

The 'Other' Pests: Progress in Managing Weeds, Mollusks, and Vertebrates for Small Farms

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Pitahaya or Dragon Fruit




Scouting Tools





Apps

- BASF Weed ID App
 - Made for UK
 - Can use to map weeds and take notes



<http://cybertracker.org/>

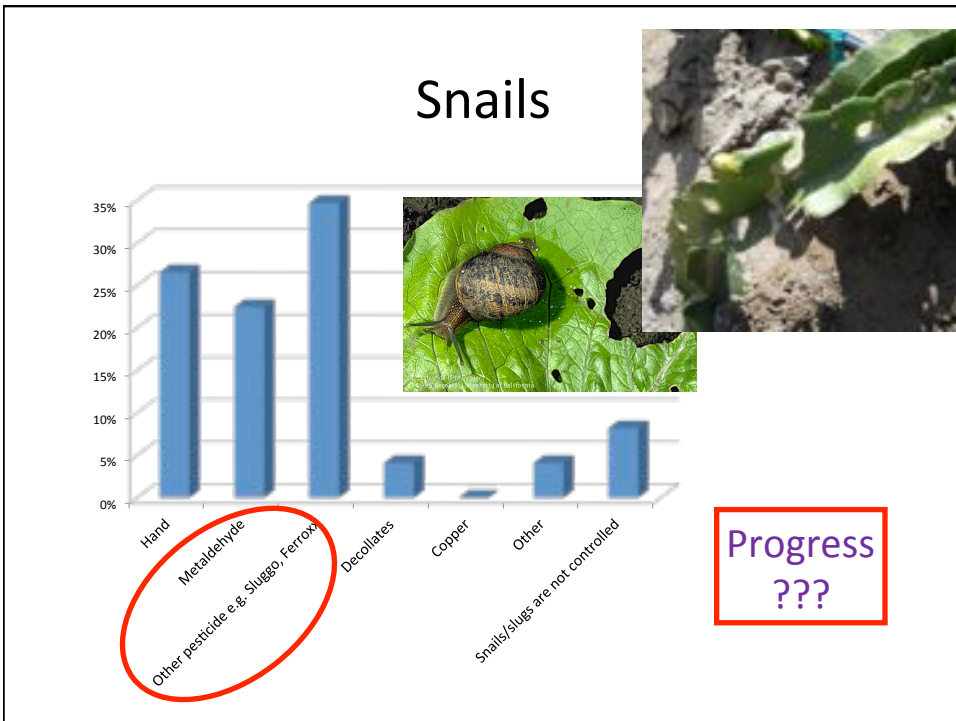
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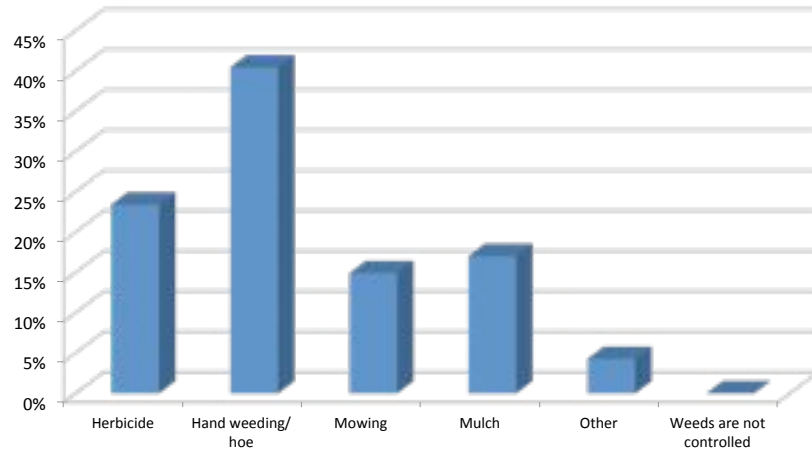
The 3 Pest Types that Cause the Most Problems



Snails



Weed Management



Progress for Small Farmers



Limitations for Small Farmers



Bird Damage





Progress for bird IPM

Netting

~\$1300-\$4,000/A








Netting 100 14' x 100' Premium PollyNet \$210.95
Lnetting 100 17' x 100' Lightweight PollyNet \$110.95

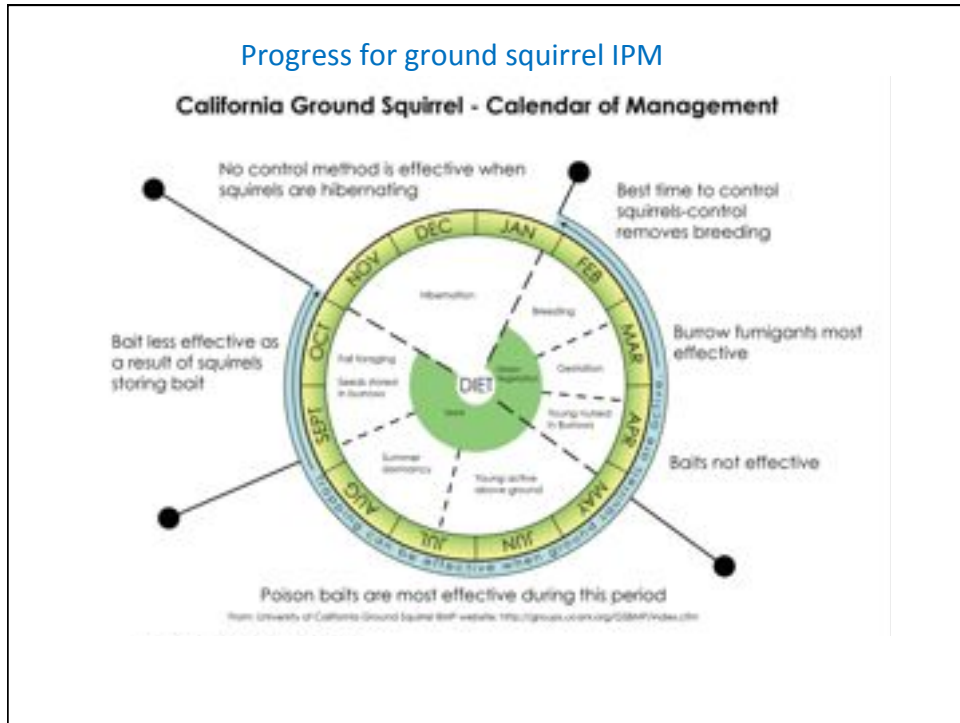


Netting bags
(paint strainers)



Rodents





Small Farmers Specialty Crop

- Limited information
- Limited products
- Opportunity to manage production methods as large component of IPM
- Opportunity to have growers implement IPM as “common practice”



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Natural Environment Pests

Exotic & Invasive Pests

What's New

- Green Bellini: August 2014
- New release in Spanish: Common Garden Insects and their control
- Ag Pest Management: Using Alternatives, Biocontrols, & IPM
- Pest Data: Spottedwing Flies: Update, Economic, Resistance, Risk, Control, and Distribution
- Bug Alerts: Insecticide Use Risk and Control of Insecticide
- Quick Start: Turfgrass: Organic Composites, Leaf Beetles and

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