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## Pandemis pyrusana (Lepidoptera: Tortricidae)

Fruit pathway: larvae feed on fruit (Dunley et al. 2006), eggs laid on fruit (Gilligan and Epstein 2014)

**Other pathways:** plants for planting; cut flowers, cut branches; eggs also laid on leaves, larvae also feed on foliage and overwinter on the bark, pupae in leaves (Gilligan and Epstein 2014)

Hosts: polyphagous, hosts include Malus, Pyrus, Ribes, Prunus, Alnus, Rosa, Salix (TortAI)

**Distribution:** North America: Canada, USA (Gilligan and Epstein 2014)

**Damage:** important pest in apples in Western USA (Dunley et al. 2006, Pfannenstiel et al. 2004), moderately important pest of apple, pear, cranberries in the Western US states and British Columbia (Cranshaw 2015)

**Other information:** *P. limitata* is a similar species in the distribution area of *P. pyrosana*, but its larvae feed only occasionally on fruit. Therefore *P. limitata* was not included in this List.

Impact: Moderate	Intercepted: Not known	Spreading/invasive: Not known
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