## IDENTIFYING AND ADDRESSING SOIL HEALTH CONSTRAINTS IN PERENNIAL CROP SYSTEMS

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We will discuss the use of the Cornell Soil Health Test for identifying physical, biological or chemical soil constraints, as well as management practices to address those limitations. For more information, you are referred to the Cornell Soil Health web site at <a href="http://soilhealth.cals.cornell.edu">http://soilhealth.cals.cornell.edu</a>. A training manual can be downloaded from this site in pdf file format.

A second reference is the new edition of the book "Building Soils for Better Crops" by Fred Magdoff and Harold van Es. It can be downloaded for free from the SARE website http://sare.org/books.