fungal Pathogens** section where people now explore experiences and hopefully real-time suggestions to tone down this specific bark challenge for stone fruit..

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