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SWNY Field Grop Finds

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Pheromone Trap Data

	BCW Cherry Creek	BCW Humphrey	TAW Brant	TAW Almond
5/13/2024	0	N/A	52	1
5/20/2024	0	N/A	25	2
5/28/2024	1	N/A	4	1
6/3/2024	1	N/A	4	0
6/10/2024	0	N/A	0	0
6/17/2024	0	1	1	0
6/25/2024	0	6	0	1

BCW = Black Cutworm TAW = True Armyworm

Moth counts remain low this week. BCW lures were replaced with Western Bean Cutworm and TAW were replaced with Fall Armyworm to track through the end of the season.

<u>Timeline for XtendiMax, Engenia and</u> <u>Tavium Registrations</u>

- Stocks of XtendiMax, Engenia and Tavium herbicides for OTT applications in Xtend or XtendFlex soybean on hand before February 6th can be sold and distributed through May 31st.
- The last day to legally make postemergence applications of these products is Sunday, June 30th.
- The NY registrations for all of these products expires on July 31st, 2024.

Its Time to Scout for Soybean Aphids

Soybean aphids exhibit two seperate emergence periods. The first aphids come from buckthorn plants that overwintered in mid-June. The second wave usually arrives late-June to mid-July on southerly storms. Weekly field monitoring should begin to monitor populations. Check 20-30 plants per field, examining the whole plant, but focusing on new growth. Treatment threshold is 250 aphids per plant, but this can vary depending on the size of the plants and any stresses such as drought. While it may be tempting to throw in an insecticide for "insurance" purposes, an application will kill many beneficial insects and may cause a resurgence of other pests.



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