



Insecticide Susceptibility of Louisiana Bollworm and Control Issues for 2007

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2006 Louisiana Crop Situation



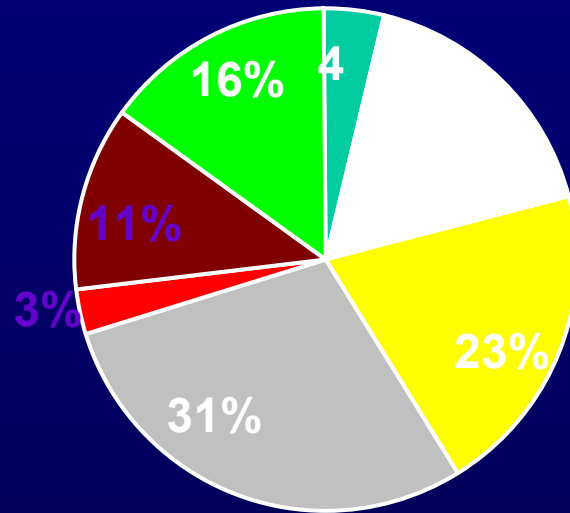
300K



870K



90K



- Wheat
- Rice
- Cotton
- Soybeans
- Sorghum
- Corn
- Sugarcane



630K



350K



115K



435K

According to 2006 NASS Planted Acres

Crop	Maximum Seasonal Total for Either Product Used Alone (pounds active ingredient/acre)		Maximum Seasonal Total When Applying Both Products to the Same Crop (pounds active ingredient/acre)
	beta-cyfluthrin*	cyfluthrin**	beta-cyfluthrin* Plus cyfluthrin**
Alfalfa	0.1	0.2	0.2
Corn (field, pop, seed)	0.0875	0.175	0.175
Cotton	0.25	0.5	0.5
Grasses	0.06	0.12	0.12
Peanut	0.0655	0.131	0.131
Sorghum	0.0655	0.131	0.131
Soybean	0.0875	0.175	0.175
Sugarcane	0.1315	0.263	0.263
Sunflower	0.0655	0.131	0.131
Wheat	0.038	0.076	0.076
Tobacco	0.0022	0.0044	0.0044
Brassica (Cole) Leafy Vegetables, CG 5	0.1	0.2	0.2
Cucurbits, CG 9	0.0875	0.175	0.175
Fruiting vegetables, CG 8	0.1315	0.263	0.263
Leafy vegetables, CG 4	0.1	0.2	0.2
Dried Shelled Legume Vegetables, CSG 6C	0.05	0.1	0.1
Pea, Southern	0.0825	0.165	0.165
Potato, and other tuberous and corm vegetables, CSG 1C	0.1315	0.263	0.263
Root vegetables (except sugarbeet), CSG 1B	0.11	0.22	0.22
Sweet corn	0.22	0.44	0.44
Citrus, CG 10	0.05	0.1	0.1
Grape	0.1	0.2	0.2
Hop	0.125	0.25	0.25
Pome fruit, CG 11	0.022	0.044	0.044
Stone fruit, CG 12	0.044	0.088	0.088
Tree nut crops, CG 14	0.022	0.044	0.044

Baythroid XL Label

Pyrethroid Failures Against Bollworms

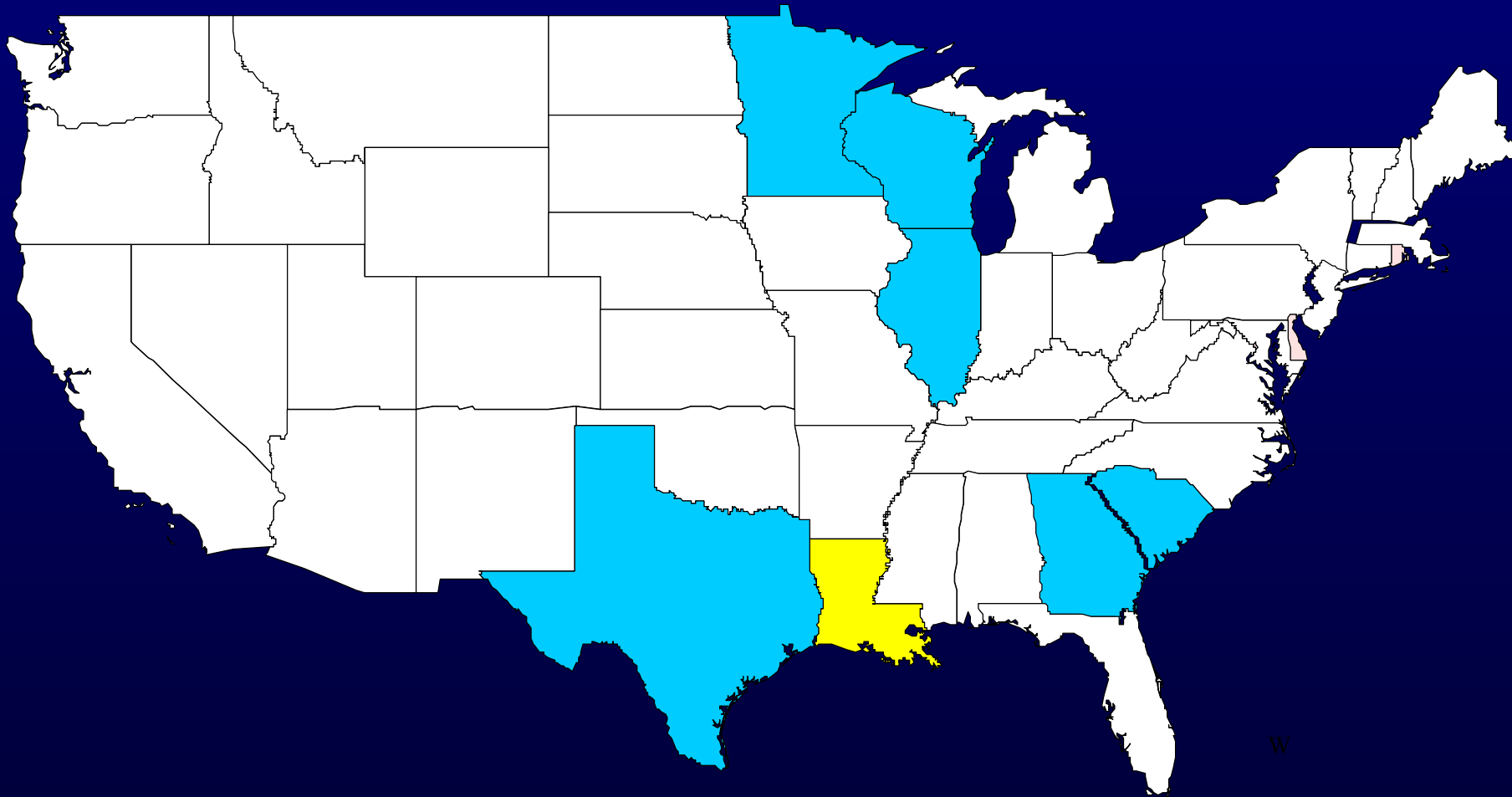
South Carolina (1996) Control failures in Estill fields treated 6 times, cyhalothrin, deltamethrin, and cypermethrin.

Texas (2004) Control failures in Corpus Christi fields, control achieved using alternate chemistries.

Midwest (MN, IL, WI, IN, 2005) % Control of bollworm in sweet corn averaged 19-37% in university insecticide trials.

Georgia (2005) Unsatisfactory control reported, pyrethroids applied as much as 5 times on bollworm populations.

Bollworm Control Issues

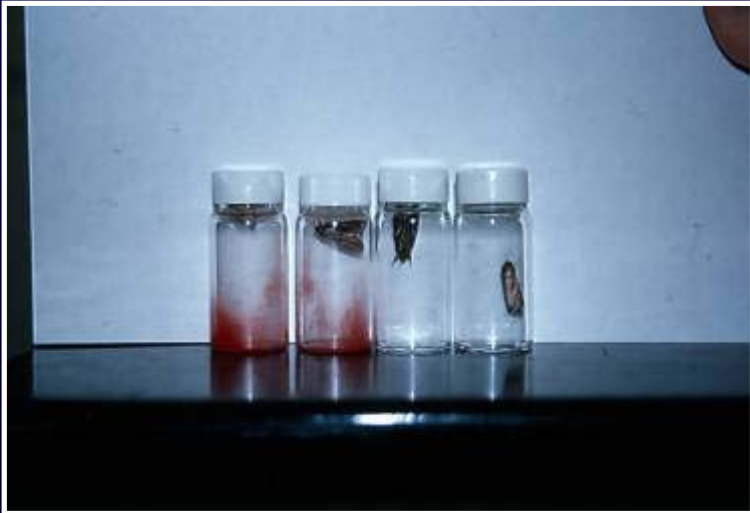


Trends in Midwest: Pyrethroid Efficacy in CEW Declines: % Larval Control in Sweet Corn (Capture/Warrior; WI, MN)

Year	Mean
1997	93
1998	88
1999	81
2000	49
2001	17
2002	41
2003	40
2004	69
2005	40
2006	61

Discussion Topic

Susceptibility of field collections of bollworm from Louisiana to cypermethrin using AVT and topical bioassay procedures.



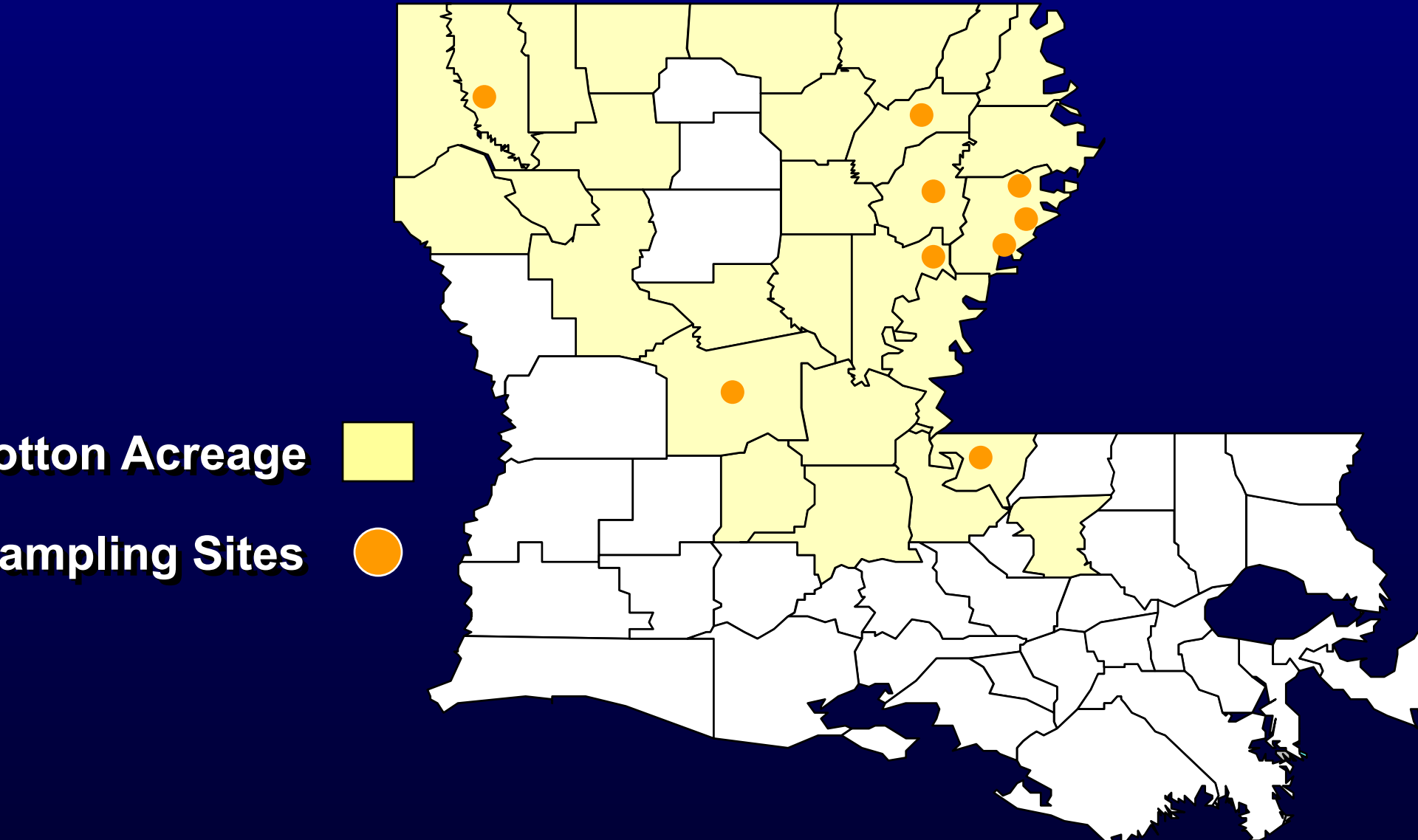
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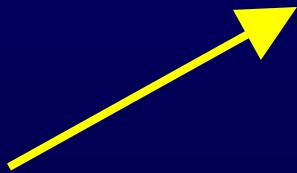
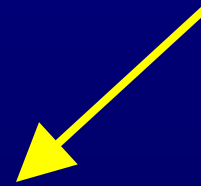
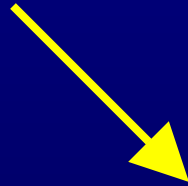
**5 & 10 $\mu\text{g}/\text{vial}$
Cypermethrin**



Collection Sites Across LA

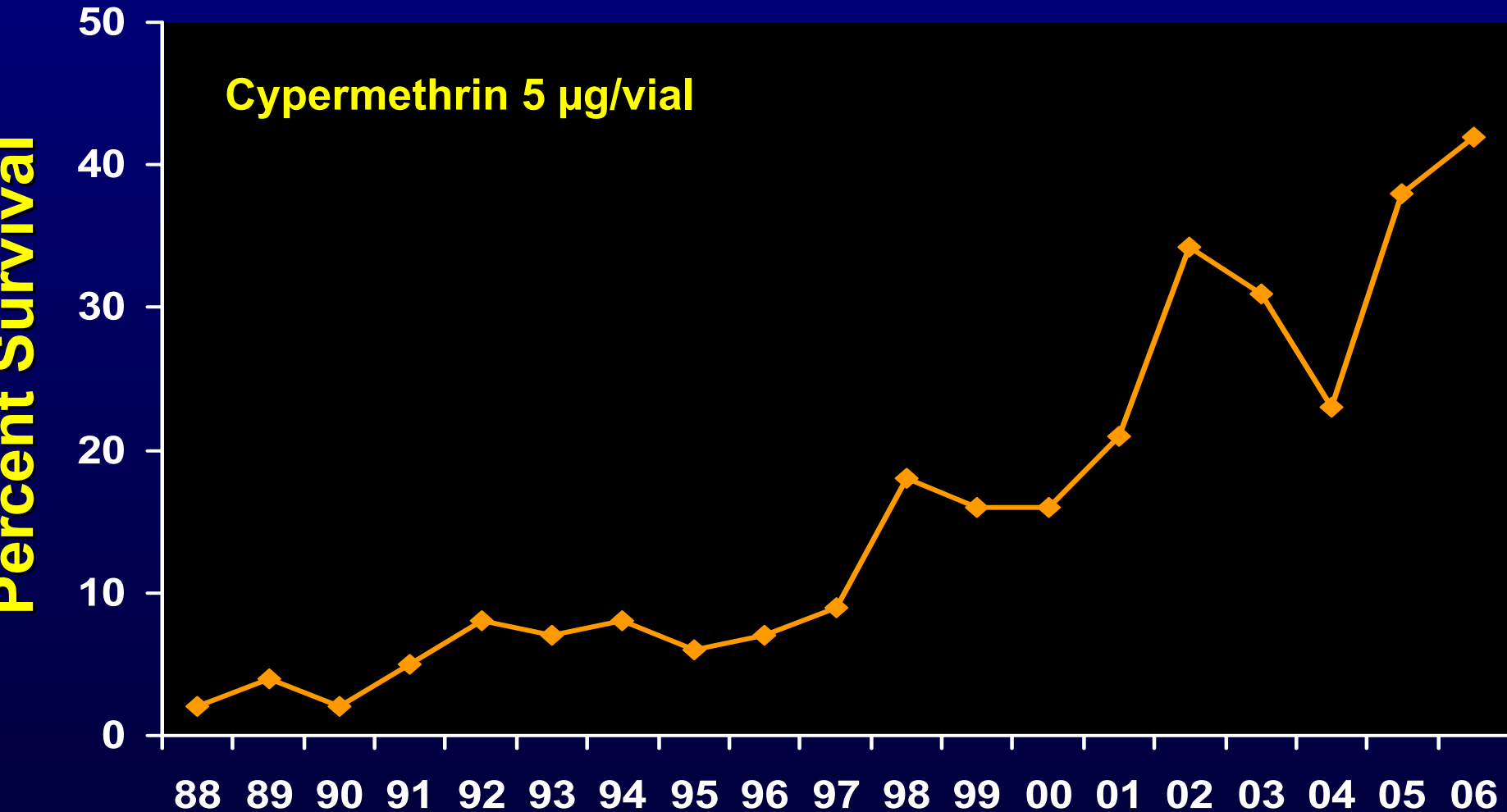


Bollworm Moth Movement



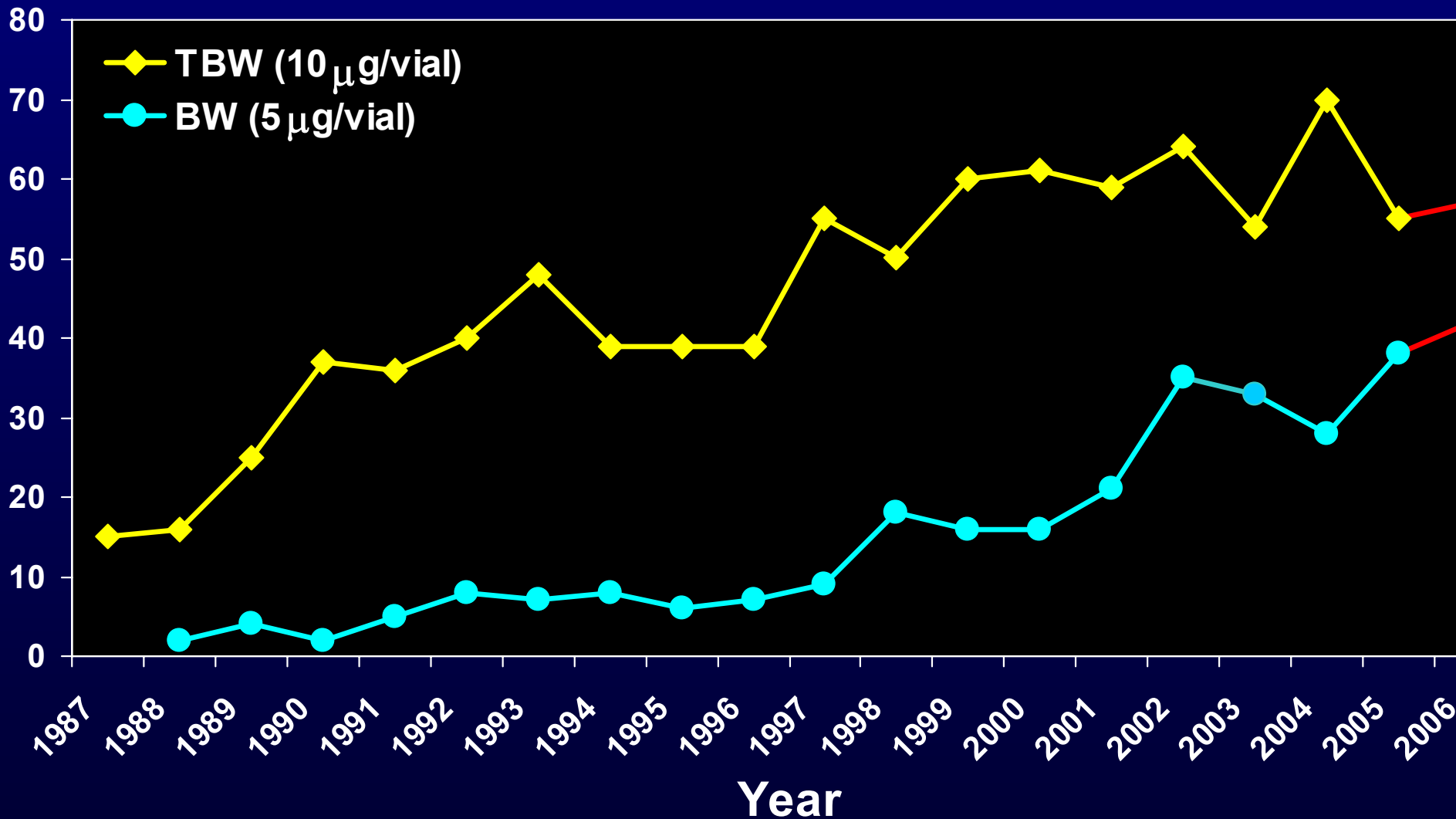
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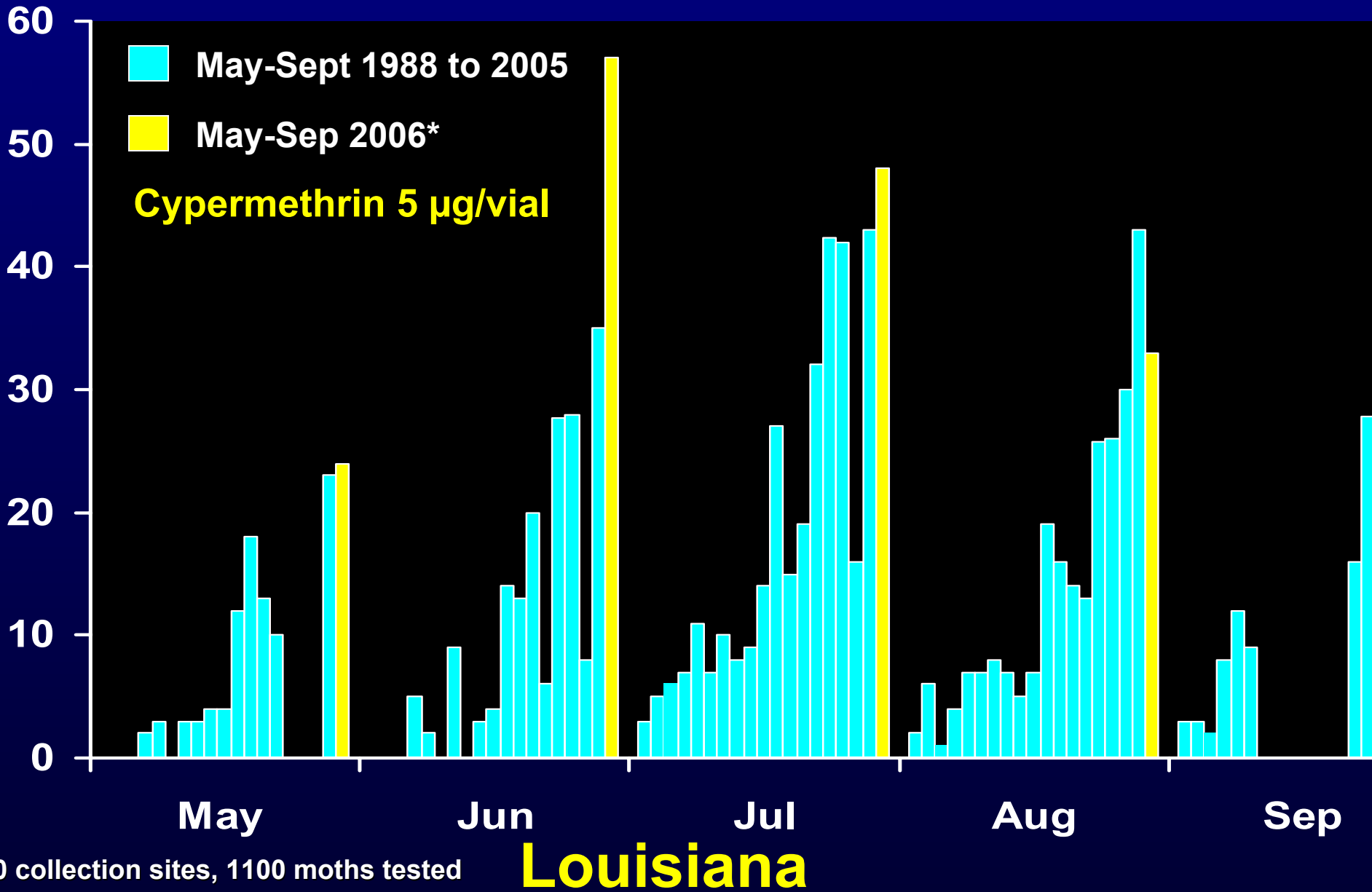


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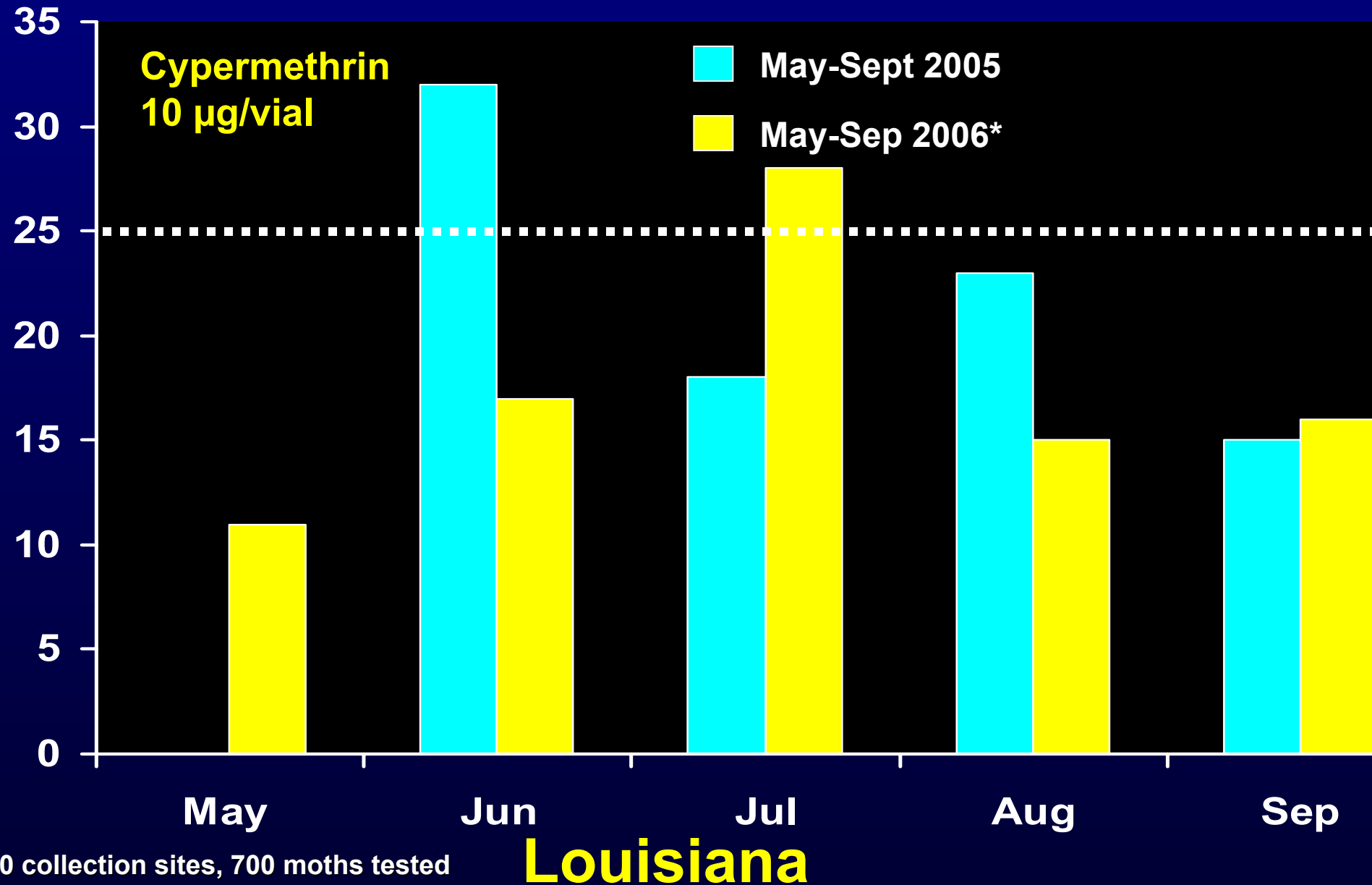
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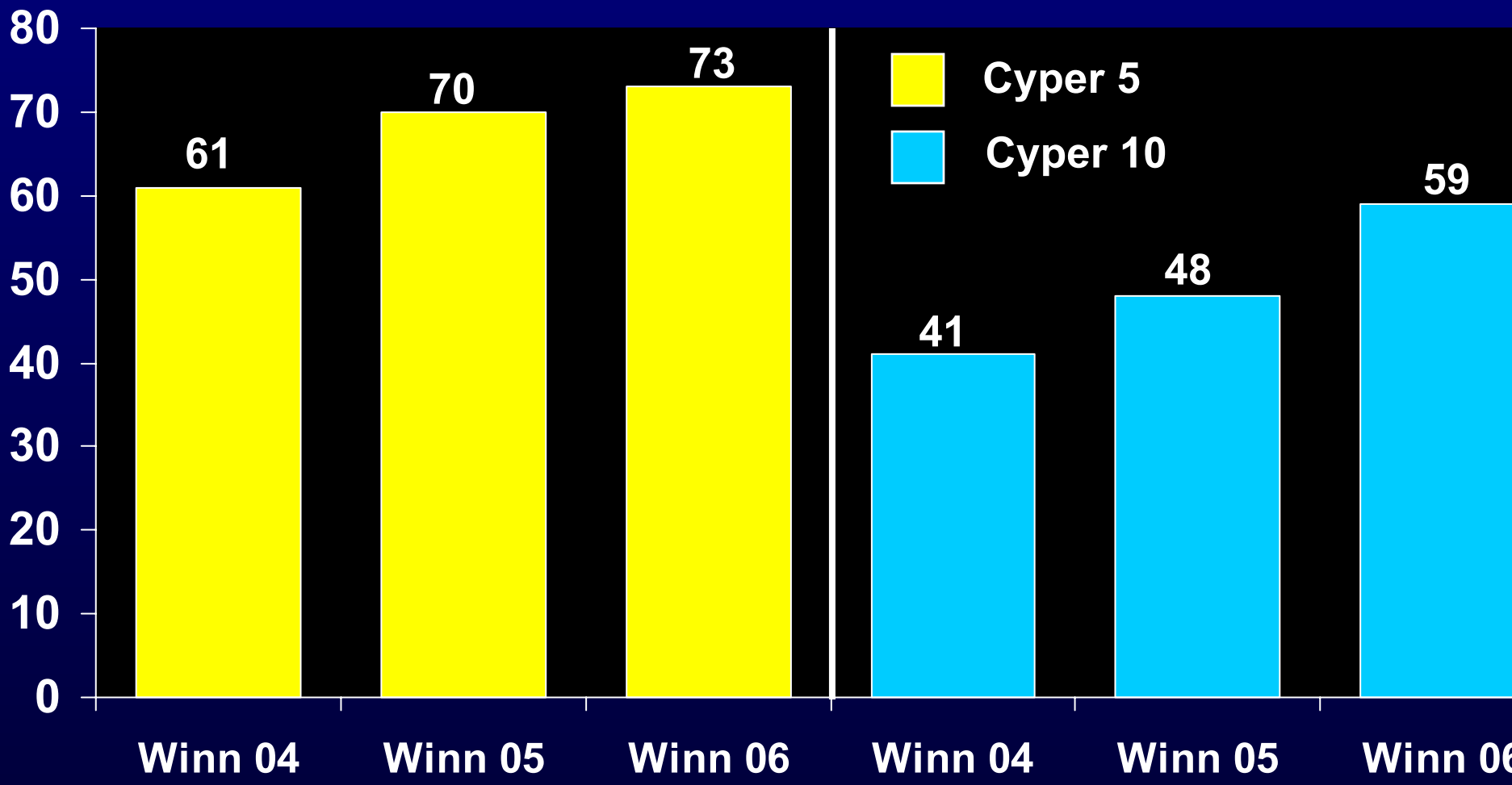
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Field Collection



Response of Late Season Field Colonies to Cypermethrin (5 & 10 µg/vial)



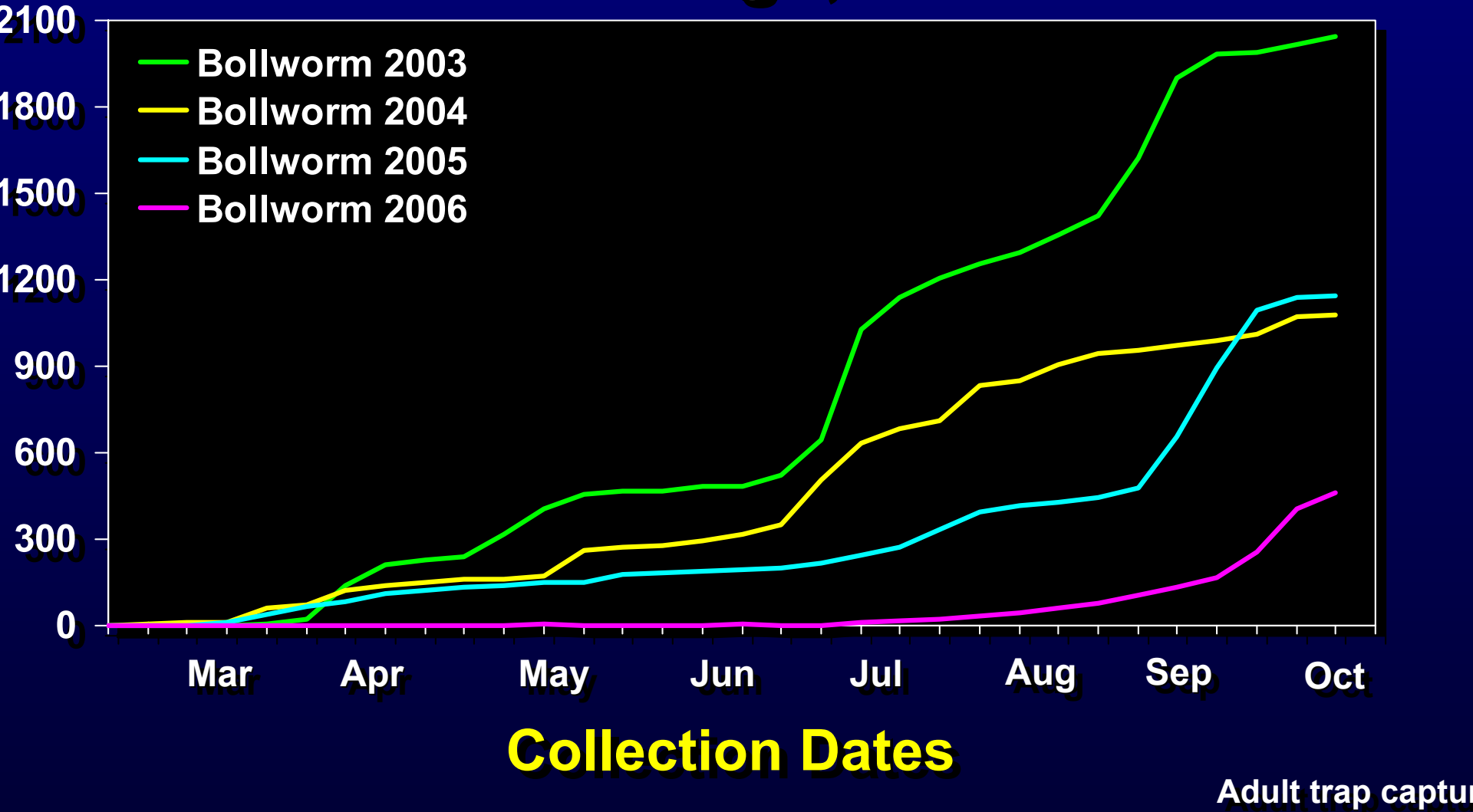
Bollworm LC₅₀'s to Cypermethrin

Colony	n	LC ₅₀	95%CL	Slope	X ²	RR
Susceptible 88 ¹	1081	0.05	0.01-0.09	0.84±0.23	0.41	
Susceptible 03 ¹	308	0.28	0.21-0.83	n/a	1.40	
LSU LAB 06	300	0.41	0.11-0.87	1.03±0.14	13.28	
Winnsboro 04	60	9.80	6.90-16.38	2.71±0.86	2.07	35-
Winnsboro 05	104	8.20	6.12-11.80	2.15±0.46	3.39	29-
Winnsboro 06	190	9.76	6.79-14.90	1.83±0.27	5.82	35-
Georgia 05	170	11.20	9.18-14.88	2.73±0.47	2.37	40-

Resistance Ratio (RR) calculated from LC₅₀ data (0.05 – 0.283 µg/vial) derived from TX 1988(Snow) and TX 2003(Hockley).

Heliiothine Species Occurrence

Macon Ridge, 2003-06



Adult trap captures

TOPICAL APPLICATION



Bollworm LD₅₀'s to Cypermethrin in LA

<u>Colony</u>	<u>Host</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>LD₅₀¹</u>	<u>95% CL</u>	<u>Slope</u>	<u>X2</u>	<u>RR</u>
Joseph-04	Corn	150	1.28	0.6-2.08	1.15±0.22	4.93	1.35
Windsboro-04	Cotton	159	6.12	4.92-7.76	2.92±0.37	4.65	7.68
Windsboro-04	Cotton	164	3.24	2.44-4.16	2.19±0.30	4.34	3.82
Francisville-05	Clover	248	2.20	1.4-3.08	1.56±0.19	7.68	2.81
Windsboro-05	Clover	313	2.04	1.4-2.68	1.404±0.16	3.22	2.81
Joseph-05	Corn	184	2.04	1.48-2.68	1.96±0.27	2.81	2.81
Georgia-05	Cotton	247	3.64	2.96-4.44	2.29±0.25	5.45	4.65
Windsboro-05	Cotton	115	3.48	2.36-4.8	1.99±0.33	3.82	4.65
Joseph-06	Corn	120	2.84	2.24-3.60	2.93±0.53	1.35	3.82
Windsboro-06	Cotton	220	3.49	2.76-4.36	2.04±0.25	1.46	4.65

Resistance Ratio (RR) calculated from LD₅₀ data (0.28 – 0.88 µg/g) derived from LA Lab & Field 1990-2006

µg/g

Bollworm Insecticide Trial/Grain Sorghum Macon Ridge Station, July 2006

Chemical	Rate AI/A	% Control 3 DAT	% Control 7 DAT
cythroid 2 EC	0.025	52	53
Tracer 4SC	0.05	73	72
Non-treated	_____	0	0



Summary

LA bollworm susceptibility to pyrethroids is declining.

No field control failures reported in Louisiana to date.

Widespread problem (Midwest, TX, SC, GA, New England)

Alternative control strategies in Cotton:

Bollgard II and WideStrike

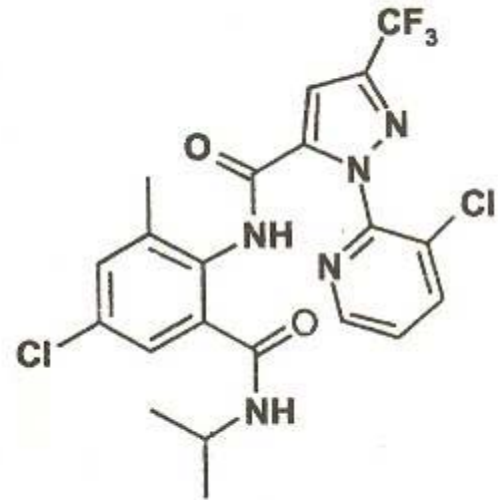
Steward, Tracer, Denim, and Novel Chemistries

Rynaxypyr™ (DPX-E2Y45)

- **Novel insecticide chemistry**
Class: Anthranilic diamides
- **MOA: Muscle Functions**
Calcium Channels
- **High toxicity to Lepidoptera at very low rates**
- **Low mammalian toxicity**
- **Feeding cessation, lethargy, paralysis, and death**

evaluate bioassay
methods for Rynaxypyr:

Diet Incorporation
Topical Application
Adult Vial Test



DP-23

Target Species

Tobacco Budworm

LSU TBW-Lab Colony
MRS TBW- Field LA 2006

Bollworm

SUSC BW-Lab Colony
MRS BW- Field LA 2006

Fall Armyworm

MRS FAW- Field LA 2006

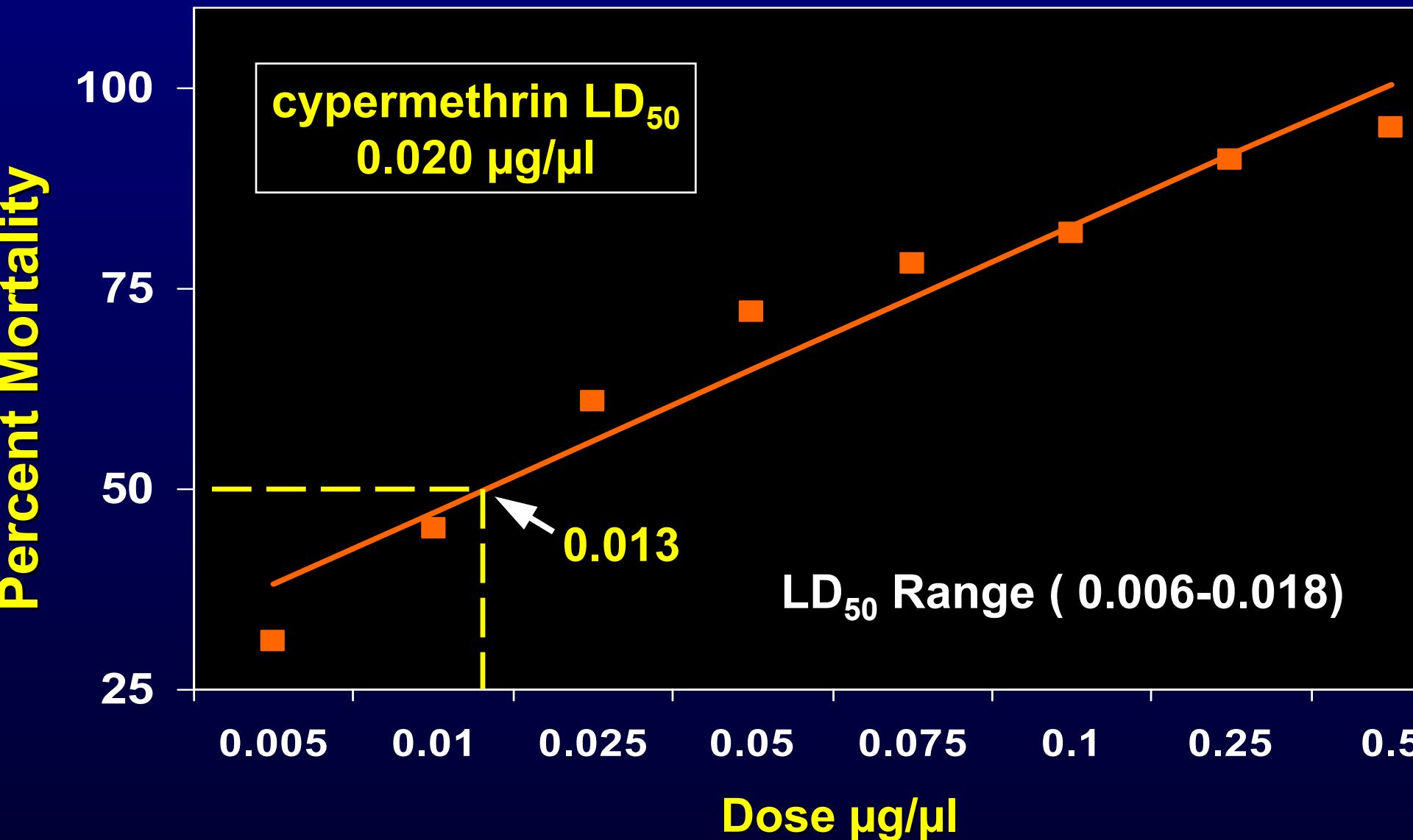


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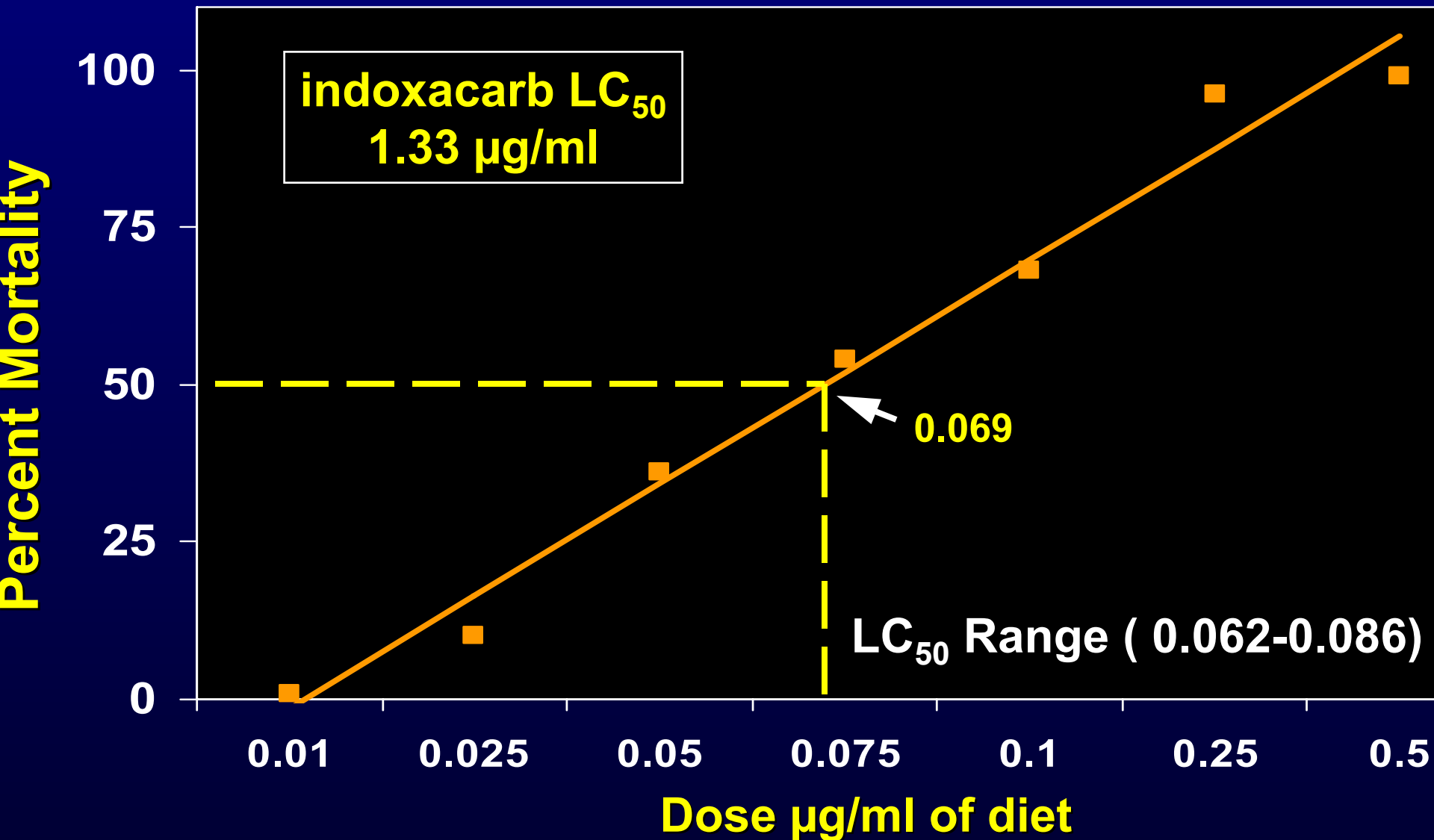
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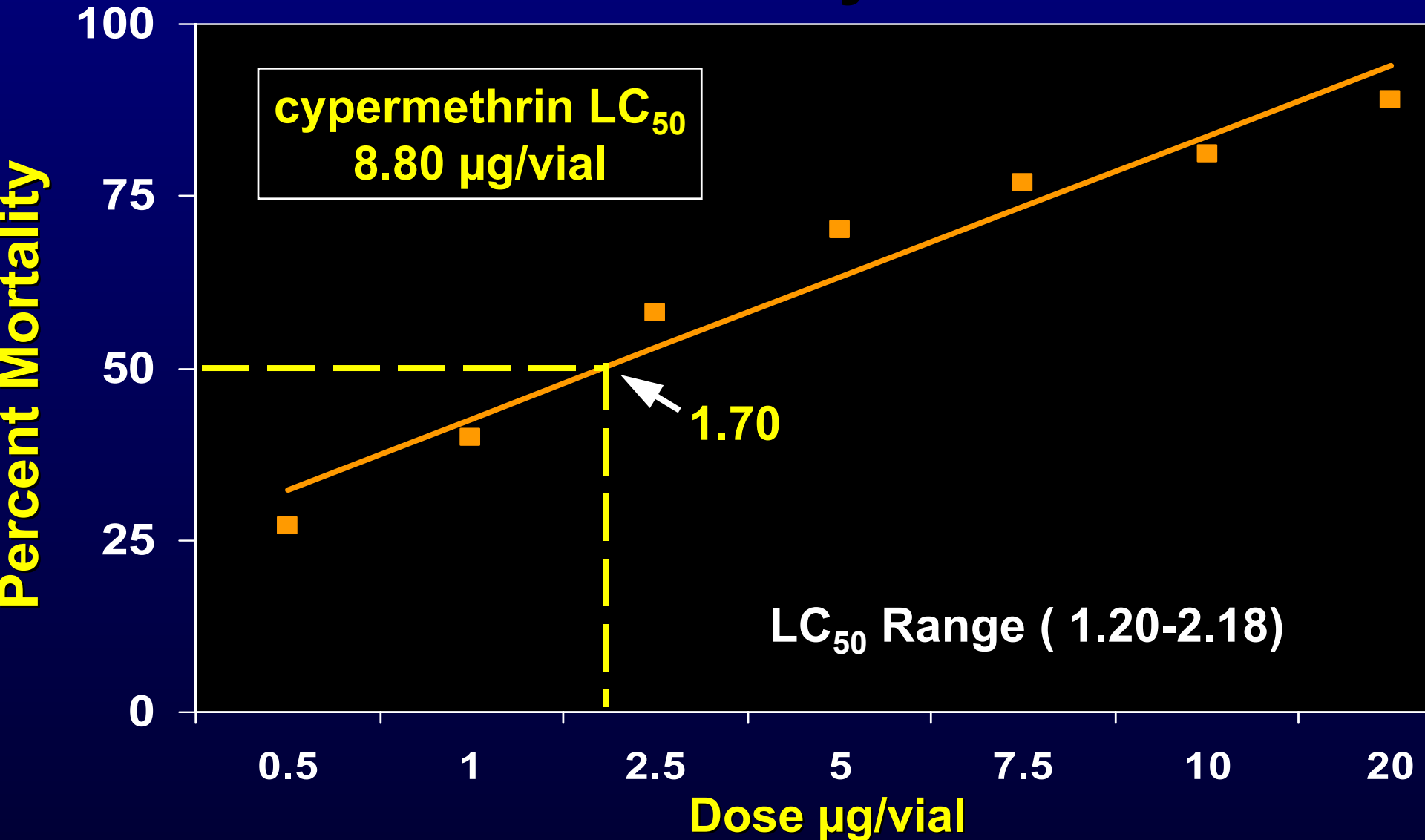
Topical Application of Rynaxypyr LSU Tobacco Budworm



Diet Incorporation of Rynaxypyr SUSC Bollworm



Adult Vial Test-Rynaxypyr MRS Fall Armyworm

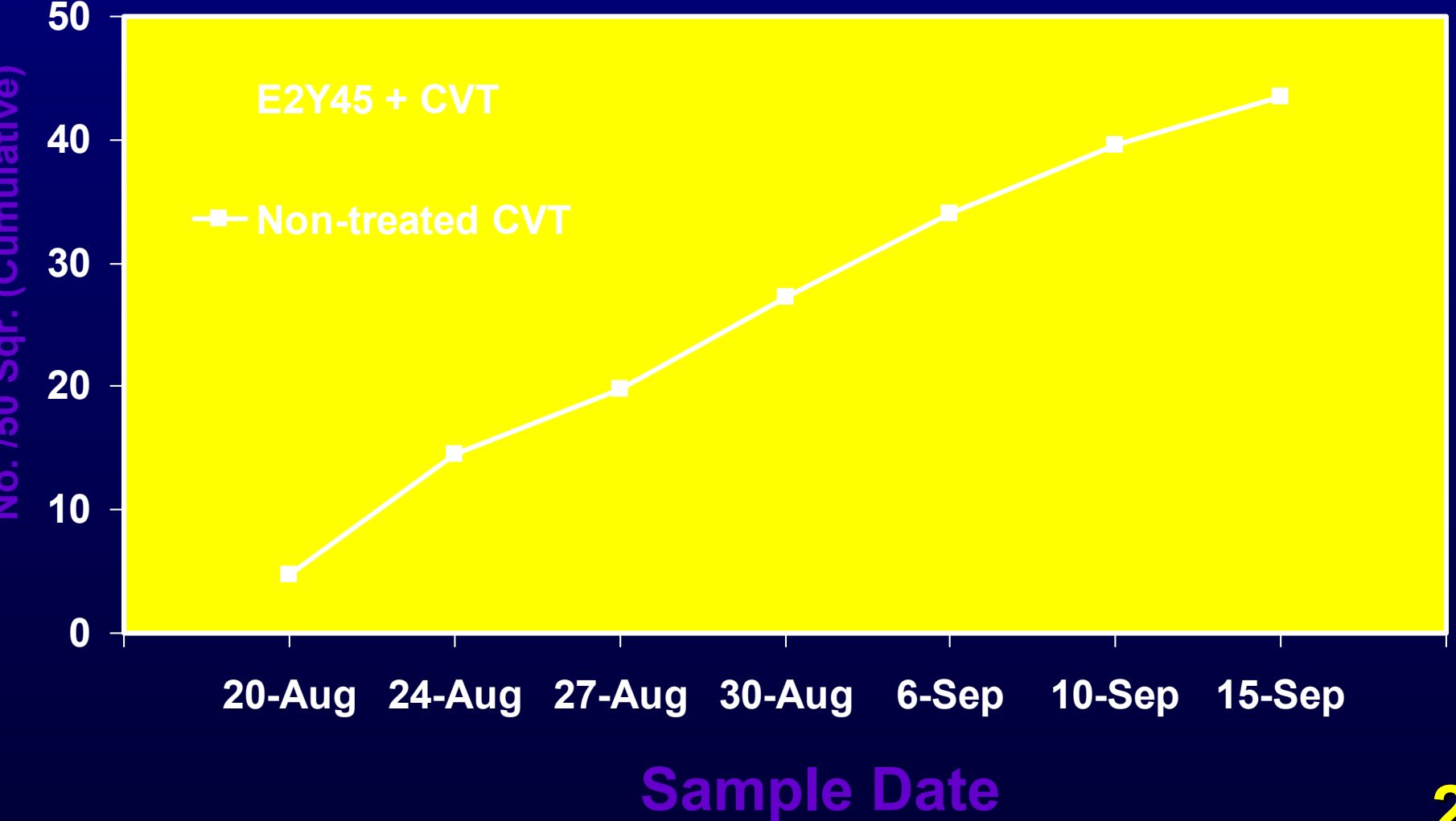


Field Trials



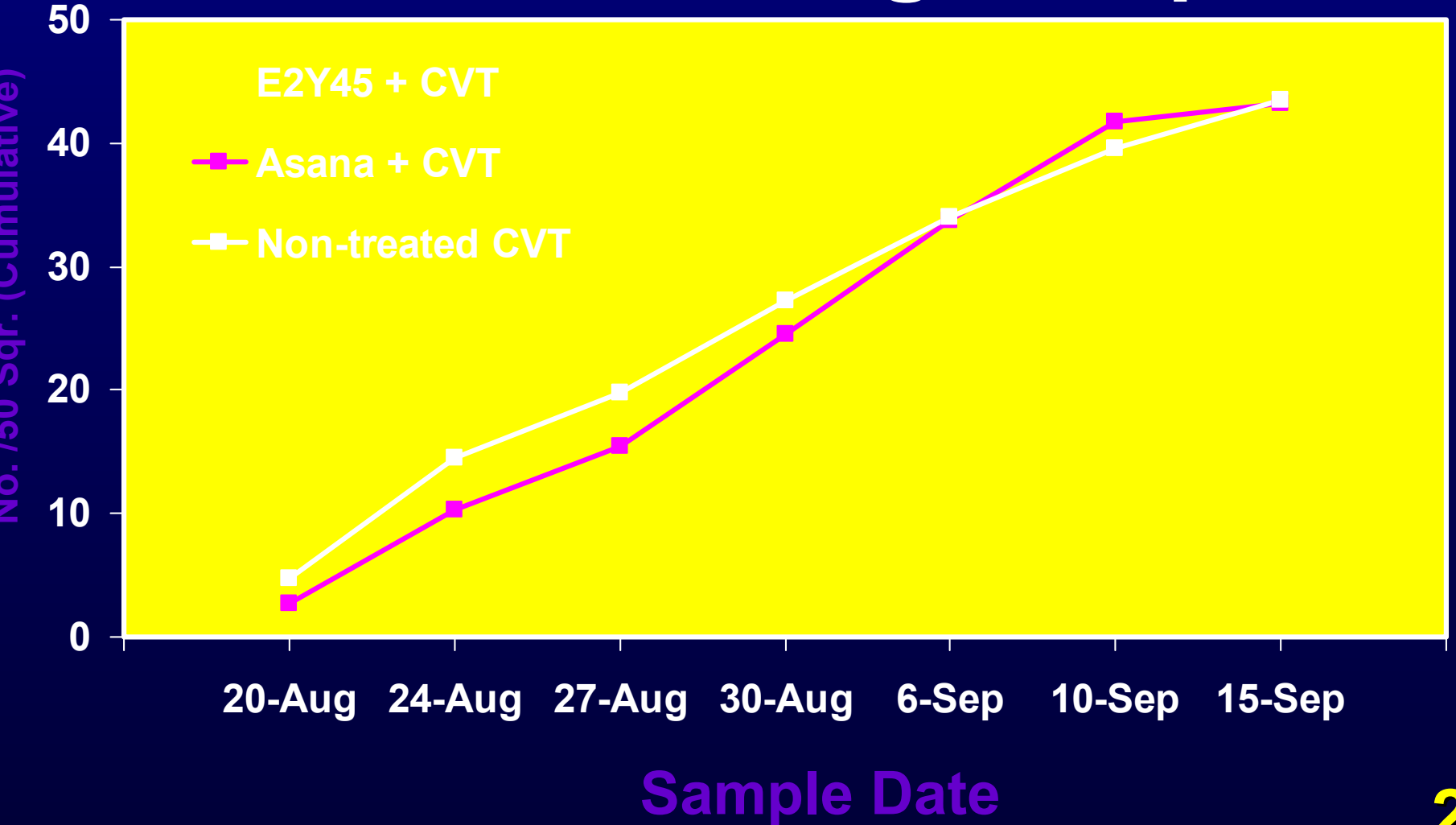
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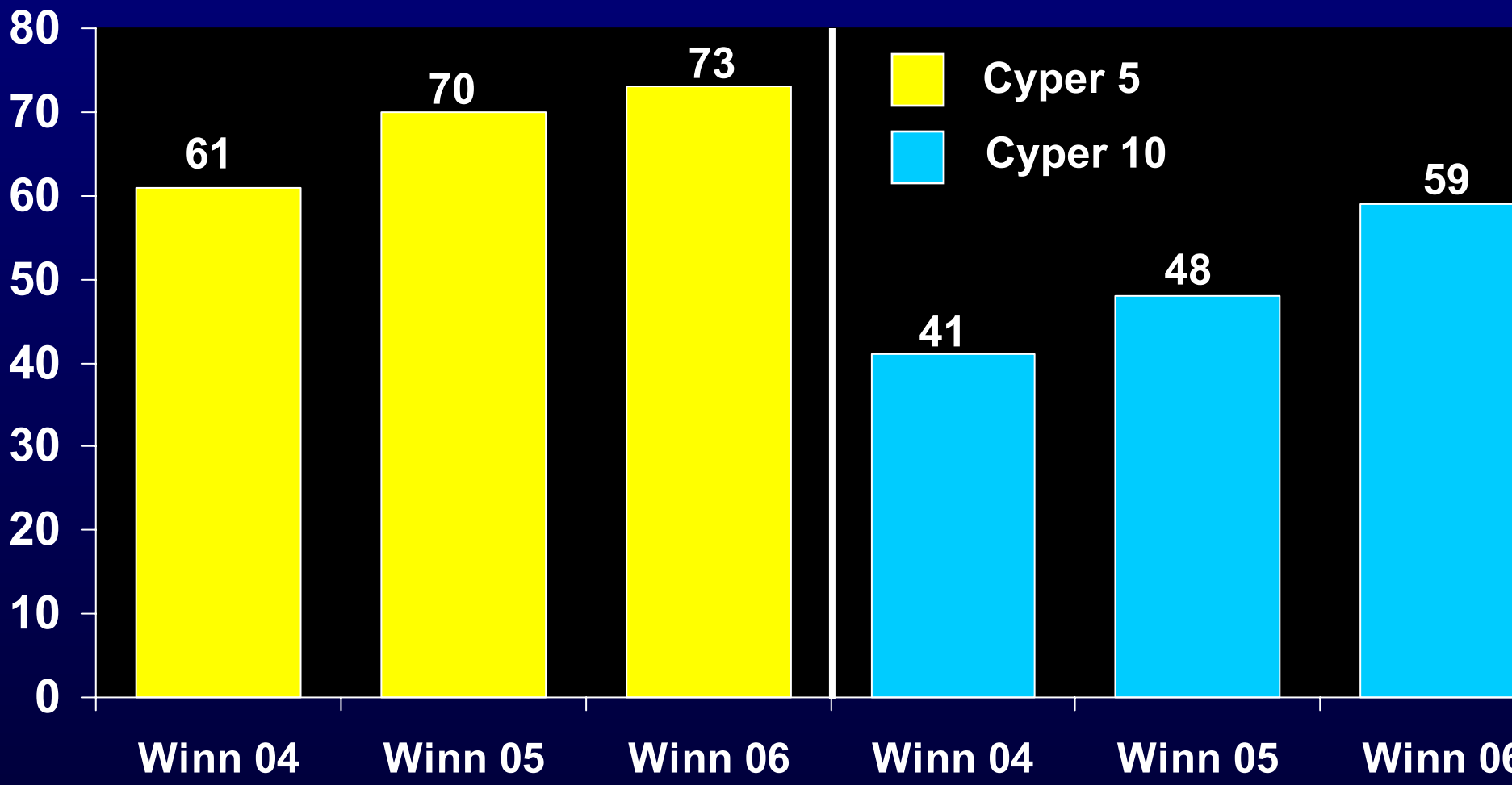


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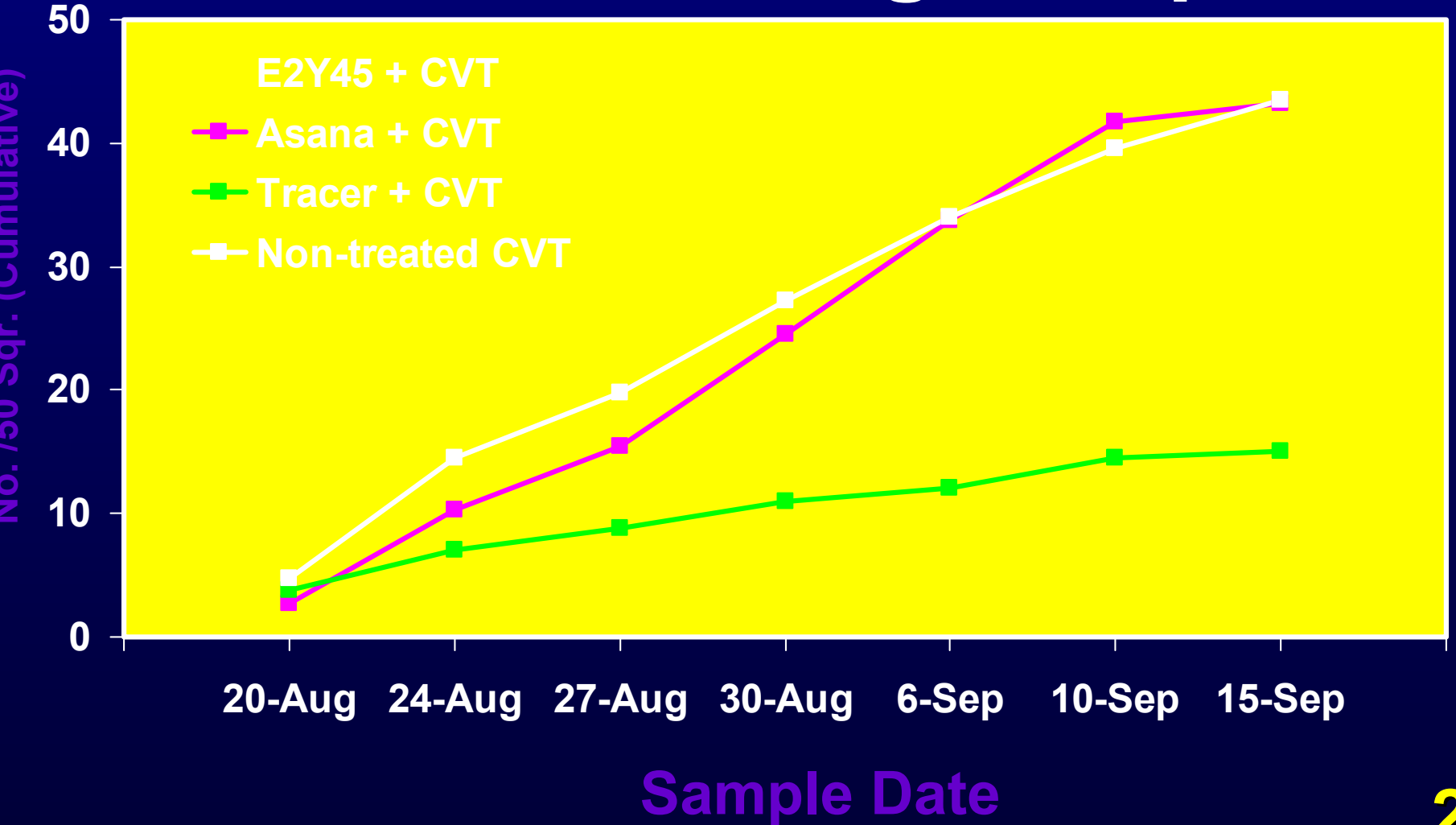


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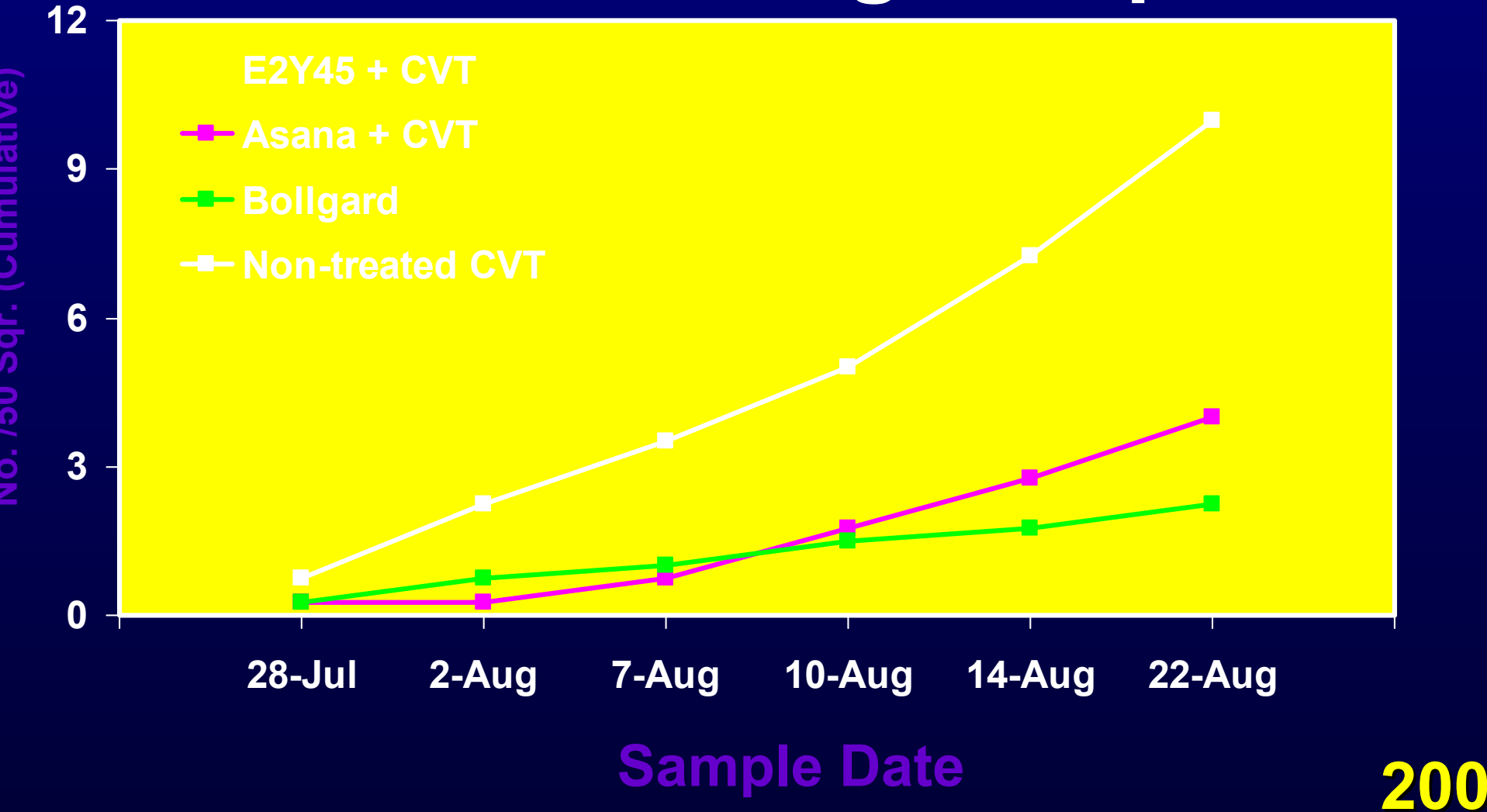
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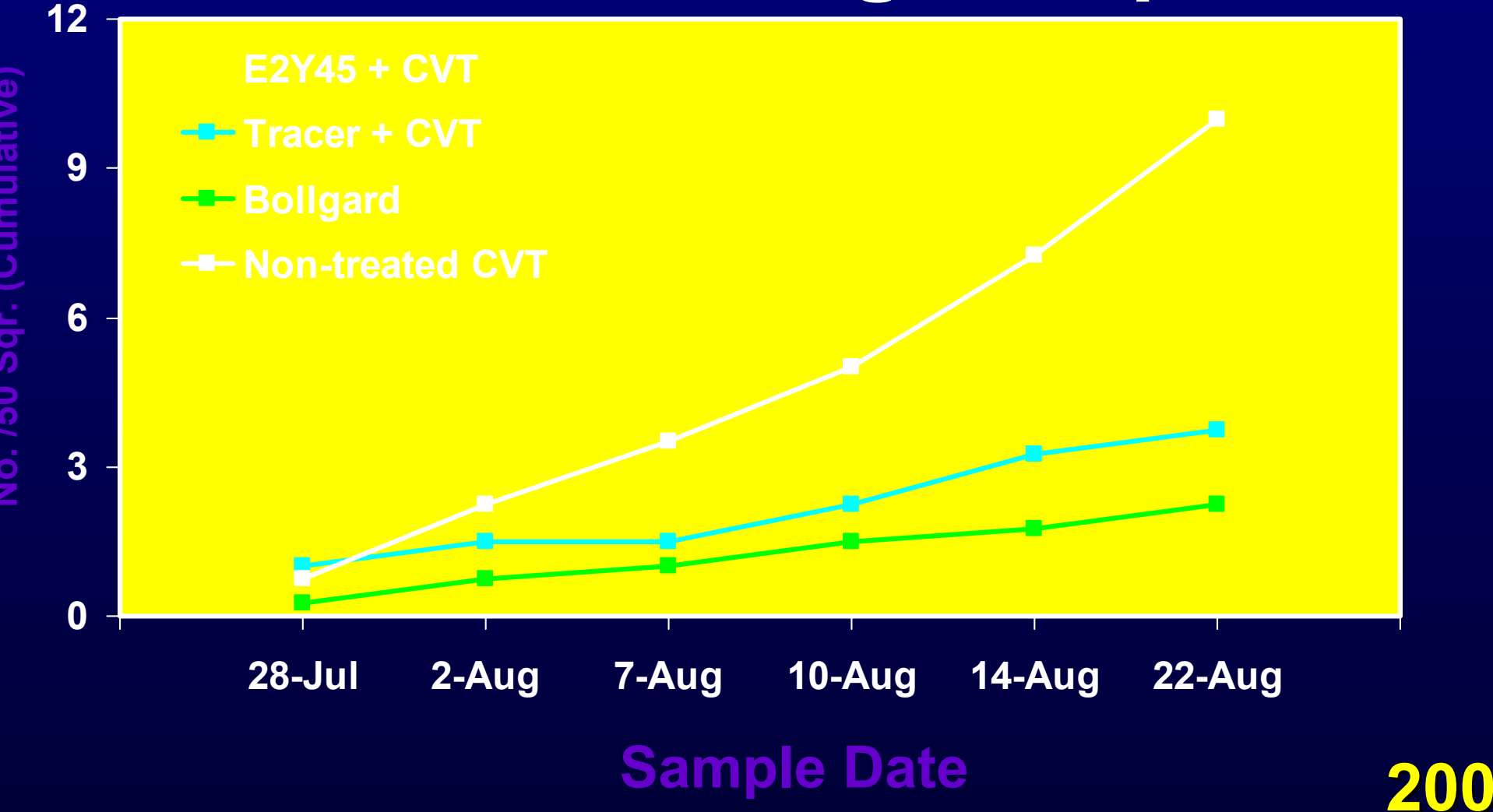
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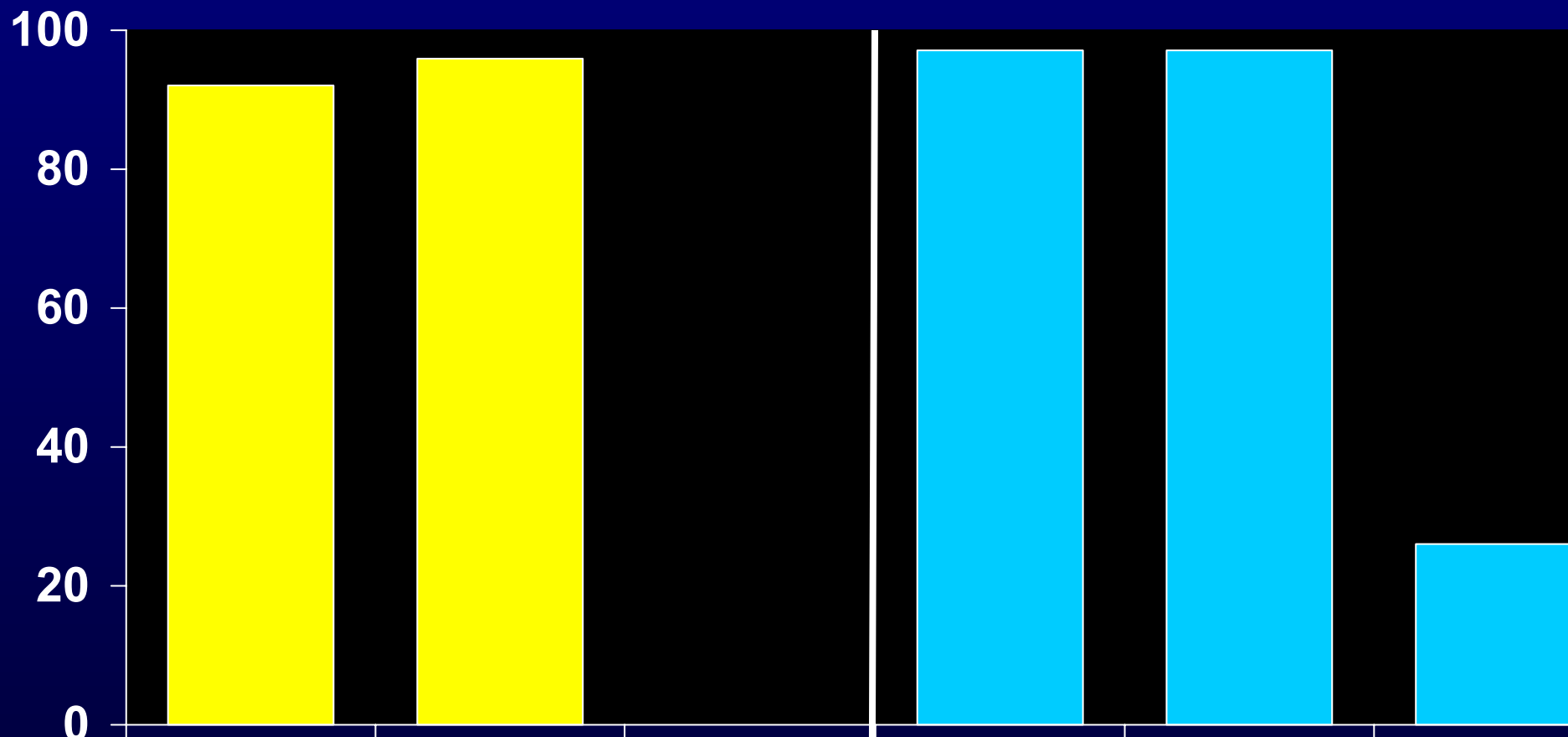


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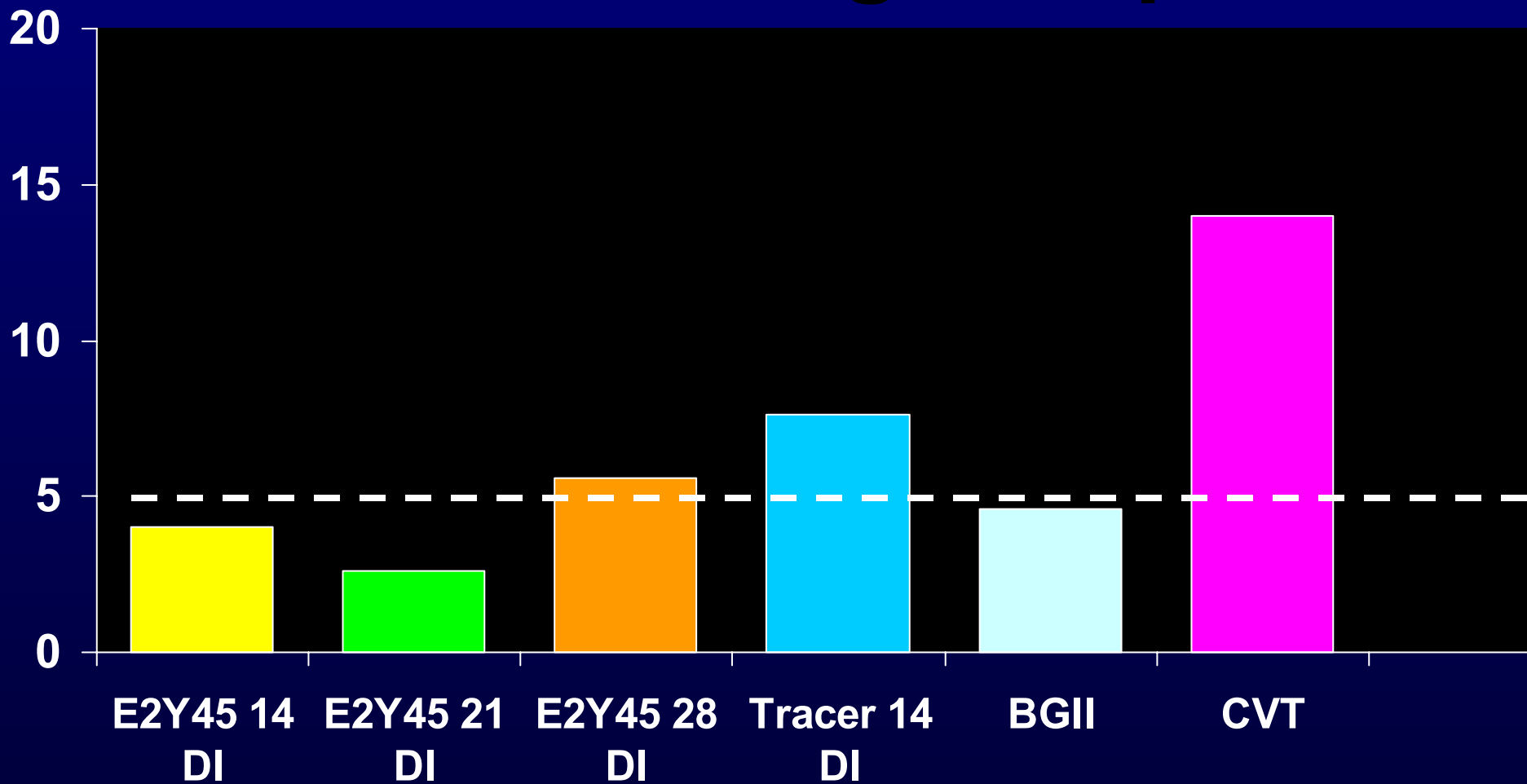


2006 Leaf Assay 2-d old Larvae



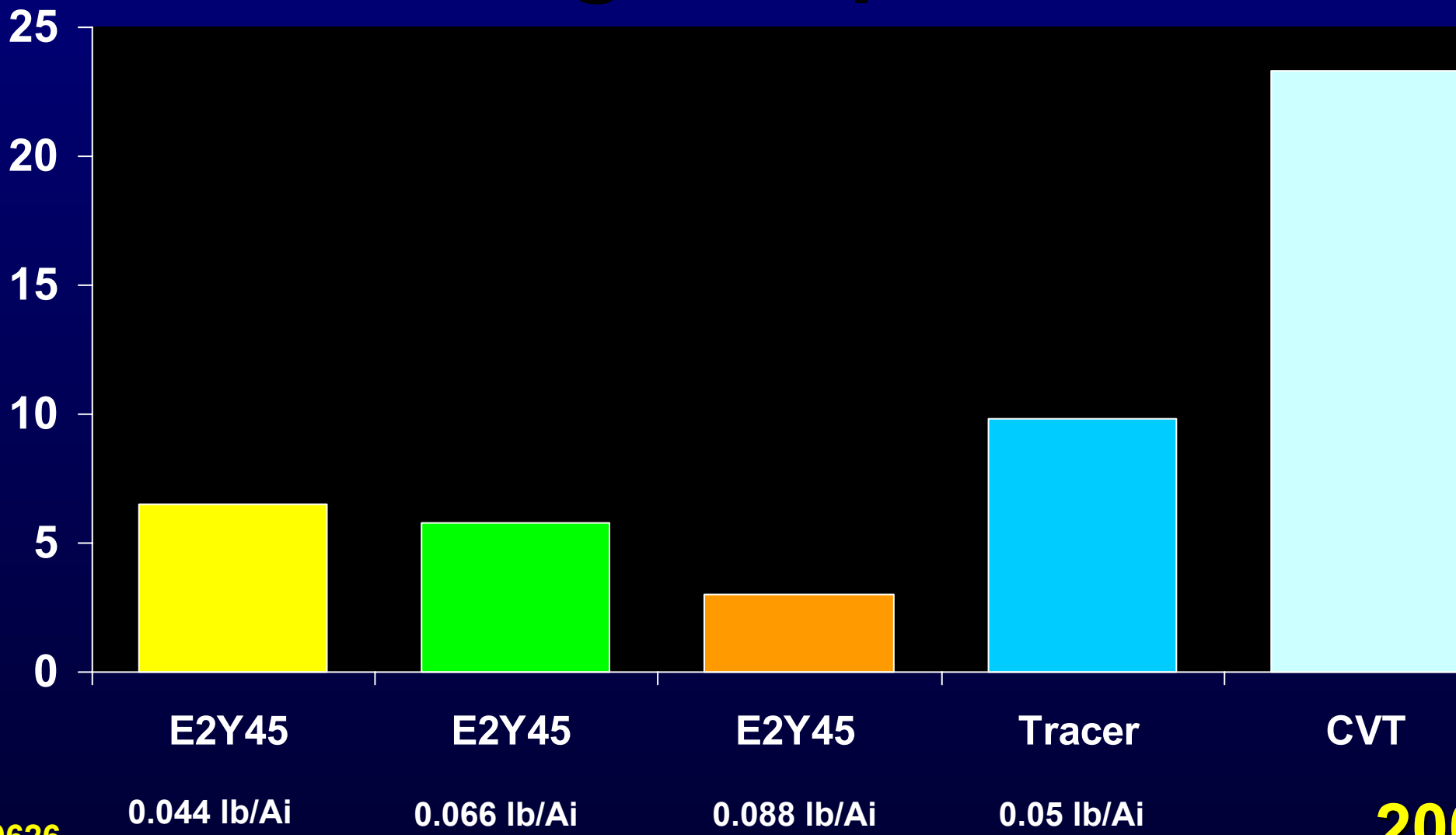
E2Y45 Residual Test

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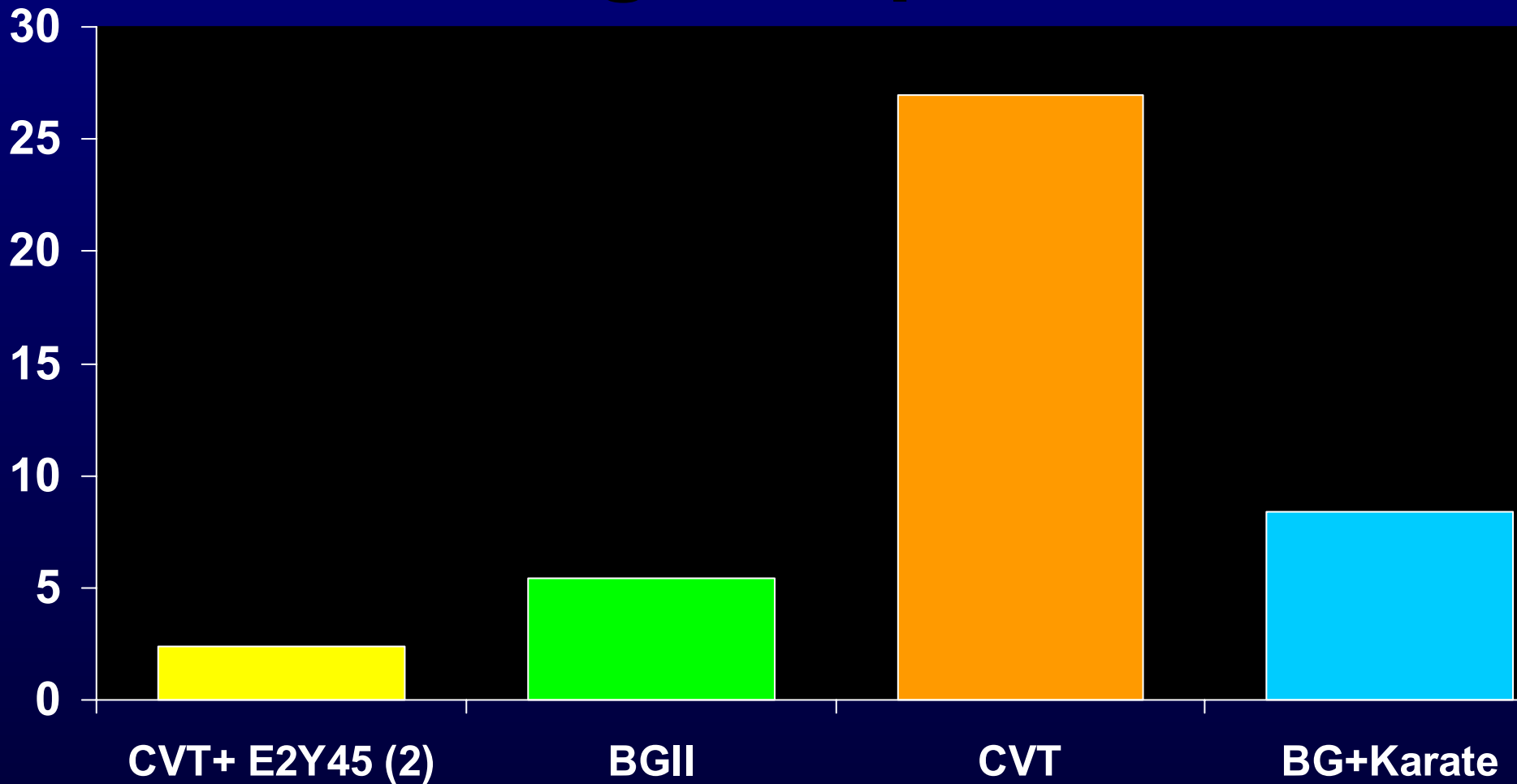
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Control of Heliothines Damaged Squares



Control of Heliothines

Damaged Squares



2007 Recommendations

- Continue to use Pyrethroids
- Recognize probability for failures under heavy pressure – **All Crops**
- Suspected failures - switch chemistries
 - Crop specific choices:
 - Tracer
 - Steward
 - Larvin
 - Lannate

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