

Crop Disease Management Focus on Peanut

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Climate can have impacts on the crops yield potential



Data from: Olatinwo RO, Paz JO, Kemerait Jr. RC, Culbreath AK, Hoogenboom G. 2010. El Niño-Southern Oscillation (ENSO): impact on tomato spotted wilt intensity in peanut and the implication on yield. *Crop Protection* 29: 448-453.



Each crop will have a different response to climate and weather.



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Preseason inputs can be made based on these expected yield potentials.

Should I spray a fungicide?

- 1. Decide early what you might want to spray in 2017
- 2. Determine yield savings needed for the products

Target Spot of Cotton



Cotton expected to have a higher yield in a neutral climate phase.



~ 6% difference from the average

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Multistate trials indicate ~ 6% increase is possible when:



- 1. Susceptible cultivar
- 2. Rank canopy growth
- 3. Disease develops
- 4. Optimal environment
- 5. Only 1 spray



Is a 6% increase enough?

- If you expect 2 bales of cotton per acre:
 - -~60 lb increase per acre
 - at 75 cents that is \$45 per acre gain
 - fungicide cost alone is ~ \$13 per acre



The **return is ~\$32 per acre** not including application costs. Will this be enough?

CottonUS.org

Climate data is meant to assist with management, especially preseason.

Scouting and monitoring

The pathogen identification is critical to proper management.

Products vary in their disease control

Leaf spot individual product trials

- Group 3 (Tebuconazole, Propiconazole, Alto)
- Group 11 (Azoxystrobin and Pyraclostrobin)
- Group 7 (Penthiopyrad)
- Planting date: 6/9/16
- Variety: Georgia-06G

Early leaf spot was the predominate foliar pathogen.

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Citra Leaf Incidence Data 2016

Qol fungicides did not do well when ELS is predominate.

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2016 Citra Data

DMI had less control when LLS was predominate, but products varied.

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The dominate pathogen varies across Florida, so scouting is important.

2015 Yield Data

Avoid using Qols alone, unless looking for rust control.

Azoxystrobin

- Weak LLS
- Weak ELS
- Strong Rust

Pyraclostrobin

- Moderate LLS
- Weak ELS
- Strong Rust

Headline

Fungicide

Aproach™	
GROUP	11

DMIs (if available) should also have a good leaf spot mixing partner.

Propiconazole

- Weak LLS
- Strong ELS
- Mod./Strong Rust

PropiMax[®]

FUNGICIDE

"il+®

EC

Tebuconazole

- Weak LLS
- Strong ELS
- Moderate Rust

STRATEGO

Fungicide

SUNDER BUILD PLAN

Gallons

Provost® and Alto® (FRAC 3) can perform better but...

- Provost different results in 2016 trials
 - Low white mold in trials
 - Provost®Opti new formulation
 - Expect 10.7 fl oz/A rate in 2017

- Alto is not consistent
 - Resistance has been reported before
 - Mixing partner will be important
 - Bravo and Topsin
 - Abound is promising

Rotating modes of action key to disease control when resistance is present.

Rotating fungicide MOAs, increases the likelihood of a yield savings.

~ 900 lb/A increase for each FRAC # added

However, net returns tend to max out at 3 modes of action.

Cultivar selection is critical to determining what and how many fungicides to use.

Cultivar choice can determine the appropriate spray program.

Planting Dates:	Cultivars		
4/30 and 6/5 - 2014	Georgia-06G	TUFRunner 511	
5/11 - 2016	Florida 07	UF15302	
	FloRun 107	FloRun157	
	TUFRunner727	TUFRunner297	

Days After Planting

	31	40	48	62	76	91	105	112	118
4 Sprays	E	cho 720 @ 1.5 pt/a		TebuStar @ 7.2 fl oz/a + Echo 720 1 pt/a		Abound 2.08SC @ 18 fl oz/a + Echo 720 1 pt/a		TebuStar @ 7.2 fl oz/a + Echo 720 1 pt/a	
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Yield differences between 5 & 7 sprays were not significant with low to mod. disease.

Low white mold; Leaf spot max defoliation ~50%

However, with high disease all fungicide spray numbers separated significantly.

Low white mold; Leaf spot max defoliation ~99%

Certain varieties can maintain high yields in a reduced spray program.

TUFRunner 727 and FL-07 total yields more than 4,700 lb/A at 5 sprays.

Based on 3 years of research the cultivars can be separated into 2 categories

Low impact from spray reduction

- FloRun 331*
- Florida 07
- TUFRunner 727

High(er) impact from spray reduction

- Georgia 06G
- TUFRunner 511
- TUFRunner 297
- FloRun 107

Early leaf spot was the primary pathogen present.

* Only 1 year's worth of data

Peanut Rx provides risk information about varieties related to the whole Southeast.

Peanut Variety

Variety ¹	Spotted Wilt Points	Leaf Spot Points	Soilborne Disease Points White mold
Bailey ³	10	15	10
Florida-07 ²	10	20	15
Florida Fancy ²	25	20	20
FloRun [™] '107 ²	20	25	20
FloRun [™] '157' ^{1,2}	25	25	20
Georgia-06G	10	20	20
Georgia-07W	10	20	15
Georgia-09B ²	20	25	25
Georgia-12Y⁵	5	15	10
Georgia-13M ^{1,2}	10	30	25
Georgia-14N ^{1,2,4}	10	15	15
Georgia Green	30	20	25
Sullivan ^{1,2}	10	20	15
Tifguard ⁴	10	15	15
TUFRunner [™] '297' ^{1,2}	10	25	20
TUFRunner [™] '511' ²	20	30	15

http://www.gapeanuts.com/growerinfo/2017_ugapeanutupdate.pdf

2016 General Fungicide Trial Observations

- 6th year of continuous peanuts
 - Inoculated with White Mold 2011 and 2012
 - Inoculated with Rhizoctonia 2012
- Planting date: 5/16
- Harvest date: 10/16
- Variety: Georgia-06G

Velum®Total provided some disease benefits, but focus use as nematicide.

Elatus continues to perform well and new compound shows promise for leaf spots.

Provost®Opti performed better than generic sprays & similar to Priaxor.

Chemical diversity, timing & number of sprays all important for disease management.

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2012-2016 On-Farm Evaluation of Fungicide Programs for Peanut Disease Control in Hamilton County, Florida

Questions?

Please Stay On Trail

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