



# Managing Canker Diseases in Grapevine

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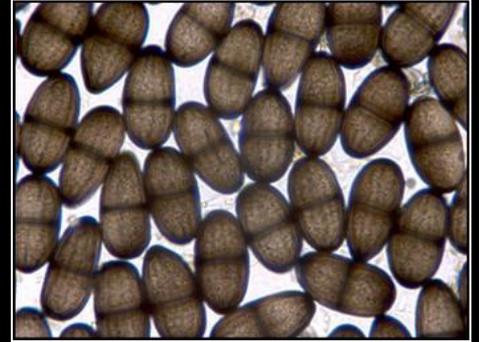
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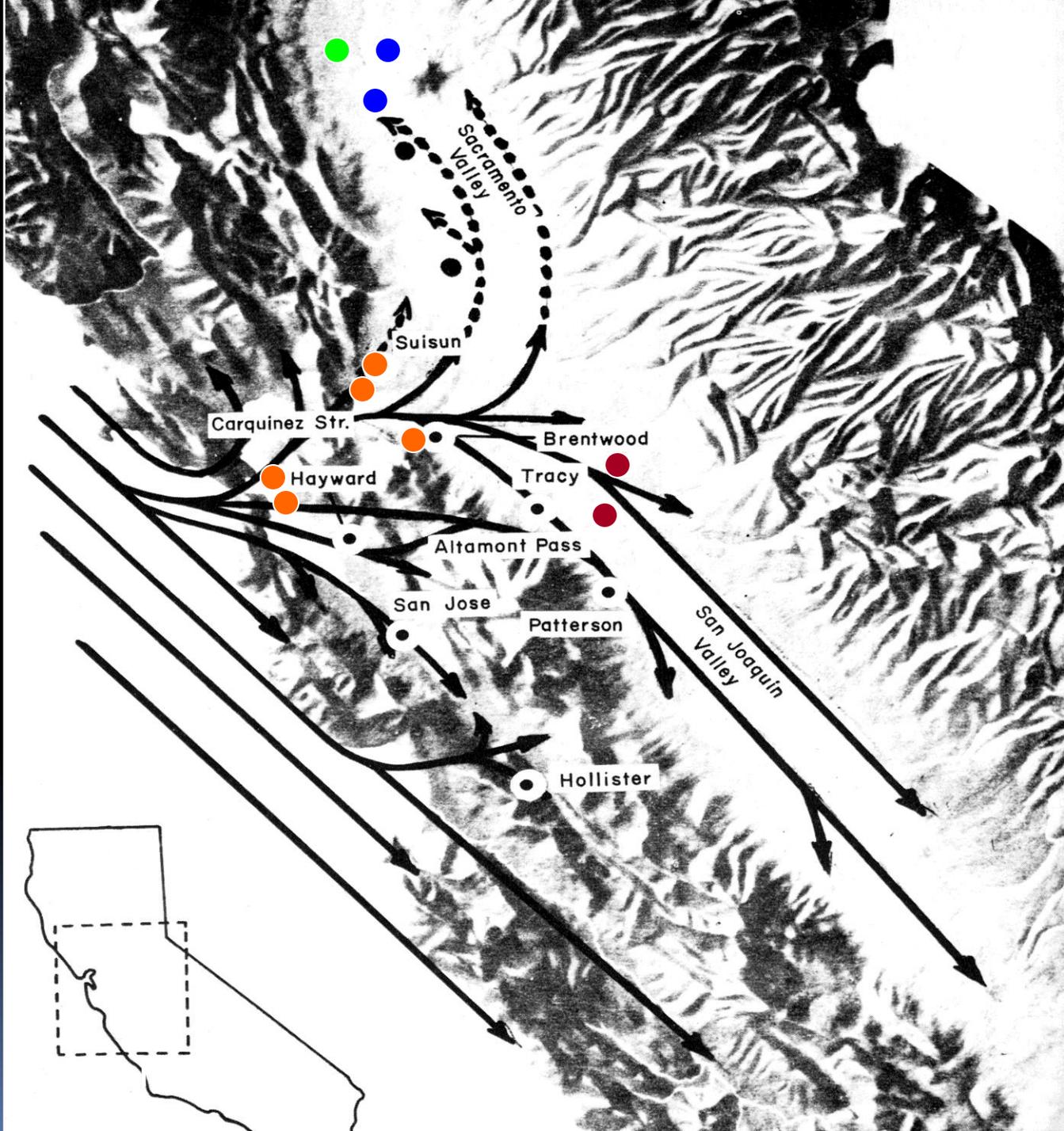
“Bot Canker”  
Disease Cycle

Blockage of vascular system

# Inoculum sources for *Eutypa lata*

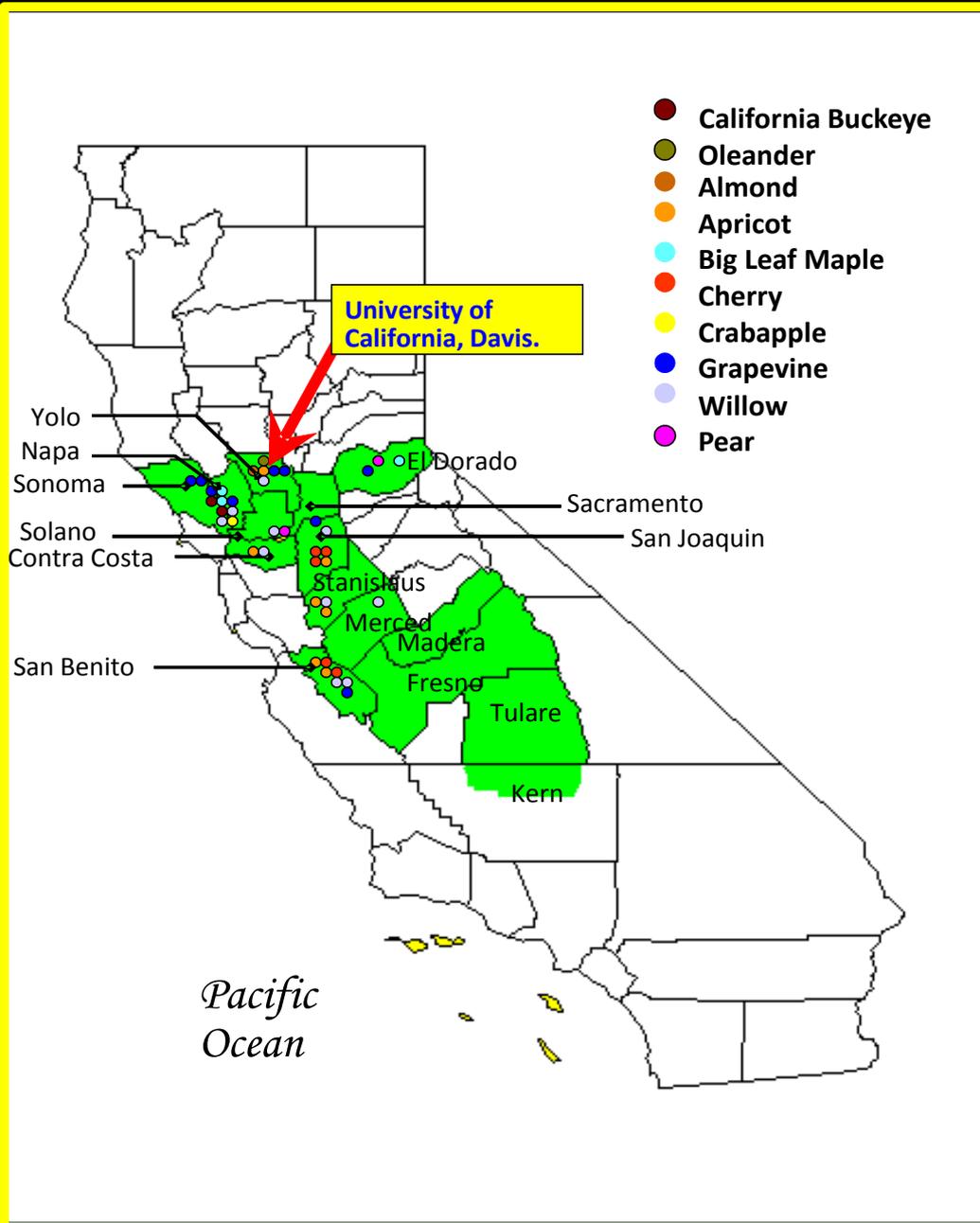
More findings:  
Sacramento, San Joaquin,  
and Yolo Counties

- Apricot
- Cherry
- Grapevine
- Almond



## Survey for *E. lata*:

Geographical distribution and host range of the perithecial stage of the pathogen *E. lata* in California.



# Eutypa dieback Canker





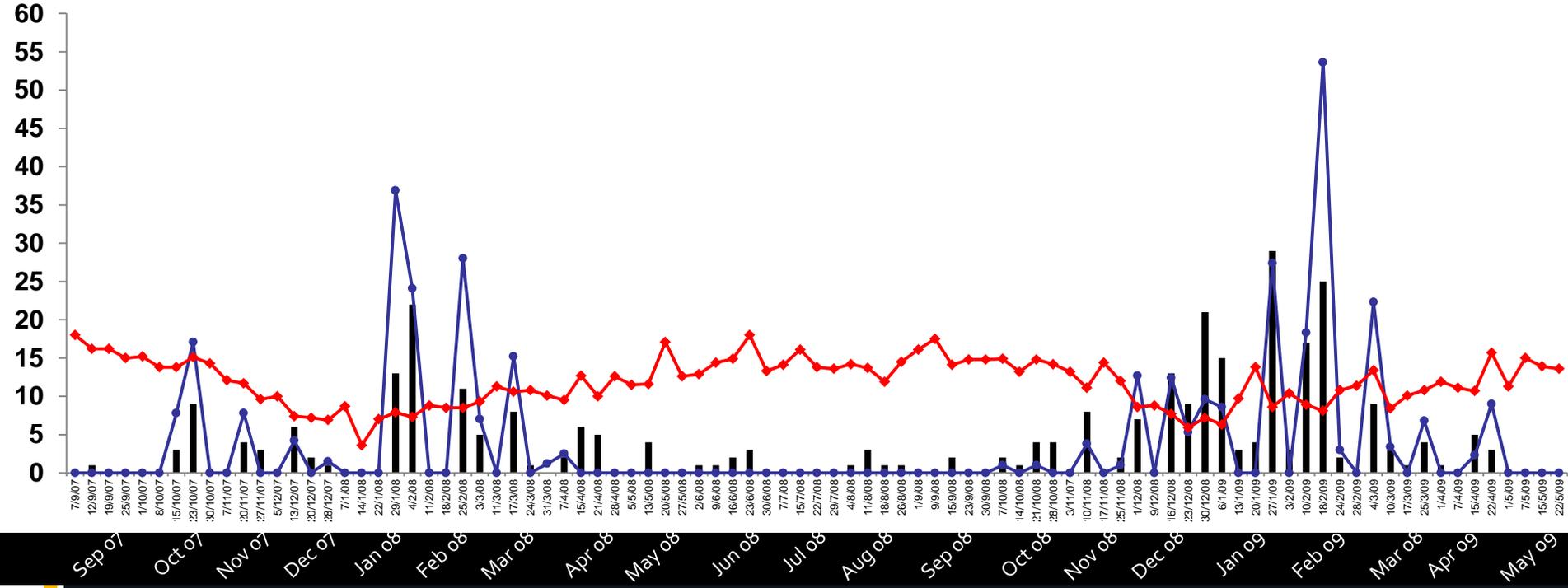
**BOTRYOSPHERIA PYCNIDIA FOUND IN CALIFORNIA  
GRAPEVINES.**



- Pycnidia of *Lasiodiplodia theobromae* found in Coachella Valley grapevines.

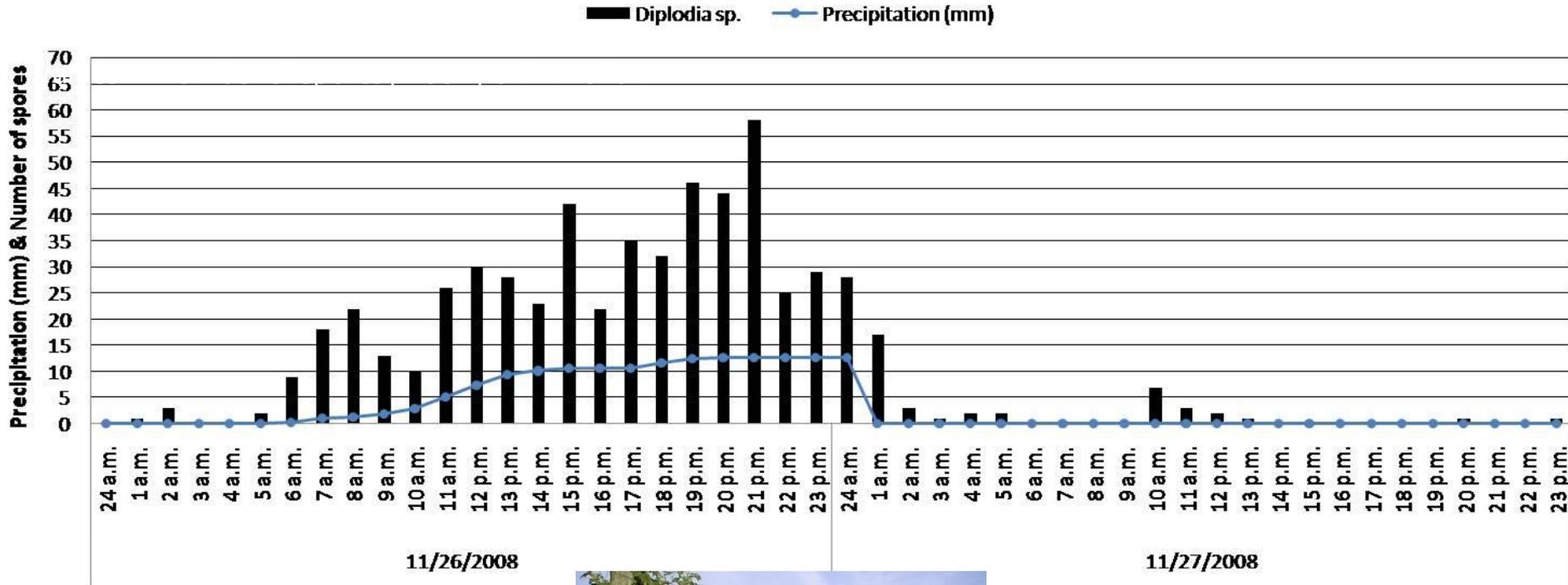
# Waseline slides spore trapping results in Monterey County

■ Bot spores    ●- Precipitation (mm)    ◆- Temperature (C)



Bot spores values = Total spores / 2 ml of H<sub>2</sub>O

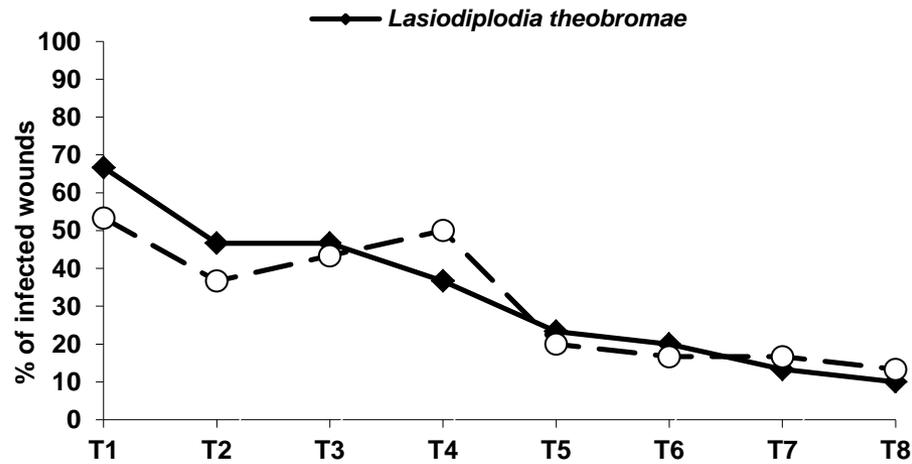
# Volumetric spore trapping results in Monterey County from midnight October 26<sup>th</sup> to midnight October 27<sup>th</sup>, 2008



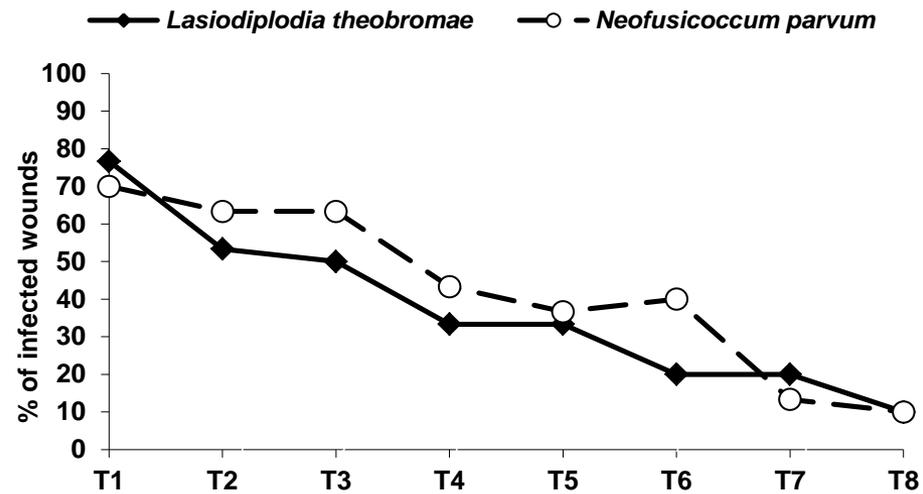


# Chardonnay 2008-2009 Time Course Inoc

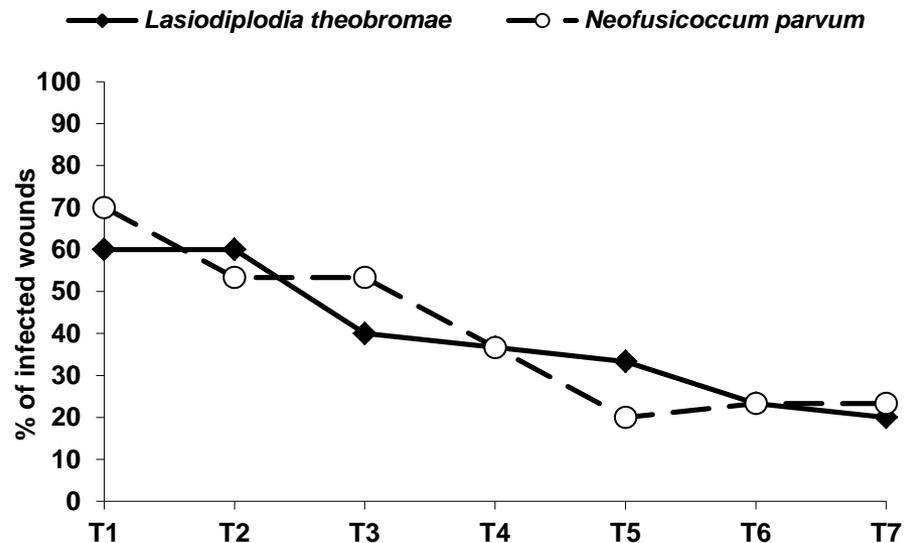
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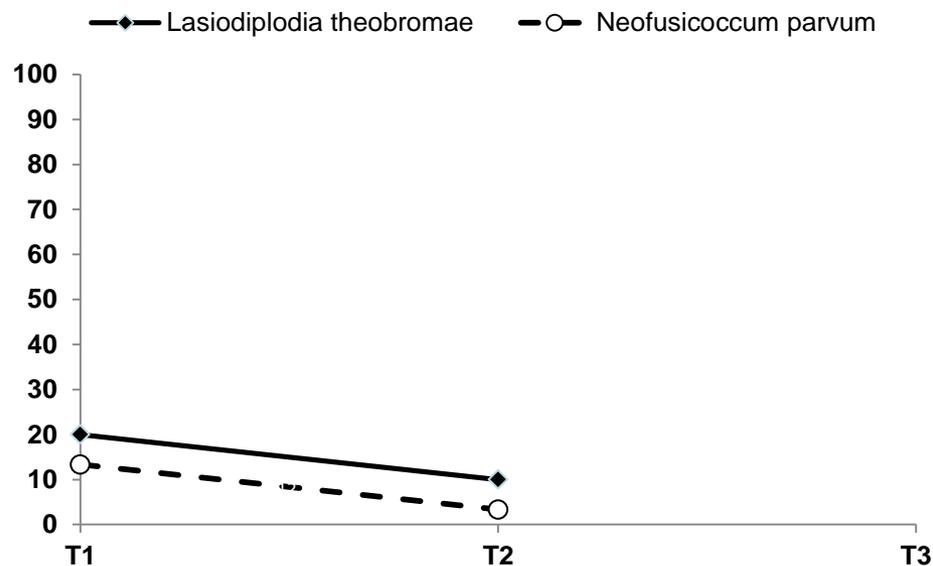


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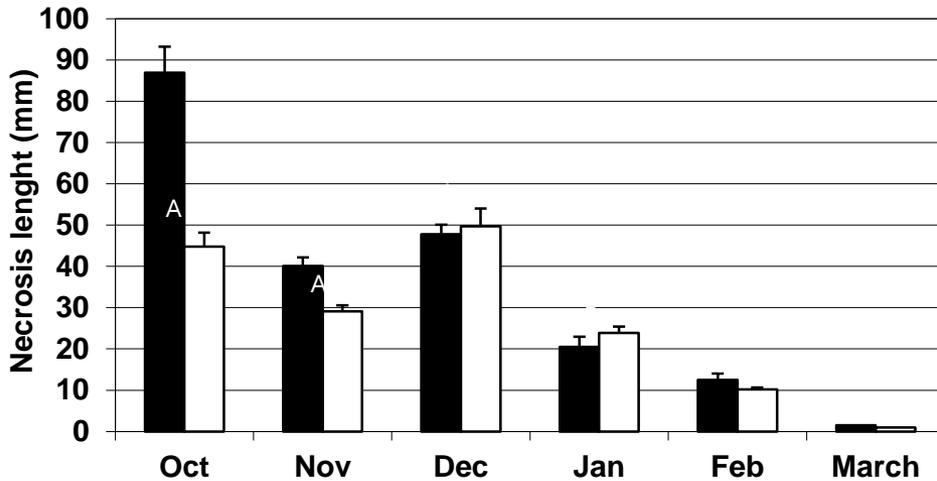
February

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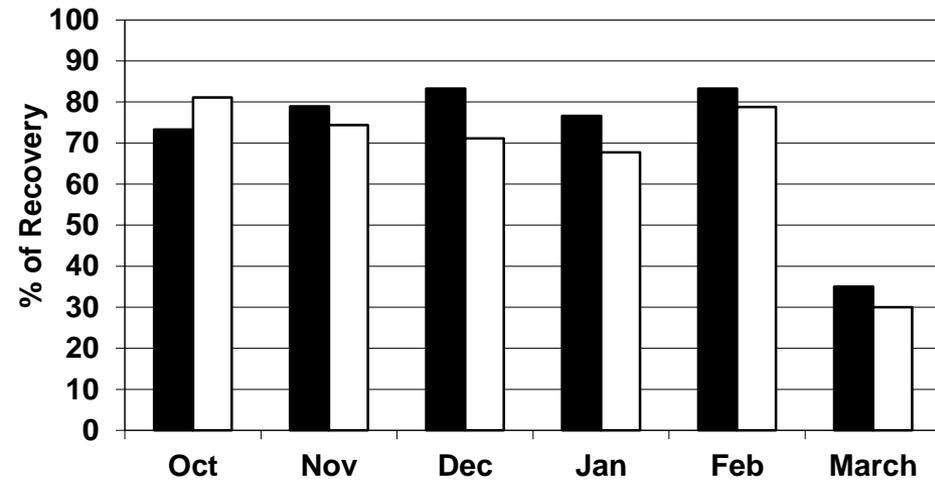


# Susceptibility of wood-Chardonnay 20072008

■ *Lasiodiplodia theobromae* □ *Neofusicoccum parvum*

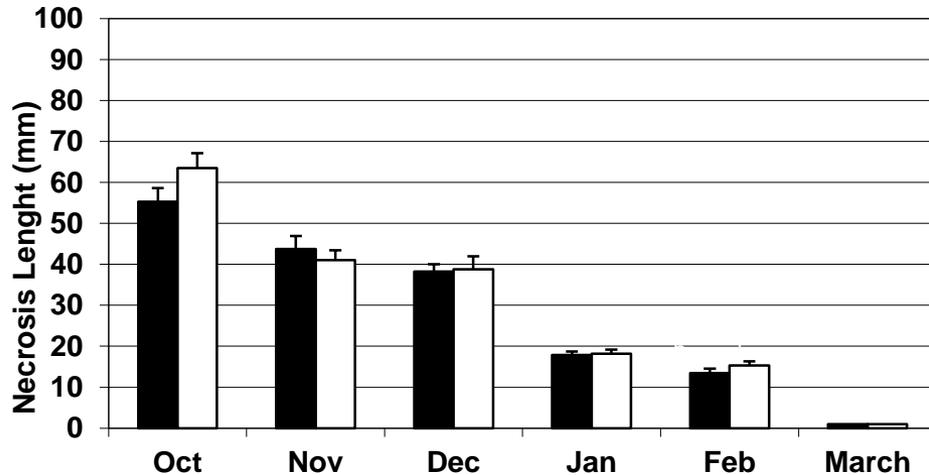


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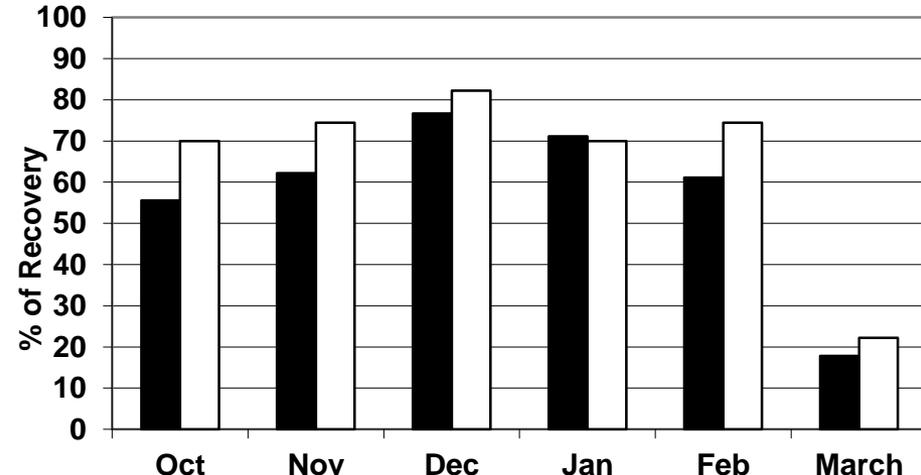


# Susceptibility of wood-Cabernet Sauvignon

■ *Lasiodiplodia theobromae* □ *Neofusicoccum parvum*



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# Cultural Control

## ➤ Cultural

- Retraining from cordon or trunk
- Late pruning
  - Mid to late February-early March
  - Wounds less susceptible
  - Inoculum decreased
  - Wound healing is faster
- Double pruning (Weber et al. 2007. Am. J. Enol. Vitic. 58:61-66)
  - First pruning done with tractor mounted rotary saw
  - Second pruning done in late winter ( Feb-early March)
  - Allows large acreage to be pruned late due to speed of second pruning
  - Excellent efficiency & economics
  - Should give at least 90-95% control



# Double/Late Pruning

# Final pruning (2 buds) late February - early March





Canes Collected  
In March  
1000 canes / vineyard





PAK-TANK











# What are Effective Products Against Canker Pathogens?

- DMI's- some have activity against Eutypa (**Rally**)
- Strobilurins- no activity
- Benzimidazole- Excellent activity against all pathogens (**Topsin M**)
- B- excellent activity against Eutypa (**B-LOCK**)
- **Vitiseal** with or w/o **Rally + Topsin M**
  - **Paint**
  - **Spray (1: 9 dilution)**
- Biological's- good activity if on wound 2 weeks before inoculation (Trichoderma, Cladosporium)

# Control

- ❑ Double pruning or late pruning has been shown to be effective in significantly reducing infection by:  
Eutypa spp., Phaeo spp., and Botryosphaeriaceae spp.
- ❑ B-LOCK
- ❑ Vitiseal
- ❑ Currently Rally and Topsin M registered for tractor application
- ❑ Recommend Rally + Topsin in tank with non-ionic spreader i.e. Freeway/Pentra Bark
  - ❑ Application by machine is relatively fast and highly effective in control
  - ❑ Topsin M and Rally have been shown to be a good pruning wound protectants against Botryosphaeriaceae, Eutypa lata (Diatrypaceous), Pal and Pc infection



# Safecoat VitiSeal™

- Natural waterborne co-polymer emulsion with other NOP (National Organic Program) approved ingredients.
- It is marketed not as a unique crop management tool that creates a protective resistant barrier against the typical point of entry for wood canker disease pathogens including Eutypa, Botryosphaeria and Phaeo group.
- VitiSeal™ is applied either through painting, daubing or spraying directly over pruning cuts onto vines, trunks, and tree bases.
- The proprietary formulation is water based, environmentally safe containing no hazardous materials or HAPs (hazardous air pollutants), has no re-entry wait restrictions after treatment, and has been proven effective through multiple years of university research center testing.
- California Certified Organic Farms has been approving materials request forms for VitiSeal use by organic and biodynamic growers.



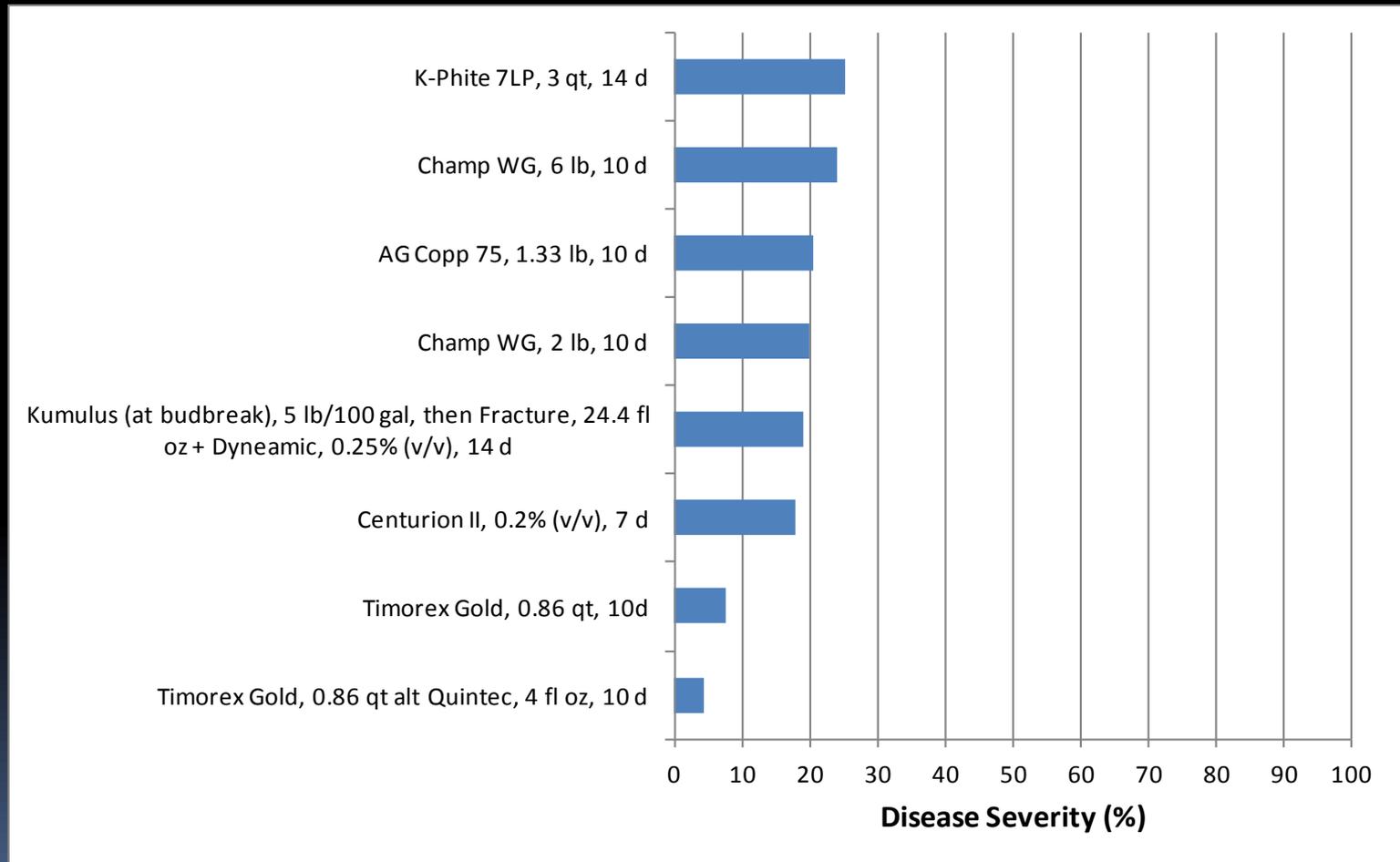
Vitiseal wet

A close-up photograph of a textured, brownish surface, likely a piece of wood or stone. The surface is covered in a dense, irregular pattern of small, raised, and recessed areas, giving it a rough, porous appearance. The color ranges from light tan to dark brown. On the right side, there is a dark, irregular shape that appears to be a shadow or a different material. The text "Vitiseal dry" is overlaid on the right side of the image.

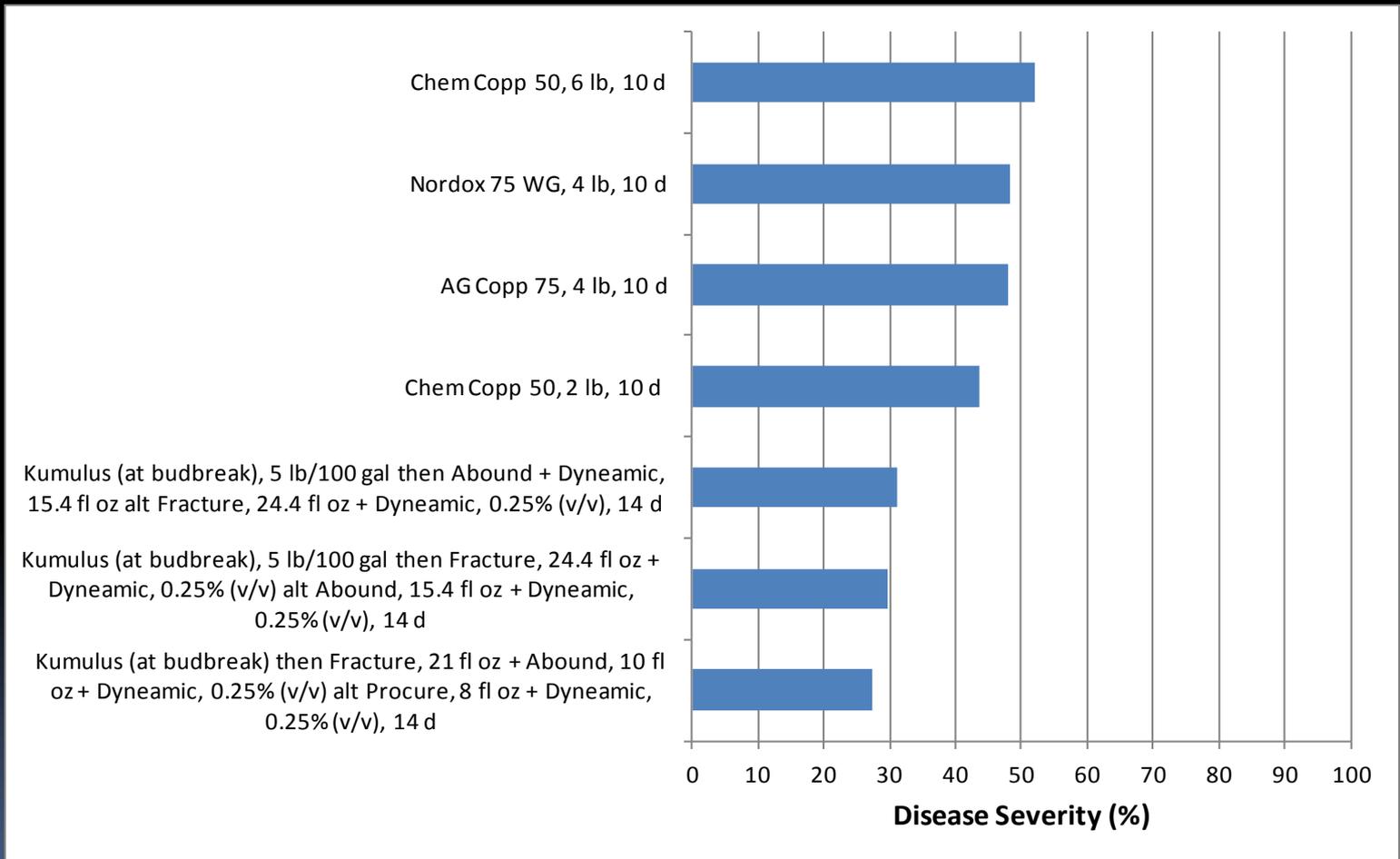
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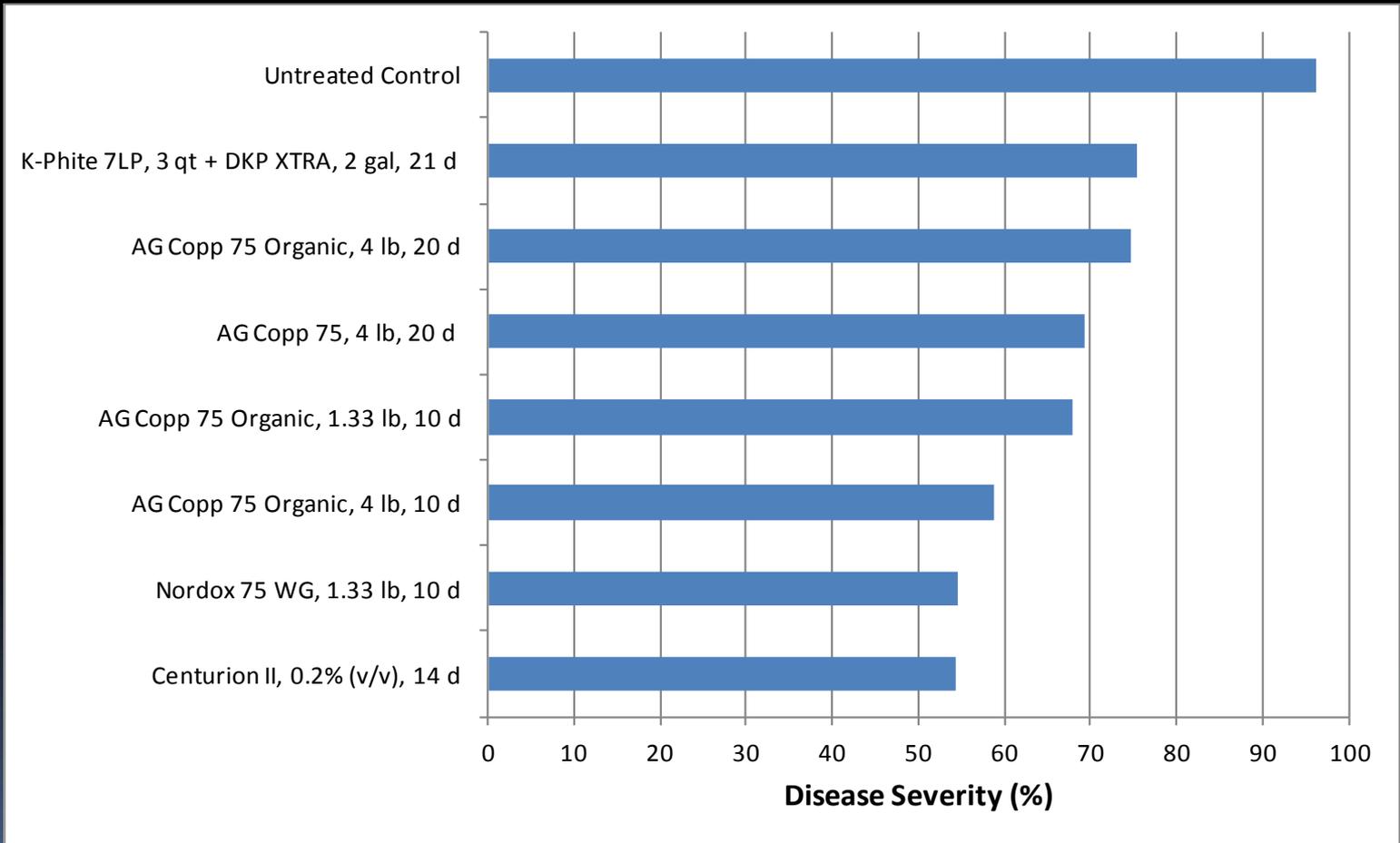
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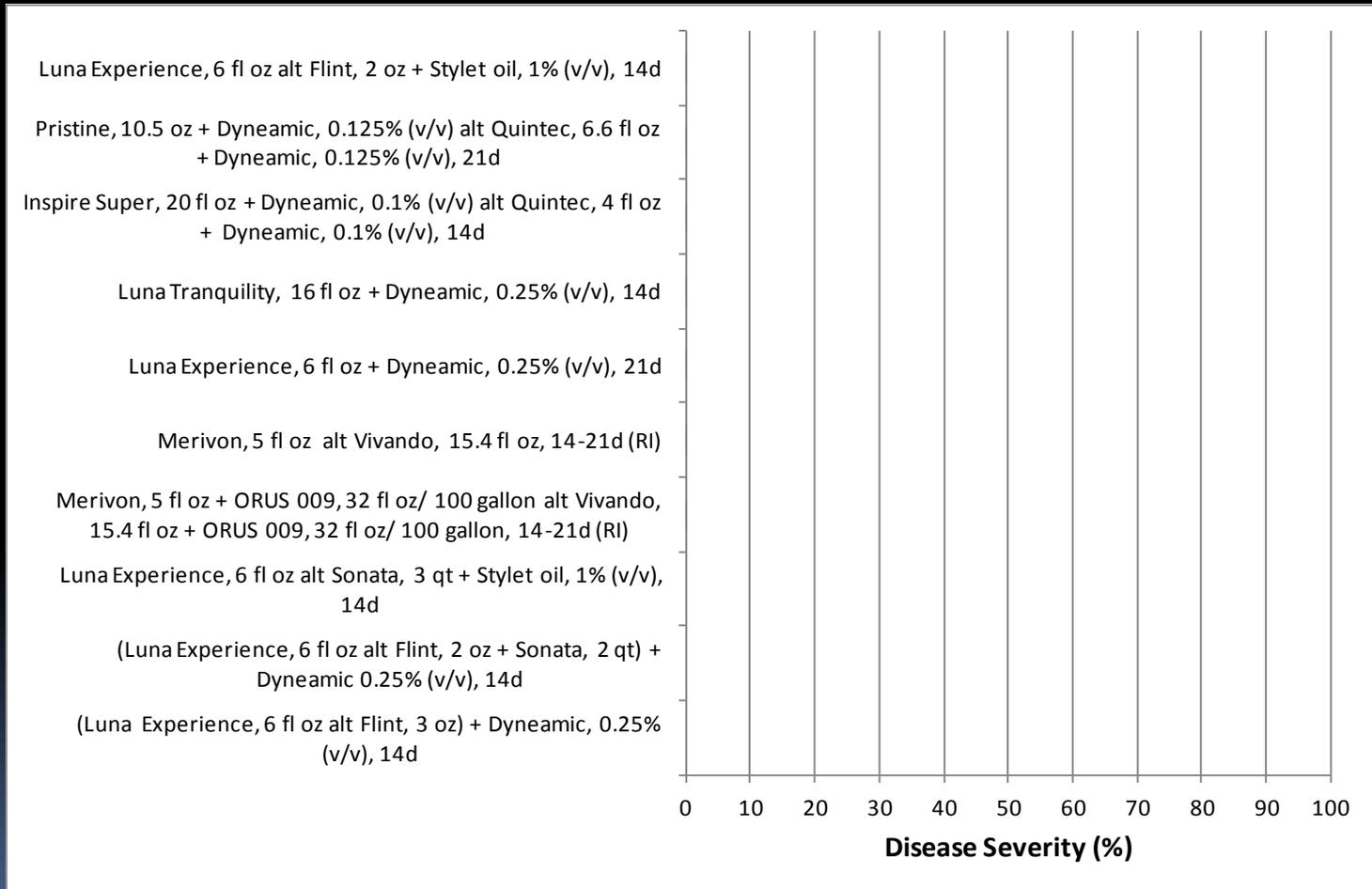
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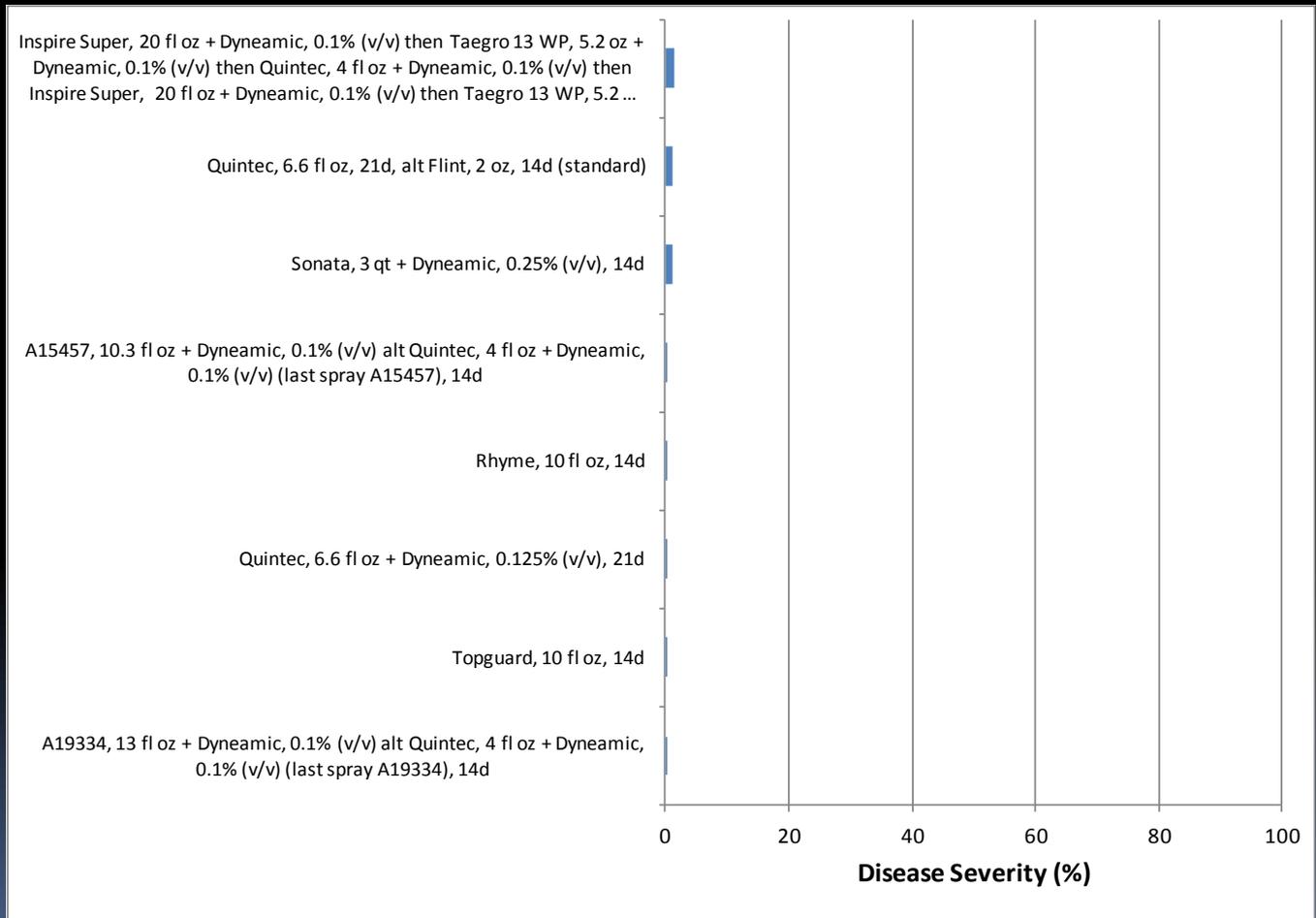
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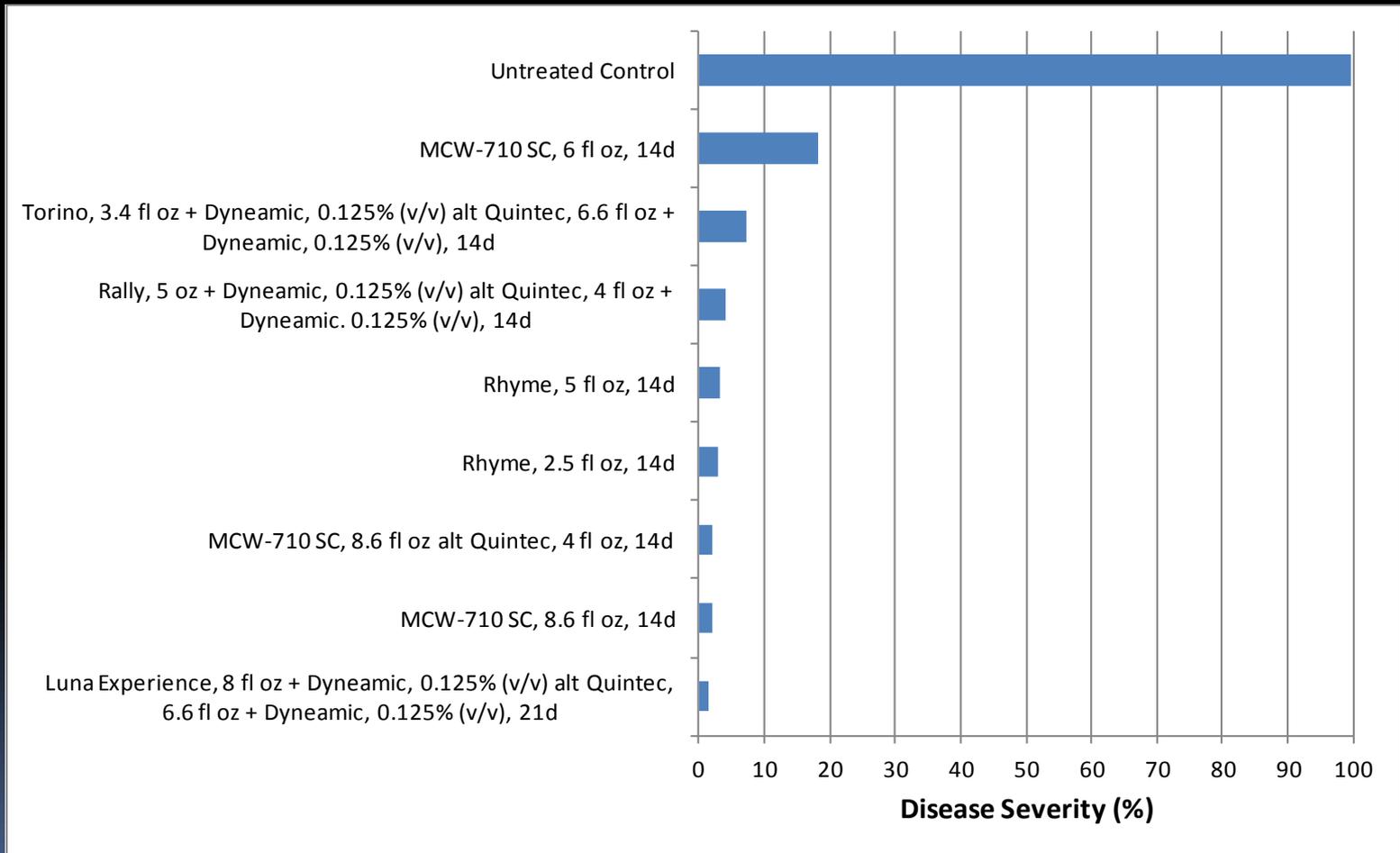
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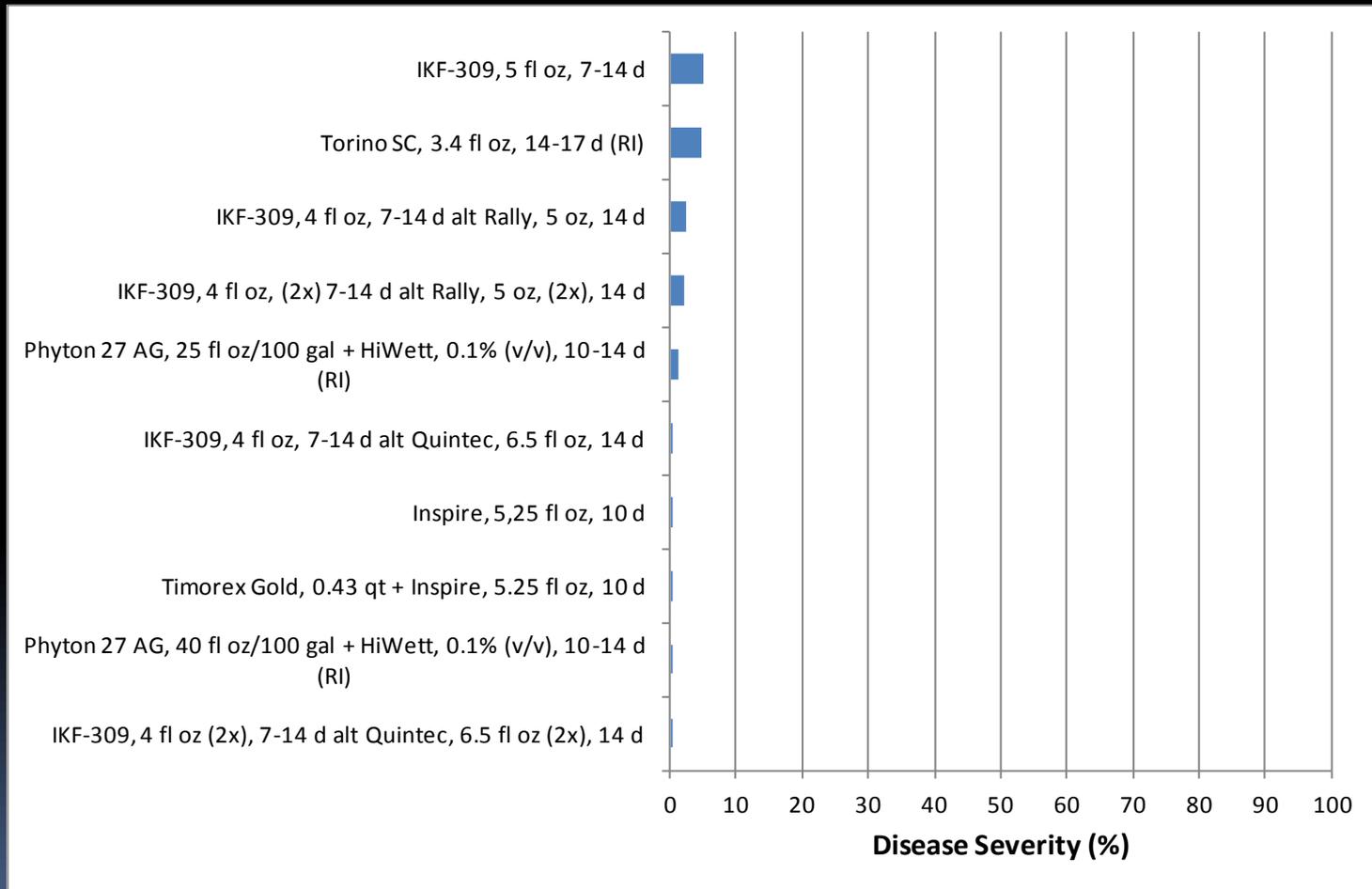
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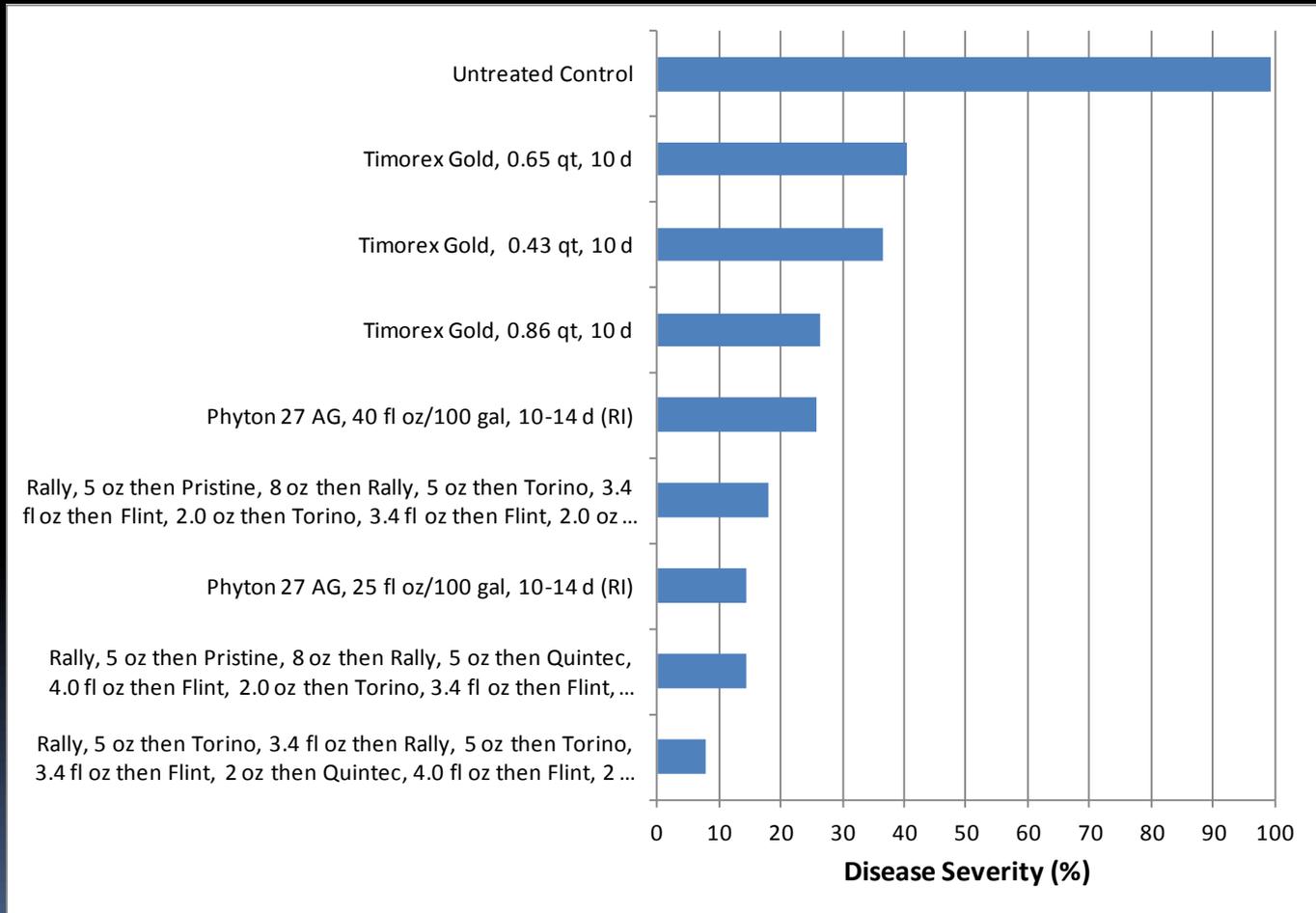
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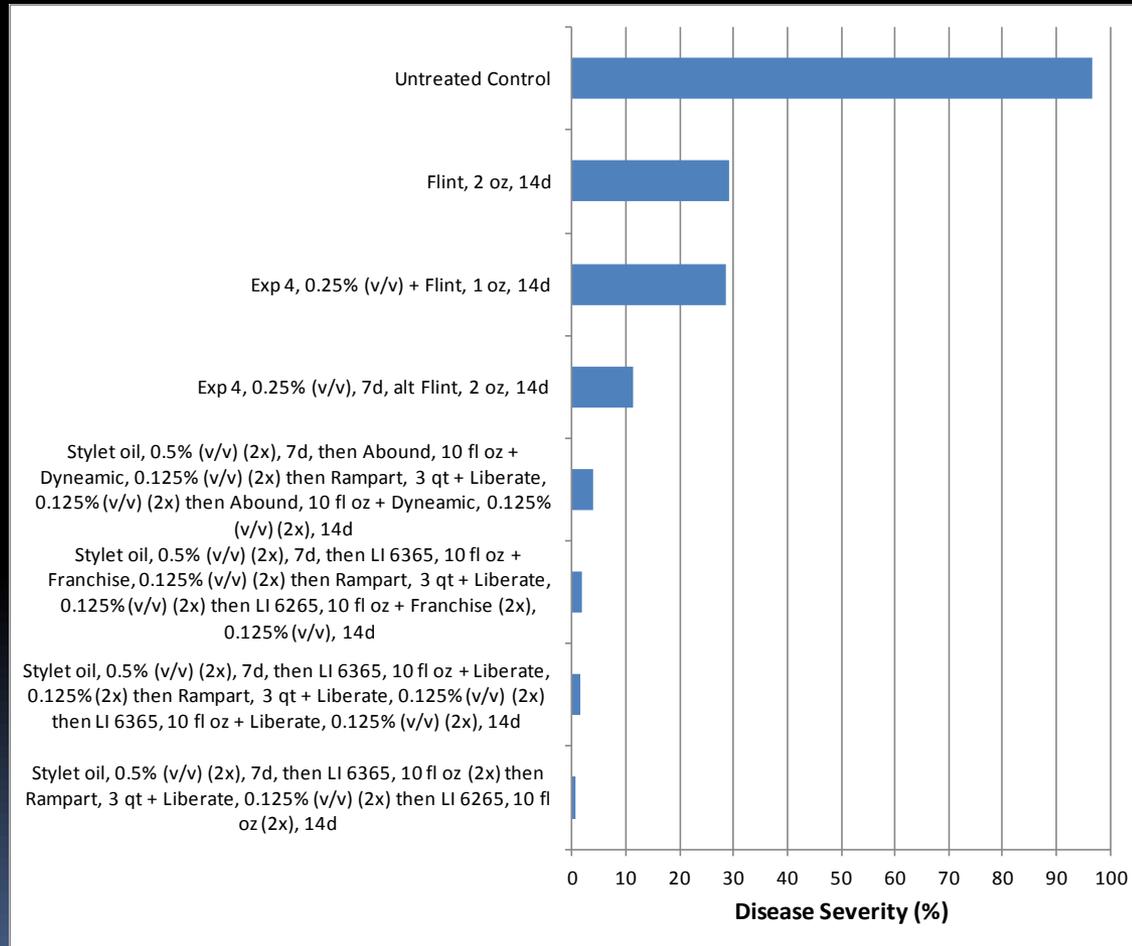
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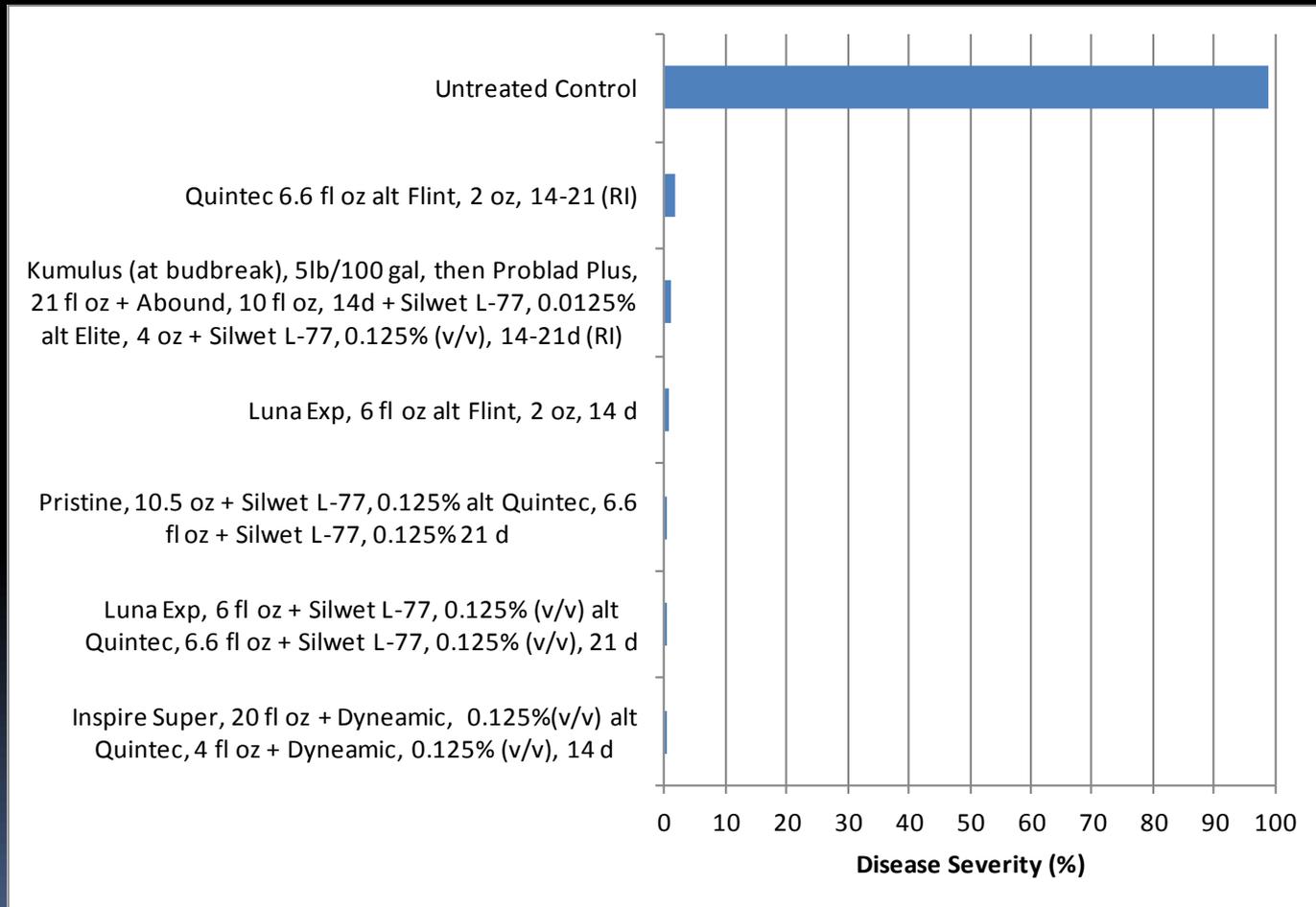
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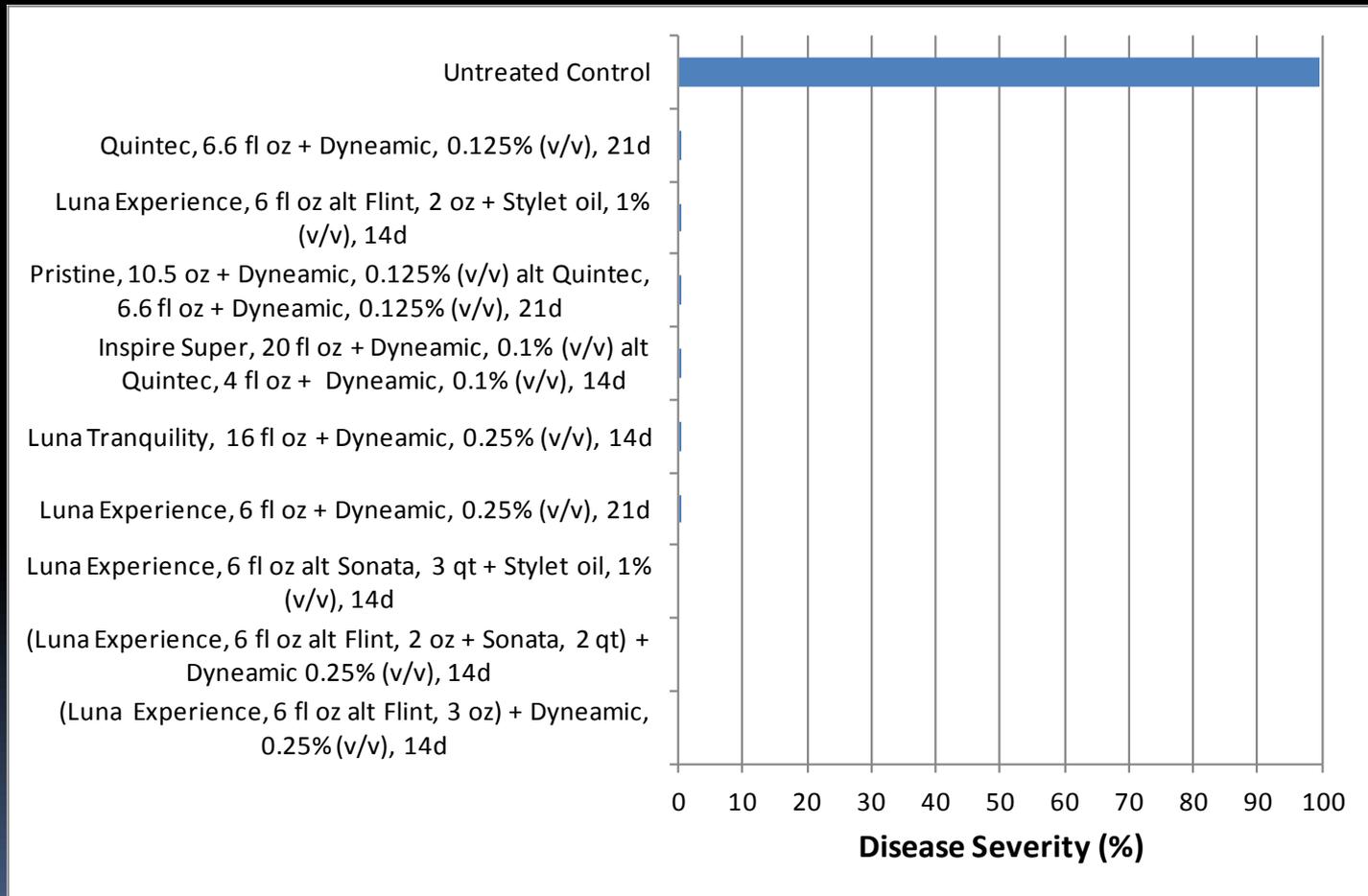
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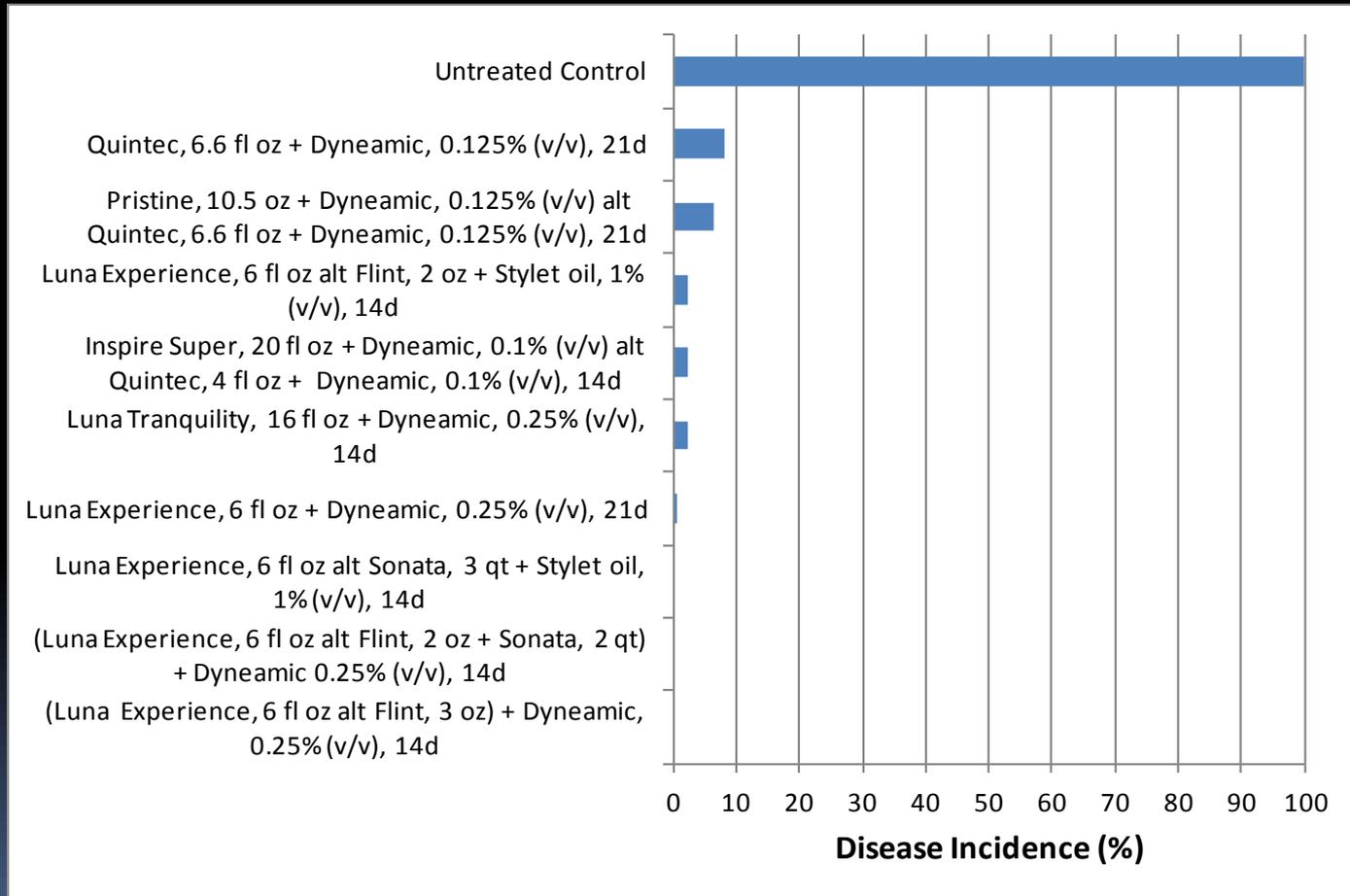
# Grape PM Trial 2012: Treatments for comparison-Disease Severity



# Grape PM Trial 2013: Treatments for comparison-Disease Severity



# Grape PM Trial 2012: Luna (with other treatments for comparison) Disease Incidence



LI 6365	proprietary	proprietary	N/A
Liberate	lecithin, methylesters of fatty acids, and alcohol ethoxylate (100%)	Loveland Products, Inc.	adjuvant
Luna Experience	fluopyram (17.54%), tebuconazole (17.54%)	Bayer	DMI-triazole/ N/A
Luna Tranquility	fluopyram (11.3%) pyrimethanil (33.8%)	Bayer	SDHI/AP
MBI-10605	proprietary	proprietary	N/A
MCW-710 SC	proprietary	proprietary	N/A
Merivon	fluxabyroxad (21.26%) pyraclostrobin (21.26%)	BASF	SDHI + QoI
Nordox 75 WG	cuprous oxide (75% copper)	American Chemet Corporation	copper
ORUS 009	proprietary	proprietary	N/A
Phyton-27 AG	copper sulfate pentahydrate (21.27%)	Phyton Corporation	other
Pristine	pyraclostrobin (12.8%) boscalid (25.2%)	BASF	QoI + carboxamide
Procure 480SC	triflumizole (42.14%)	Crompton Manufacturing Company (Chemtura Corp.)	DMI
Quintec	quinoxifen (22.6%)	Dow AgroSciences LLP	quinoline
Rally 40 WSP	myclobutanil (40%)	Dow AgroSciences LLP	DMI
Rampart	mono- and dipotassium salts of phosphorous Acid (53%)	Loveland Products, Inc.	phosphonates
Rhyme	flutriafol (12%)	Chemnova	DMI
Sonata	<i>Bacillus pumilus</i> QST 2808 (1.38%)	Agraquest	biological
Taegro 13 WP	<i>Bacillus subtilis</i> Strain FZB24	Syngenta Crop Protection, Inc	biological
Timorex Gold	oil derived from the tea tree, <i>Melaleuca alterniflora</i> (23.8%)	Biomor Israel Ltd.	oil
Topguard	flutriafol (12%)	Chemnova	DMI
Torino	cyflufenamid (10%)	Gowan Co.	N/A
Vivando	metrafenone (300g/L)	BASF	benzophenone

Merivon	fluxabroxad (21.26%) pyraclostrobin (21.26%)	BASF	N/A + QoI
NUP-12033	copper hydroxide (46.1%)	Nufarm Americas Inc.	N/A
Phyton-27 AG	copper sulfate pentahydrate (21.27%)	Phyton Corporation	other
Pristine	pyraclostrobin (12.8%) boscalid (25.2%)	BASF	QoI + carboxamide
Problad Plus	protein extracted from the plant of the genus <i>Lupinus</i> , 20%	FMC Corporation	N/A
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Quadris Top 2.71	azoxystrobin (18.2%), difenoconazole (11.9%)	Syngenta Crop Protection, Inc	DMI-triazole/QoI
Quintec	quinoxifen (22.6%)	Dow AgroSciences LLP	quinoline
Rally 40 WSP	myclobutanil (40%)	Dow AgroSciences LLP	DMI-triazole
Regalia	<i>Reynoutria sachilinensis</i> extract	Marrone BioInnovations	biological
Silwet L-77	polyalkyleneoxide modified heptamethyltrisiloxane	Helena Chemical Co.	unknown
Sonata	<i>Bacillus pumilus</i> QST 2808 (1.38%)	Agraquest	biological
Sovran	kresoxim-methyl (50%)	Chaminova, Inc	QoI
Sylgard 309	polysiloxane (80%)	Dow Corning Corp	adjuvant
Topguard	flutriafol (12%)	Cheminova	DMI
Torino	N/A	Gowan Co.	N/A
Tranquility	fluopyram (11.3%) pyrimethanil (33.8%)	Bayer	N/A
Tri-Tek	petroleum oil (80%)	Brandt, Inc.	oil
Viticure 4 SC	triflumizole (42.14%)	Crompton Manufacturing Company (Chemtura Corp.)	DMI
Vivando	metrafenone (300g/L)	BASF	N/A