


BMSB Pest Management

Paper and Online:

- 73% growers practiced IPM (73%)

Online Data Only:

- 57% increased pesticide use
- 56% increased in scouting.
- 22% of reported using trap-based monitoring
- 13% reported using biological controls.




BMSB Information Needs

Information Top Four:

- Scouting
- Sprays
- Trapping
- BMSB biology and behavior.

Communication Top Four:

- in-person meetings,
- extension educators,
- extension publications
- websites/email.



Next Steps

- Collect data again this Winter/Spring
- Recruit growers, try and increase participation by 20%
- Collect same data in both paper and online surveys
