# Compatibility of Chemical and Biological Control Against Spider Mites and Other Management Practices

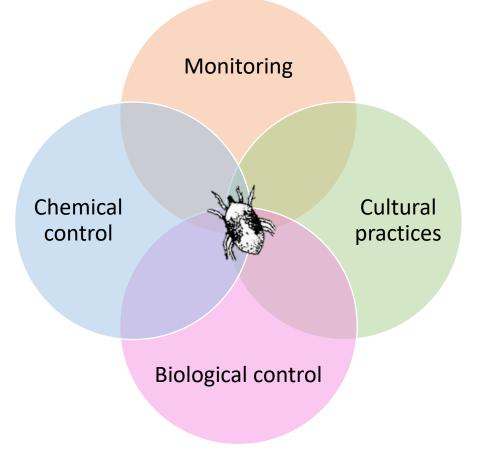
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#### Integrated Mite Management (IMM)

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### **Biological Control and Pesticides**

- All pesticides will have some impact, including fungicides!
- Need to reduce the impact through proper selection, method and timing of application
- Pesticides highly detrimental:
  - Bifenthrin, permethrin; lambda-cyhalothrin, cyfluthrin; carbaryl, chlorpyrifos



### **Biological Control and Pesticides**

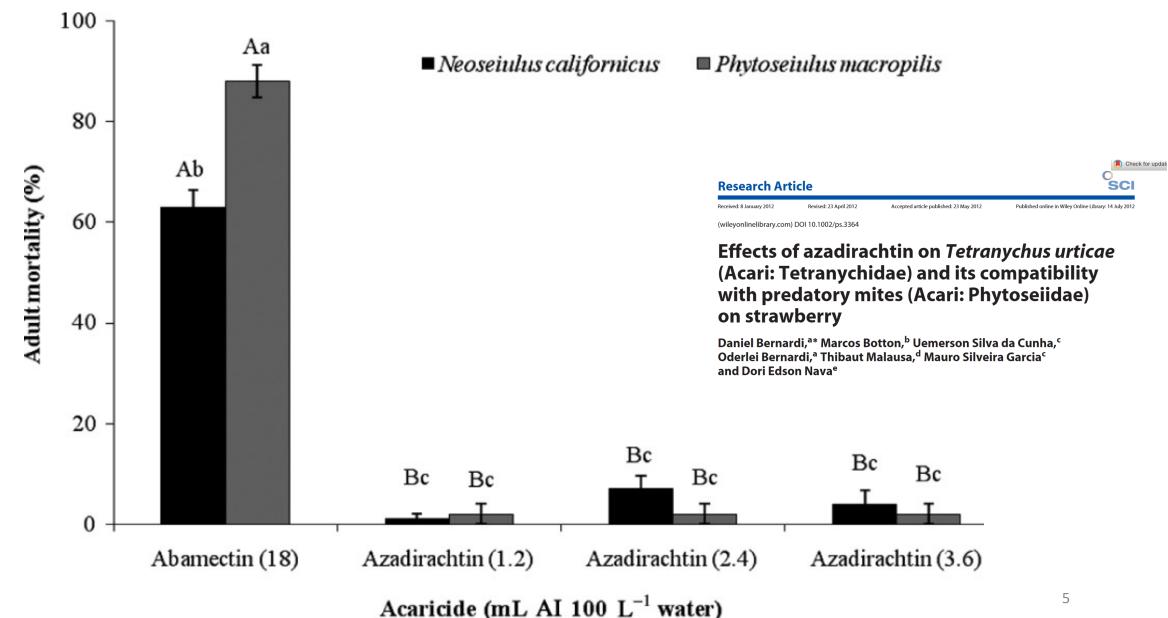
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  - Biobest

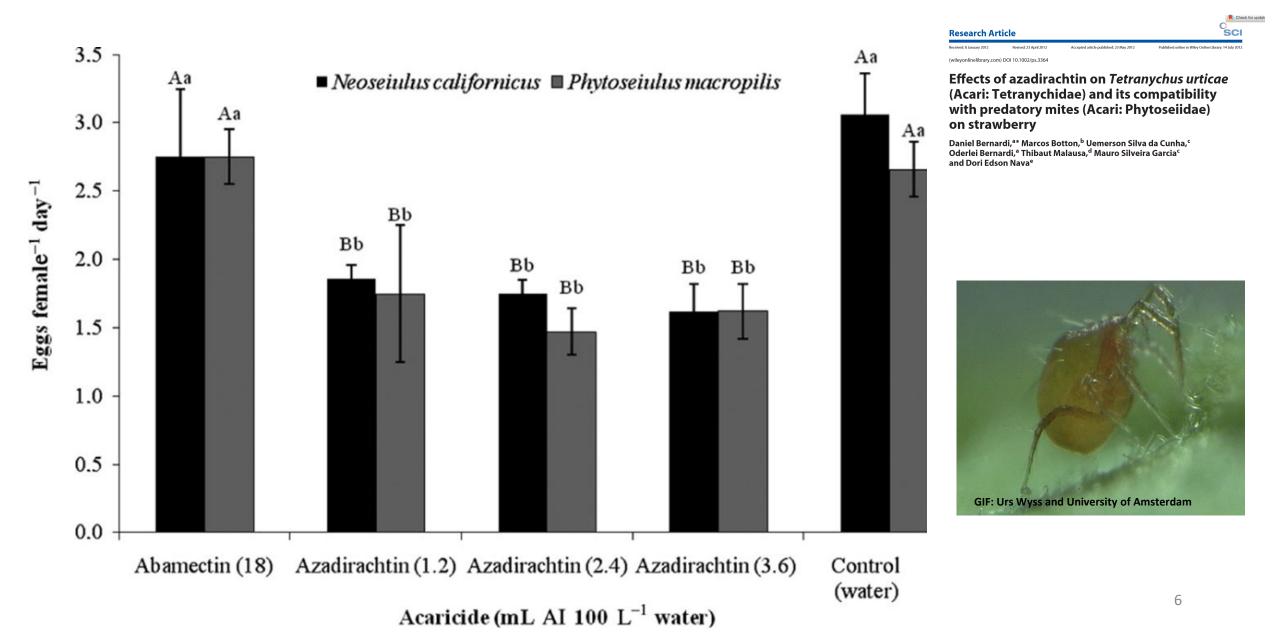
     (https://www.biobestgroup.com/en/sideeffect-manual) or
  - Koppert (<u>https://www.koppertus.com/news-</u> information/ipm-app/)
  - Select the natural enemy and the pesticide and will get the level of toxicity and persistence



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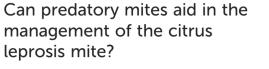
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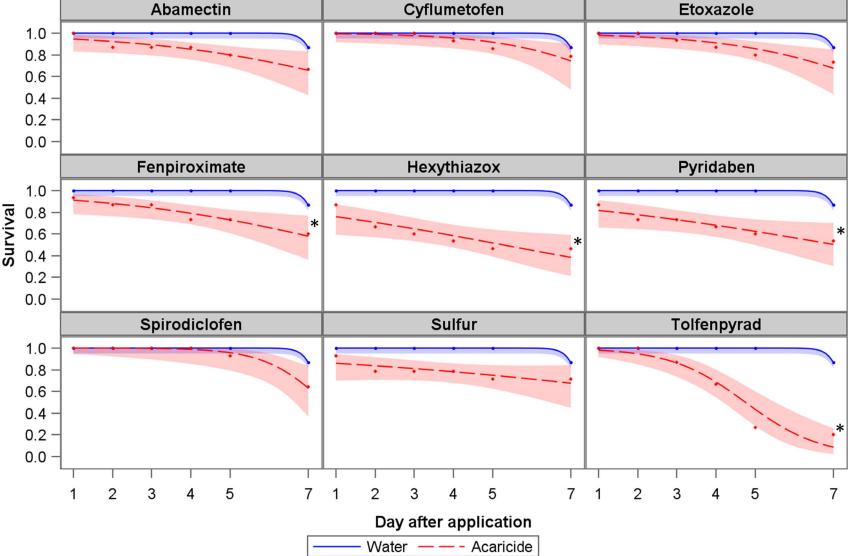


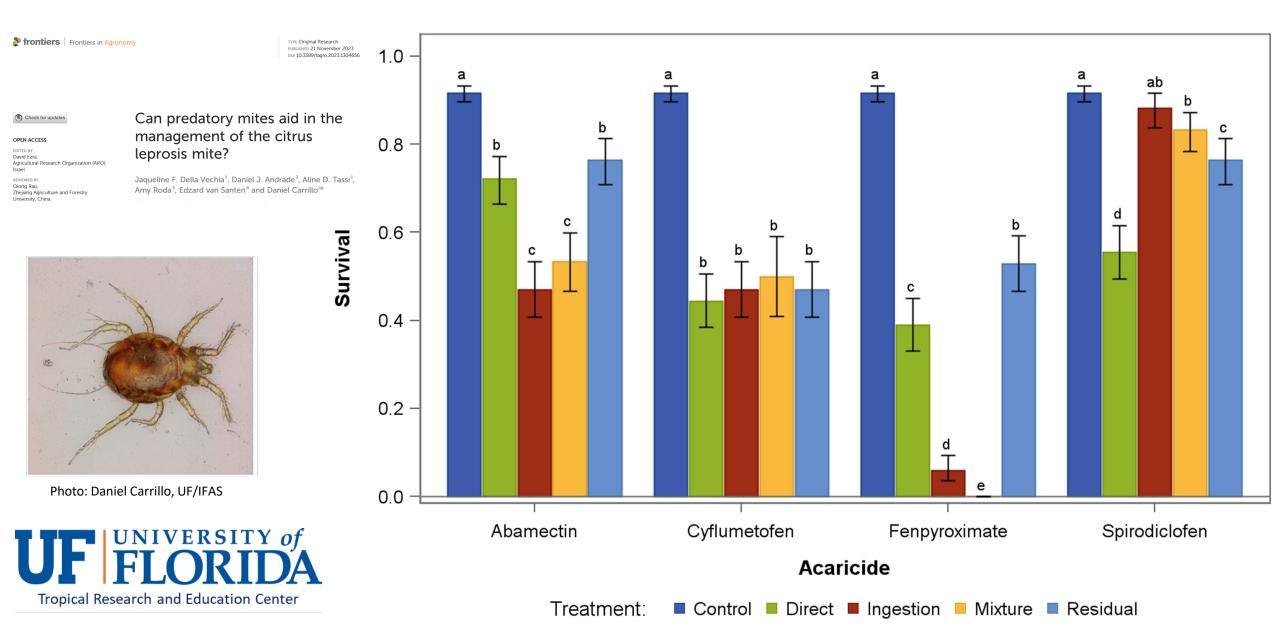
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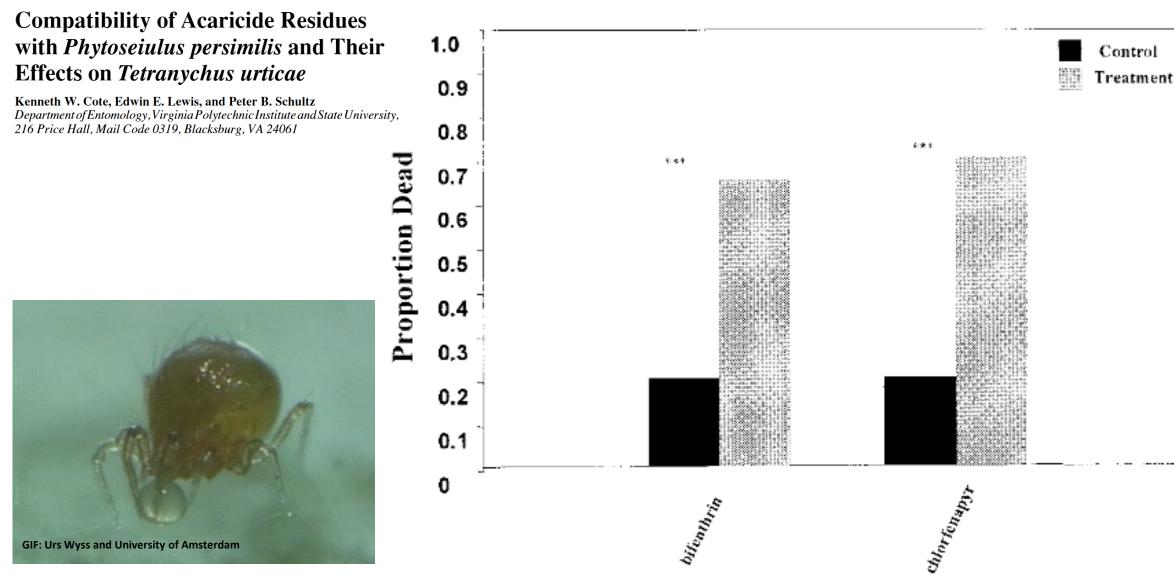
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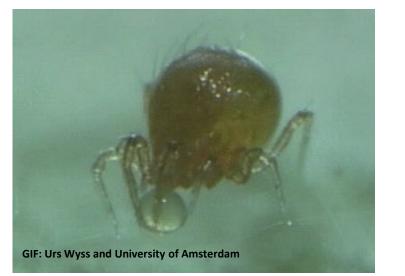
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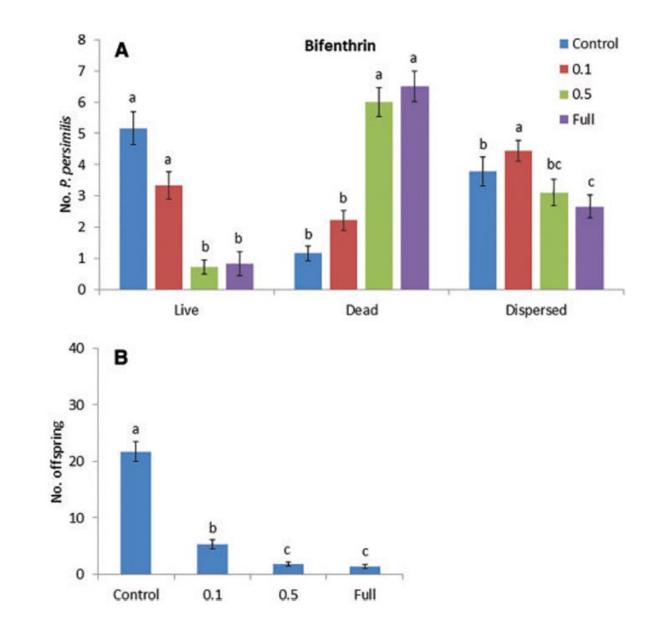


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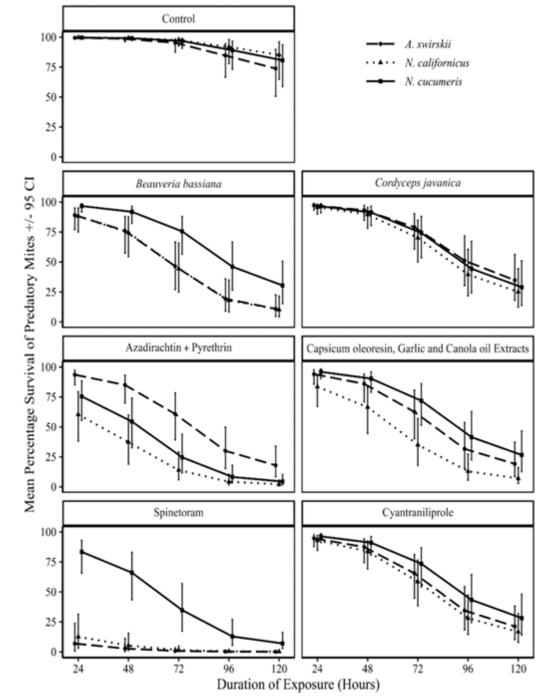
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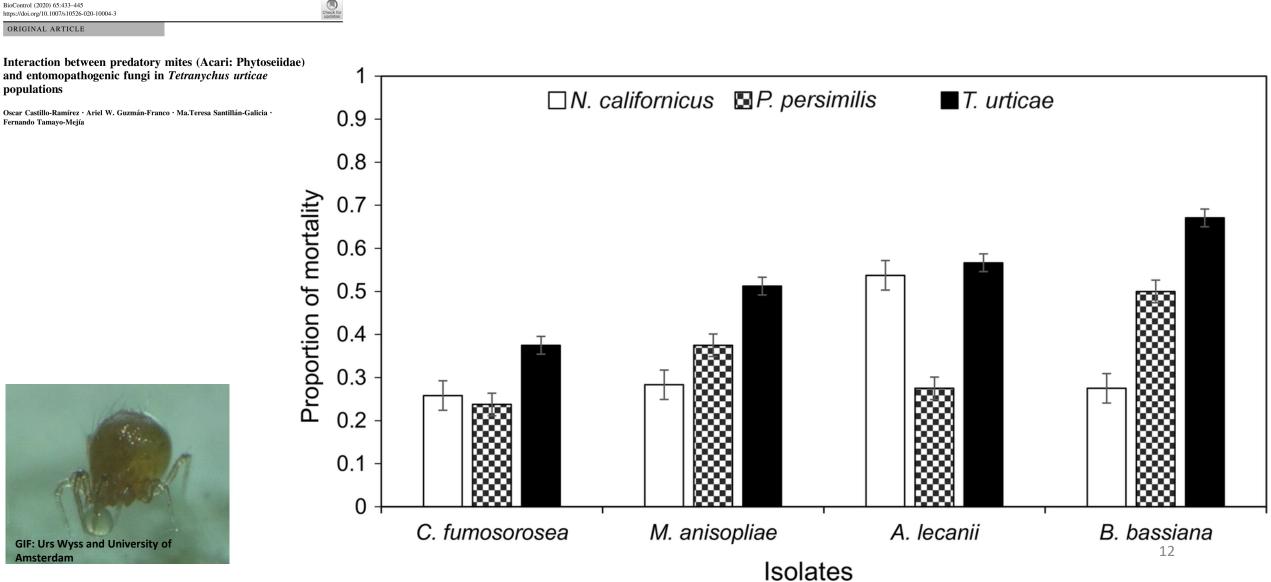
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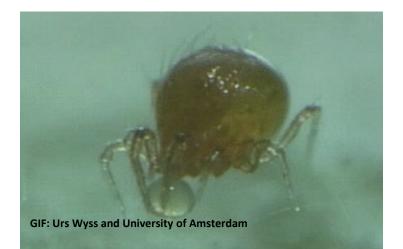
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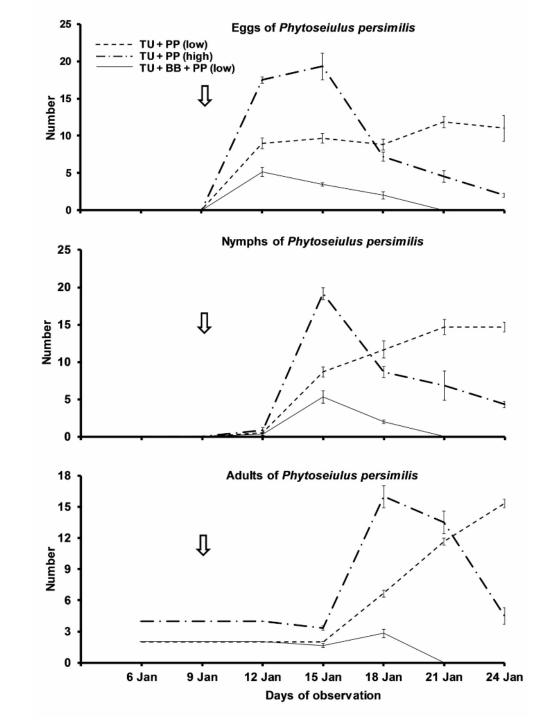
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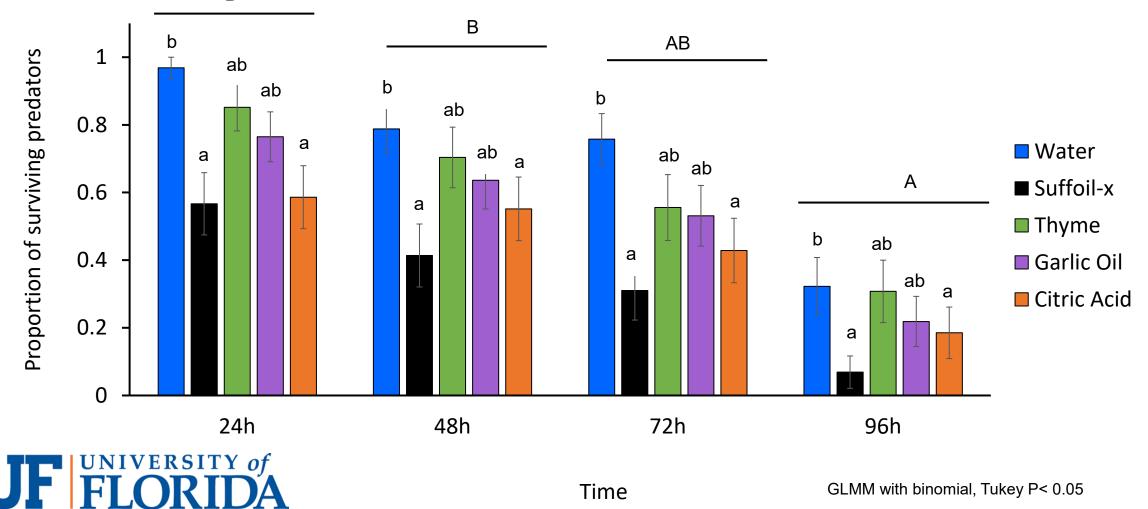
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Bush Doctor Force of Nature Insect Repellent	Garlic oil	Unclassified	1.5 fl oz/1 gal	S, G, N, L	FIFRA 25 (b) exempt
Sierra Natural Science 217 C	Rosemary oil	Unclassified	4 fl oz/ 20 fl oz	S, G, N, S	FIFRA 25 (b) exempt
Thyme Guard	Thyme oil	Unclassified	2 qt/ 100 gal	S, G, N, L	FIFRA 25 (b) exempt
SuffoilX	Mineral Oil	Unclassified	2%	G, N, L	48813-1-68539





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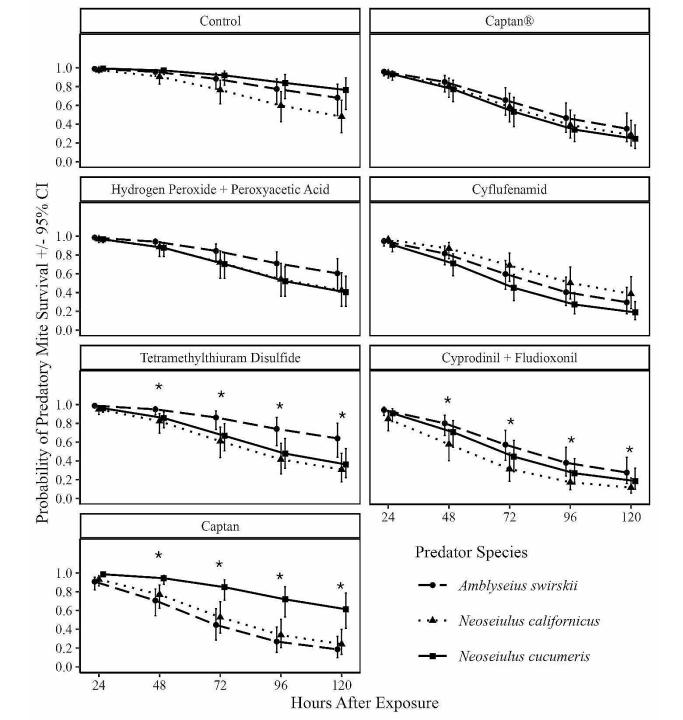
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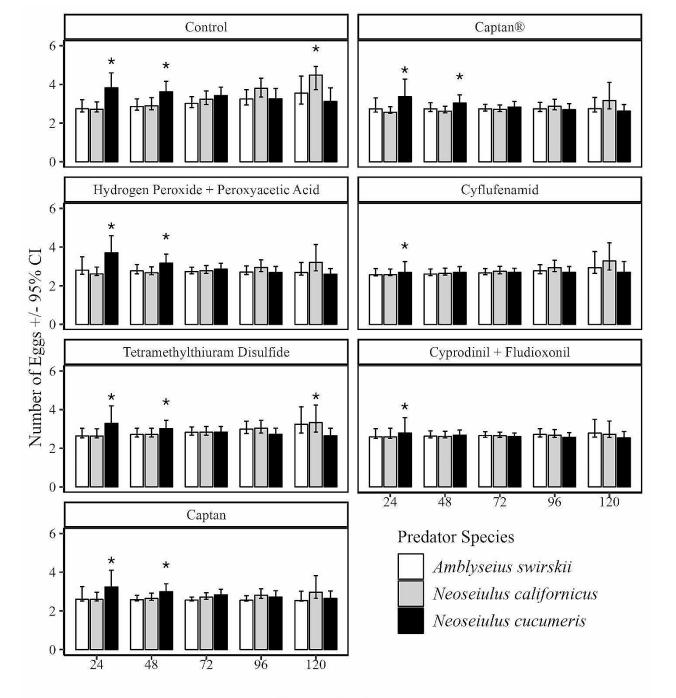
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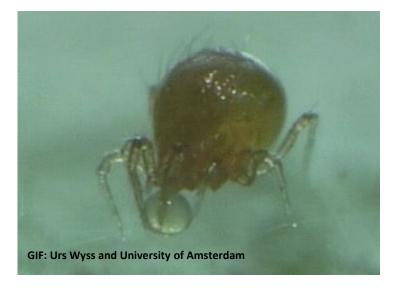
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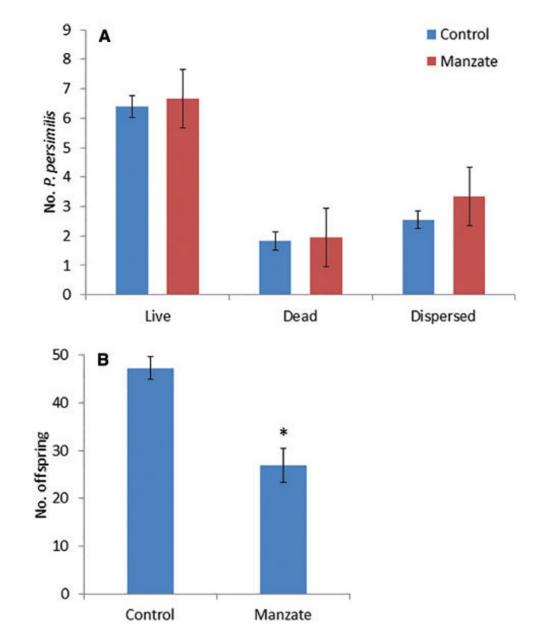
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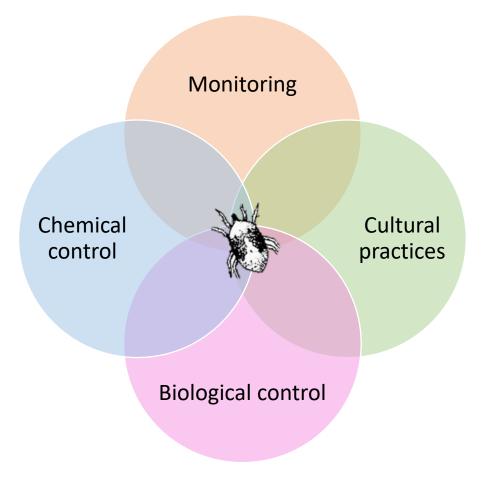
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### Monitoring

- Scouting is essential in order to reduce/prevent fluctuations
- Look for damage
- The underside of leaves must be checked



• Leaves within the center of the plant often have lower infestations



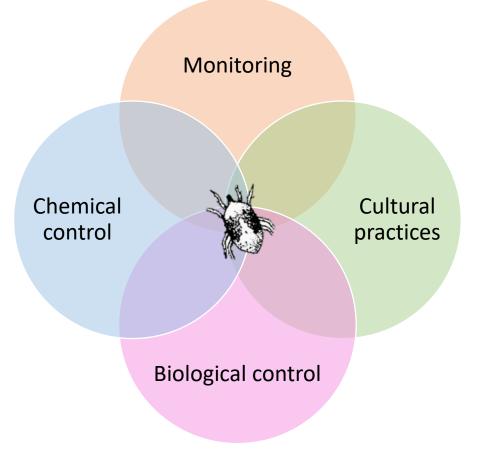
### **Cultural Practices**

- Avoid over fertilizing plants
- Avoid water-stressed plants
- Remove weeds and or other potential host plants
- Overhead irrigation may reduce mite populations



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#### Resources



#### Spider Mites

Spider mites are persistent pests of numerous specialty ornamental crops, such as hibiscus, palms, viburnum, orchids, marigold, dracaena, and roses. These pests cause a significant reduction in marketable product quality and yield. Heavy infestations may also cause leaf drop and, ultimately, the death of entire plants.

#### Resources

• Twospotted Spider Mite, Tetranychus urticae http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/pdffiles/IN/IN30700.pdf

Clover Mite Bryobia praetiosa https://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/in776







# Thank you!

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