

PROMAX® and ZAP® Reduce Nematodes, Increase Yields for Green Chiles in New Mexico

Testimonial

Background

Speir Farms near Deming, New Mexico, was experiencing high nematode counts and reduced yields in its Green Chile Pepper crop (variety AZ 1904). The owner elected to try PROMAX® (1 gal/ac 1 week pre-plant) and ZAP® (0.5 gal/ac, post-plant) on a 10-acre demonstration field and compare the yield results to a similar-size control plot.

Results

According to the owner, 2015 was a lower yielding year overall for green chile peppers due to higher than normal humidity and temperatures. However, the PROMAX®/ZAP®-treated plot was one of his highest-yielding plots of the season (14.29 ton/ac versus 12.53 ton/ac for the control).

"There was good emergence of the crop following the PROMAX®/ZAP® application. These products were easy to apply and I experienced tremendous results. I look forward to using the products again next season!"

Note: Huma Gro® recommendations for best nematode control are for 2 PROMAX® applications (15 to 20 days apart), followed by the ZAP® application (1 gal/ac) 7 to 10 days after the final PROMAX® treatment.



