



Modern Apple Scab Management

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- Cultural Practices -

High-Infection Orchard

- Reduce scab spore dose in leaf litter
 - Promote microbial degrading: urea 40 lb/A urea (100 gal / A)
 - 2.5 ton / A of lime
 - Flail mow

Low-Infection Orchard

- Late leaf infections important source of inoculum
 - Asses 600 shoots (less or more than 53 leaves)

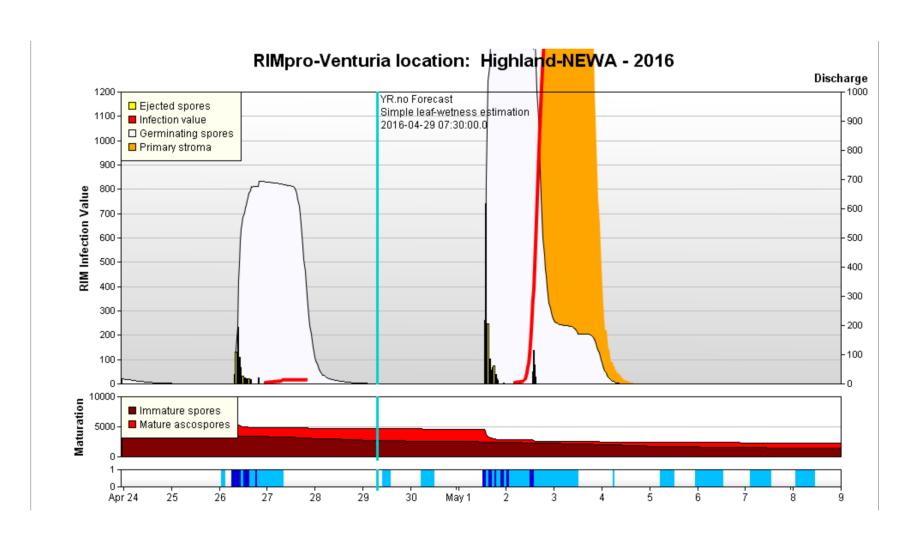
- Models -

- Timing prediction models
 - NEWA
 - RIMpro

RIMpro

- Biofix first ascospore discharge or GT
- Models biological development of apple scab (ascospore maturity, spore release, infection)
- From biofix to end of ascospore release
- Uses Norwegian world weather forecast
- Predicts when infections a likely 10 days ahaed
- Forecast updated 15 min

- RIMpro Graph -



Graph

 NOTE: The red curved line labeled as "infection value" in the largest, top graph represents RIM-values which can be interpreted as the percentage of the total season's ascospores that are likely to cause infection in any given event multiplied by 100. Thus, a RIM value of 1000 would indicate that 10% of the total season's ascospore probably caused infections during that event.

- Alternate Fungicides of Different MOA -

Main FRAC Groups:

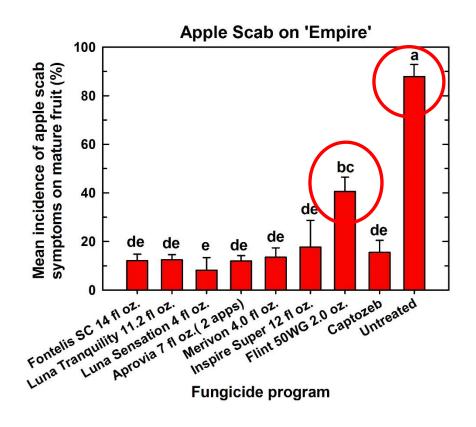
- DMI (3)
- Qol (11)
- SDHI (7)
- AP (9)
- M3, M4 (Multisite: phthalimides, dithio-carbamates)
- MBC (1) thiophanate
- Guanidines (U12) dodine



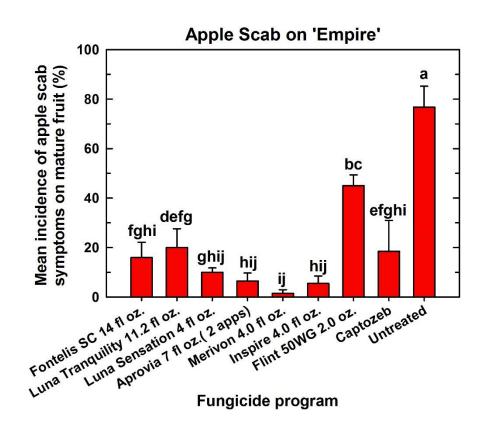
- Fungicides -

Chemical Control

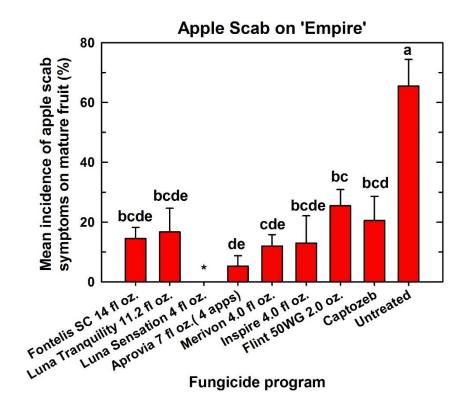
- SDHI: Luna Sensation (+QoI), Aprovia, Sercadis, Merivon,
- Qol-s: Flint, Sovran, Cabrio
- DMI-s: Inspire Super (+AP), Indar
- Pyrimidines: Vangard, Scala
- Multi site: Captan, Manzate, Koverall, Penncozeb
- Kick-back, protectant, systemic, local-systemic
- Rotate with unrelated fungicides (3-4 per year)
- Tank mix Qol + captan for visible scab lesions
- Captozeb



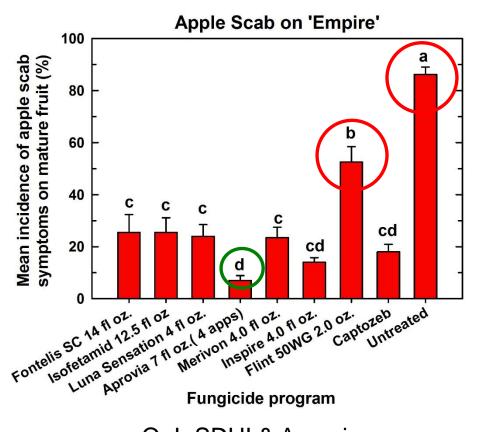
- SDHIs & QoI+SDHI premixes = Excellent
 - Practical resistance Flint



Aprovia most consistent control



- QoI+SDHI & Aprovia
 - Merivon great



QoI+SDHI & Aprovia

Practical resistance to Qol fungicides high: Merivon & Luna Sensation still unaffected

General philosophy:

- GT: copper
- Then 2 or more manzate sprays (depending on weather)
- PK: manzate + Inspire Super (or Flint, Luna Sensation, include product with activity for powdery mildew also)
- Bloom: manzate (depending on the rain and residue lasting)
- PF: fungicide mix (include product with activity for powdery mildew also)
- FC: fungicide mix
- Covers (bare in mind the 77 days PHI limitation for manzate, so switch from manzate to captan according to the estimated time of harvest)

Thank you!

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