



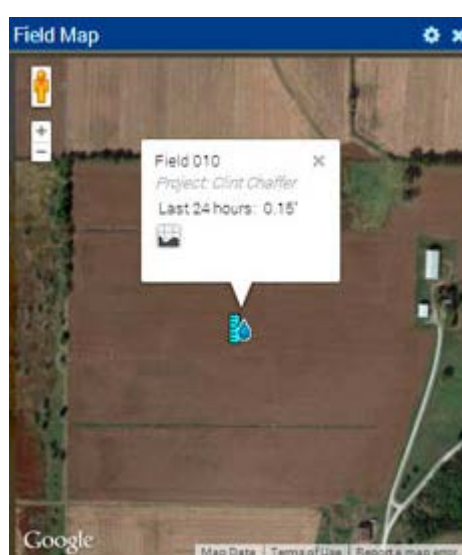
# Connected Farm eNews

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### Eliminate Physical Rain Gauges Forever

As you prepare for the warmer weather and the upcoming planting season, it is time to check over your physical rain gauges and **THROW THEM AWAY**. That is right; Trimble eliminates the need of physical rain gauges. Trimble's RainWave® precipitation monitoring solution eliminates physical rain gauges by providing the exact amount of rainfall for any specific location in the United States. You can own as many virtual rain gauges as you want and display each on your Connected Farm™ dashboard. This saves you from driving to each location and dumping gauges. As a customer of RainWave, you also receive email updates by 5am if there was measurable rainfall in the past 24 hours. This way you can make quicker decisions on irrigation or farming operations before the day starts.



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### Soil Sampling Tips

With temperatures slowly increasing throughout the Midwest, farmers are starting to prepare themselves for the upcoming growing season. Part of that preparation is understanding the soil conditions for each field. We asked Chris Eschhofen of Eschhofen Systems to give us some quick tips in soil sampling this spring. His company samples thousands of acres in Northwest Ohio while providing consulting services from the collected data.



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### AGCO Connectivity Announcement

AGCO recently announced a new interoperability between Trimble's Farm Works Software® and VarioDoc™ and TaskDoc™ as part of its Fuse™ Technologies initiative. This interoperability will allow operators to transfer task files between their machine's cab and the Farm Works Software.



What does this mean to you? If you own AGCO's VarioDoc or TaskDoc as well as Farm Works Software, you are now able to wirelessly transfer data between the field and office – a huge time savings. This eliminates the need for the operator to remember to save information to a data card or USB flash drive, and physically transfer it between the field and office. But most importantly, decisions can be made quicker with access to valuable data while improving field record keeping.

[View the FAQ...](#)

### Farm Works Classroom Training Schedule

Take advantage of one of these upcoming training classes at a location near you. Learn how to utilize your software investment so that you can profit from the data. Due to limited space, pre-registration is required.

Training Date	Location	Register/Info
April 3, 2014	Ames, IA	<a href="#">REGISTER</a>
April 10, 2014	Columbus, OH	<a href="#">REGISTER</a>
April 15, 2014	Fresno, CA	<a href="#">REGISTER</a>

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### Farm Works Online Training Schedule

Online classes provide one hour of training with time available at the end for specific questions. Each session is \$30 and high-speed Internet is required.

Training Date	Time (EST)	Topic	Register/Info
March 17, 2014	11am	Mapping – Creating Formula Based Prescription Maps	<a href="#">REGISTER</a>
March 24, 2014	11am	Accounting – Initial Set Up	<a href="#">REGISTER</a>
March 26, 2014	11am	Accounting – Entering Daily Records	<a href="#">REGISTER</a>
March 31, 2014	11am	Accounting – Grain Contracts & Marketing	<a href="#">REGISTER</a>
April 2, 2014	11am	Surface – Working with Drainage Layers	<a href="#">REGISTER</a>

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