

Corn Management from a Consultant's Perspective

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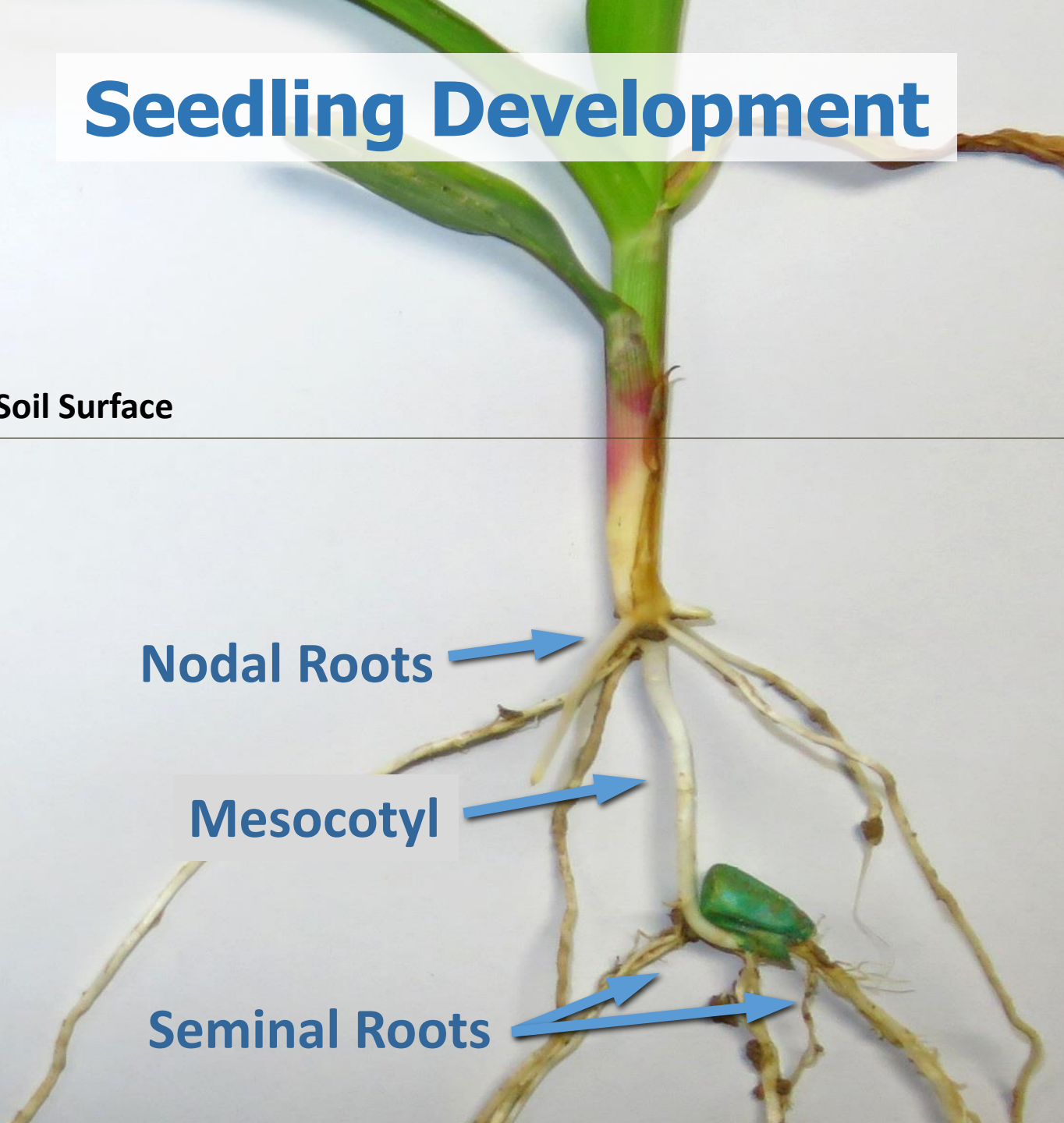
Seedling Development

Soil Surface

Nodal Roots

Mesocotyl

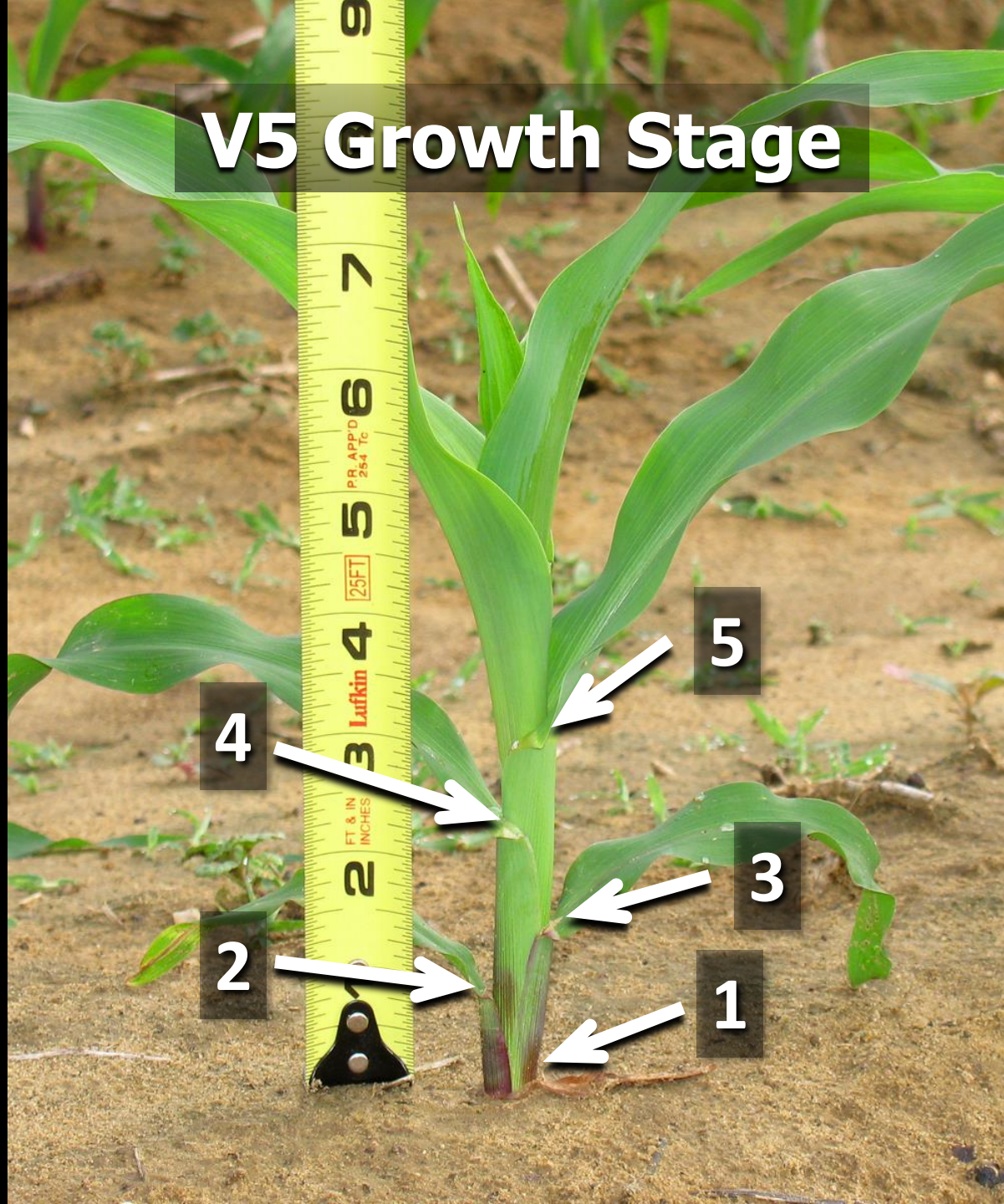
Seminal Roots



Vegetative Growth Staging

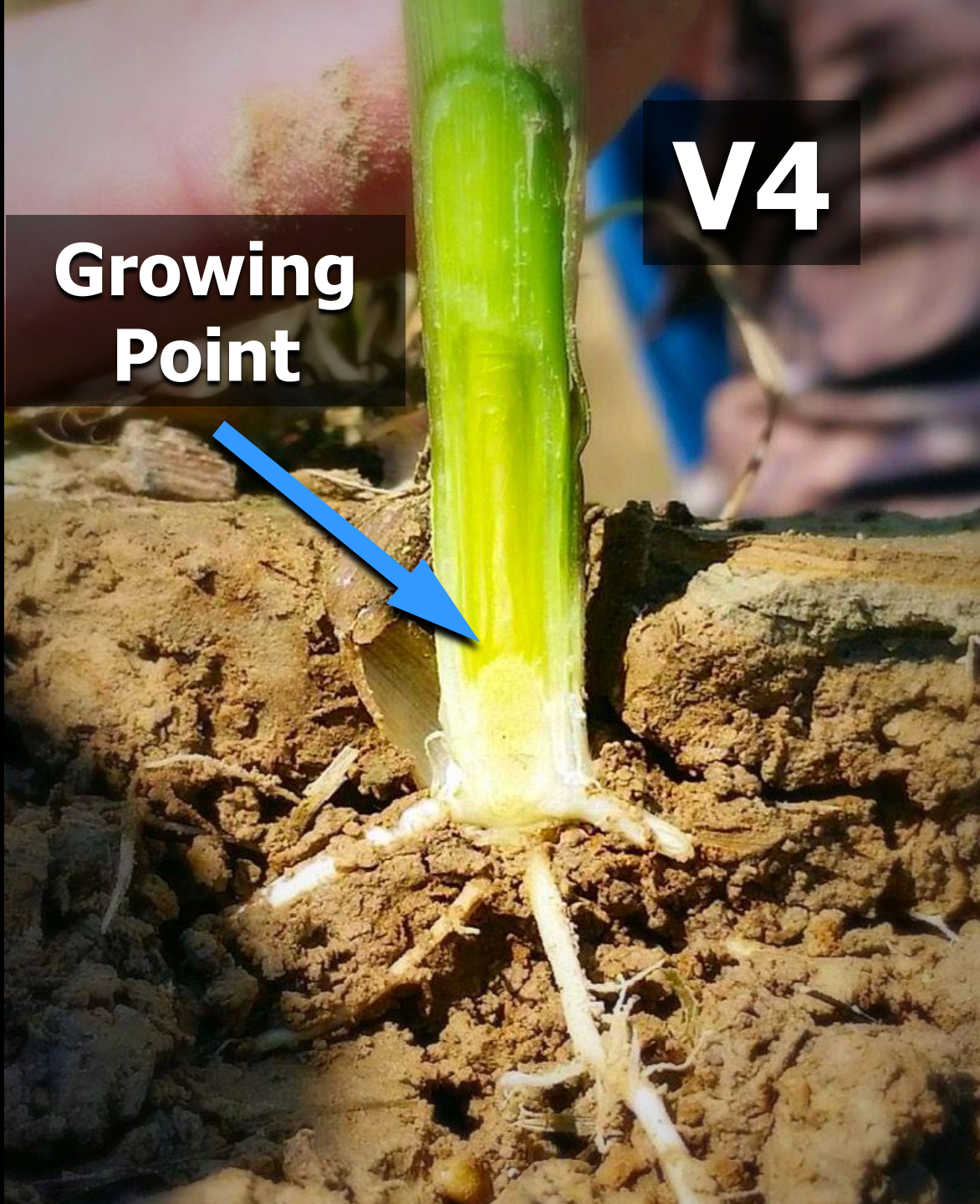


V5 Growth Stage



V4

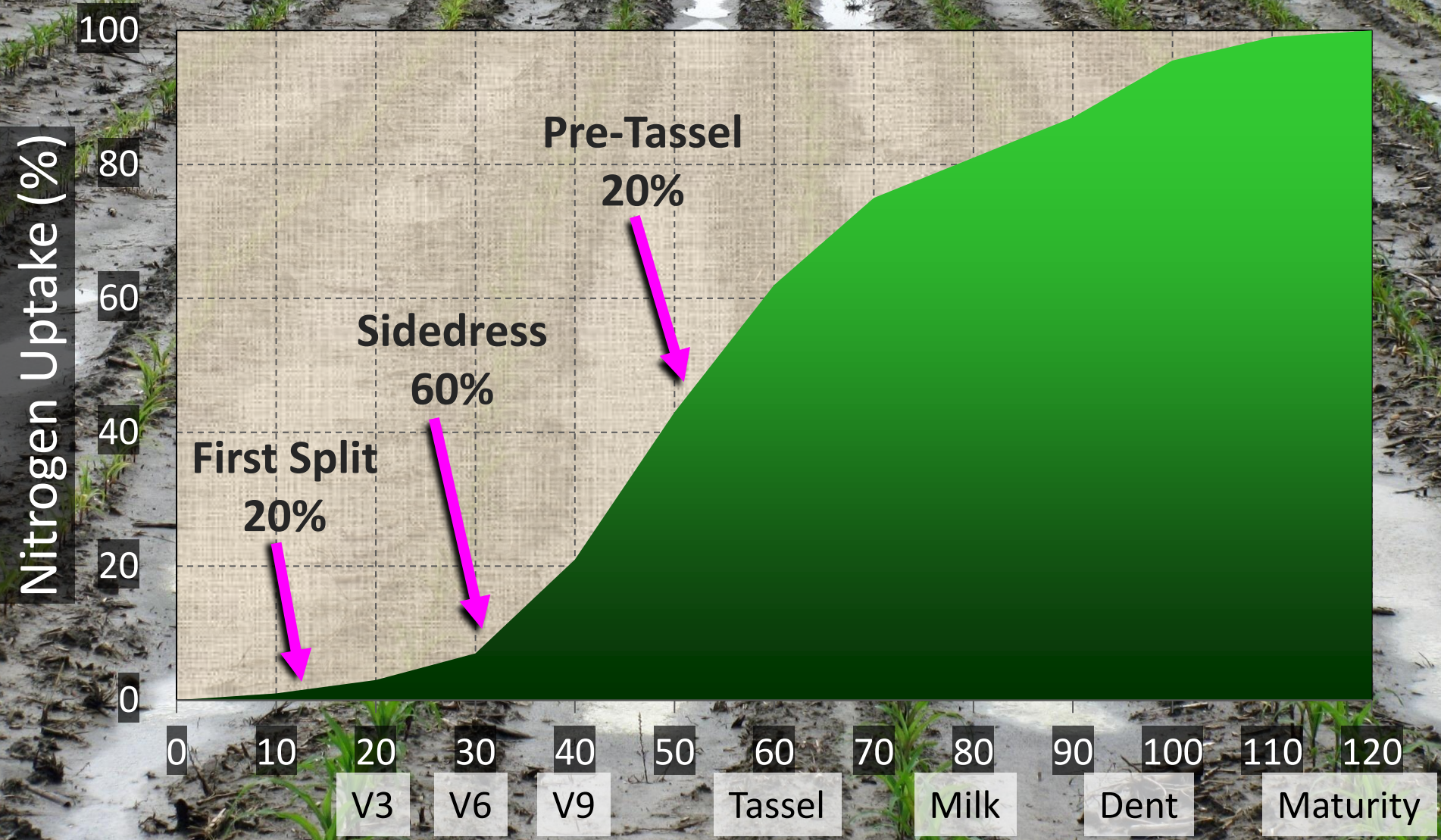
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Recovery from Hail Damage

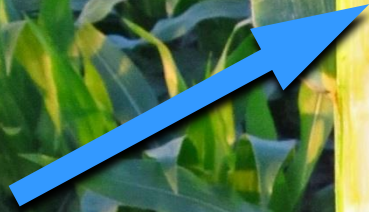


Seasonal Nitrogen Use



V8

**Growing
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Greensnap

A photograph of a cornfield under a blue sky with light clouds. The corn plants are in various stages of growth. Many leaves are a vibrant green, but there are noticeable areas of yellowing and wilting, particularly in the lower parts of the plants and in some rows in the background. The overall appearance suggests a pest or disease problem, consistent with the 'Greensnap' label.

Greensnap



Irrigation Initiation?

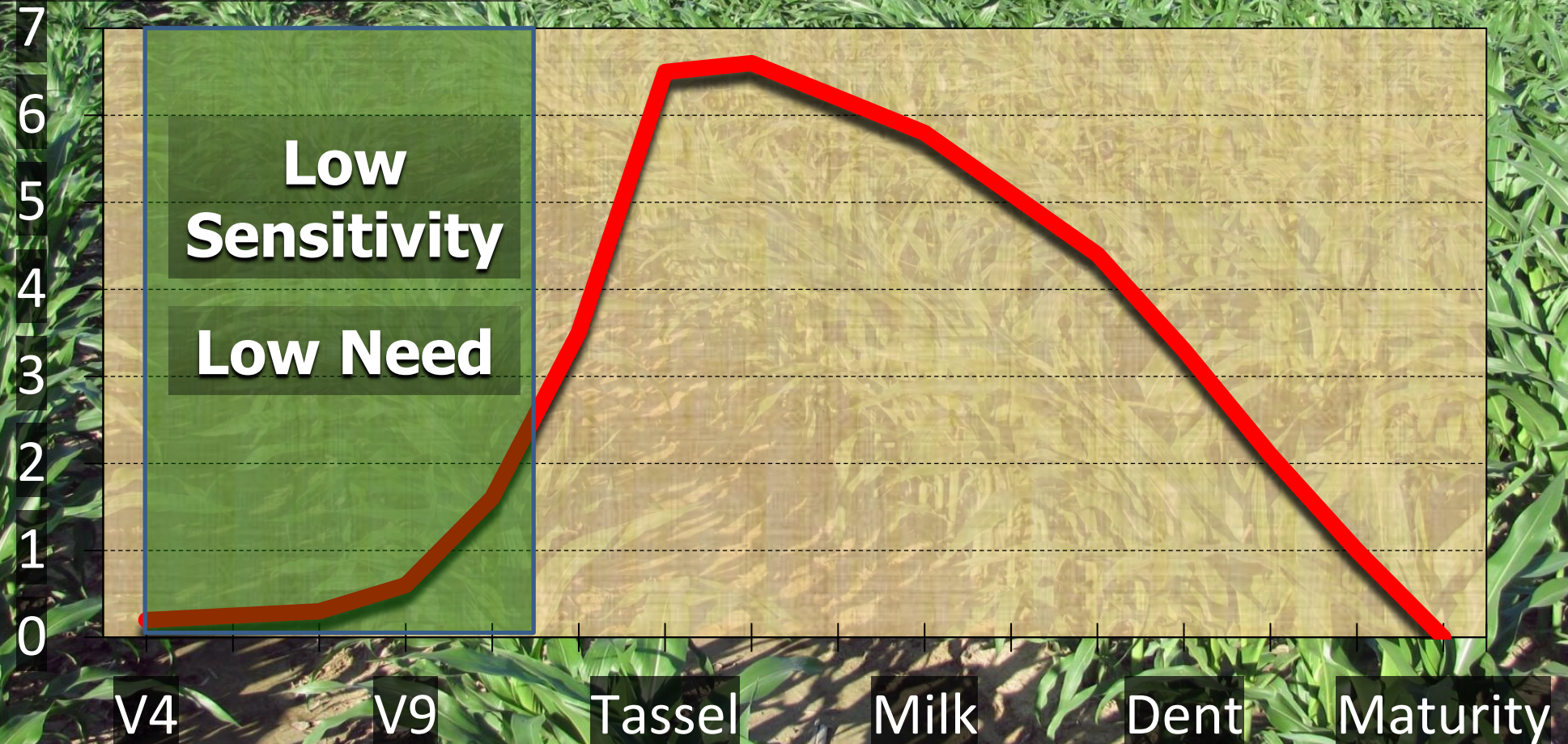


Corn Seasonal Water Use



Corn Sensitivity to Water Deficit

% Yield loss per day



Kernel Rows per Ear

Corn Hybrid Demo (2014 - 2022)

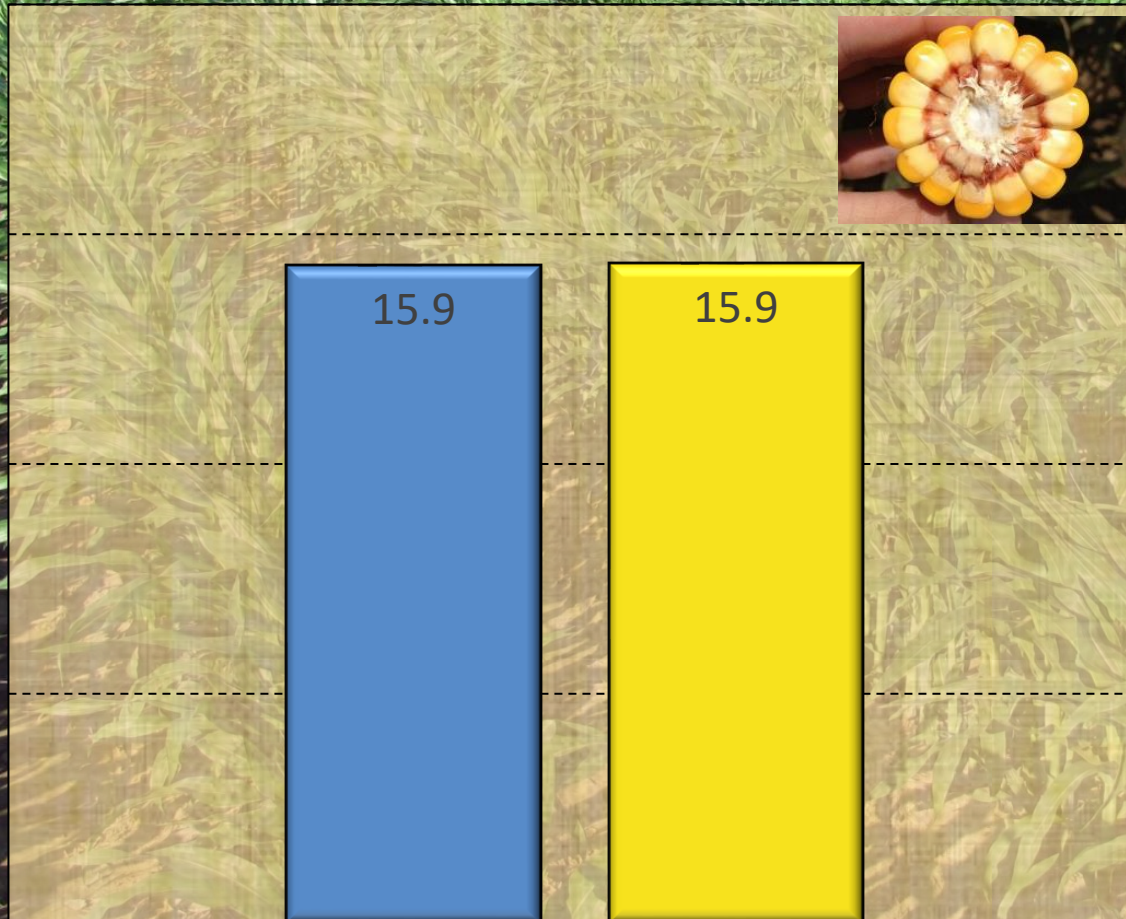
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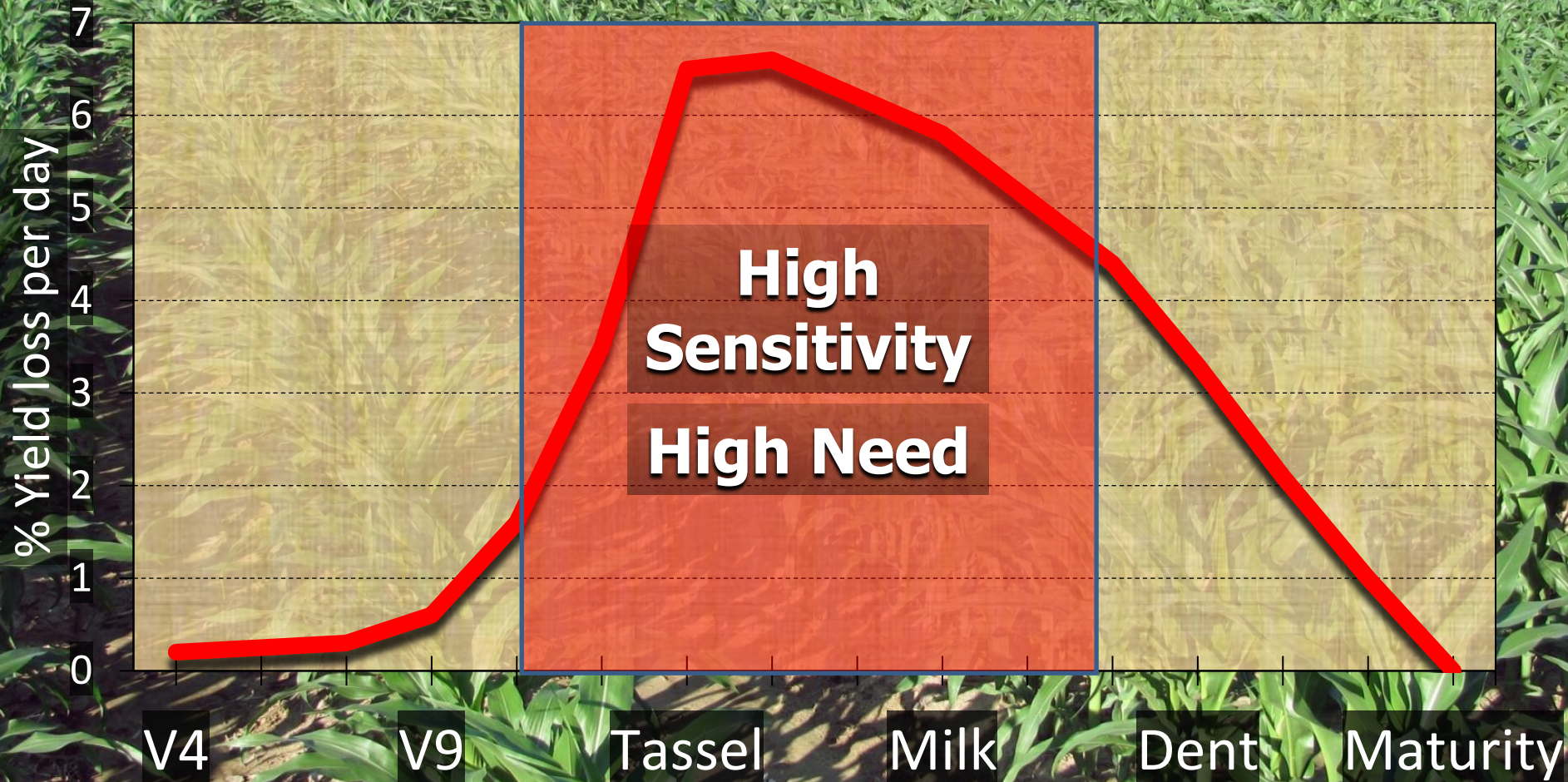


 Irrigated
 Dryland

Pollination



Need during early reproductive stages



Kernel Abortion



Evaluating Disease Threat



Estimated Corn Yield Loss (%) Due to Defoliation

Corn Growth Stage	Percent Leaf Area Defoliated									
	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100
Late Dough	0	1	2	5	9	13	18	23	27	32
Dent Stage	0	0	2	4	7	10	14	17	20	23
1/3 Milk-line	0	0	1	3	5	7	9	11	13	15
2/3 Milk-line	0	0	0	0	1	3	5	6	7	8
Physiological Maturity	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Adapted from the National Crop Insurance Service's "Corn Loss Instructions."



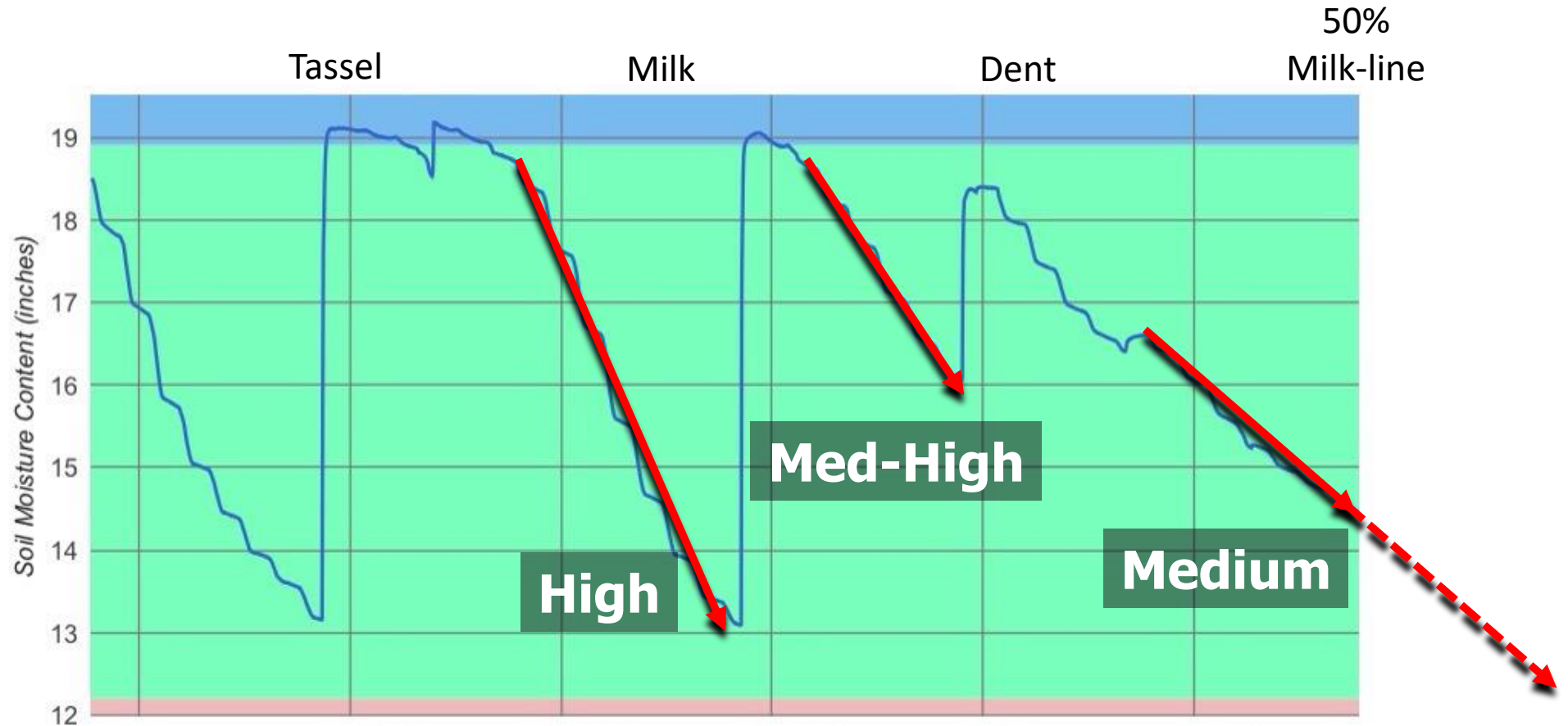
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Less Sensitive during Late Grain Fill

% Yield loss per day



Reproductive Corn Water Needs



Questions?

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