

# Target Spot (*Corynespora cassiicola*) Control with TOPGUARD® Fungicide

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**TOPGUARD is not currently  
labeled for use in cotton  
except under a Section 18 for  
Texas Root Rot in TX**



# TOPGUARD Performance on Texas Root Rot



## **Irrigated**

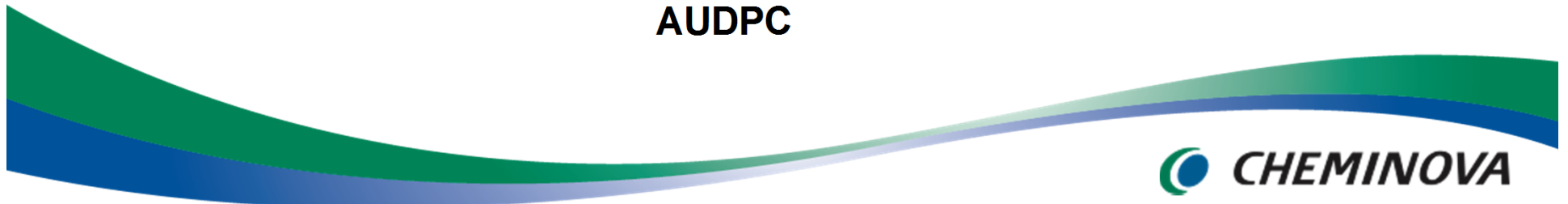
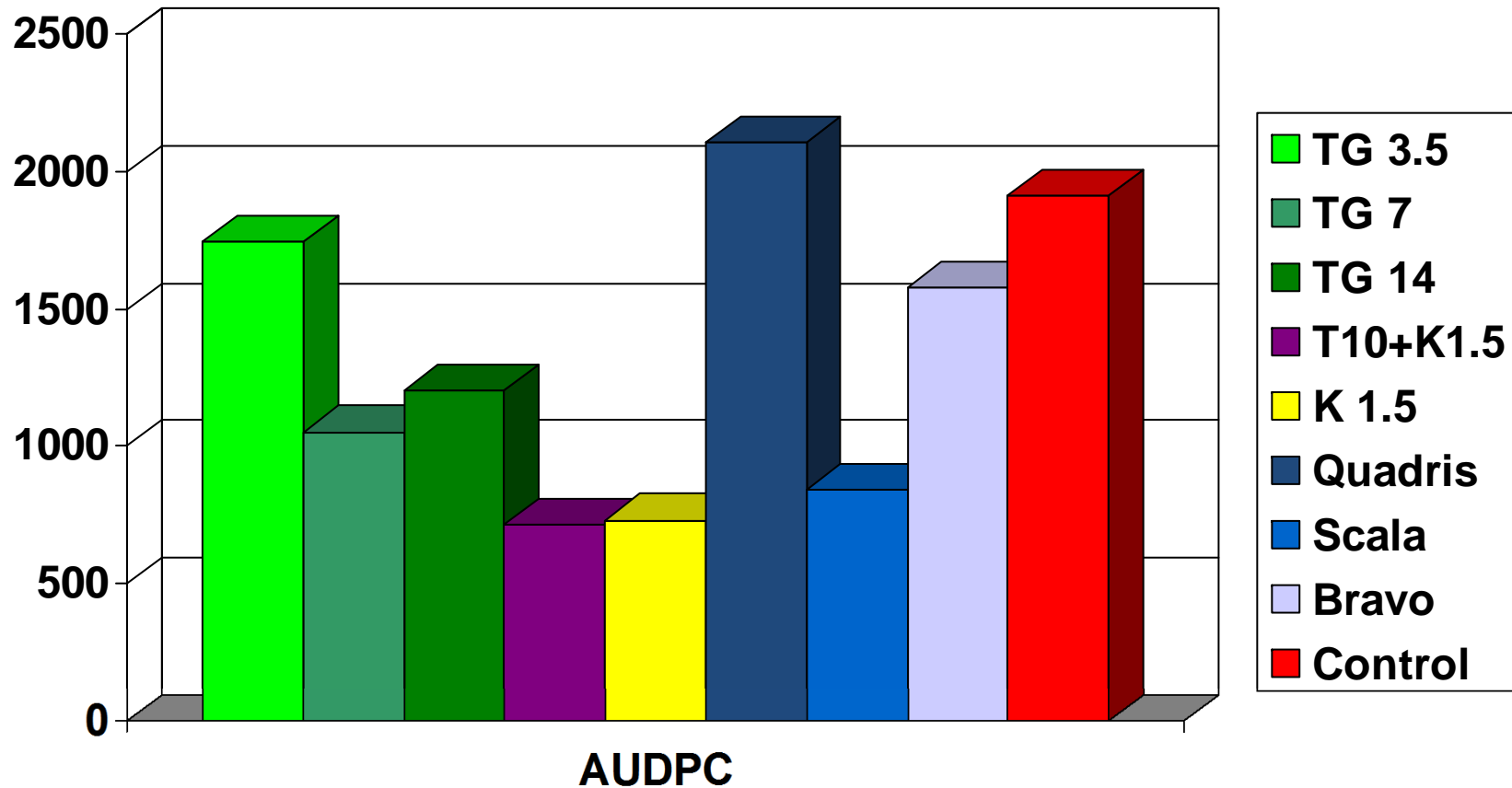
TOPGUARD applied at 32 oz. rate with untreated check strip in center.



## **Dryland**

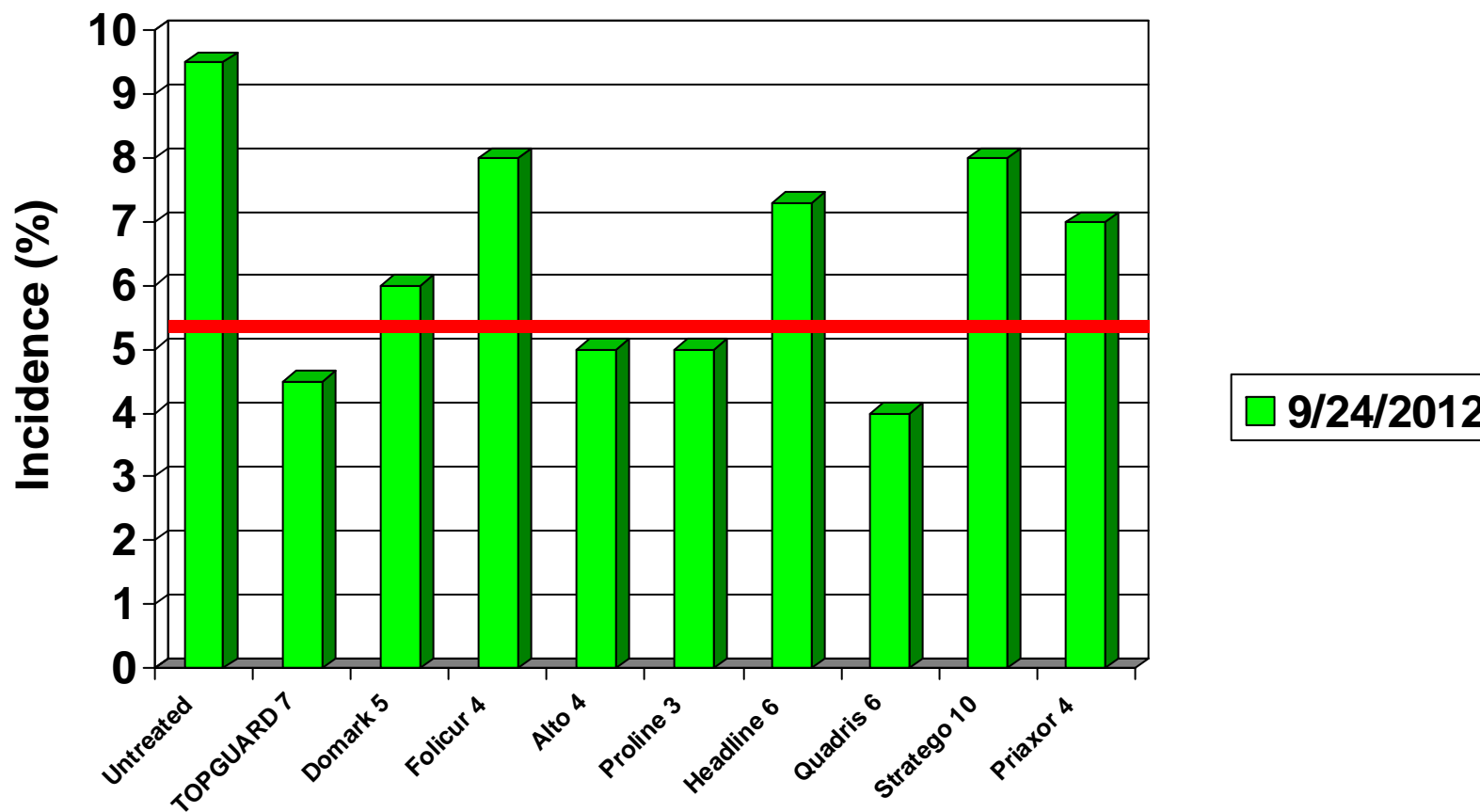
TOPGUARD applied at 16 oz. rate with untreated check strip on left.

# Target Spot Control in Tomato Mathews Paret, Quincy, FL



# TOPGUARD Target Spot Soybean

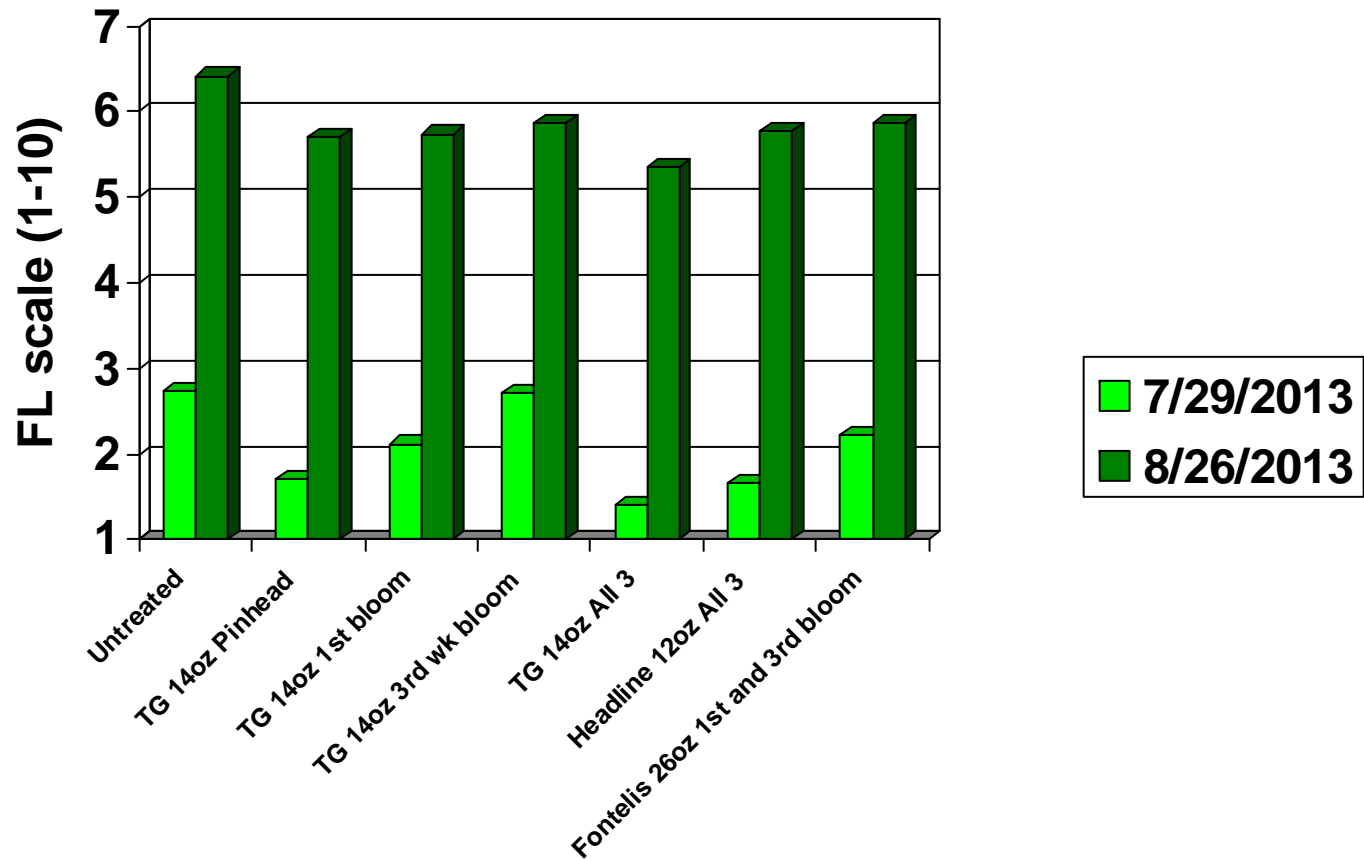
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All products applied at R3. All rates in fl oz/ac. LSD (0.1) = 4.3.

# TOPGUARD Target Spot Cotton

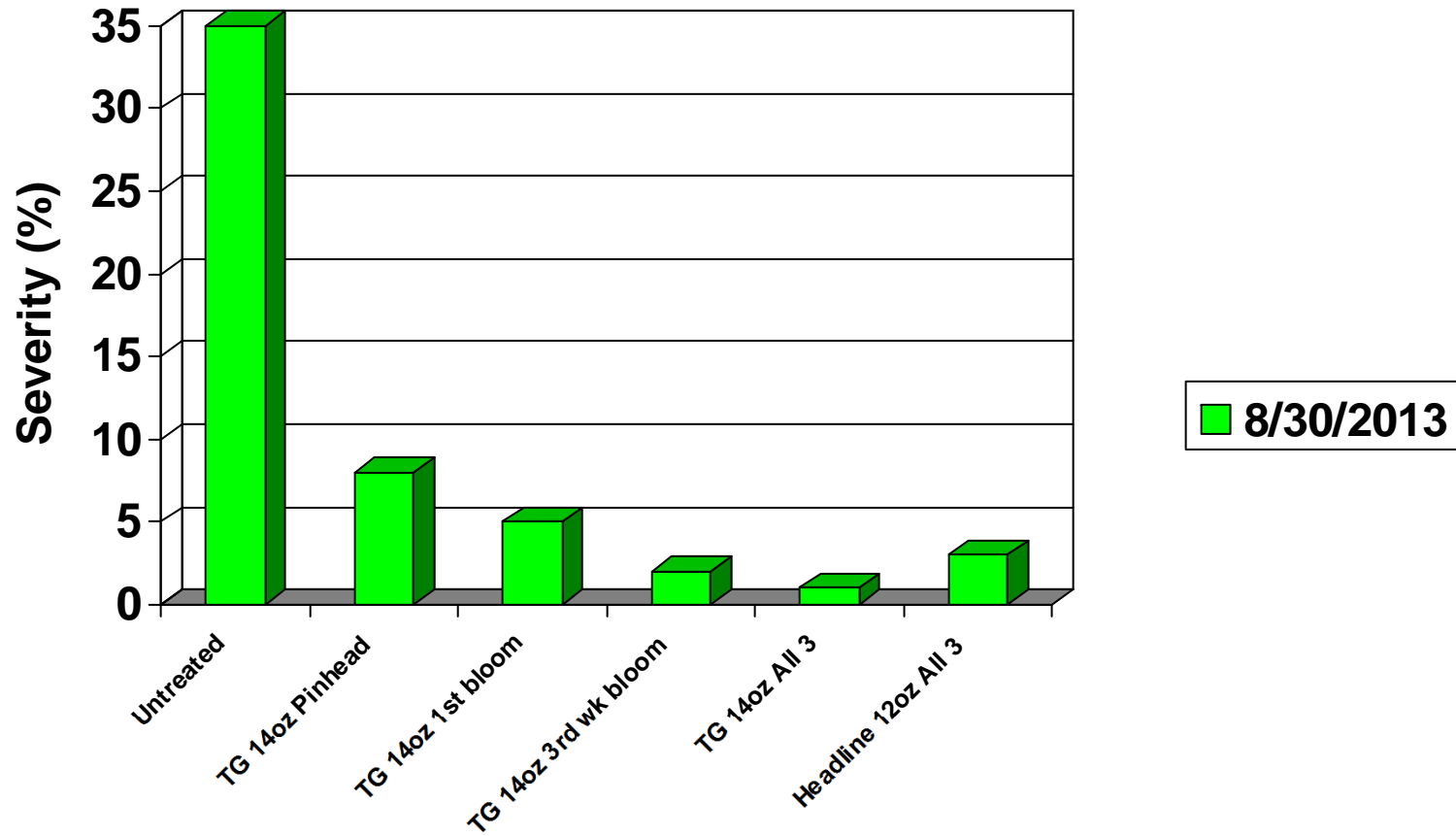
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First and second applications were applied one week late due to rain.

# TOPGUARD Target Spot Cotton

Quitman, GA





# TOPGUARD Cotton Status

- Residue work has already been completed, as it had been initiated for Texas Root Rot
- Will include up to 2 foliar applications
- Full registration anticipated Q1 2015
- Section 18 for 2014 possible, if states request
- The active ingredient, flutriafol, is a triazole, so offers an alternative mode of action to currently registered strobilurins