

June 12-18, 2022 IPM Report

Trap Counts

Bollworm Moth Trap

Shoffner- 150

Six Mile Lane-125

Mack- 200

Tuckerman- 125

SWCB

Mack-25

Shoffner-20

Blackville-25

Pasture

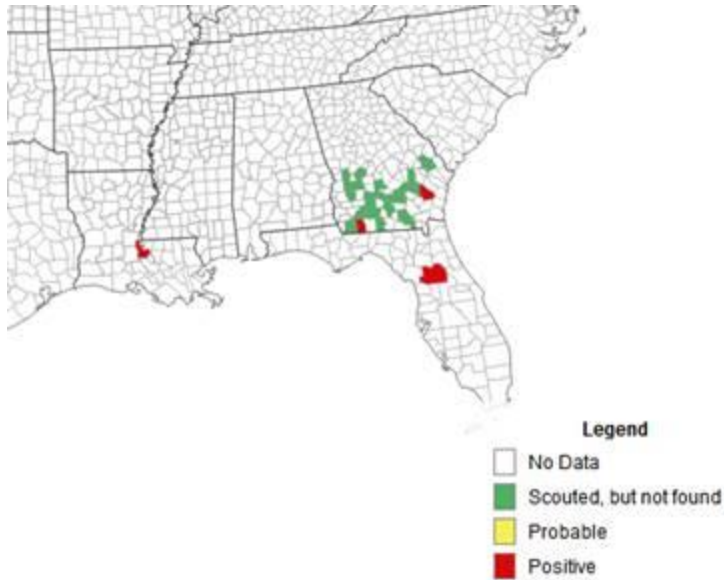
Armyworm-0

Bermuda Stem Maggot- 0

Disease Alert:

Ag Leaders,

This is your early warning of southern corn rust in a nearby state, Louisiana. This is not a threat to Arkansas corn, yet, but rust is closer than last week when it was only reported in Georgia and Florida. So a few considerations:



1. When will it arrive in AR? Typically, we find rust in early July, but this year maybe earlier. It is very likely that rust could be detected in South Arkansas in a week or two.
2. When to scout? I usually like to go out three days after a rain. It is easier to walk the edge of fields and rust spores are easier to spot. Rain washes spores off the pustule making it hard to spot in the field.
3. Where to scout? Usually I find it first in the oldest corn field in the area. So, look for it in corn that is dough/dent growth stage compare to vegetative growth stages.
4. What do I do if I find rust like pustules? Call me (501-266-3657) or Terry Spurlock. I usually like to confirm the first report of the year then use images folks text me to monitor. More information on management to come when rust is detected in the state.
5. Where do I monitor rust movement? <https://corn.ipmpipe.org/southerncornrust/>
6. Need more information, give us a call or email, we are here to help.

Dynamic Threshold Soybeans for Earworm MP144 Soybean Section

https://www.uaex.uada.edu/publications/pdf/mp144/MP144_13_Soybean.pdf

Gotten a few calls about flowering soybeans and stink bugs showing up. Not overly concerned until we are setting pods in the upper 4 most nodes. If something does concern you don't hesitate to call. This appears to be an insect/disease year, so nothing is surprising at this point.

Main concern looking ahead is disease a week- 2 weeks ahead of schedule....

Large populations of moths setting up multiple generations ahead of late planted soybeans.

Rice Stink Bug becoming harder to control due to consistent population rather than waves of them over a longer period.

Start looking at your options for disease control some fungicides are hard to find this year.

Same for Insect Control be checking and planning.