FIELD EVALUATION OF SOME CONTROLLING COMPOUNDS AGENT FOR FRUIT FLY *Ceratitis capitata* (WIEDEMANN) IN ISMAILIA GOVERNORATE, EGYPT Hassan, A. S.; H. A. Nabil and W. M. H. Desuky Plant Protection Research Institute, ARC, Dokki, Giza, Egypt

### **ABSTRACT**

In the present study two experimental trails were carried out to evaluate the efficacy of the food attractant (Buminal 5%) mixture with Dimethoate 40% E.C for controlling the fruit fly, *Ceratitis capitata* (Wiedemann) on mango orchard at Ismailia Governorate, Egypt during 2009 and 2010 by food attractant traps (traps baited) and partial spray for trees trunk in the experimental trails. Results showed that the mean reductions percentages by using Henderson and Tilton (1955) formula for both periods were 55.1 & 64.7 & 72.5 & 90.4 and 63.5&71.8& 73.1 & 82.5 respectively. Mean percentage of reductions during the same periods 2009 and 2010 were 70.7 and 72.7 %, respectively. Regarding the second experiment data showed that the total number of percent reduction for both years 2009 and 2010 were 56.5 & 71.0&80.6 & 78.3 and 60.9 & 64.0& 69.8 & 89.8% respectively, the mean percent of reduction were 71.6% and 71.1%, respectively.

The statistically analysis L.S.D.0.05 (P < 0.05) showed that a positive significant and highly significant correlation for traps baited which values were 10.16 and 15.57 during the same periods. Also, a positive highly significant effect for partial spray were 9.06 and 11.22 during 2009 and 2010, respectively.

Keywords: Field evaluation, compounds agent, Ceratitis capitata, Ismailia.

#### INTRODUCTION

The Mediterranean fruit fly (medfly), Ceratitis capitata (Wiedemann) (Diptera: Tephritidae) is a serious economic pest infesting more than 350 species of fruits and vegetables throughout the world most of which are of high commercial value causes considerably damage and significant economic losses in fruit (Attalla & Hassan, 1981; Ahmed et al., 1984; El-Hakim & Basily 1986; Liquido et al.,1991; Hanafy et al., 2001 and Hanafy and Awad 2002). Ceratitis capitata is a species of Afrotropical origin which has adapted to the climatic conditions of the Mediterranean basin, where it has been present for many years causing great damage to citrus and other fruits (Delrío, 1986; Fimiani,1989; Franco et al., 2006).

During of the last harmful pest, fruit fly infesting different fruit trees, In Egypt, several trails were previously conducted to evaluate of different types of trap (Zaki, A.M. 1999).

The present investigation was designed to evaluate the efficacy of attractant Buminal mixture with Dimathoate 40% E.C. against *C. capitata*.

## **MATERIALS AND METHODS**

Fifteen mango trees *Mangifera indica L.* (3 raw  $\times$  5 trees for every raw) were selected for both experiments. These trees were similar in size, age, vegetation and varity (Zabda). The first experiment traps baited pest in central mango trees after dipping in solution containing of Dimethoate 40% at the rate of 75 m+ Buminal 5% per 20 litter of water. The second experiment (partial spray) of 15 mango trunk trees by the same solution. Also the same numbers for control without treatments.

The experiments were carried out during four week inspections (30/6 to 28/7) for both years 2009 and 2010. Total samples; five fruit mango for every mango trees for with two experiments and control examination on tress and marked for mango fruits infestation. Numbers of insect a live (*C. copitata*) stages were counted and recorded.

The reduction percentage of total a live insect fruit fly C. copitata were estimated according to Henderson and Tilton (1955). Results were statistically analyzed using L.S.D. 0.05 (P<0.05) with the COSTAT program (2005).

## **RESULTS AND DISCUSSION**

The first experiment traps baited during five weeks four examinations of inspections (30/6 to 28/7) were carried out for both years 2009 and 2010 at Ismailia Governorate, Egypt.

Data in Table (1) showed that the total numbers of stages of fruit fly *C. capitata* during these periods were 26, 14, 11, 8 & 2 and 23, 12, 8, 5 and 4 in 2009, while there were 44, 22, 16, 14 & 8 in 2010, while there were 25, 30, 30, 28 and 20 in 2009 and 38, 52, 49, 45 and 40 in 2010 sample/in untreated trees. The reduction percentage of fruit fly stages were 55.1, 64.7, 72.5 and 90.41 % in 2009 and 63.5, 71.8, 73.1 and 82.5 % in 2010 sample. Mean reduction were 70.7 and 72.7 % for both years 2009 and 2010, respectively.

The second experiment partial spray for trunks for the same periods 2009 and 2010 data summarized in Table (2) showed that the total number of alive fruit fly stages were 23, 12, 8, 5 and 4 in 2009 and 28, 15, 13, 10 and 3 in 2010 sample in treated trees, while there were 25, 30, 30, 28, and 20 in 2009 and 38, 52, 49, 45 and 40 in 2010 sample in untreated trees.

The reduction percentages were 56.5, 71.0, 80.6, and 78.3 in 2009 and 60.9, 64.0, 69.80 and 89.8 % in 2010. Mean of reduction percentages were 71.6 and 71.1 % during the two tested years 2009 and 2010 respectively.

The statistically analysis (L.S.D.) showed that a positive significant effect for those experiments Table (3).

These results are in harmony with El-Hakim and Hasily 1986, Zaki 1999, Hassan *et al.* 2000 and Hanfy *et al.* 2001, Hanfy and Awed 2002. Conclusively, this studies clarified the mean percentage of reduction for both

years 2009 and 2010 were 70.7 and 72.7 % in the first method while were 71.6 and 71.1 % for the second one, respectively.

Table (1): Weekly counts of alive stages of fruit fly *Ceratitis capitata* by traps baited on mango trees during period of summer 2009 and 2010.

	Number of alive insect stages/sample fruit mango and rotes of reduction												
	2009												
Treatment		Pre-treatment count	Post-treatment after										
	Rates application		One week	% reduction	Two week	% reduction	Three week	% reduction	Four week	% reduction	Geeral % of reduction		
Dimethoate 40 % E.C+ Bumenal	75cm/20 L + 5%	26	14	55.1	11	64.7	8	72.5	2	90.4	70.7		
Control		25	30		30		28		20				
	2010												
Dimethoate 40 % E.C+ Bumenal	75cm/20 L + 5%	44	22	63.5	16	71.8	14	73.1	8	82.5	72.7		
Control		38	52		49		45		40				
L.S.D. 0.05 = 9.946**													

Table (2): Weekly counts of alive stages of fruit fly *Ceratitis capitata* by partial spray on mango trees during period of summer 2009 and 2010.

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	Number of alive insect stages/sample fruit mango and rotes of reduction												
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	Rates application		One week	% reduction	Two week	% reduction	Three week	% reduction	Four week	% reduction	Geeral % of reduction		
Dimethoate 40 % E.C+ Bumenal	75cm/20 L + 5%	23	12	56.5	8	71.0	5	80.6	4	78.3	71.6		
Control		25	30		30		28		20				
	2010												
Dimethoate 40 % E.C+ Bumenal	75cm/20 L + 5%	28	15	60.9	13	64.0	10	69.8	3	89.8	71.1		
Control	0.040**	38	52		49		45		40				

L.S.D. 0.05 = 9.946\*\*

Table (3): Statically analysis based on L.S.D. 0.05

Treatment	Con	trol	Traps	baits	Oriented spray (partial spray)			
	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010		
1	25	38	26	44	23	28		
2	30	52	14	22	12	15		
3	30	49	11	16	8	13		
4	28	45	8	14	5	10		
5	20	40	2	8	4	3		
L.S.D.			10.16*	15.57**	9.06**	11.22***		

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التقييم الحقلى لبعض المركبات في مكافحة ذبابة الفاكهة -محافظة الاسماعيلية - مصر

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ذبابة فاكهة البحر الابيض المتوسط Ceratitis capitata من أهم آفات الفاكهة محدثة ضررا بالغا بالإنتاج كما ونوعا ولقد أجريت تجارب التقييم الحقلي لمركب %Dimethoate 40 سم/٢٠ لتر ومخلوط بـ ٥% بومينال كمادة جاذبة للآفة على محصول المانجو بمحافظة الإسماعيلية عامي ٢٠١٠، ٢٠١٠ وذلك بطريقتين:

التجربة الأولى:

المصائد المعلقة والمبللة بالمحلول السابق حديث التحضير للفترة من ٦/٣٠ حتى ٧/٢٨ لعامى ٢٠٠٩، ٢٠١٠ وكانت النتائج في عام ٢٠٠٩ متوسط نسبة الخفض للتعداد ٧٠٠٠% بينما كانت في موسم ٢٠١٠ كانت ٧٠٠٠%.

التجربة الثانية:

الرش الجزئي لمنطقة الجزع بنفس التركيزات وكانت النتائج المتحصل عليها لنسبة الخفض في التعداد لعام ٢٠٠٩ هي ٢٠١٦% بينما في عام ٢٠١٠ كانت ٢٠١١%. ويمكن الاستفادة بهذة النتائج ضمن برامج المكافحة المتكاملة للآفة.

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