



# Announcing the Hottest Pepper of Kern County Competition

Gardeners and producers in Kern County can submit one sample of Kern grown peppers for Scoville analysis and Capsaicin determination.

Samples will be analyzed by CSUB Chemistry students using state-of-the-art analytical instruments.

Each submission will receive a certificate of analysis, and the hottest pepper (highest capsaicin levels) will be recognized with a prize and a local media announcement

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To download the submittal form click [here](#).

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