Vegetable System Trial Results

2005







Total weed biomass in sweet corn at tasseling





Sweet Corn Pest Damage, 2005

ECB at Two Sampling Dates



Sweet Corn Marketable Yield, 2005







Sweet Corn Plots, Total Biomass









Cabbage Transplant Dates

System 1—July 19
System 2—July 13
System 4—July 14

 System 1 plants were visibly smaller for several weeks









Flea Beetle Levels, 2005

Date

After Surround + Entrust spray on 8/5, flea beetles per plant decreased from 12.1 (8/3) to 0.17 (8/8)





% unmarketable Heads

% Unmarketable Cabbage, 2005

Treatment

Overall Cabbage Insect Damage, 2005

Heads with Visible Worm Damage—9.6%

- Unmarketable Heads—3.8%
- Weight of Unmarketable Heads Removed by Treatment to Calculate Marketable Yield per Acre



Two sampling dates

Cabbage yield in rep 4 increased by 29.5% between 10/4 and 10/17. We resampled on the second date to check growth over that time. There was very little splitting.
 Heavy rain during that time.

Chickweed Density in Cabbage, 10/5/05





Warm- and Cool-Season Weeds in Cabbage, 10/5/05

Cabbage Weed Densities, 2005







Pea Yield Data

Pea Yield (Fresh Lb/Acre)	3535 (580)
Total Aboveground Pea Biomass (Dry Lb/Acre)	1307 (154)
Harvest Index	31.2% (1.8%)



Cover Crop Establishment

Cover crops in the Cabbage

- Bell bean dry biomass increased from 249 to 776 Lb per Acre from 10/5 to 11/7
- The second figure represents roughly 30 lb/A nitrogen
- Japanese millet had high numbers per acre, but emergence was very slow and growth was poor