

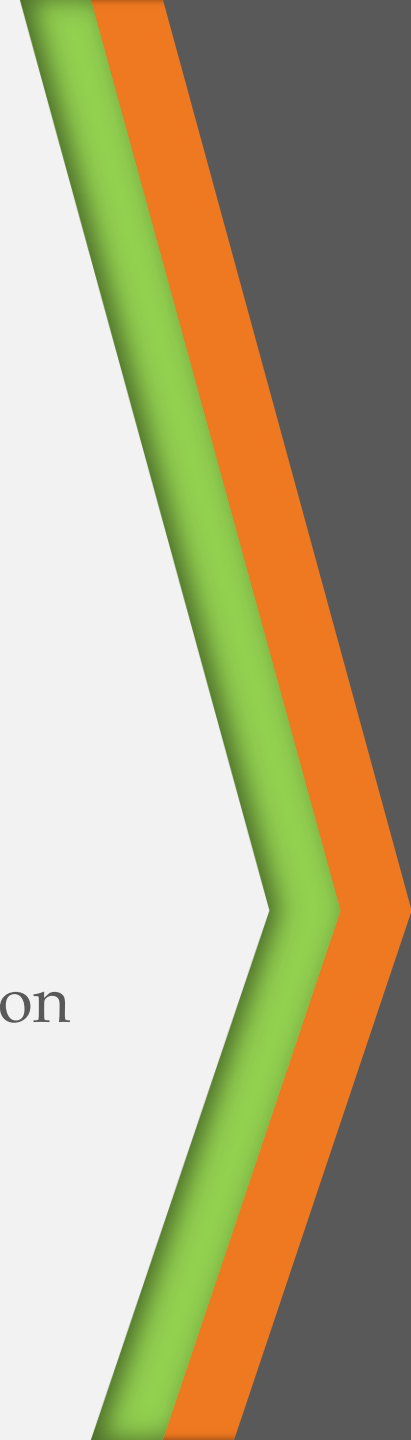
Introducing CRAFT Cycle Two Participant Workshop

June 23-24, 2020



CRAFT Cycle Two: General Session

Overview of the CRAFT Foundation
& CRAFT Program



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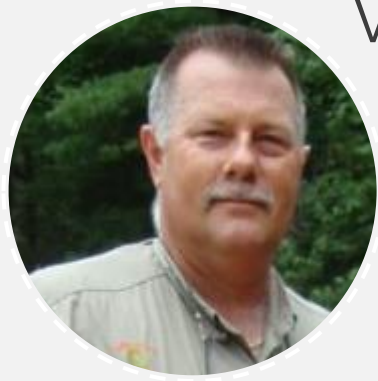
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CRAFT Program Aims & Requirements

- Cooperative Relationship with USDA/ APHIS and FDACS/DPI
- CRAFT Foundation, Inc. is a Direct Support Organization (DSO) of FDACS to support DPI and execute the CRAFT mission
- Field trials and demonstrations of multiple potential HLB mitigation strategies implemented as a system compared to grower standard practice
- CRAFT is aimed at planting 5,000 acres of new citrus trees (including a percentage of resets) over two years, which will be used as experimental models for various HLB mitigation strategies and caretaking programs to counter the harmful effects of citrus greening. CRAFT will compensate growers on a flat rate to conduct field trials over the course of six years.
 - Citrus includes fresh and juice oranges, mandarins and grapefruit
 - Direction was to have a 90/10 split representing Florida production practices 90 Juice/10 Fresh

Program Funding with Public Funds Brings Requirements and Accountability...

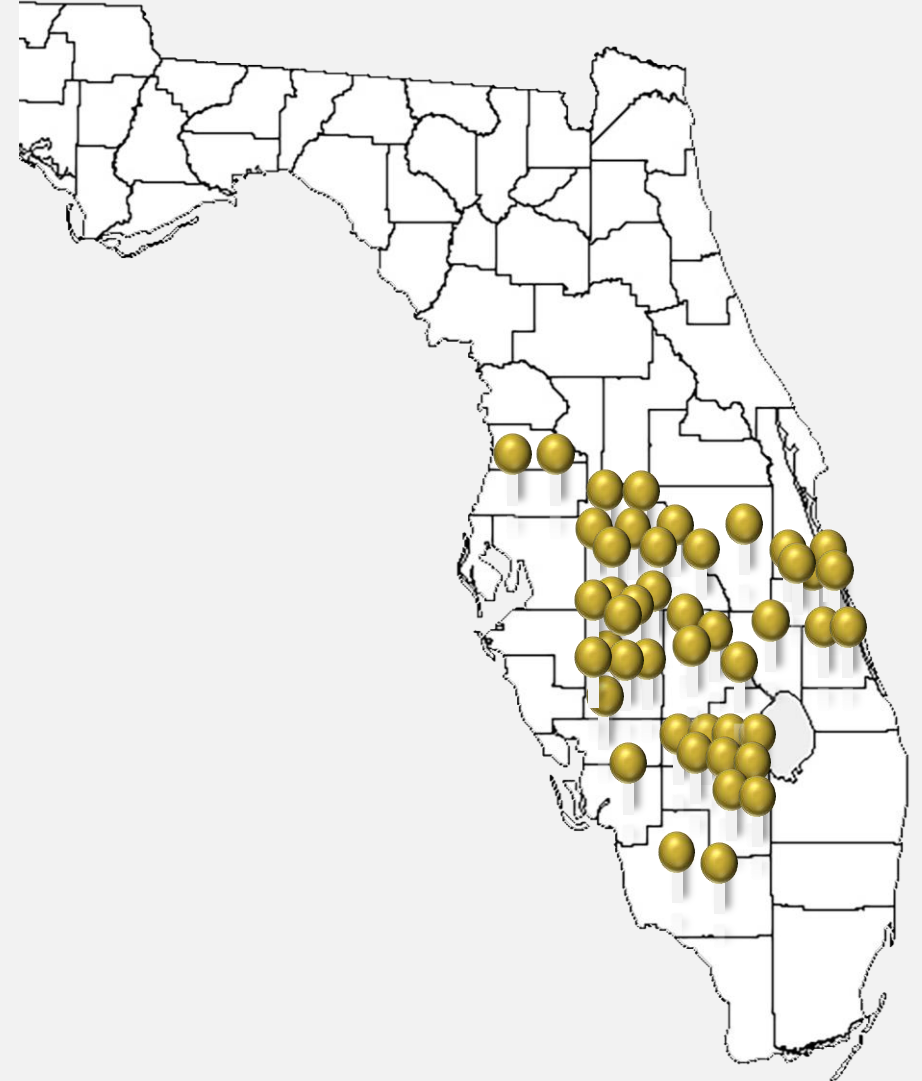
- USDA has granted FDACS two years of funding in the amount of \$6.2M for CRAFT for period October 1, 2019 – September 30, 2021
- State of Florida gave CRDF \$2M for large-scale field trials (CRAFT) through June 30, 2020
- Cycle One Payments = \$3,400/acre over two years for solid set; \$1,050/acre over two years for resets. Money comes from both Federal and State sources.

Program Aims & Requirements

- Outreach and Communication
 - Public Meetings
 - Comprehensive Communications Plan which includes this workshop, Citrus Industry Annual Conference, articles, etc.
- Governance and Financial Accountability
 - Financial Processes
 - Audits
 - Ethics/Conflict of Interest Policies

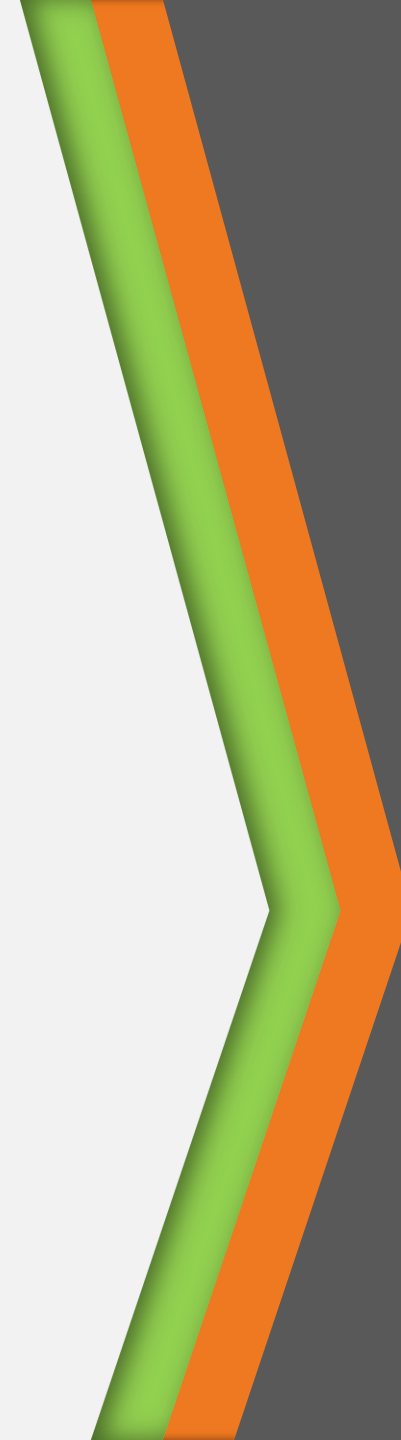
Cycle One Participation

- 46 applications
 - 2,032 acres
 - 1,641 solid set acres
 - 392 reset acres in established groves
- 14 counties
 - Represents all major citrus-growing regions in the state



CRAFT Cycle Two: General Session

Why Should I Participate in the
CRAFT Program?



Why Should I Participate in the CRAFT Program?

- Purpose of CRAFT
- Types of CRAFT Projects I can run on my land



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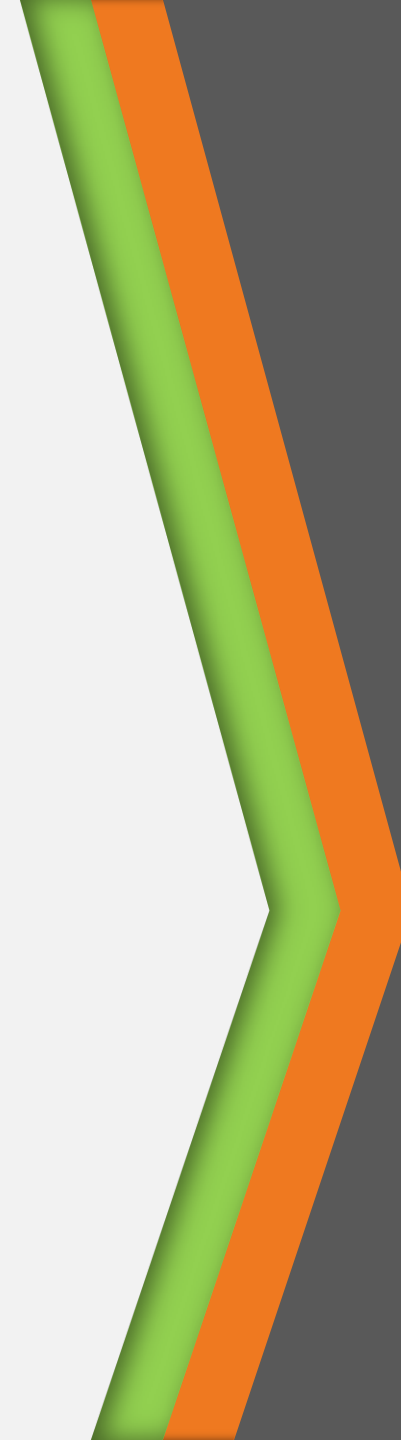
Testimonial from CRAFT Cycle One Grower

Ted Schrader,
Winter Haven CGA

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Your CRAFT Project Design

Brandon Page

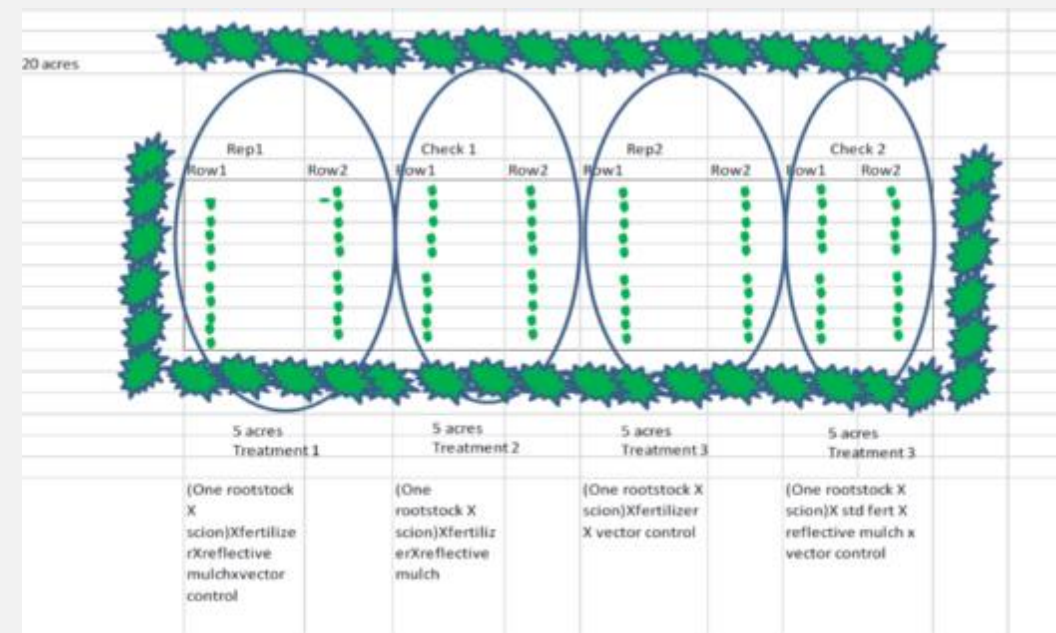
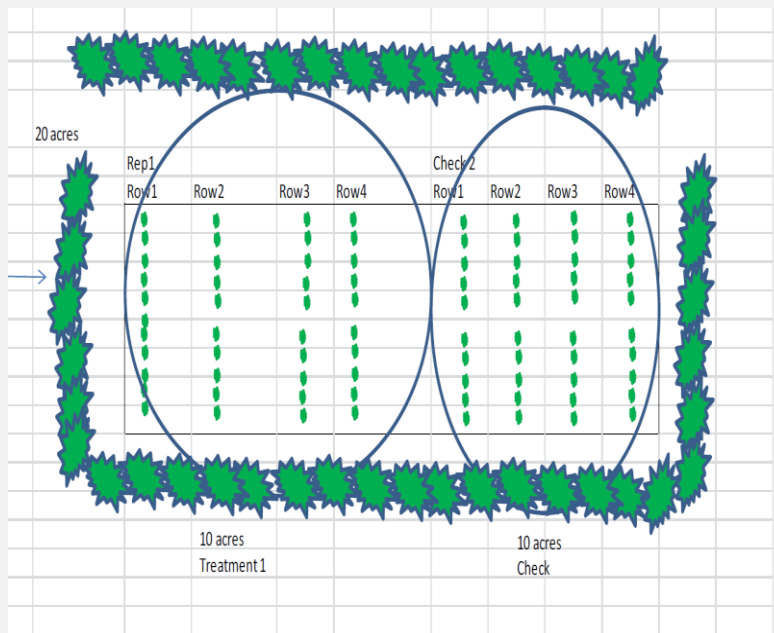


Your CRAFT Project Design

- Where do I start?
- What is a demonstration and how is it different than a field trial?

Organization and Selection of Research

- With USDA and grower input, TWG decided on design models for replication and USDA accepted
 - Aim was to enable growers to be able to execute the trials with regular growing practices and which supplied scientific valuable information
 - Research had to represent diversity of Florida growing regions and grower practices

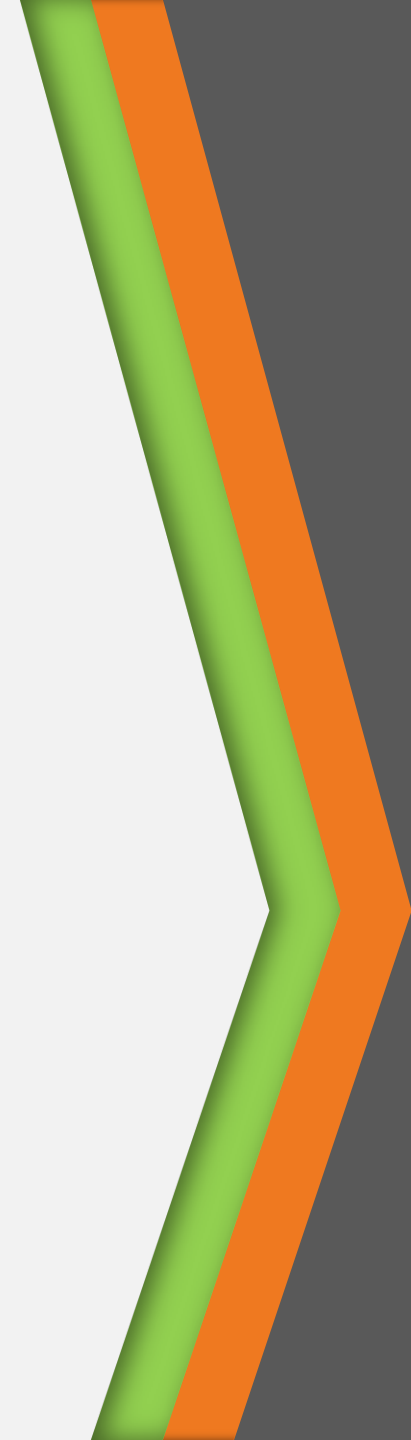


The CRAFT Project and Me...What Growers Need to Know about their Role in a CRAFT Project

- Minimum Requirements – Why can't I just grow citrus the way I want?
- What happens when a plot in my project is underperforming?
- What happens to my fruit when it is time to harvest?
- How will CRAFT collect yield data?
- Who should I expect to enter my property from the CRAFT program?

CRAFT Cycle Two: General Session

Group by Group



The CRAFT Program – Group by Group

- Factors to be tested were broken down into groups with each assigned a sub-committee. Every grower project has a group assignment and their own volunteer leader to contact.
 - Resets – Dr. Brian Scully, USDA/ARS, Fort Pierce
 - Group 1: Rootstock/Scion – Mr. Brandon Page, CRDF/IFAS, Lake Alfred
 - Group 2: Tree/Soil Nutrition – Dr. Jim Graham, CRDF/IFAS, Lake Alfred
 - Group 3: Pest Management – Dr. Ozgur Batuman, UF/IFAS, SWFREC
 - Group 4: Biostimulants – Dr. Robert Shatters, USDA/ARS, Fort Pierce

CRAFT Cycle Two Research Overview

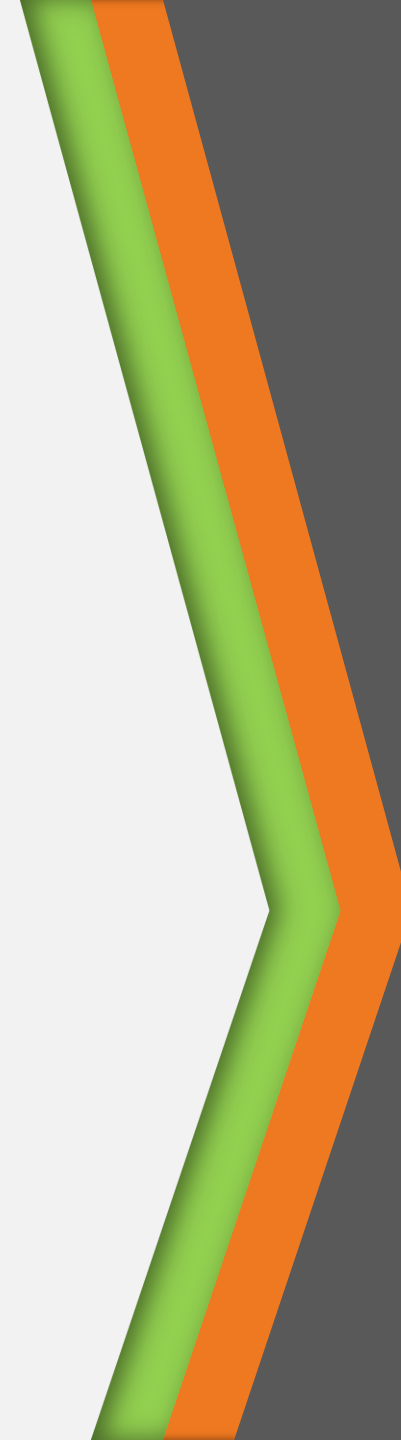
For Cycle Two, CRAFT has an interest in certain types of projects— particularly in filling research gaps left in Cycle One.

The CRAFT projects that follow will appear as options for you to consider in the application process.

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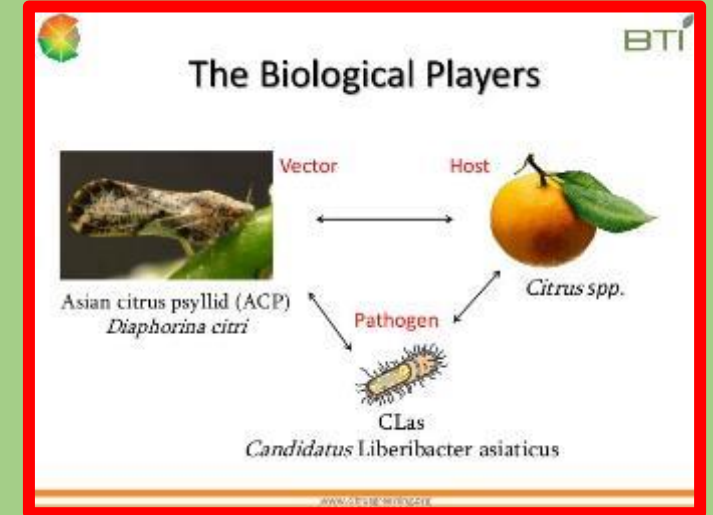
Reset Group

Dr. Brian Scully, USDA/ARS



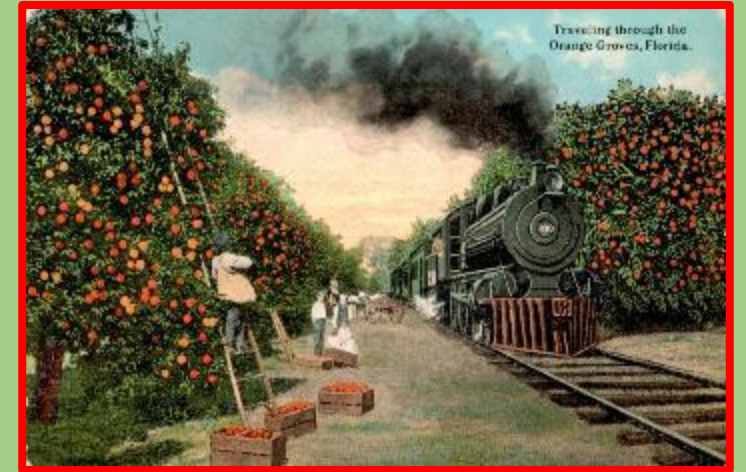
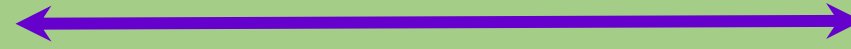
Working Group: CRAFT Reset Sub-Group

Brian Scully, Brandon Page & Bob Shatters





Reset Group Overview



Overview: The “Reset Project” is a specialized effort to rehabilitate an existing grove while concurrently retaining and improving the productivity of that grove. It transitions a grove incrementally to new cropping practices, technologies along with elite scion/rootstock replacements

Essentially, Redefine/Re-Invent the Citrus Cropping System

While maintaining profit and productivity without a “break-in-service” for the land

Reset Objectives



Whole Grove Performance

- To monitor the productive of the whole grove using a time series analysis that simple compares annual yield and quality prior to participation (five seasons) in the program to grove performance upon entry into the program
- These practices can be applied across both mature and young trees with appropriate controls for comparison.

Reset Performance

- To compare the productivity & performance of a group or cohort of reset trees subjected to various treatment regiments

Reset Group: 4 Priorities



- Acidified Irrigation H₂O
- Protective Tree Covers
- Organic Matter/Compost
- “Reflective Donuts (New)”

Acidified Irrigation Water



Individual Protective Tree Covers (IPC'S)



Compost for Resets



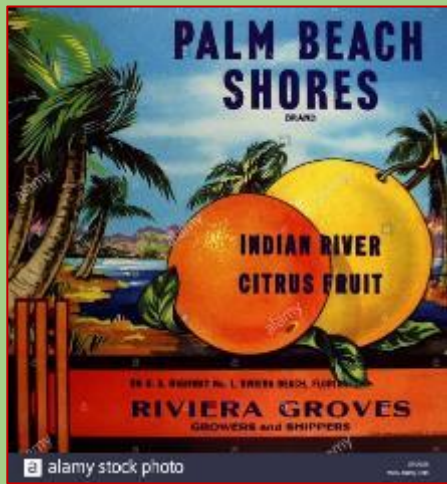
Metalized Reflective Donuts



Further Reset Guidelines

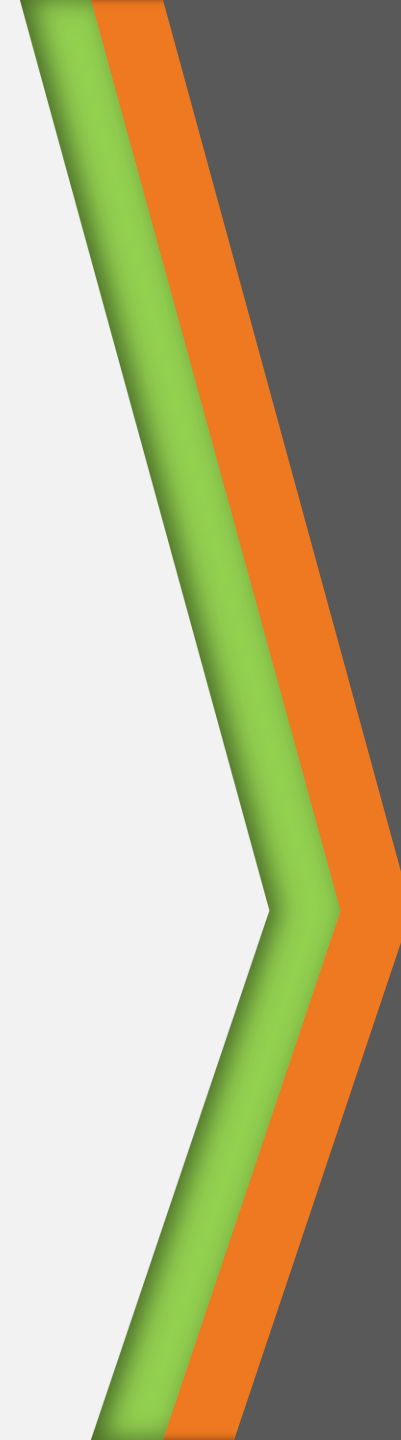


Group 4: Reset Group	Factor to be Tested	Rootstock/Scion preference	Location Preference	Potential Focus Factors
Reset Group Project 1	Use of Acidified Water	Any	Any	Acidification vs no acidification
Reset Group Project 2	Compare IPC projects not including bactericides	Any	Any	Comparing different IPC designs
Group 1 Project 3	Compare use of compost treated with untreated	Any	Any	Comparison of soil amendments and probiotics
Group 1 Project 4	Reflective donuts on individual trees vs no donuts	Any	Any	Evaluation of reflective mulch in reset setting



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GROUP ONE
ROOTSTOCK/SCION



GROUP ONE: Cycle 1 Projects

- Cycle 1 TWG Subgroup 1 plant material
 - 6 scion – Early Pride, Bingo, Star Ruby, Flame, Vernia, Valencia
 - 12 rootstocks - Sour, SuperSour 3, UFR 4, UFR 6, X 639, C 54, C 146, US 802, US 896, US 897, US 942, US 1281
- Valencia on 9 rootstocks - C 54, C 146, UFR 4, UFR 6, US 812, US 897, US 942, US 1281, X 639
- Star Ruby on SuperSour 3, US 802, US 897, US 942
- Flame on SuperSour 3
- Vernia on X 639, US 942, UFR 4
- Early Pride on Sour
- Bingo on Sour

GROUP ONE: What is missing? What can we get?

#1 Multilocation trials with the same plant material

- Missing
 - Early / Mid varieties
 - Hamlin
 - EV 1 or EV 2
 - Valquarius
 - Vernia
 - OLL varieties
 - Fresh fruit scions
 - Rootstocks
 - The most popular selections are well represented in cycle 1 projects
 - UFR 5, UFR 17, Traditional rootstocks
- Setting up Cycle 2
 - We will likely have a similar selection process as in Cycle 1.
 - “What plant material do you have on order with the nurseries?”
 - Plant material that would be used for CRAFT Cycle 2 is likely already being built in the nurseries.
 - Different scions with similar maturity on a single rootstock
 - Early/Mid Scions on multiple rootstocks

GROUP ONE: Gaps Identified by CRAFT TWG

- Scions were the primary gap in the TWG subgroup 1 trials
 - Valencia is well represented in the Cycle 1 trials
- The TWG discussed the need for more process varieties in Cycle 2 plantings
 - OLL 20
 - Valquarius (in multiple locations)
 - Vernia
- LB8-9 was mentioned as a group 1 candidate
- The TWG agreed that Sun Dragon would be worthy of study
 - USDA indicated the variety was commercially available.
 - It could be interesting to compare Sun Dragon to established varieties

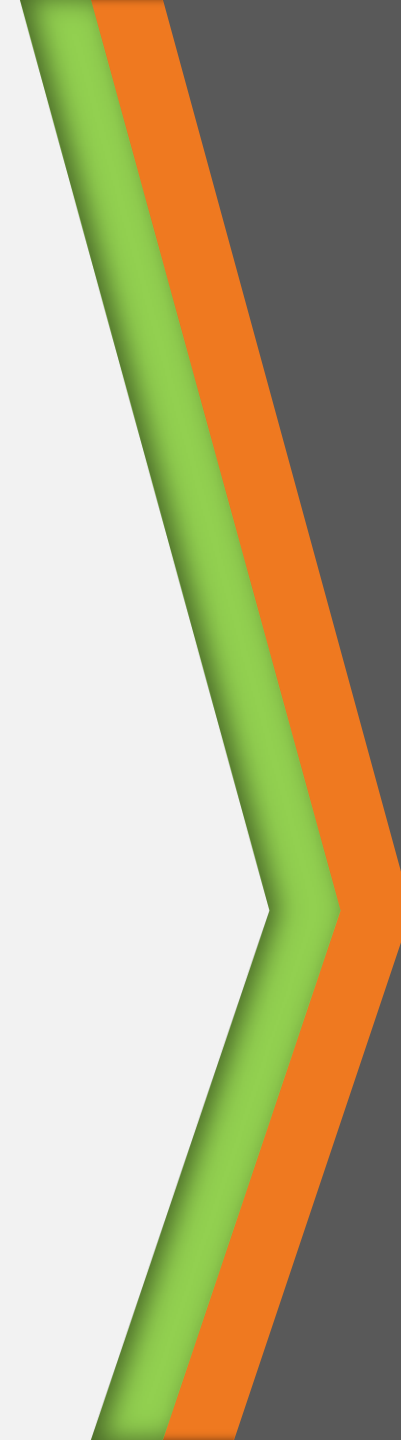
GROUP ONE: Rootstock Gaps

- The only traditional rootstock in subgroup 1 is sour orange.
 - There is a need to have the new generation of rootstocks compared to traditional rootstocks.
 - Swingle, Cleo, Carrizo, etc could be compared to newly release rootstocks

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GROUP TWO

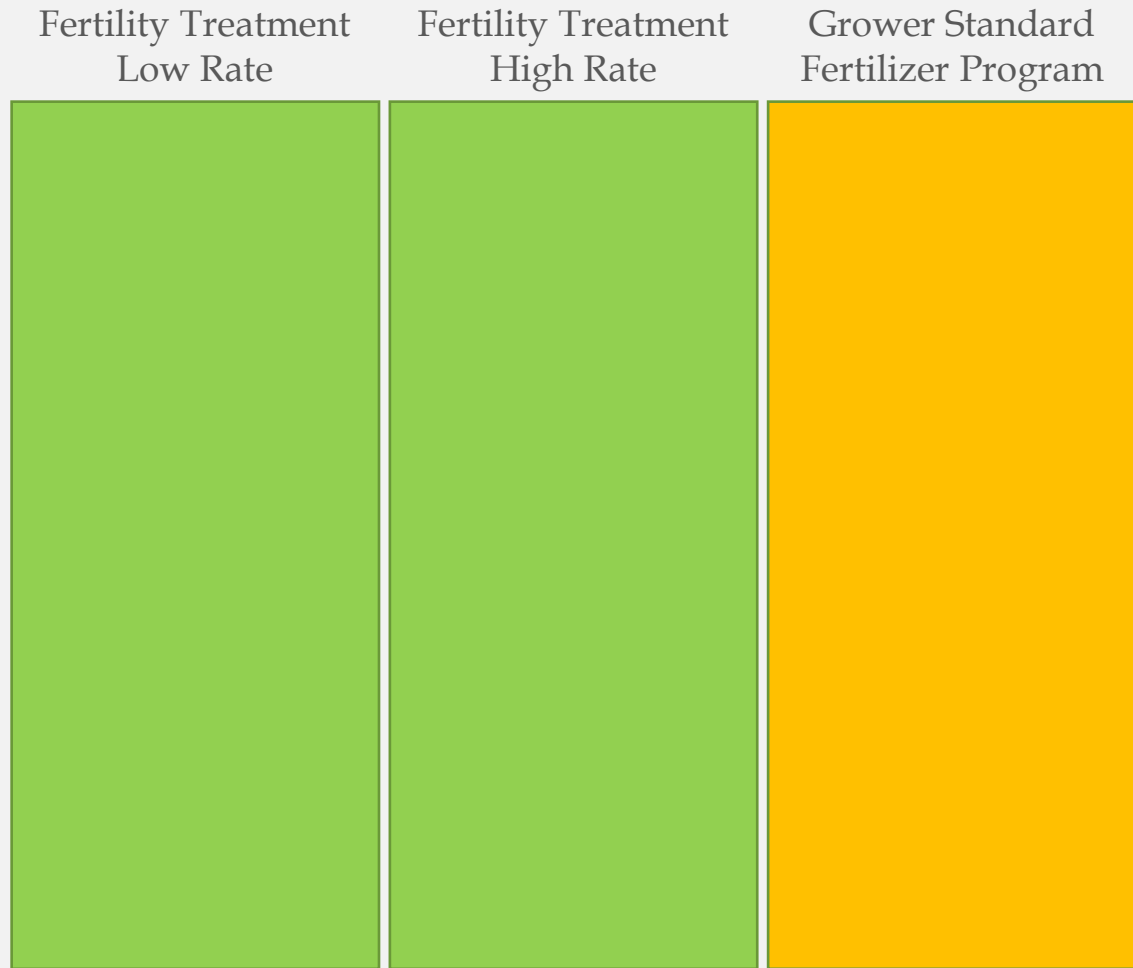
TREE/SOIL NUTRITION



GROUP TWO

Group 2: Nutrition/ fertilization	Factor to be Tested	Rootstock/Scion preferences	Location Preferences	Side by side plots in one location
Group 2 Project 1	Compare rates of soil application for Ca,Mg,Zn,Mn	US942 or X639 Vernia or OLL8	Ridge or Indian River	yes
Group 2 Project 2	Compare 1/3 foliar 2/3 soil with soil only	any	any	yes
Group 2 Project 3	Compare w/ and w/out compost	US 942 or X639	any	yes
Group 2 Project 4	Compare woven ground cover w/no cover	US 942 or X639	Indian River w/ Diaprepes risk	yes

GROUP TWO: Example of Planting Plan and Experimental Design (Fertility rates)



GROUP TWO: Example of Planting Plan and Experimental Design (Rootstock/Compost)

Vernia/X639

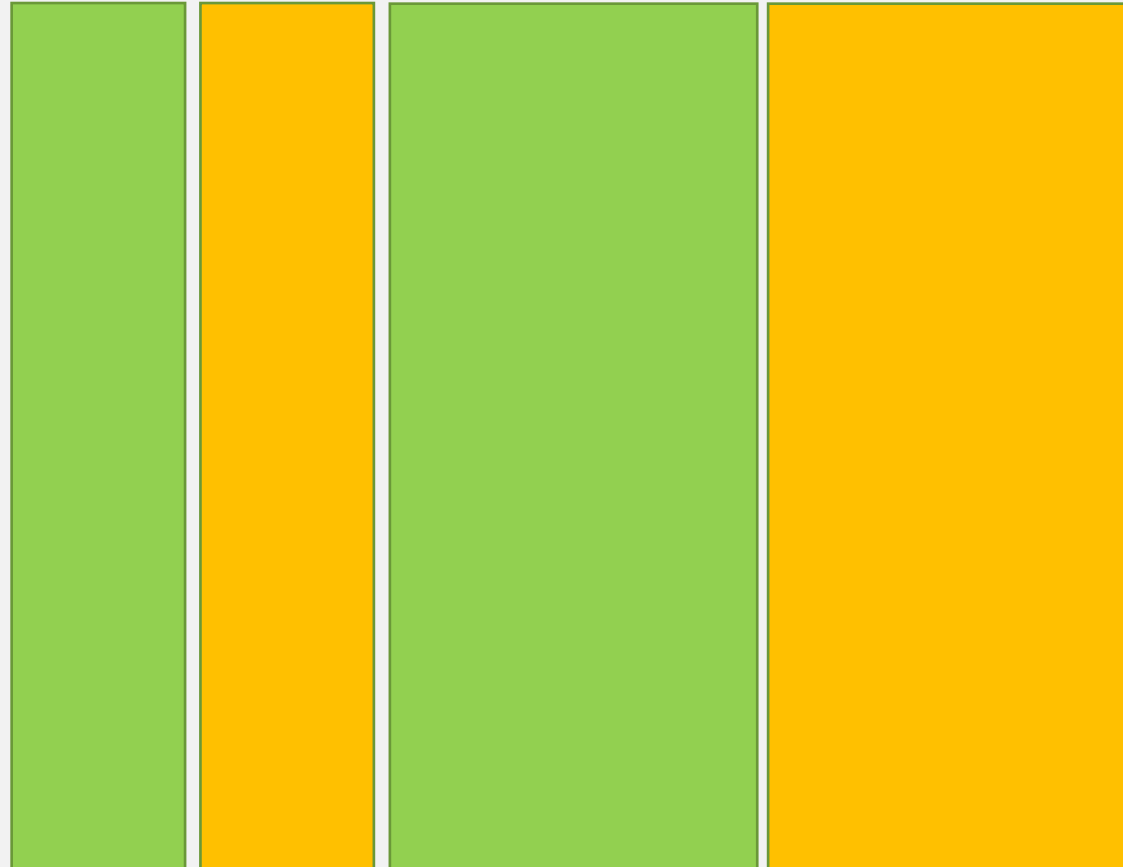
Vernia/942

Compost
5 Rows

No
Compost
5 Rows

Compost Treated
14 Rows

No Compost
14 Rows



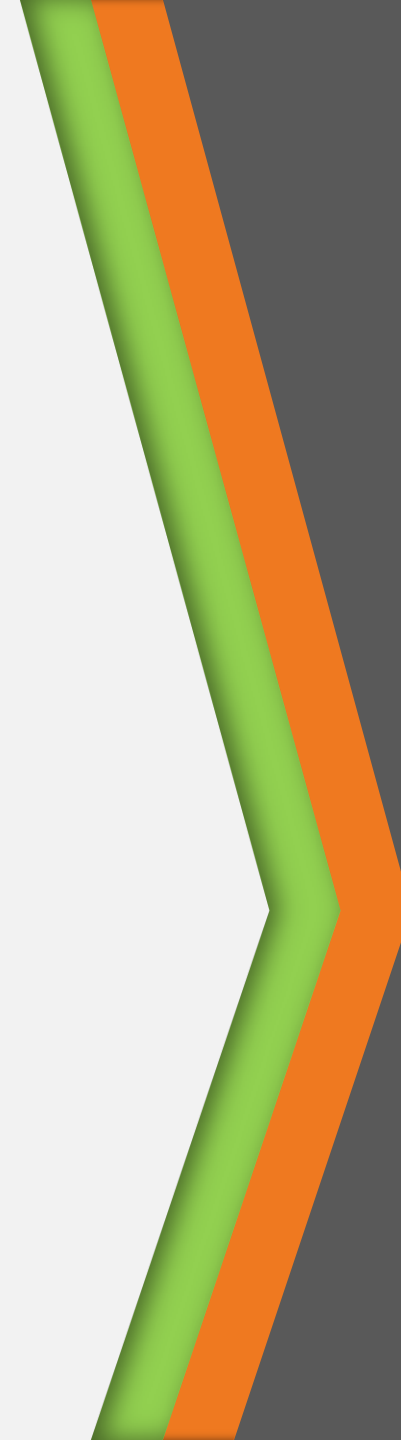
GROUP TWO: OLL-8 on US942 Planted in the Indian River Ecoregion



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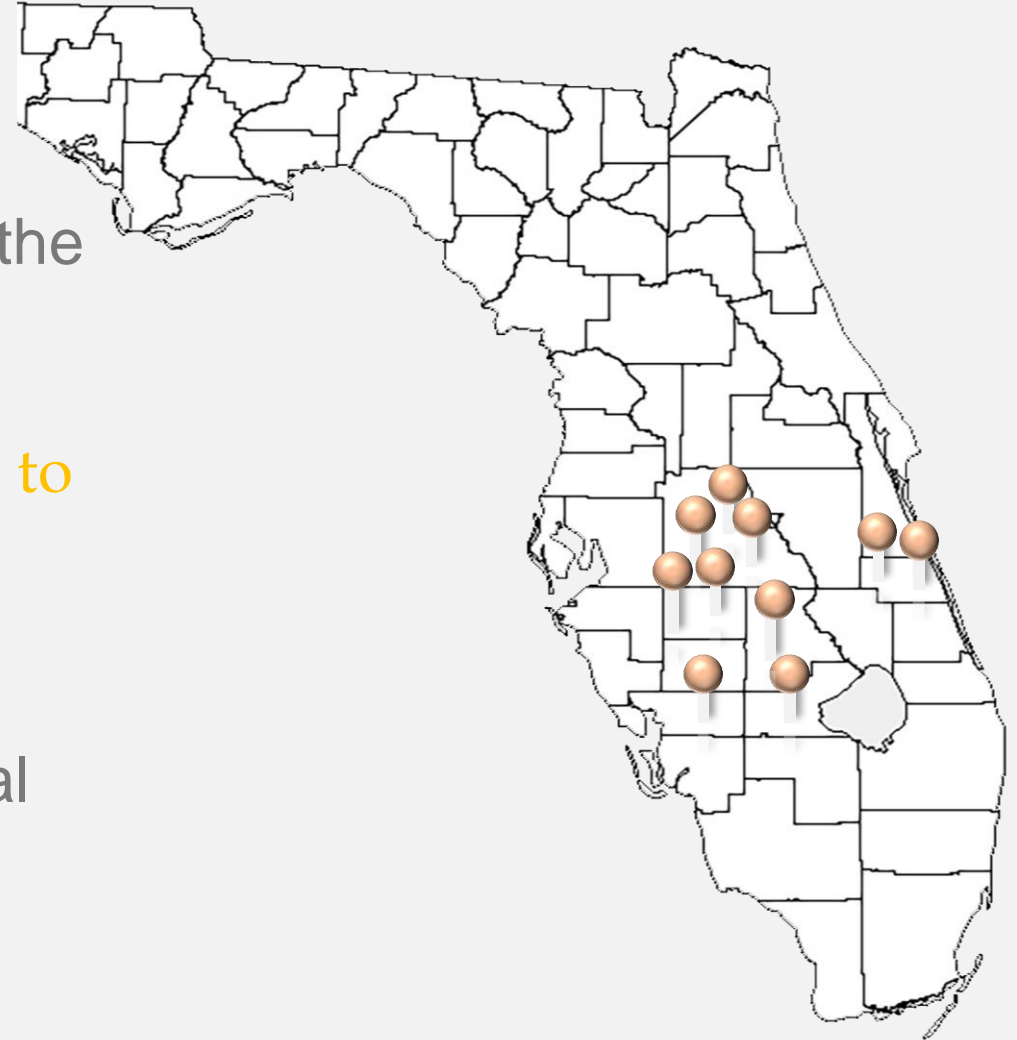
GROUP THREE

PEST MANAGEMENT



GROUP THREE: Program Participation

- There were **10 CRAFT** projects participating in the Pest Management Group in 'cycle one'.
- All projects were aiming to test **novel strategies to control Asian citrus psyllids (ACP)** in solid set groves.
- All projects in this group finalized in terms of trial design and contract agreement.



GROUP THREE: Factors Tested

Three novel ACP control strategies are being tested:

Individual Protective Cover (IPC); 6 participants

Kaolin Clay Spray; 2 participants

Reflective/woven Mulch; 2 participants

APPLICATION NUMBER	FACTOR(S) TESTED	COUNTY	ACRES
CRAFT-2019-021S	Kaolin Clay	CHARLOTTE	32
CRAFT-2019-024S	Woven mulch	INDIAN RIVER	40
CRAFT-2019-029S	Reflective Mulch	POLK	10+10
CRAFT-2019-036S	IPC	POLK	27
CRAFT-2019-037S	IPC	POLK	20
CRAFT-2019-038S	IPC	GLADES	32
CRAFT-2019-039S	IPC	HARDEE	20
CRAFT-2019-042S	IPC	INDIAN RIVER	20
CRAFT-2019-049S	Kaolin Clay	HARDEE	20
CRAFT-2019-052S	IPC	HIGHLANDS	42
		Total	266

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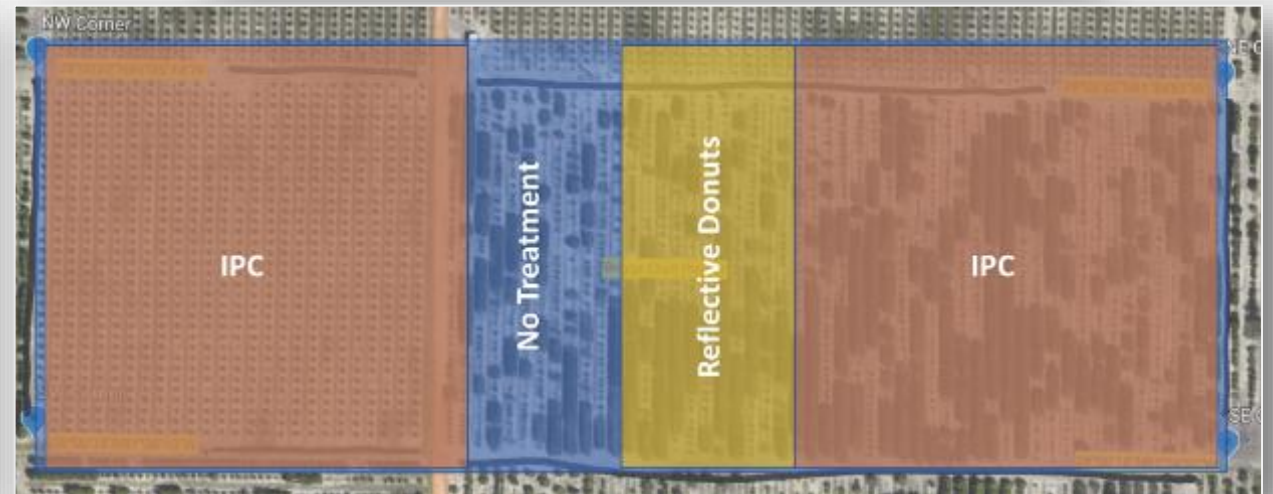
- Three novel ACP control strategies are being tested:
 - Individual Protective Cover (IPC); 6 participants
 - Kaolin Clay Spray; 2 participants
 - Reflective Mulch; 2 participants
- Rationale:
 - HLB management currently heavily rely on chemical control of ACP in citrus groves
 - Repetitive use of insecticides is not sustainable and selects insecticide-resistant ACP populations
 - Effective and alternative ACP control strategies are urgently needed in Florida.



GROUP THREE: Trial Design Examples



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GROUP THREE: Gaps and Possible New Areas to Explore in Cycle Two

- Main Gap: Integration of strategies
 - Use of **multiple strategies in combination** to control ACP as well as improving plant health (nutrition, irrigation and IPM).
 - **For example:** Use reflective mulch but also consider using compost, balanced nutrition regiments and/or slow-release fertilizer as well as protect your trees from other pests and pathogens with timely pesticide applications.

GROUP THREE: Gaps and Possible New Areas to Explore in Cycle Two

New/potential areas to consider in 'Pest Management' group

ACP

Chemical, biological & physical controls:

- Parasitic wasp
- Diatomaceous earth

HLB

- Use of antimicrobials, plant defense or systemic acquired resistance (SAR) inducer compounds
- Use of novel therapeutic delivery techniques

SECONDARY PESTS

- Canker, PFD, CBS and Phytophthora etc.
- Foliar fungicides and bactericides
- Citrus tristeza virus (CTV), and Aphid control etc.

GROUP THREE: Gaps and Possible New Areas to Explore in Cycle Two



Any other Suggestions?

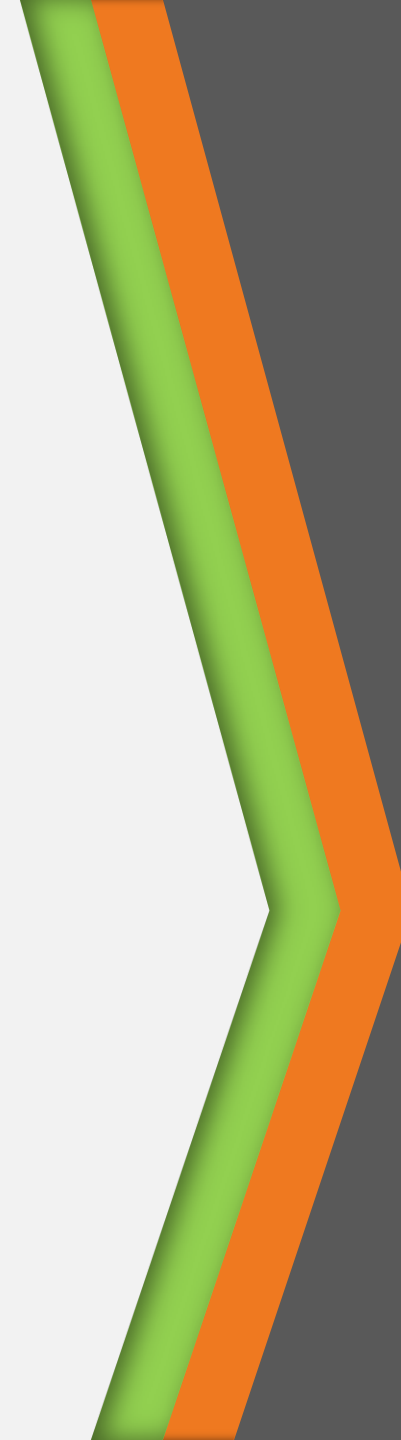
1. Trials are in only 7 counties; how about in other counties or on different scion/rootstocks?
2. ??
3. ??

scion	rootstock
Vernia	802
Star Ruby	942
Page	802
Vernia	639
Valencia	Rough Lemon
Vernia	942
Vernia	802
Flame	Sour
Valencia	942

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GROUP FOUR

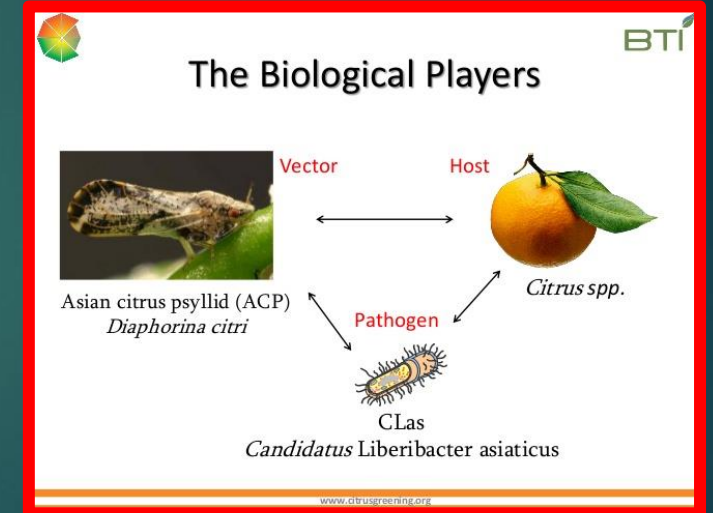
BIOSTIMULANTS



Working Group: CRAFT Biostimulant Sub-Group

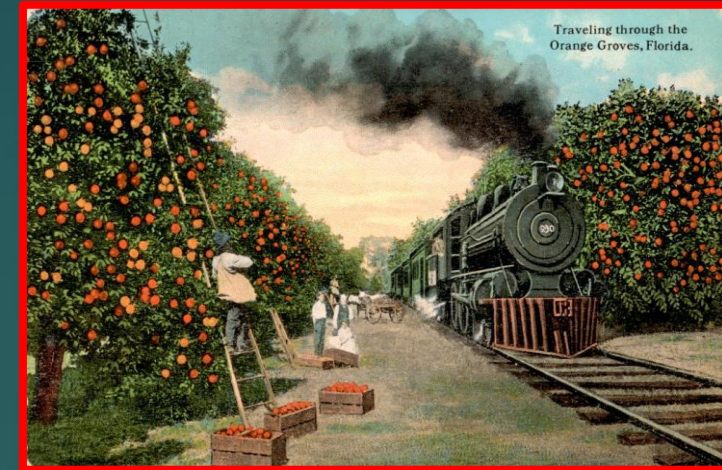


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Biostimulant Group Overview



BIOSTIMULANT DEFINITION:

“substance(s) and/or microorganisms that when applied to plants or the rhizosphere stimulate natural processes to benefit nutrient uptake, nutrient efficiency, tolerance to abiotic stress, and/or crop quality, independent of their nutrient content.” (www.biostimulantcoalition.org)

Group 4 bio stimulants	Factor to be Tested	Rootstock/Scion preference	Location Preference	Potential focus factors
Group 4 Project 1	Plant growth regulator (i.e Giberillins etc.) effect on tree growth	Any	Any	Evaluate influence of PGRs on plant canopy structure and tree development/vigor/health
Group 4 Project 2	Humic/fulvic acid	Any other than Valencia and grapefruit	Any but not SE FL	Compare with vs without treatment on new plantings
Group 4 Project 3	Seaweed and other extracts	Any	Any	Compare with vs without treatments on new plantings - tree health stimulator
Group 4 Project 4	Probiotic Soil amendments and combinations with organic substrates (biochar, ASD etc.)	Any	Any	Does additions of organic substrates influence effectiveness of probiotic amendments
Group 4 Project 5	Brassinosteroids	Any	Any	Can they impact Candidatus Liberibacter asiaticus titer in the plant, improve plant health and vigorous young plant growth
etc	Other treatments containing amino acids, chitosans, silicon, organic molecules nutrient chelates (i.e. organic acid nutrient chelates)	Any	Any	

BIOSTIMULANTS

Citrus Industry December 2017

Plant biostimulants — snake oils or beneficial substances?

By Ute Albrecht and Sarah Strauss

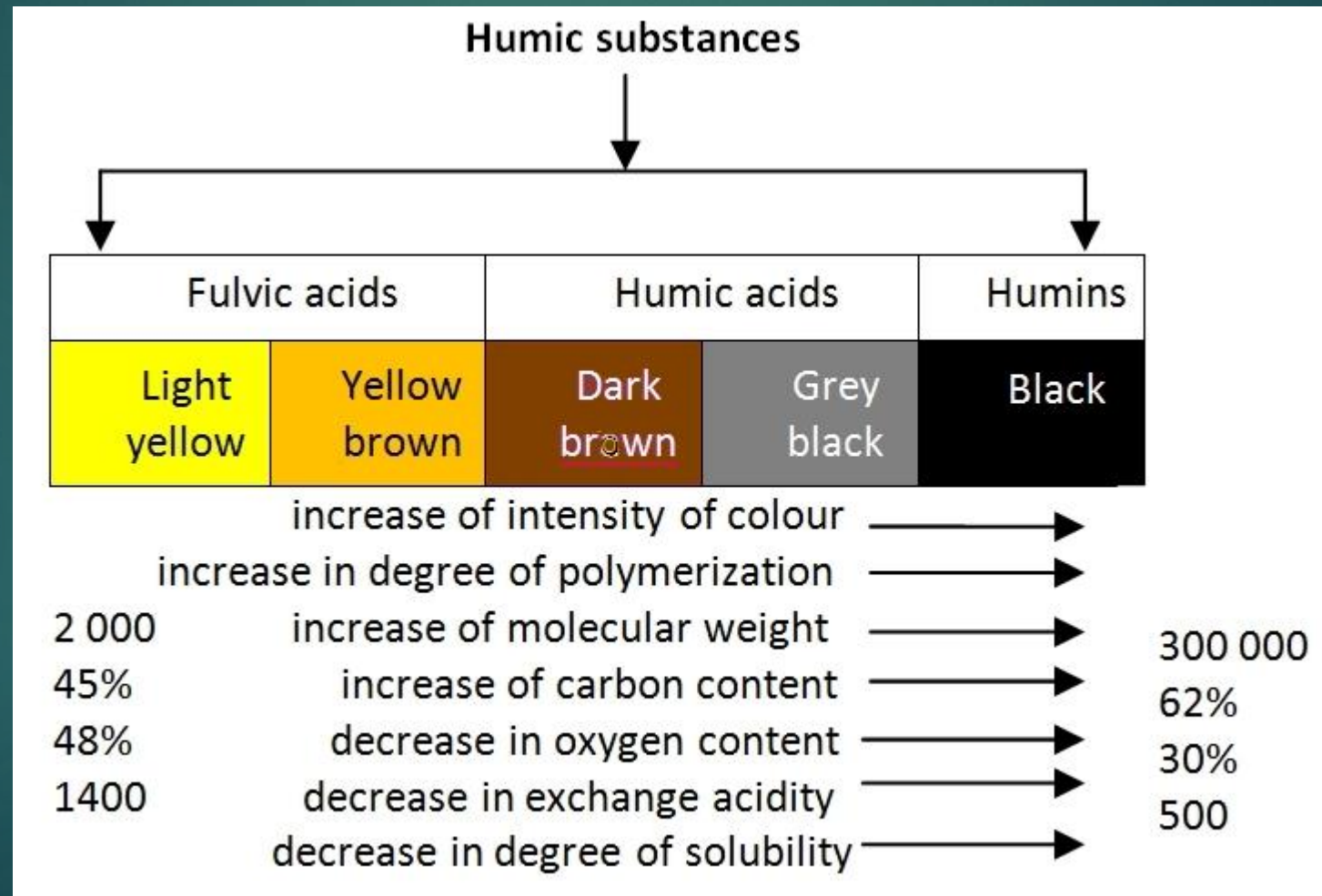
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QUOTE FROM DR. ALBRECHT:

- ▶ “Biostimulants come in a wide range of different products” including beneficial soil bacteria, beneficial fungi, humic substances and seaweed extract, Albrecht says. She says research indicates the biostimulants “have positive effects on plant growth and also on crop yields.”

Humic and Fulvic acids are the final break-down constituents of the natural decay of plant and animal materials

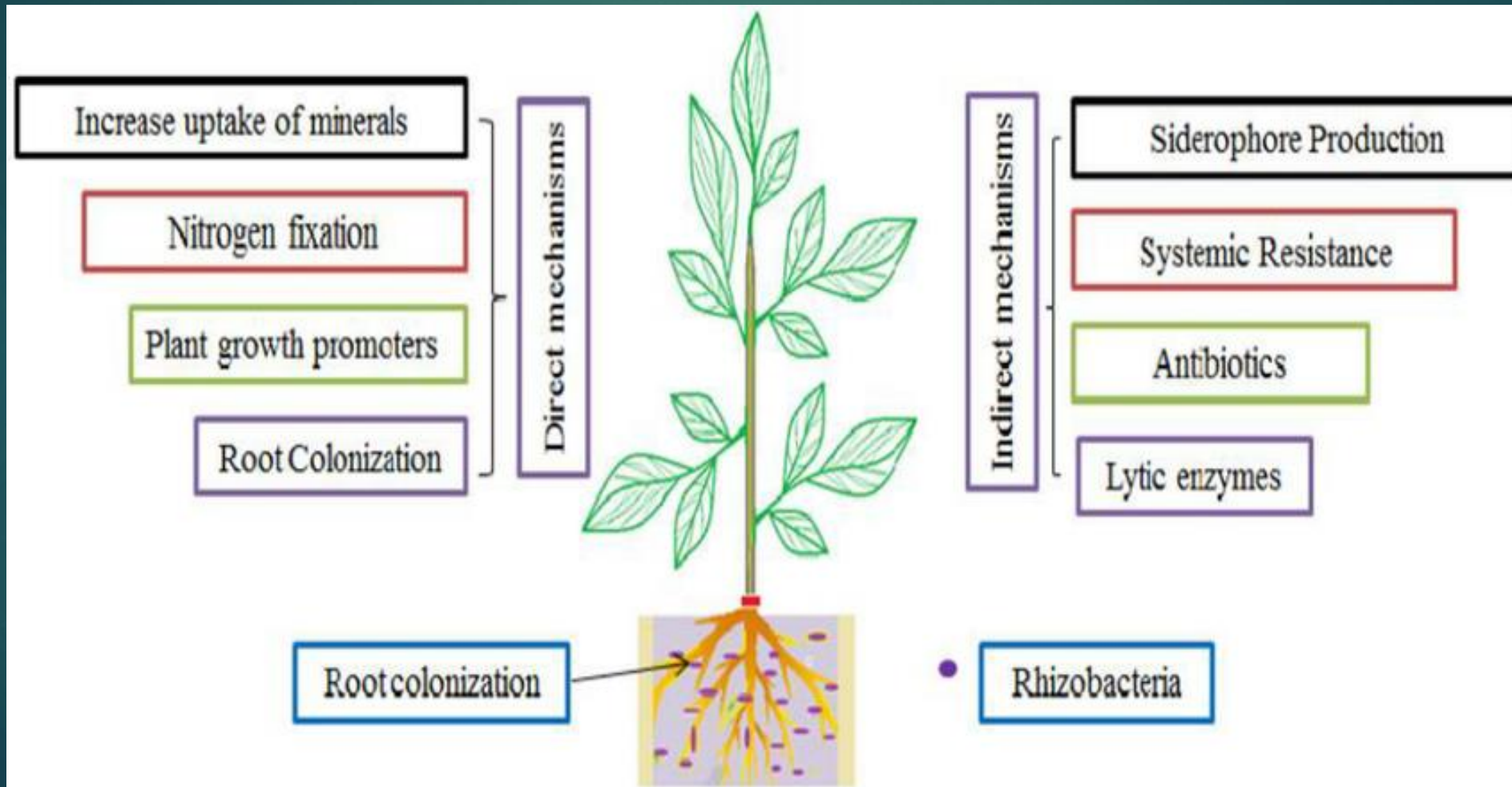


Benefits of Humic and Fulvic Acids

- ▶ Major benefits:
- ▶ Applied in irrigation line: Improves root nutrient uptake
- ▶ Foliar spray – can function as adjuvant and improve foliar nutrition uptake.

PGPRs- Plant Growth Promoting Rhizobacteria

- ▶ PGPRs- basically beneficial bacteria that improve plant health through many direct or indirect mechanisms.
 - ▶ Many flavors



Seaweed Extracts






plants



Review

Trends in Seaweed Extract Based Biostimulants: Manufacturing Process and Beneficial Effect on Soil-Plant Systems

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Fruit quality

Hydrophilic antioxidant activity (+)
Vitamin C (+)
Total Phenols (+)
Total soluble solids (+)
Fructose (+)
Sucrose (+)
Anthocyanins (+)

Phytohormones

Gibberellin (+)
Cytokinin (+)
Auxin (+)

Soil activity

Hydrogenase activity (+)
Invertase (+)
Urease (+)
Proteinase (+)
Phosphatase (+)
Microbial activity (+)
Soil texture and water retention (+)

Plant physiology

Chlorophyll content (+)
Photosynthesis rate (+)
Stomatal conductance (+)
Electron transfer rate (+)

Shoot growth

Leaf surface area (+)
Shoot length (+)
Yield (+)

Root growth

Root elongation (+)
Root architecture modulation (+)

Available nutrients (P, N, K, Cu, ...) (+)

Nutrient use efficiency (P, N, K, Cu, ...) (+)



2019–2020 Florida Citrus Production Guide: Plant Growth Regulators¹

Tripti Vashisth, W. Chris Oswalt, Mongi Zekri, Fernando M. Alferez, and Jamie D. Burrow²

- ▶ Gibberellic acid (GA) is used in citrus orchards to manipulate flowering and fruit development and reduce the incidence and/or severity of some physiological disorders that occur due to environmental conditions.
- ▶ However, Application to new plantings may also influence plant health and growth architecture.

BRASSINOSTEROIDS

Update on Brassinosteroids for HLB Management

June 19, 2019 / [HLB Management](#), [Research](#)



Brassinosteroids (BRs) are a class of polyhydroxylated steroidal phytohormones in plants with similar structures to animals' steroid hormones. Brassinosteroids regulate a wide range of physiological processes including plant growth, development and immunity.

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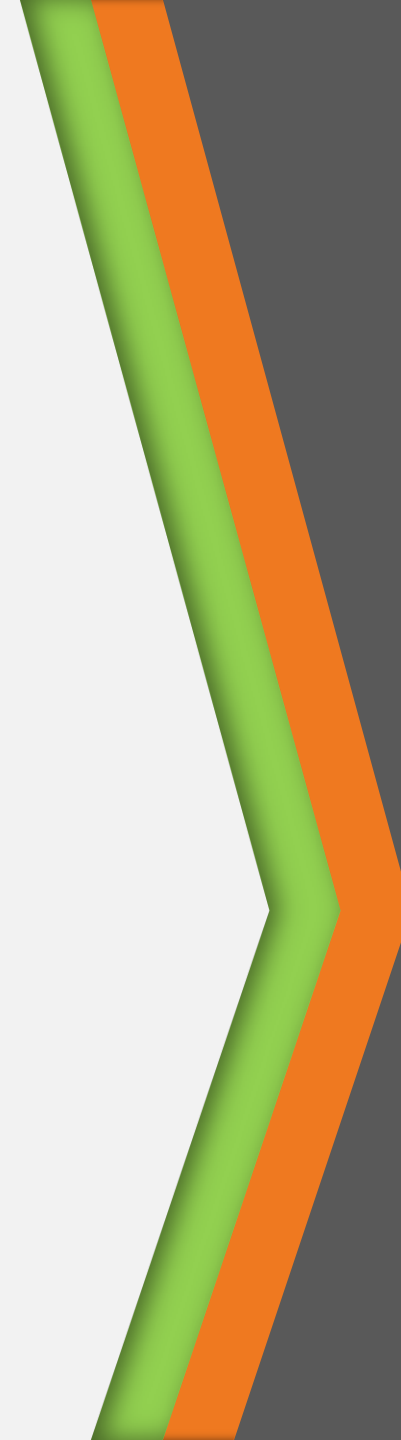
- ▶ Biweekly treatments: water (control), 0.01 micrometer (μM) HBr (low concentration, 18.6 milliliters/100 gallons) and 1 μM HBr (high concentration, 186 milliliters/100 gallons).
- ▶ Central and southern Florida citrus-producing regions
- ▶ After 10 months:
 - ▶ no reduction in bacteria population
 - ▶ However, some interesting physiological effects were found that are indicative of better tree health: earlier blooming date by 10 days, acceleration of fruit maturation and higher fruit yield.
 - ▶ Similar results in second year.

All Other

- ▶ **Combinations of the above:**
- ▶ **For example, combining beneficial bacteria (probiotics) with soil amendments such as humic/fulvic acid formulations, biochar, anaerobic soil disinfestation (ASD) to promote bacterial growth.**
- ▶ **Other treatments containing amino acids, chitosans, silicon, organic molecules nutrient chelates (i.e. organic acid nutrient chelates)**

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Data Collection



Data Collection Overview

- CRAFT growers will collect data for input in to USDA portal
- FDACS/DPI
- Third-party tree measurements

Why are We Collecting Data?

- CRAFT's funding agreement with USDA requires it
 - Funding agreement outlines what CRAFT needs to do
 - Specifies protocols – but not locked in granite
- CRAFT Participant contracts
- Data to be available to public for research purposes
- Data will help correlate HLB mitigation practices to outcomes (ie. Tree health/tree loss)

Grower-Collected Data Under CRAFT Agreement

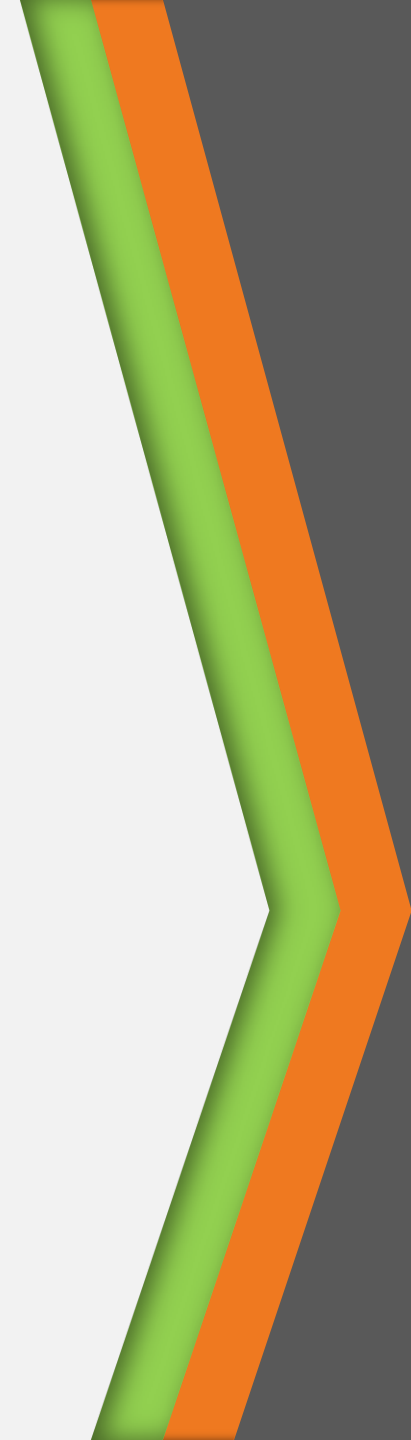
- Site preparation such as wind-breaks, irrigation design, bedded rows, pre-plant herbicide, pre-plant compost/mulch (pre-audit)
- Percentage Dead Trees – in quarterly reports
- Annual Production costs

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Data Collection Partners – FDACS/DPI

Jason Johnson,

FDACS/DPI



CRAFT Data Collection

Collected By FDACS

Jason Johnson



CRAFT ACP Monitoring

Five points consisting of 10 trees per point that are tapped.

Five points consists of the NE, NW, SE, SW corners and the center of the block.

Trees are GPS and psyllid counts are taken from each of the 10 trees, for a total of 50 numbers.

Trees will be tapped once every four weeks.

Sampling

- Leaf Sampling
 - Nutrient Sampling
 - HLB Sampling



Nutrient Sampling

- Once per year during the months of July-August leaf samples will be pulled on sentinel trees.
- Sampling protocol is randomly selecting leaves around the quadrant of the sentinel trees totaling 80 leaves per 40 sentinel tree plots.
- Leaves will be pulled from flush that is four to six months old and must be hardened off. (Youngest mature leaves.)
- Samples to be sent to lab specified by CRAFT Foundation.



HLB Sampling

- Once per year during the months of January-February leaf samples will be pulled on sentinel trees.
- Sampling protocol is 12 leaves per tree totaling 480 leaves per sentinel tree plot.
- Sample will consist of both symptomatic and non-symptomatic leaves base on visual tree expression of the youngest mature leaves per tree that are hardened off. Sampling will be done once per year.
- Samples will be sent to Southern Gardens Lab for diagnostic testing.



Survey Functions

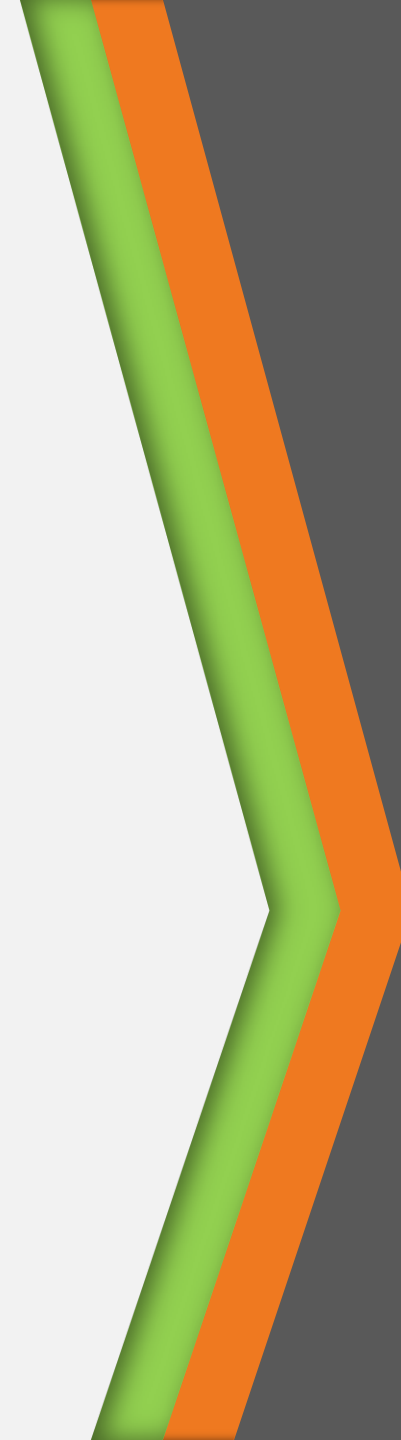
- **Site verification**
 - At time of planting and will include tree counts, spacing, variety and rootstock, notation of windbreaks, and GIS of the block/blocks and sentinel trees.
- **Multi Pest Survey**
 - All trees will be surveyed looking for any or new disease/pest issues.
 - Any samples taken for verification of disease will be processed through the DPI lab in Gainesville.
- **Citrus Black Spot Survey**
 - All trees are surveyed once trees start bearing and at color break based on variety.
 - Any samples taken for verification of disease will be processed through the DPI lab in Gainesville.
- **Grower Request Survey**
 - Should the grower need help with identifying an issue we are available for their request.



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Third-Party Tree Measurement



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- Tree Measurement – using a third-party contract vendor
- Vendor selection in progress
 - Tree health
 - Biomass
 - Tree canopy volume
 - Measuring trees with IPCs
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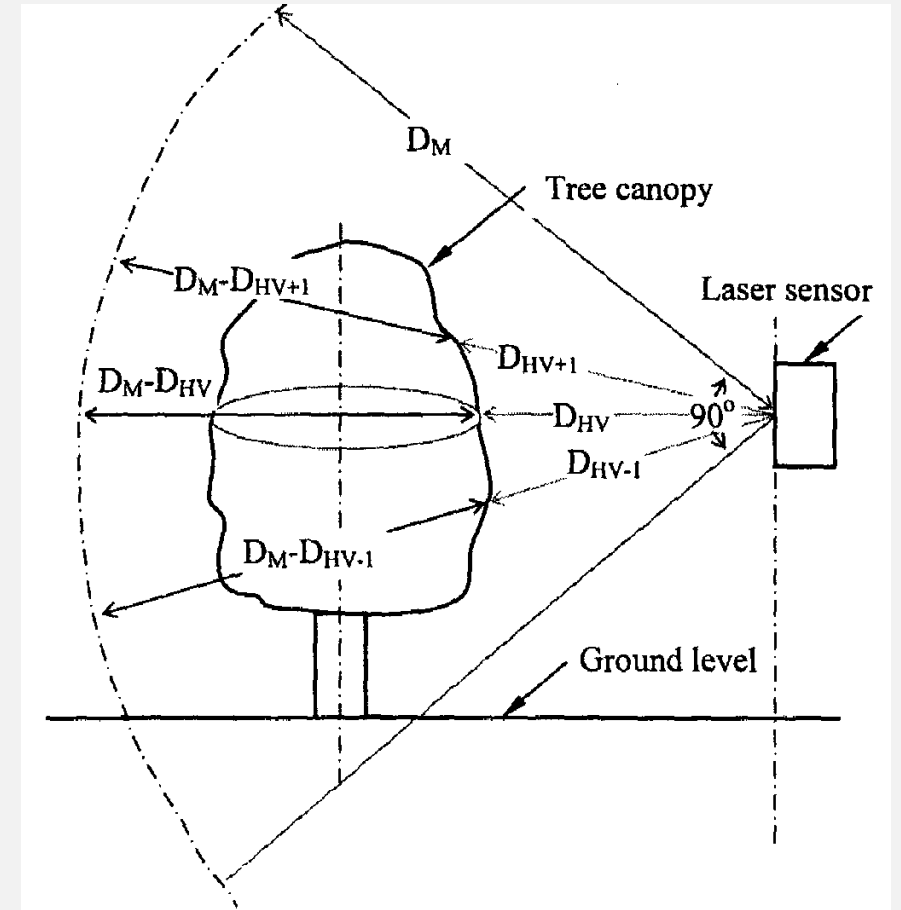
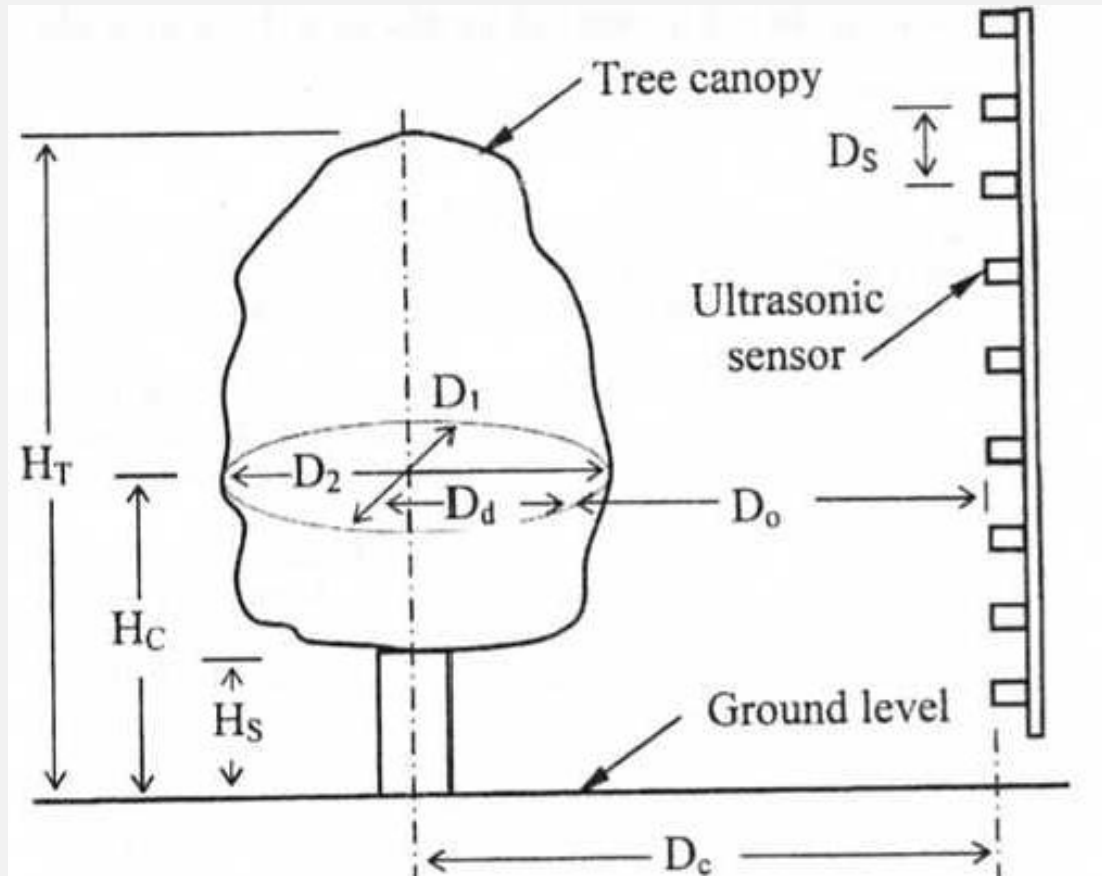


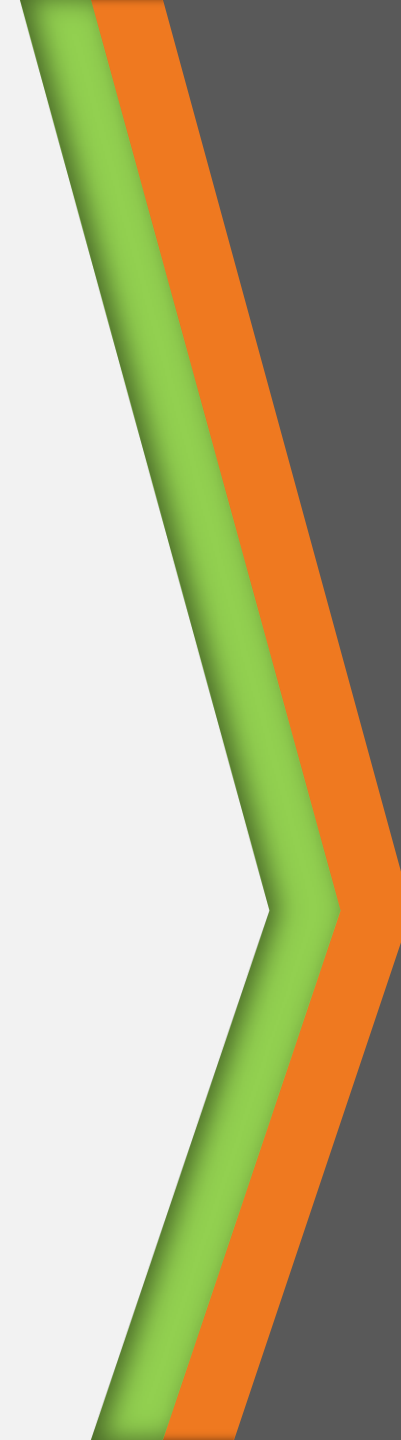
Figure 3. Schematic view of laser setup and parameters that were considered in computing laser canopy volume indices.

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Data Collection Partners

Pre-Audits

Duke Chadwell



2019 028S





CRAFT Pre-Audit

- Contact CRAFT participants to discuss and schedule the Pre-Audit site visit.
- Prior to site visit, participants receive the *Craft Cycle One Contract Pre-Audit Checklist and Work Sheet* and the *Information for CRAFT participant from Pre-Audit forms*.
- During site visit:
 - Participant explains their project and may provide data, photos, and other pertinent information.
- Auditor confirms:
 - the project in the field matches what has been approved by CRAFT,
 - the Participant has information needed to fulfill the CRAFT contract requirements,
 - the overall project and tree health,
 - that Participant understands use of USDA Portal and gives CRAFT permission to use and publish photos, data, and research.



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CRAFT Cycle Two: General Session

The CRAFT Data Portal

Bruce Vandenberg & Caryn Nezat,
USDA/ARS



CRAFT Application Process

- Application will be open from July 20th through September 4th, 2020
- Link to application will be available on the CRAFT website – www.craftfdn.org
- Paper template will be available for printing to assist with preparation

CRAFT Online Application

- Application can be completed on mobile device or desktop
- Application needs to be completed before submitted
- Information should be gathered prior to starting

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Application must be submitted by September 4th, 2020 by 5pm ET
(Do not push submit until you are done)

Please use Chrome, Firefox, Edge, or Safari because of known bug in Internet Explorer that is being addressed at release.

1.1 Email address: *

1.2 Where is your land (use Ctrl+ scroll to zoom, enter a latitude, longitude, or type a city or land mark) *

40°37'N 105°2'W ± 113 m

1.3 APPLICANT (LEGAL ENTITY OR INDIVIDUAL NAMED LAND OWNER TO RECEIVE ALL PAYMENTS): *

1.4 Contact Name: *

What Do You Need?

- Valid email address
- Land owner information and location of parcel
 - latitude/longitude, parcel ID and county
- Contact name, phone number and EIN or last 4 of SSN for individual
- Information on planting practices and nursery
 - guidelines available online
- Irrigation information

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1.8 At a minimum will grower plant and cultivate trees using standard methods
*2019-2020 Florida Citrus Production Guide: Grove Planning and Establishment **

Yes No

1.9 Will there be proper bedding for flatwoods planting? *

Yes No

1.10 Is site free of contamination (hazardous waste or harmful chemicals making it unsafe for agricultural purposes)? *

Yes No

1.11 Does land have access to irrigation water? *

Yes No

1.12 Will you install tree wraps and sprout guards? *

Yes No

1.13 Will participant supervise planting or will field manager supervise planting? *

Yes No

▼ 1.14 Plots

1.14.1 Target varieties in project *

Orange Grapefruit

1.14.2 Planting option for this project *

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1.14 Plots

1.14.1 Target varieties in project *

Orange

Grapefruit

1.14.2 Planting option for this project *

Solid-set

Reset in an established grove

1.14.4 Are all acres in the same County? *

Yes

No

1.14.7 Number of trees on order: *

1.14.8 Estimated Plant Date: *

1.14.9 Certified Tree Delivery Date: *

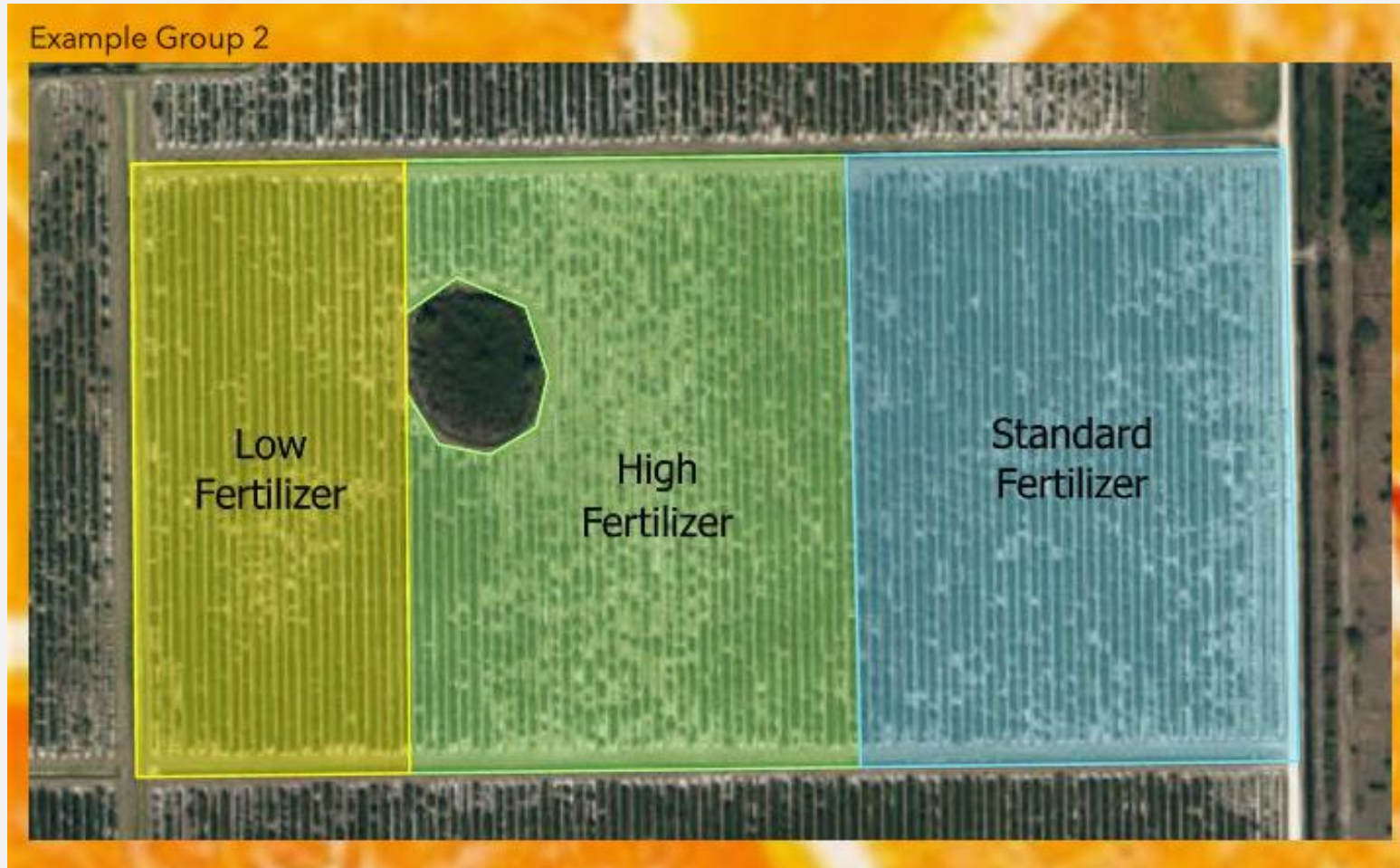
1.14.10 Anticipated planting completion date (REQUIRED TO BE ON OR BEFORE JUNE 30, 2021): *

Group 1: Rootstock and Scion Comparisons



- Hamlin
- EV 1 or 2
- Vernia
- Valquarius
- OLL varieties
- US 942
- Swingle
- Cleo
- Star Ruby
- Flame
- UFR 5
- UFR 17
- Carrizo
- Super Sour

Group 2: Fertilizer and Nutrition Treatments



- Rates of application
 - Ca, Mg, Zn, Mn
- Foliar and soil application vs. soil only
- Compost applications
- Ground cover
- Other

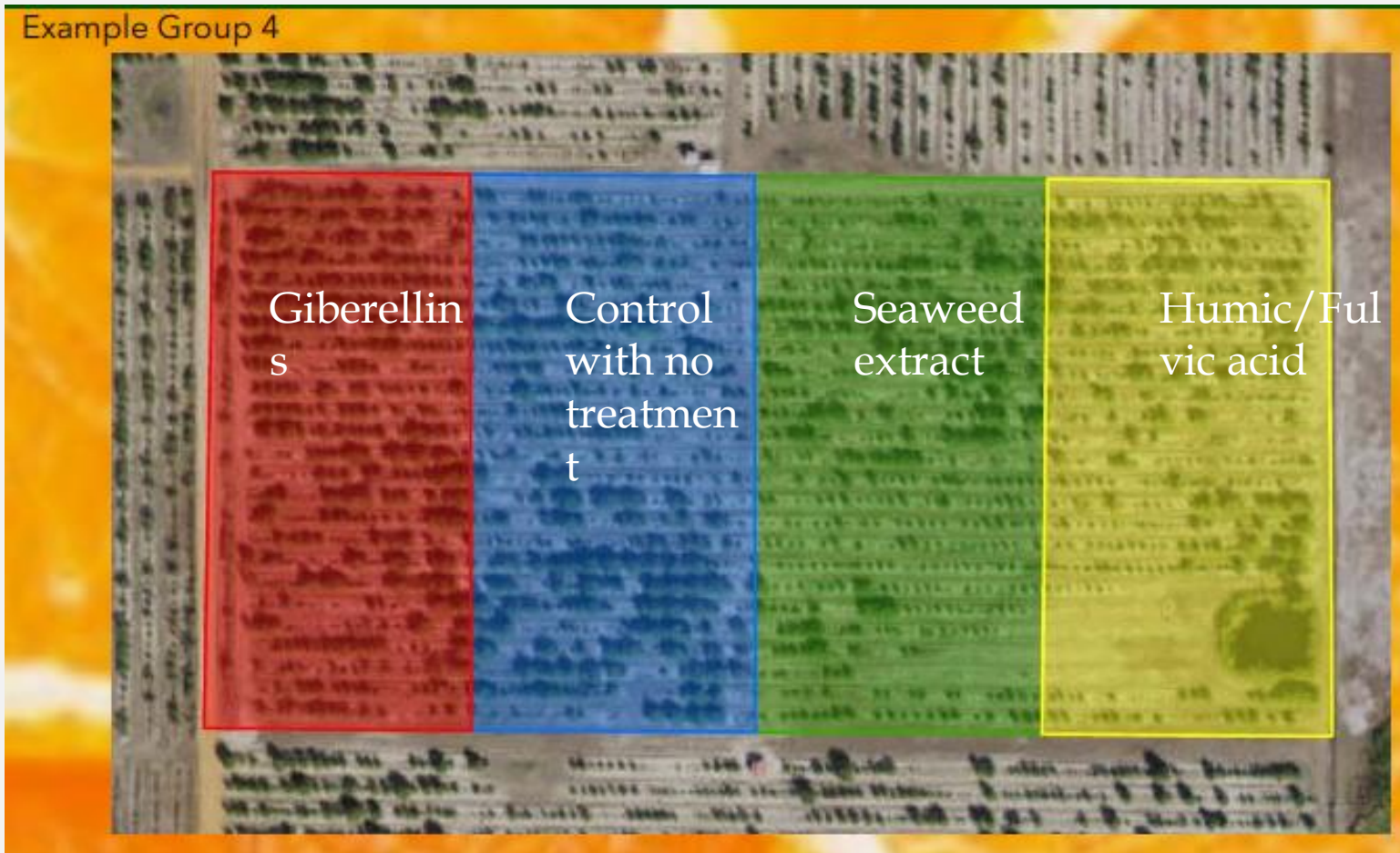
Group 3: Pest and Disease Management

Example Group 3



- Individual Protective Covers
- Kaolin
- Reflective Mulch/Donuts
- ACP physical, biological or chemical controls
- Canker
- HLB
- Novel pest management

Group 4: Biostimulant Practices



- Gibberellins
- Humic/Fulvic acid
- Seaweed extracts
- Probiotics
- Organic substrates
- Brassinosteroids
- Organic chelates
- Chitosans
- Amino acids
- Silicon

Group 5: Planting Density and Resets



- Acidified irrigation water
- IPC layouts
- Compost
- Reflective donuts
- Standard planting density
- High planting density

Choose Options or Your Own Design...

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2. My CRAFT EXPERIMENT. Every participant must select 1-3 factors to field test from the choices below ("This is what I want to test.") Multiple selections can be made from a single category. The questions in this section relate only to those 1-3 factors being tested. Other production practices on the site are to be included in Part III.

2.1 Options *

- Group 1: Rootstock/Scion Combination
- Group 2: Soil/Tree Fertility and Nutrition
- Group 3: Pest and Disease Management
- Group 4: Biostimulants
- Group 5: Planting Density
- Other

Planned Management Practices

- ▼ **3. General Description of Expected Practices and Methods at project Site.**
 - ▷ **3.1 Planting Plan**
 - ▷ **3.2 Nutrient Management**
 - ▷ **3.3 Vector Management/ACP control**
 - ▷ **3.4 Disease Management:**
 - ▷ **3.5 Weed Management**

Planned Management Practices

- ▽ 3. General Description of Expected Practices and Methods at project
- ▽ 3.1 Planting Plan
 - ▷ 3.1.1 TARGET MARKET (estimated percent of total acres in CRAFT)
 - ▷ 3.1.2 TREES
 - ▷ 3.1.3 SOIL
 - ▷ 3.1.4 WATER
 - ▷ 3.1.5 WATER QUALITY

- Percent of fresh and juice produced
- Rootstock choice
- Soil quality and type
- Irrigation method and scheduling/management
- Water source
- Water quality and analysis

Planned Management Practices

▽ 3.2 Nutrient Management

▷ 3.2.1 DRY

▷ 3.2.2 FERTIGATION

▷ 3.2.3 FOLAIR

- **Product guaranteed analysis**
- **Application rate**
 - **Pounds/acre/year**
- **Soil amendments**
- **Biostimulants**

Vector Management and ACP Controls

- Insecticides
- Biocontrols
- Physical Barriers
- Reflective Mulch
- IPC
- Clay
- Traps
- Target pests
- Scouting method and frequency
- Secondary pests

Disease Management and Secondary Pests

▽ 3.4 Disease Management:

▷ 3.4.1 HLB:

▷ 3.4.2 OTHER DISEASES/PESTS

▷ 3.4.3 BACTERICIDE

- **Products used**
- **Application frequency**
- **Total amount used per year**
- **Pest and diseases treating**
- **Additives or Adjuvants**

Weed Management

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▼ **3.5 Weed Management**

3.5.1 Weed Management Type:

Herbicide Pre-emergent herbicide Post-emergent herbicide Weed Barrier Other None

3.5.2 Ground Cover:

Cover crop Mulch Compost Other None

▼ **3.5.3 Weed Control**

3.5.3.1 Type:

Contact Systemic Pre-emergent

3.5.3.1 Product:

3.5.3.2 Total amount per year:

3.5.3.3 Freq./yr

Monthly Quarterly Biannual Yearly

Add Weed Control? Press +

✓

Estimated Annual Cost Analysis

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4. Twelve Month/ONE YEAR COST ESTIMATE FOR PROJECT (All per acre per year, and all boxes must be filled out, use 0 if not applicable)

NOTE: Total will reflect growers investment in program and will not be used for reimbursement purposes

4.1 Land Preparation including disking, levelling, setting and/or rotovating site; forming roads, drainage system, land preparation done in anticipation of replanting, and raising beds

4.2 Planting Costs including cost for trees; planting and first watering; strawing tree planting site; sprout & herbicide guard

4.3 Fertilization materials (dry and liquid)

4.4 Fertilization application (dry and liquid)

4.5 Weed management



Estimated Annual Cost Analysis



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4.6 Foliar Sprays - Insecticides

4.7 Foliar Sprays - Fungicides

4.8 Foliar Sprays - Nutritional

4.9 Foliar Sprays - Bactericides

4.10 Foliar Sprays Application Costs

4.11 Neonicotinoids Psyllid Mgmt.

4.12 Irrigation and Frost Protection

4.13 Sprouting/Pruning

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Estimated Annual Cost Analysis

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4.13 Sprouting/Pruning

4.14 New Tree Planted in an Established Grove

4.15 Tree Removal

4.16 Tree Replacement and Care

4.17 Equipment operating

4.18 Other Costs including chemical handling and grove care supervision; scouting for pests and diseases; machinery and equipment repairs; interest on operating (cultural) costs

4.19 Total costs (click to calculate)
 



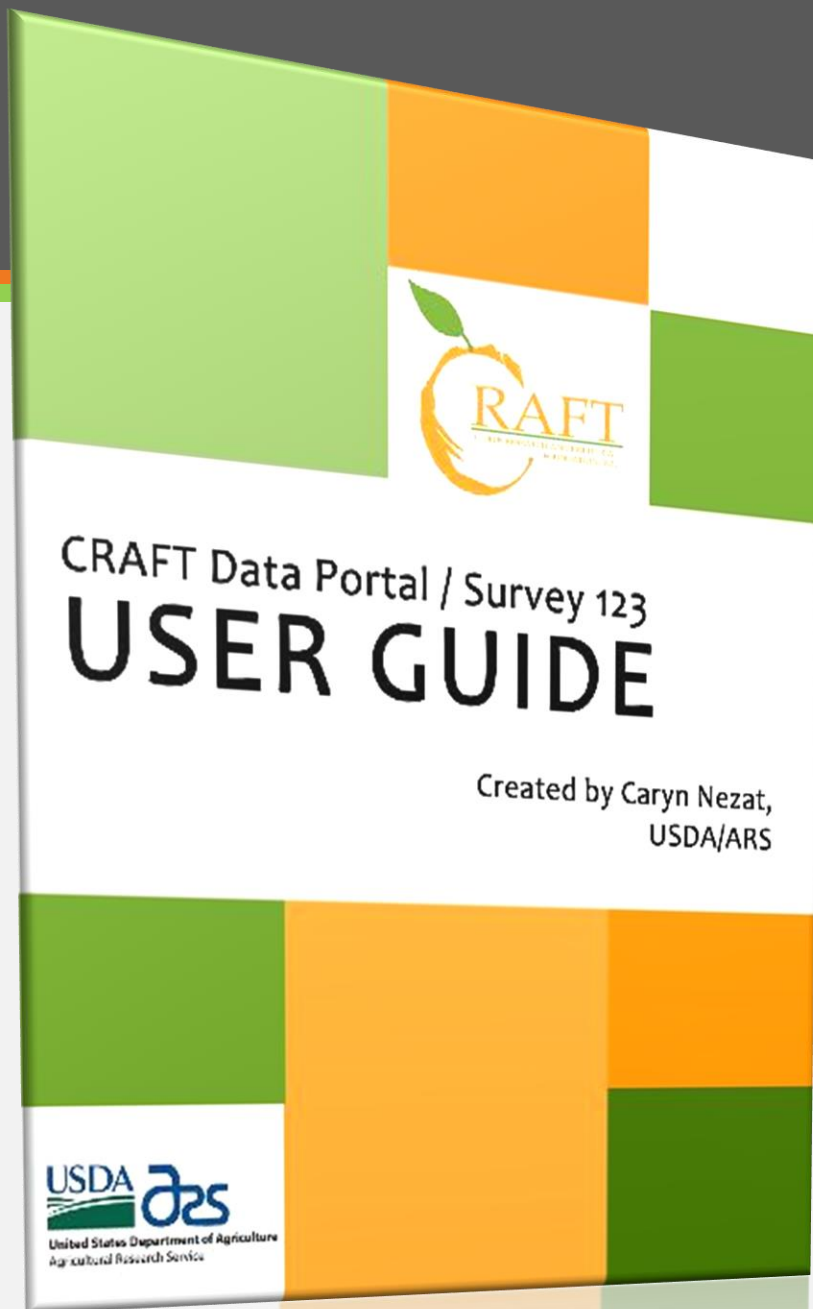
Additional Information and Experimental Design

- Images of property
- Cost estimate files
- Grove design
- Proposed experiment plan
- FDACS BMP enrollment certificate or NOI
- Information on novel management practices
- Additional information
- PDFs, Excel and image files (PNG and JPG)

Approved Applications

- USDA portal access through ESRI ArcGIS Online and Survey 123
 - Username and password for accessing customized surveys
 - Dashboards for editing data entry
 - Save and copy data to new surveys
- Quarterly reports
- Similar layout to application questionnaire
- Contracts
- Technical Support by USDA PDI team
- Expert experience in experimental planning

Data Portal User Guide



- Data Collection Portal

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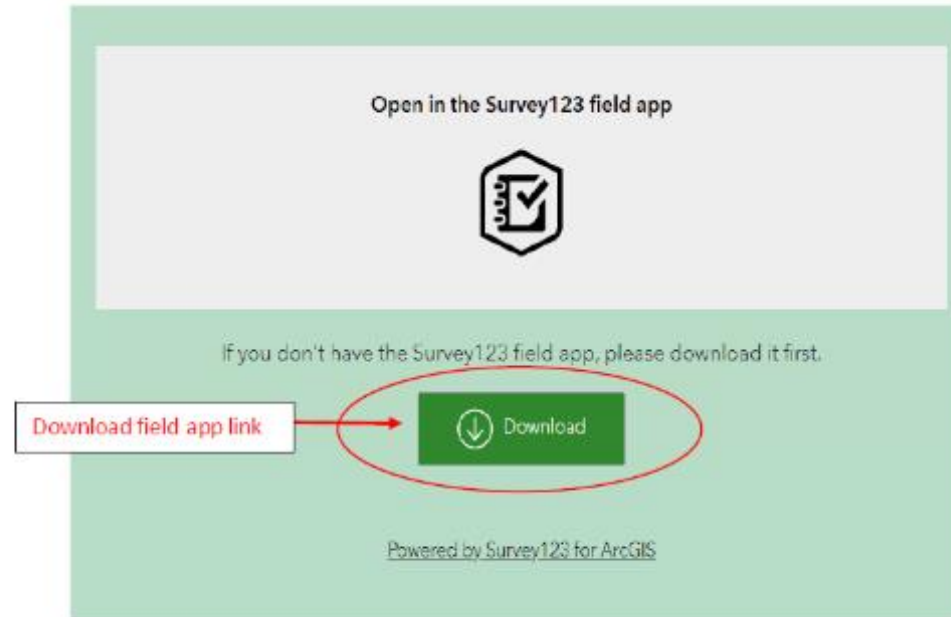
CRAFT Survey 123 user guide:

Getting started

1. Download the Survey 123 field app.

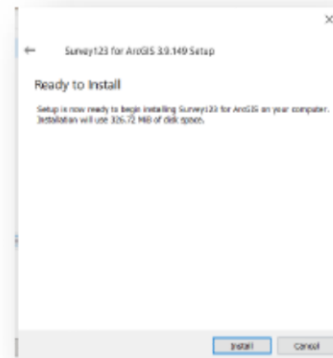
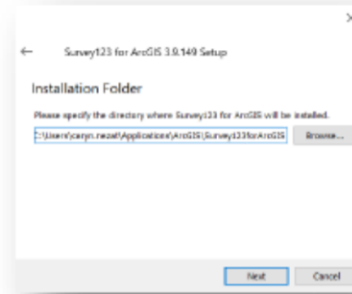
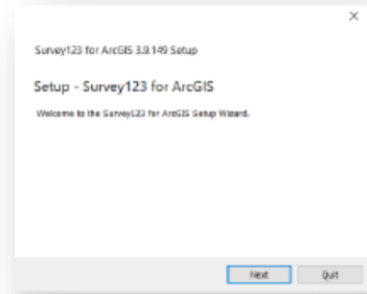
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- You may be prompted through the survey link provided to you or find it on the internet.



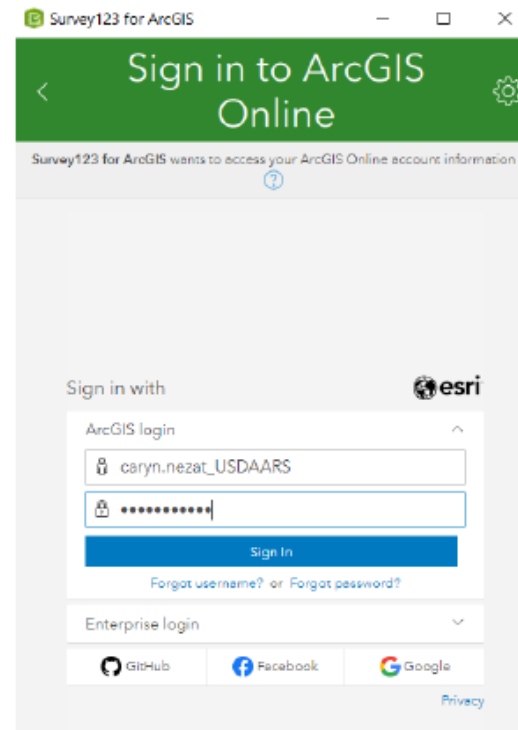
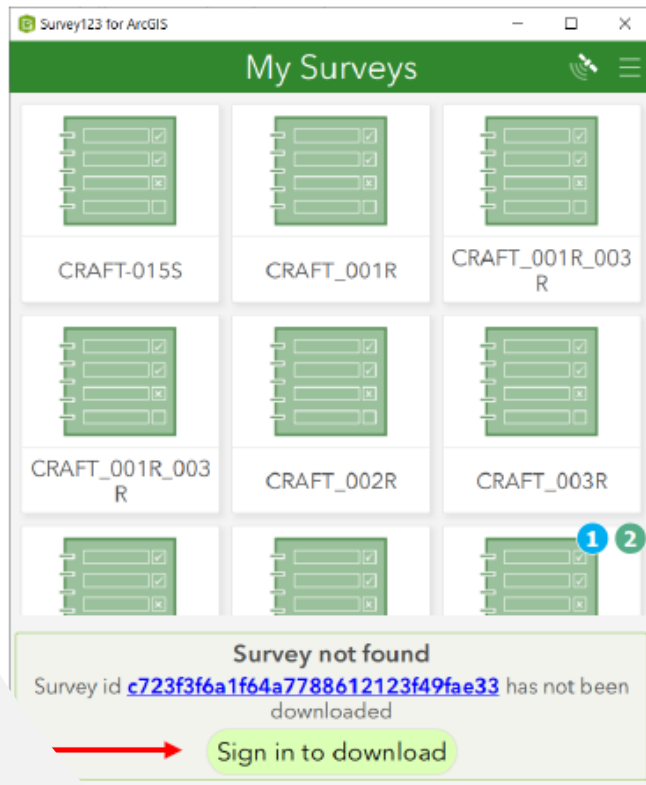
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*Installation wizard, use the default installation folder for the application to run correctly. After installation is finished you will be able to open the survey links.



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The first time you access the survey it will not be stored on your device. You will be prompted to sign in to download the survey. You will need to sign in to access the survey in the future. The username and password will be required to sign into the portal, access the survey and dashboard.



Data Portal User Guide

CRAFT Growers

CRAFT DEMO

Select to save as DRAFT

Unit Location

AFT survey for your location(s).
ation for each subplot below.

Confirm Close
What would you like to do?

- Close this survey and lose changes
- Continue this survey
- Save this survey in Drafts

5S 022S 002R
5R 028S 047S
1R 003R

IPC Early Pride Bingo
Grower standard fertilizer
US 896

Low rate fertilizer High rate fertilizer
 UFR 6 1281

Select survey date *
Date

Planting date
Date

Survey Completed
Your device is online.
What would you like to do?

- Send now
- Continue this survey
- Save this survey in the Outbox

✓

Custom Grower Survey

CRAFT Growers

CRAFT DEMO

- ▷ Unit Location
- ▷ Fertilizer/Nutrition Applications
- ▷ Irrigation Activities
- ▷ Pest Management Activities
(*Insect, Mite, Nematode, etc.*)
- ▷ Asian Citrus Psyllid Control
- ▷ General Grove Condition
- ▷ Harvesting Activities
- ▷ Soil Testing
- ▷ Annual Production Costs by Category
- ▷ Additional Information

✓

Custom Dashboard

Submitted Grower Surveys

- 0465 IPC 6/9/2020, 12:00:00 PM
- 0465 IPC 6/10/2020, 12:00:00 PM
- 0155 Grower standard fertilizer 6/10/2020, 12:00:00 PM
- 0465 1281 6/10/2020, 12:00:00 PM
- 0465 IPC 6/12/2020, 12:00:00 PM
- 0028 Early Pride 6/15/2020, 12:00:00 PM
- 0465 IPC 6/10/2020, 12:00:00 PM

Information for each subplot below.

Unit of Analysis*

<input checked="" type="radio"/> 0465	<input type="radio"/> 0155	<input type="radio"/> 0225
<input type="radio"/> 002R	<input type="radio"/> 004R	<input type="radio"/> 005R
<input type="radio"/> 0285	<input type="radio"/> 0475	<input type="radio"/> 006R
<input type="radio"/> 001R	<input type="radio"/> 003R	

Subplot*

<input checked="" type="radio"/> IPC	<input type="radio"/> No IPC	<input type="radio"/> Early Pride
<input type="radio"/> Bingo	<input type="radio"/> Low rate fertilizer	<input type="radio"/> High rate fertilizer
<input type="radio"/> Grower standard fertilizer	<input type="radio"/> UFR 4	<input type="radio"/> UFR 6
<input type="radio"/> 1281	<input type="radio"/> US 896	

Select survey date*

6/9/2020

Planting date

4/1/2020

IPC

NoIPC

Barren

State of Florida, Mirabeau, Miami | Ben HEINE, Gemini, LLC

Custom Dashboard


Unit of Analysis *

- 046S 015S 022S 002R 004R 005R 028S
 047S 006R 001R 003R


Subplot *

- IPC No IPC Early Pride Bingo Low rate fertilizer High rate fertilizer Grower standard fertilizer
 UFR 4 UFR 6 1281 US 896

Select survey date *

 Date

Planting date

 Date

Geographical location

 27°60'N 81°35'W 



Custom Dashboard

▼ Fertilizer/Nutrition Applications

Enter fertilizer or nutrition applied

Yes

No

▼ Press + to add fertilizer labels



▼ Press + to select fertilizer applications



Were biostimulants applied

Yes

No

Were soil amendments applied

Yes

No

Other nutritional additives if applicable

Custom Dashboard

The image shows a tablet displaying a mobile application interface. At the top, a green header bar contains the text "CRAFT Growers". Below this, a dropdown menu is open, showing "General Grove Condition". The form contains several sections with radio button options and text input fields.

Enter grove conditions
 Yes No

Crop type
 Orange Grapefruit

Rootstock variety
 Rough Lemon

Scion
 OLL8

Rootstock propagation technique
 Tissue
 Seed

Block size (acres)
20

Trees per acre
0

Add plant health

A green bar at the bottom of the screen contains a white checkmark icon.

Custom Dashboard

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▽ Press + to select date(s) of harvest

Date of harvest
Date

Number of boxes per acre

Pounds solid per box

Brix/acid

Estimated amount of fruit lost to preharvest fruit drop (pounds)

Intended market for fruit produced

Processing Fresh Organic Export Other

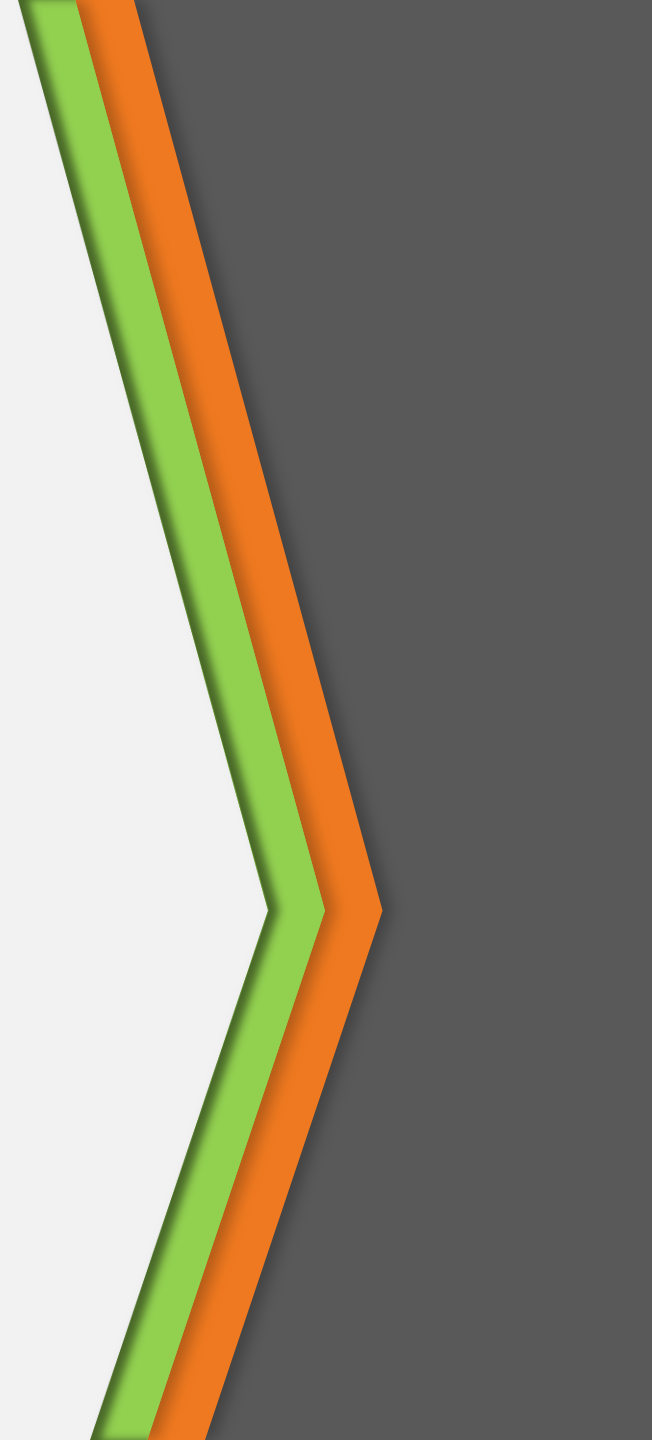
Add harvest date Press+

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Benefits to Participants

- Year to Year tracking of management and return on investment
 - Plot to Plot comparisons
- Expert and technical support for BMPs and successful practices
- Access to data collected by others
- Economic gains from research knowledge
- Benefit to citrus industry for long term recovery and sustainable groves across Florida

Questions or Discussion?



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How You Get Paid

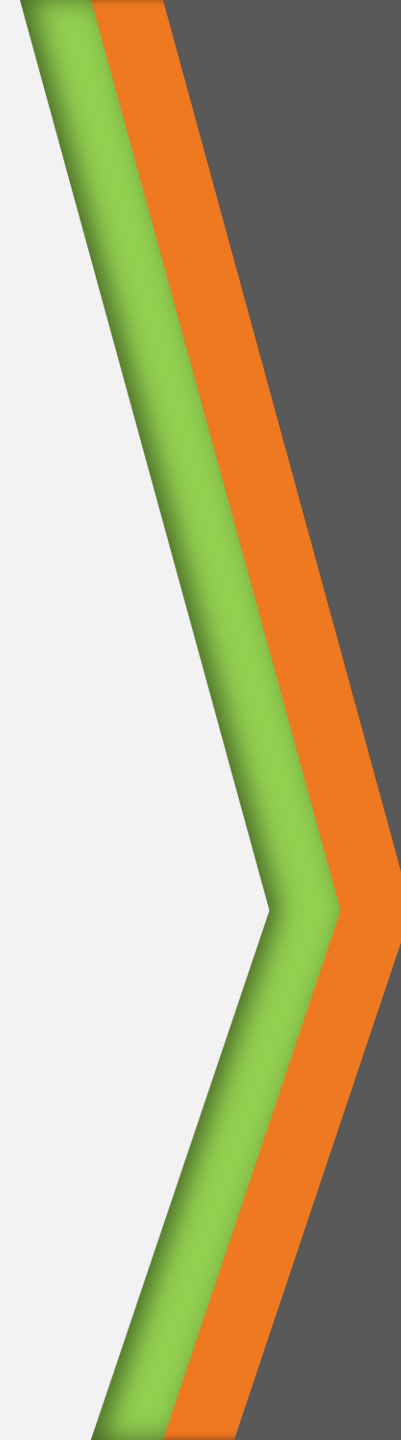


CRAFT Contracts and How You Get Paid

- Executed Contract between land owner and CRAFT
 - Sets forth what is expected to get paid
- Why staggered payments?
- Who gets the check?
- What documentation will be needed?
- How long until I get paid?

CRAFT Cycle Two: Day Two

Breakout Sessions



CRAFT Cycle Two Research Overview

- Tomorrow's session will be break out sessions where you can meet with the Group leaders
- They will explain their research projects and listen to your ideas for your own projects
- Questions will be answered on how you can select individual projects in the application process

CRAFT Cycle Two Workshop – Day

Breakout Sessions

Wednesday, June 24, 2020

12:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

12:00 p.m. – 12:45 p.m. – Dr. Scully, Resets

1:00 p.m. – 1:45 p.m. – Dr. Graham, Tree/Soil Nutrition

2:00 p.m. – 2:45 p.m. – Dr. Shatters, Biostimulants

3:00 p.m. – 3:45 p.m. – Mr. Page, Rootstock/Scion

4:00 p.m. – 4:45 p.m. – Dr. Batuman, Pest Management