Cotton Insect Pest Control Issues

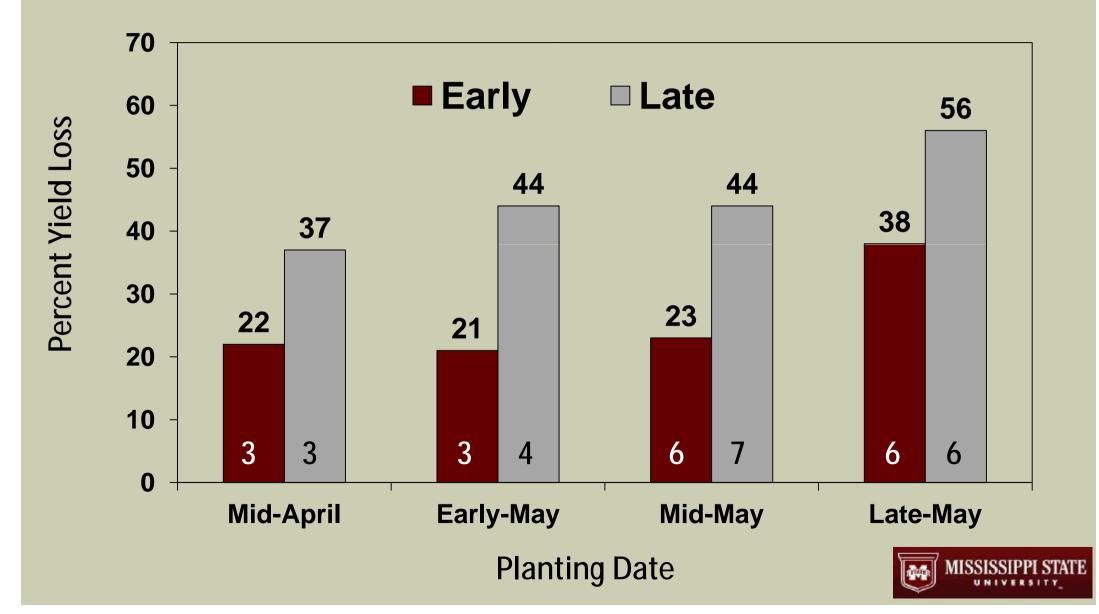




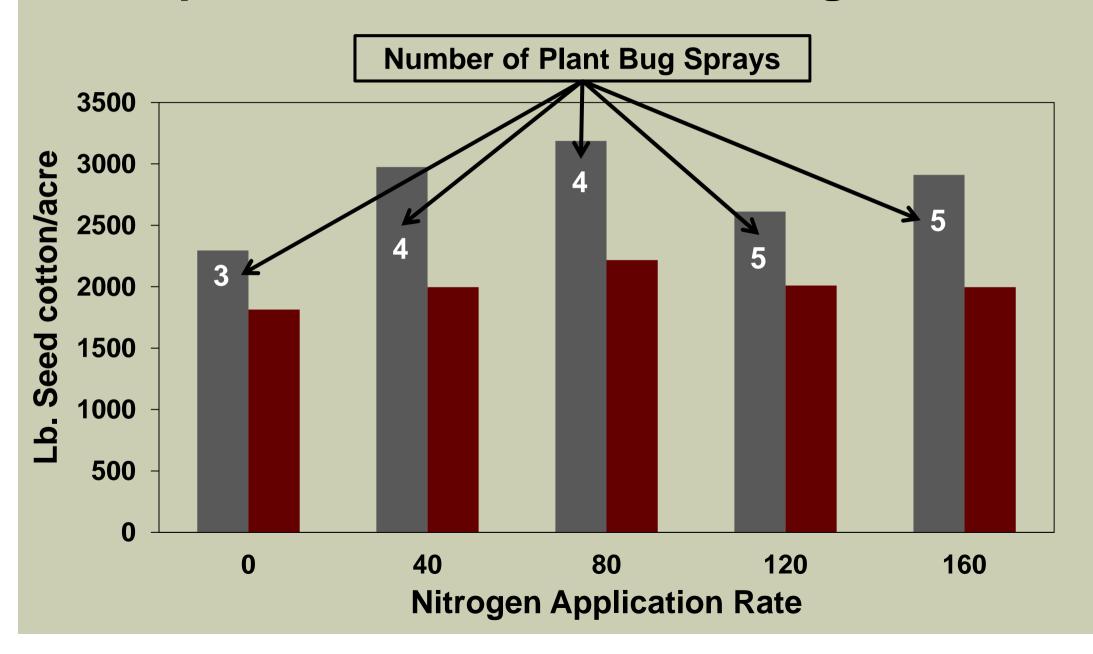


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Impact of Planting Date and Varietal Maturity



Impact of N Rate on TPB Management



Other Factors that Impact Earliness

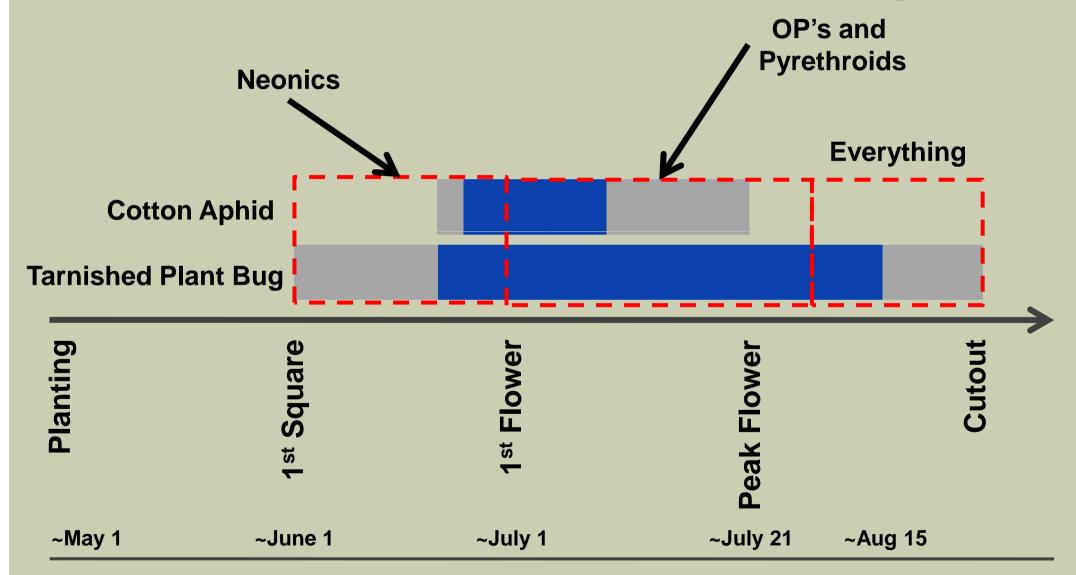
- Seeding Rate
- Thrips Management
- Disease Management
- Weed Management
- PGR's







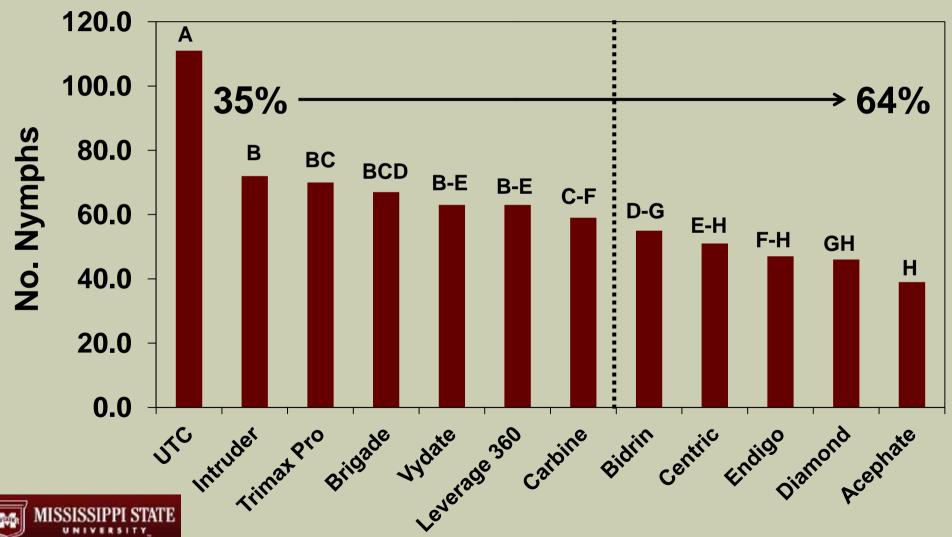




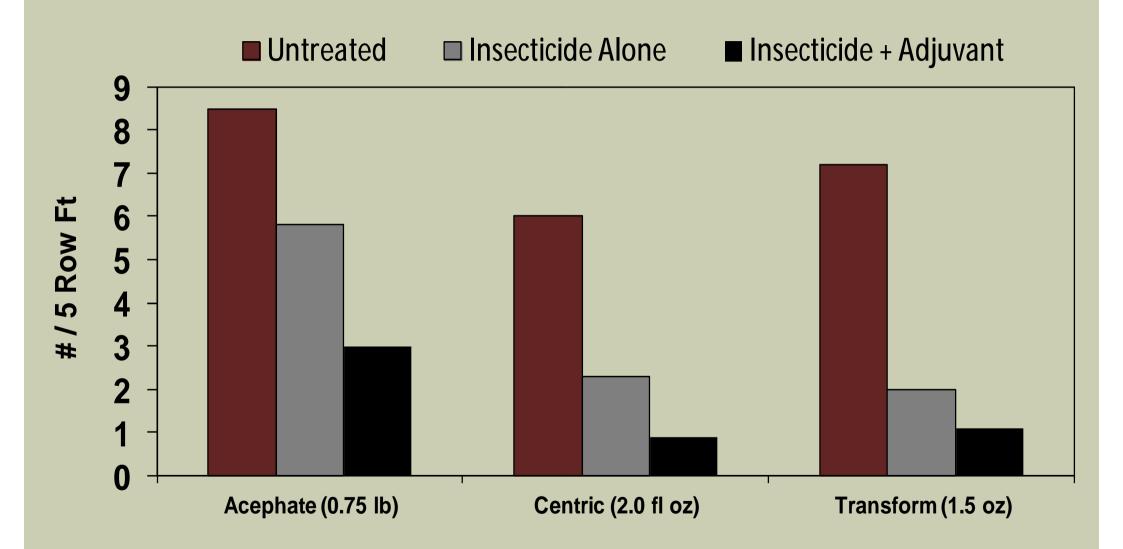
Regional TPB Trial

All Locations - Season Total



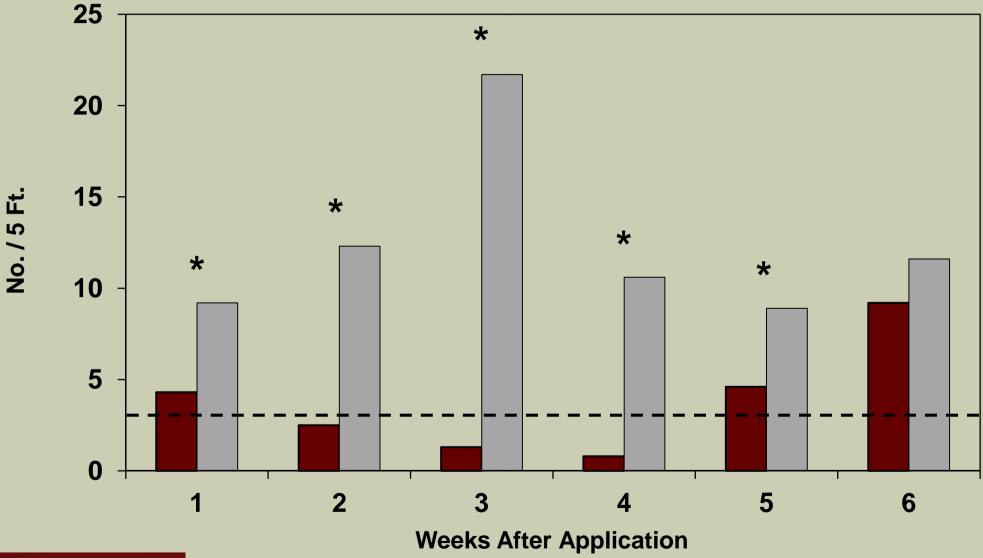


Impact of Adjuvants on Rainfastness



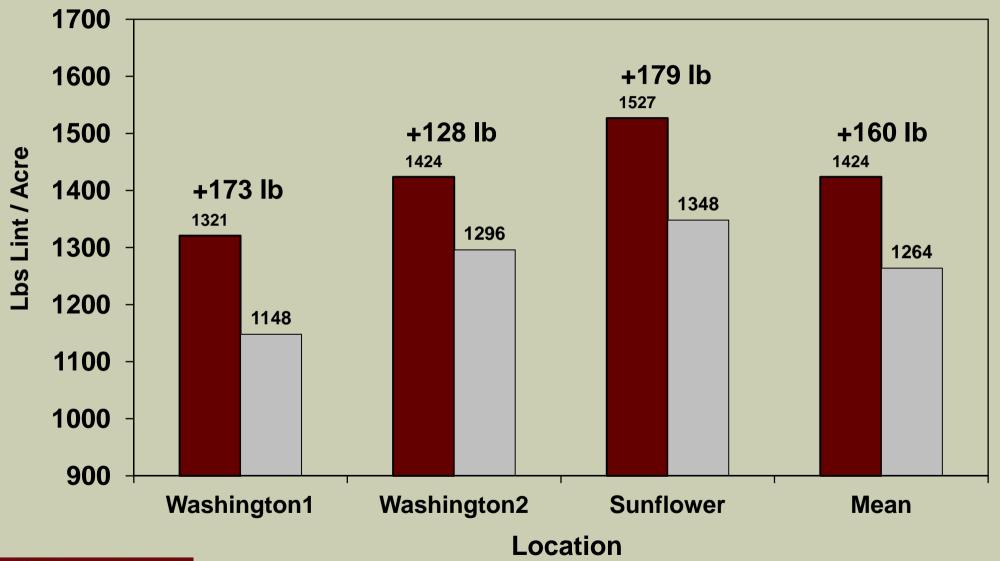
Plots sprayed 2.5 to 3 hours before 1.1 inces of rain.

Large Block Evaluation of Diamond - 2010





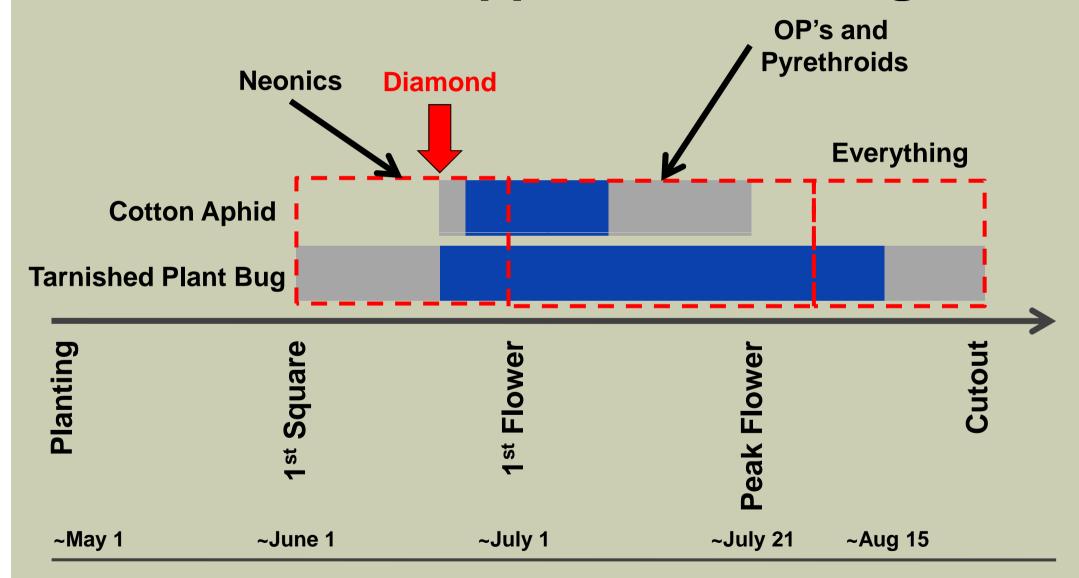
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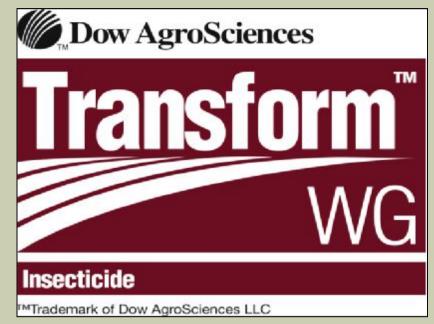


Split growers fields (3 total), Diamond applied approx. 3rd week of squaring





- Dow AgroSciences
- Sulfoxaflor
- 50% WG
- Cotton
- 0.75-2.88 oz/A
- True Bugs: cotton aphid tarnished plant bug

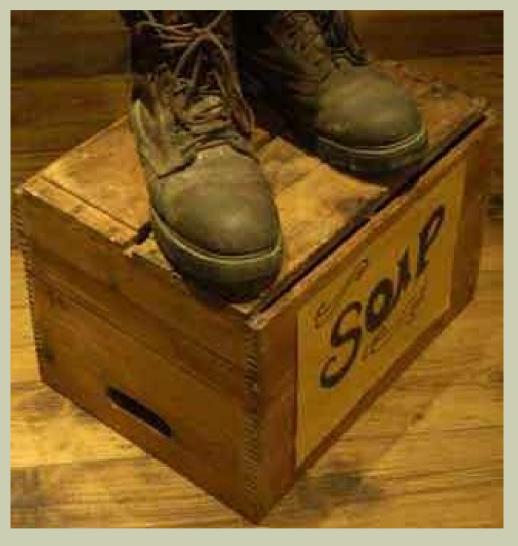




Transform is not labeled at this time

Transform 50 WG

- Section 18 granted for 2012 in the Delta counties to control tarnished plant bug
- Section 3 registration expected soon
- Public comment period just ended (February 12, 2013)





Comments on EPA Website

"Do not approve Sulfoxaflor. Do not decimate further the bee populations in the US. The madness of continual dumping of these toxic chemicals in our environment must stop. It is time to restore, time to stop destroying and poisoning."

Please read before approving this Bee Killing Poison: "We're facing the extinction of a species."



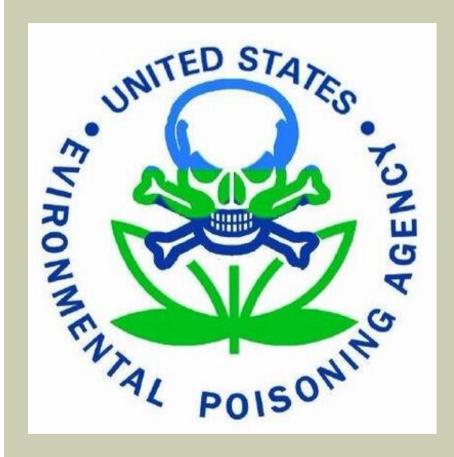






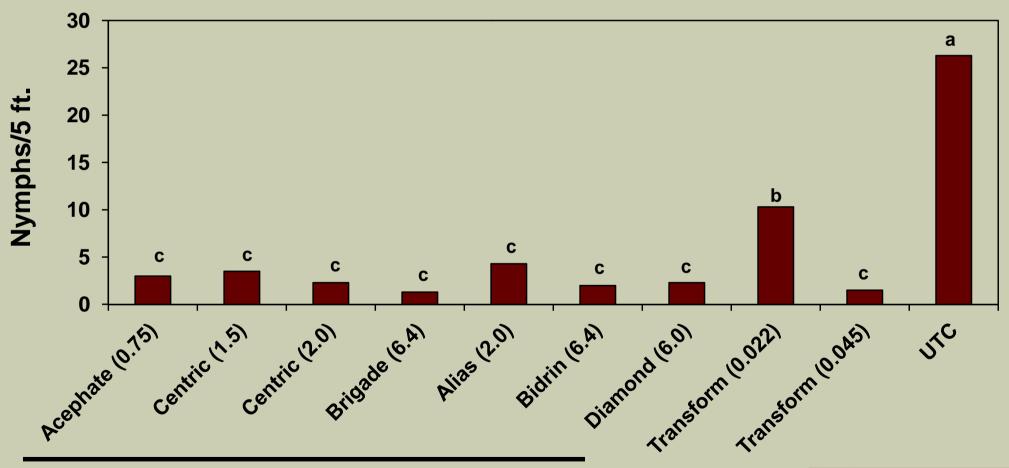


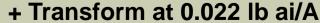






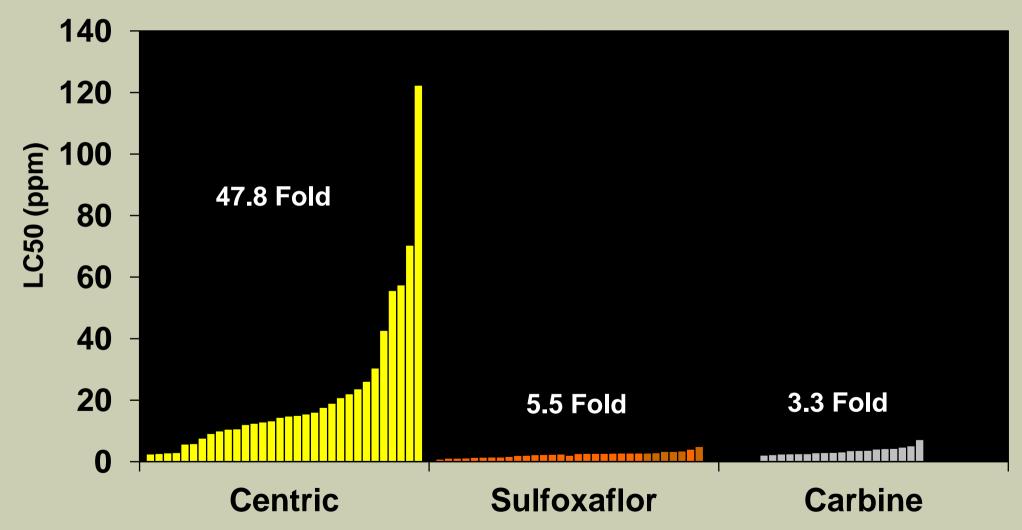
Tarnished Plant Bug Management with Transform 7 Days After Application





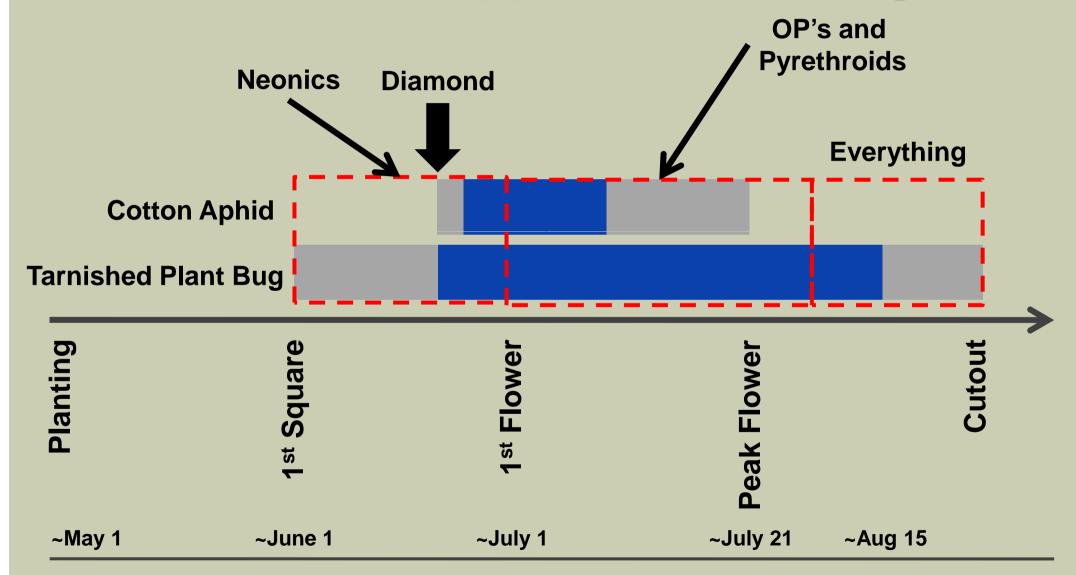


Cotton Aphid Leaf-Dip Bioassays – 2008-2012 72 HAT

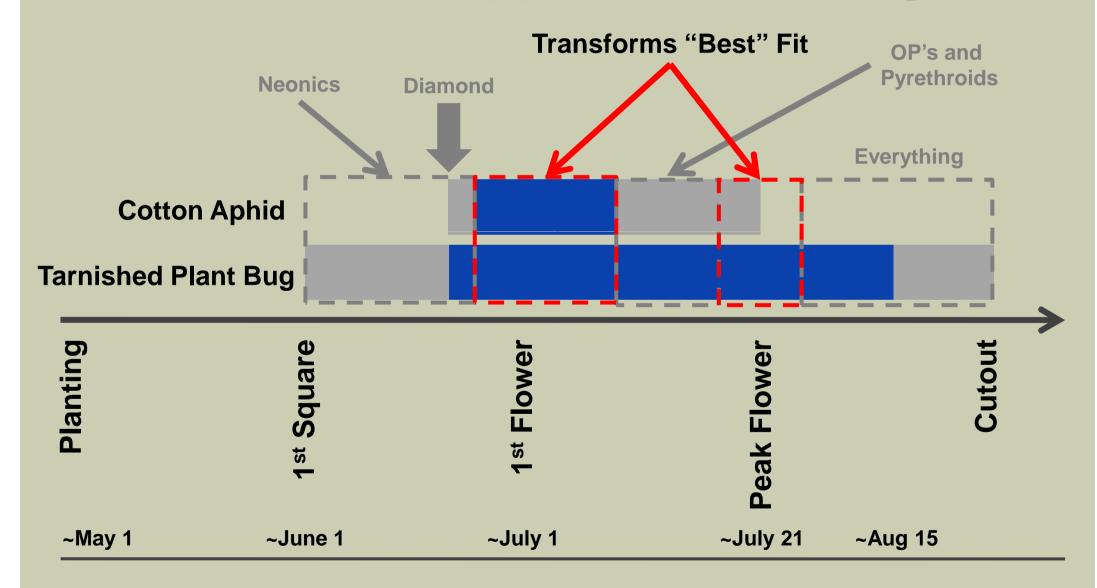




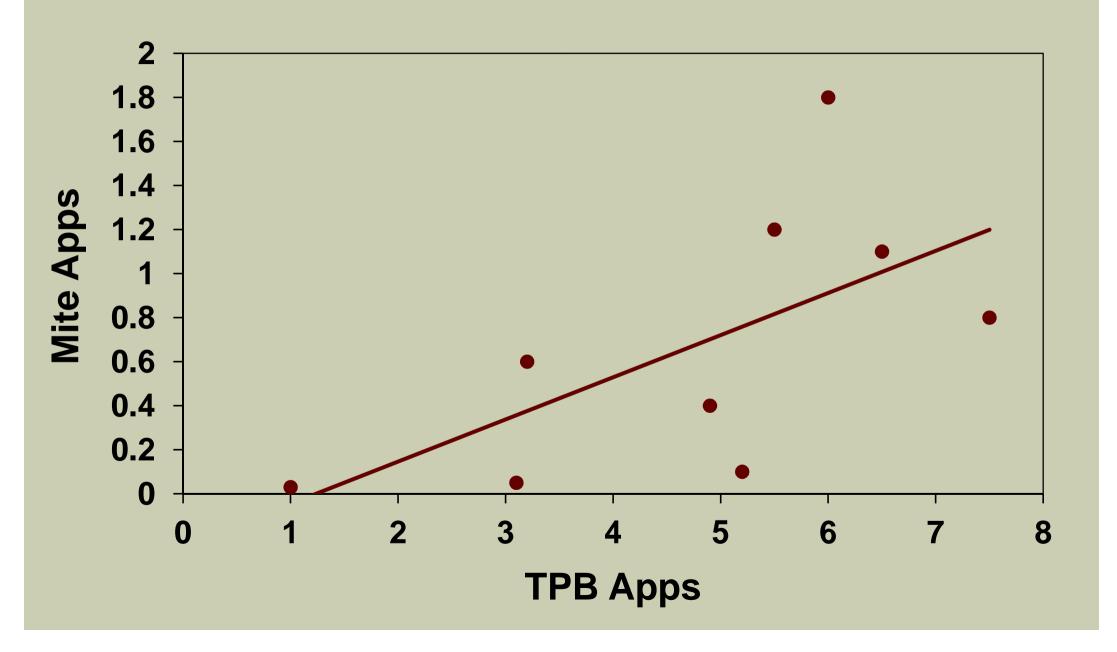




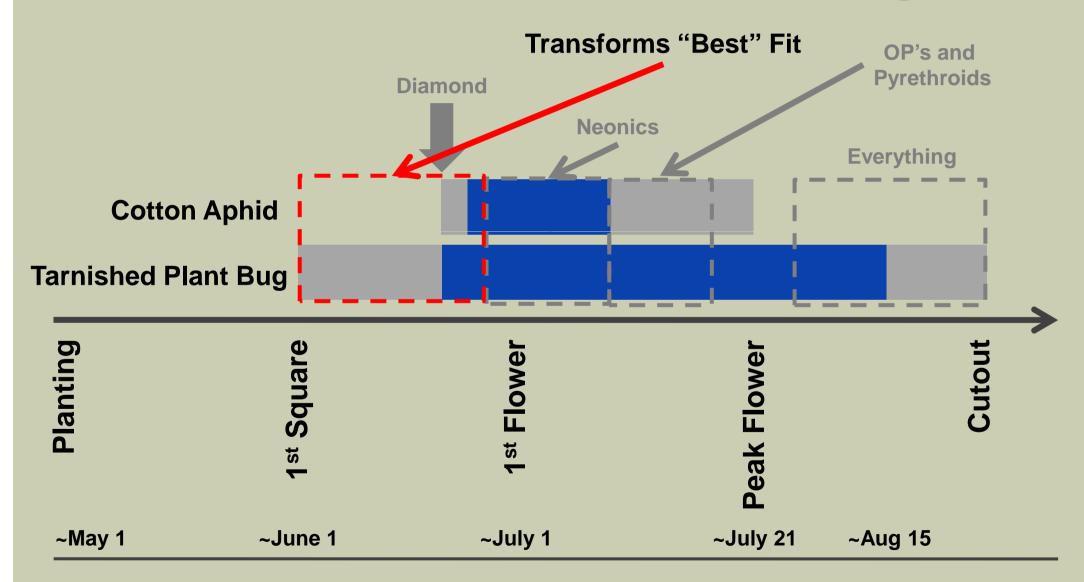




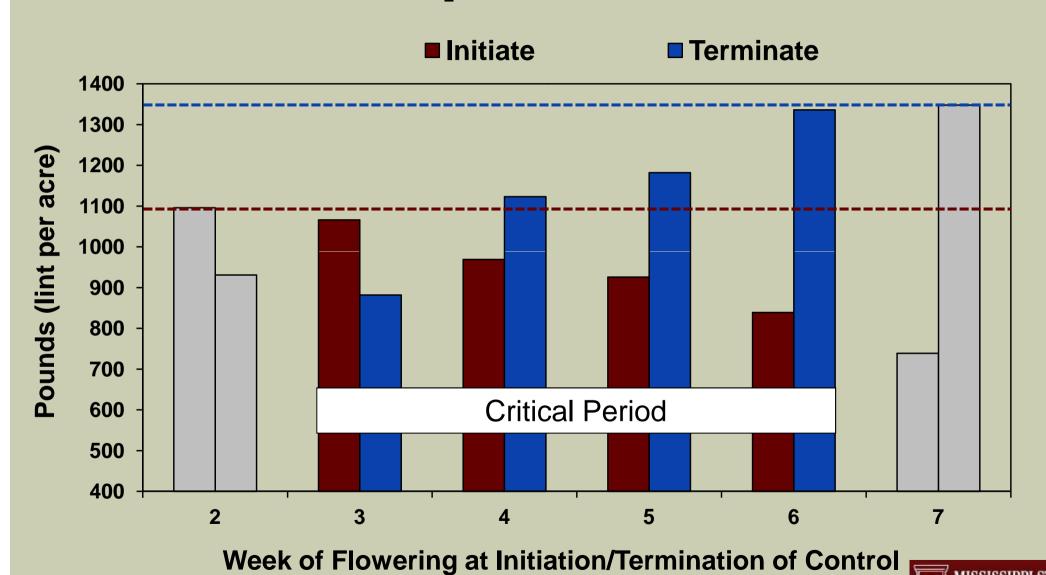
Correlation Between TPB Control and Spider Mite Control



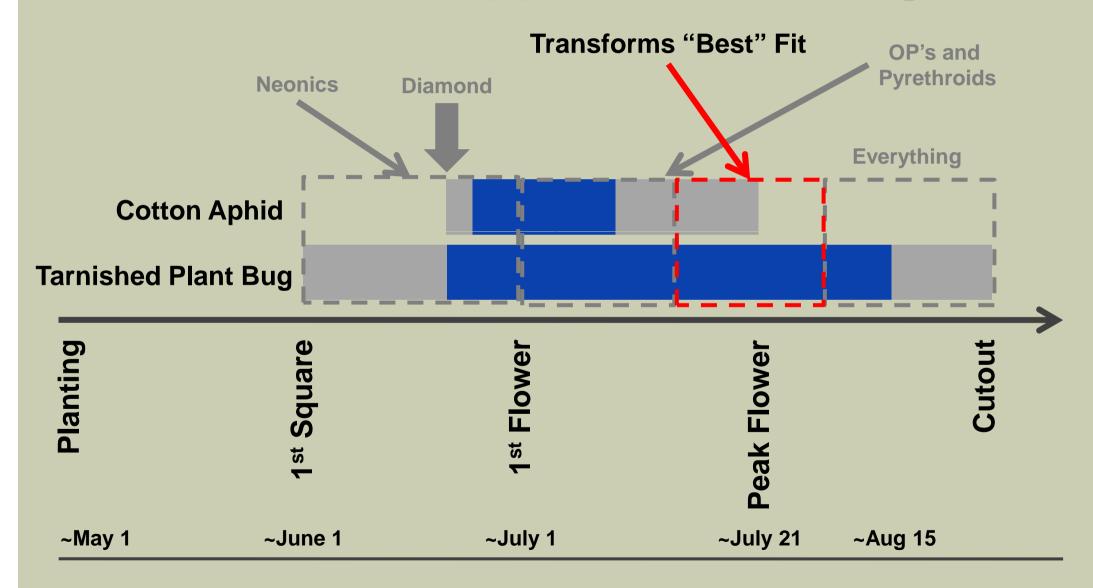




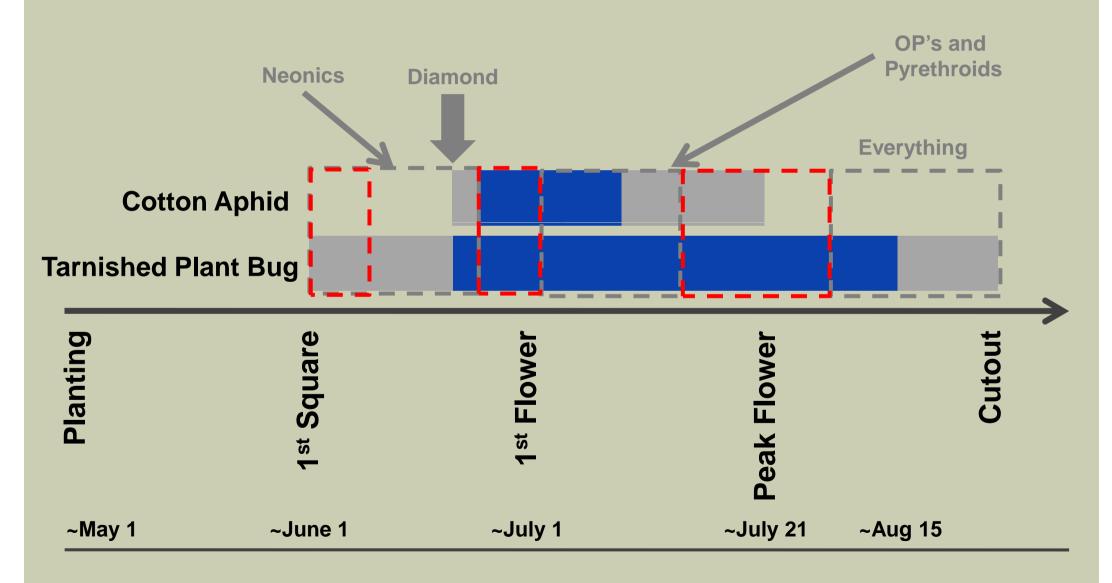
TPB Impact on Yields











Summary and Conclusions

Manage for Earliness

Use Diamond Early

Rotate Chemistry

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