# Navel Orangeworm Pilot Project 2022 – Weekly Report

Weeks Ending – June 3 and June 10, 2022

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## I. Project Updates

#### **Navel Orangeworm Sterile Insect Technique**

The Navel Orangeworm (NOW) Pilot Project (Project) utilizes NOW sterile insect technique (SIT) moths obtained from the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Phoenix, Arizona Rearing Facility. Quality Control (QC) tests are performed on every shipment of NOW SIT moths used for aerial releases.

Aerial releases for 2022 began on March 15, 2022, with one magazine of approximately 750,000 moths being released daily over Zones 1 and 3. A second magazine of approximately 750,000 moths began being released daily on May 28 over Zones 5 and 7 with regular releases being diverted to separate sites for research purposes.

From March 15 to April 4, aerial releases were conducted on the same day the magazines were received in California. Since April 6, aerial releases have been conducted the day after the magazines were received in California; meaning the magazines were kept overnight in cold-storage prior to being released the following morning. This change in the aerial release schedule was due to changes to the airline's flight schedule from Phoenix, AZ to Bakersfield, CA that the Program uses to ship magazines from the Phoenix Rearing Facility to the CDFA Shafter field office. This next-day aerial release schedule is anticipated to continue for the remainder of the season.

CDFA has conducted ground releases in lieu of aerial releases when release aircrafts were unavailable due to maintenance or repairs. In 2022, ground releases were conducted during the month of June and were limited to one magazine released at one zone per day, along the north and west edges of the zone. Ground releases occurred only at Zones 1 and 3 during weekdays, alternating the zones each day. No ground releases were conducted on weekends due to staff shortages.

Listed below are any circumstances which prevented or altered regular aerial releases in 2022:

- <u>Saturday, March 19:</u> No aerial release conducted due to severe weather conditions; magazine held an extra night in the cold room to be released the following day
- Sunday, March 20: Double release; today's magazine and magazine from previous day released
- <u>Tuesday, March 22:</u> Shipment of moths not transferred through airlines; this shipment was transferred next day
- Wednesday, March 23: Double release; today's magazine and magazine from previous day released
- Monday, March 28: No aerial release conducted due to severe weather conditions; magazine held an extra night in the cold room to be released the following day
- Tuesday, March 29: Double release; today's magazine and magazine from previous day released

- <u>Tuesday, April 5:</u> No aerial release conducted due to release schedule change from same-day release to next-day release
- Saturday, April 23: Shipment of moths not transferred through airlines; this shipment was destroyed
- Sunday, April 24: No aerial release due to shipment of moths not being transferred through airlines
- <u>Saturday, April 30</u>: Shipment of moths not transferred through airlines; this shipment was held overnight in Phoenix and shipped on May 1
- Sunday, May 1: No aerial release due to shipment of moths not being transferred through airlines
- Monday, May 2: Both shipments from April 30 and May 1 released
- Saturday, May 14: Shipment destroyed at rearing facility due to issue with irradiation
- Sunday, May 15: No aerial release due to issue with irradiation
- Monday, May 30 Wednesday, June 8: No aerial releases due to issues with release aircrafts
- <u>Thursday, June 9 Friday, June 10</u>: Ground releases conducted due to ongoing issues with release aircrafts; Ground release conducted at Zone 1 on June 9 and at Zone 3 on June 10

#### **Navel Orangeworm Trapping**

The NOW trapping program began May 5, 2020, with an Area Wide Project site that included a total of four orchards in Fresno County: two 640-acre almond orchards and two 640-acre pistachio orchards. On May 17, 2021, the Area Wide Project site expanded to include four additional orchards in Fresno County: one 640-acre almond orchard, one 640-acre pistachio orchard, one 160-acre almond orchard, and one 160-acre pistachio orchard. All eight orchards, designated as Zones 1 through 8, continue to be serviced on a weekly basis.

Listed below are any circumstances which prevented regular servicing in 2022:

- Week of January 7: No traps were serviced due to severe weather on site
- Week of January 14: No traps were serviced in Zones 1-4 due to staffing issues
- Week of February 25: No traps were serviced in Zone 1 due to pesticide applications on site
- Week of March 4: No traps were serviced in Zone 2 due to pesticide applications on site
- Week of March 11: Only 26 of the 72 traps were serviced in Zone 2 due to pesticide applications on site
- Week of April 1: Only Zones 3 and 4 were serviced this week due to severe weather on site
- Week of April 22: No traps were serviced in Zone 2 due to pesticide applications on site
- Week of May 20: No traps were serviced in Zone 4 due to pesticide applications on site
- Week of May 27: No traps were serviced in Zone 2 due to pesticide applications on site
- Week of June 10: No traps were serviced in Zone 4 due to staffing issues

#### II. Project Design

The NOW Area Wide Project site includes eight orchards located in Fresno County, identified as Zones 1 through 8. Listed below is information related to each orchard:

Zone #	<b>Crop Type</b>	Acres	Aerial SIT Release/Non-Release	Date Added to Area Wide Project
Zone 1	Pistachio	640	Release	May 5, 2020
Zone 2	Pistachio	640	Non-Release	May 5, 2020
Zone 3	Almond	640	Release	May 5, 2020
Zone 4	Almond	640	Non-Release	May 5, 2020
Zone 5	Pistachio	640	Release	May 17, 2021
Zone 6	Pistachio	160	Non-Release	May 17, 2021
Zone 7	Almond	640	Release	May 17, 2021
Zone 8	Almond	160	Non-Release	May 17, 2021

Each zone has a trap site ratio of approximately 1 trap site per 18 acres for a total of 36 trap sites for each 640-acre zone and 9 trap sites for each 160-acre zone. Trap sites include two traps: one trap baited with NOW pheromone/PPO lures and one trap baited with pistachio meal. All traps are serviced on a weekly basis. Servicing includes collecting trap bottoms and replacing with new trap bottoms. Bait/lure changes occur once a month, and trap tops are replaced as needed. Counts are performed on each trap collected to determine number of wild versus sterile captures and male versus female captures.

#### III. Trap Results for Weeks Ending on June 3 and June 10, 2022

### Zone 1

Zone 1 is a pistachio orchard where aerial NOW SIT releases are conducted. A total of 72 traps were collected from Zone 1 on Tuesday, May 31, with 36 pistachio meal baited traps and 36 pheromone/PPO lure traps.

A total of 72 traps were collected from Zone 1 on Monday, June 6, with 36 pistachio meal baited traps and 36 pheromone/PPO lure traps.

Zone 1 - Pistachio										
		P	istachio l	Meal Bait	ed Traps					
	# of Releases During									
Dates Traps in	Trap	Male	Male	Male	Female	Female	Female			
Field	Period	Sterile	Wild	Total	Sterile	Wild	Total	*Non-ID Total		
<sup>1</sup> Dec 27 - Jan 19	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0		
Jan 19 - Jan 24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Jan 24 - Jan 31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Jan 31 - Feb 7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Feb 7 - Feb 14	0	0	54	54	0	191	191	0		
<sup>2</sup> Feb 14 - Feb 28	0	0	13	13	0	245	245	0		
Feb 28 - Mar 7	0	0	57	57	0	1028	1028	0		
Mar 7 - Mar 14	0	0	99	99	0	950	950	16		
Mar 14 - Mar 21	7	0	36	36	0	2070	2070	0		
<sup>3</sup> Mar 21 - Apr 4	15	1	72	73	16	2079	2095	11		
Apr 4 - Apr 11	7	3	37	40	16	1495	1511	20		
Apr 11 - Apr 18	8	0	63	63	2	414	416	38		
Apr 18 - Apr 26	8	0	57	57	7	438	445	36		
Apr 26 - May 2	6	0	6	6	0	276	276	264		
May 2 - May 9	8	0	9	9	0	78	78	373		
May 9 - May 16	7	1	33	34	2	155	157	23		
May 16 - May 23	8	1	36	37	8	129	137	67		
May 23 - May 31	7	0	7	7	1	17	18	13		
May 31 - Jun 6	0	2	3	5	0	52	52	92		
*Non-ID counts are NOW moths unable to be sexed as male or female/or identified as sterile or wild due to missing or unrecognizable genitalia caused by predation while traps were in storage awaiting processing  18 of the 36 traps in field since Dec 20; 18 of the 36 traps in field since Dec 27										
118	of the 36 trap	os in field s	since Dec	c 20; 18 o	f the 36 trap	s in field si	nce Dec 27	1		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Traps in field for two weeks

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Traps not serviced in Zone 1 during the week of Apr 1 due to severe weather on site

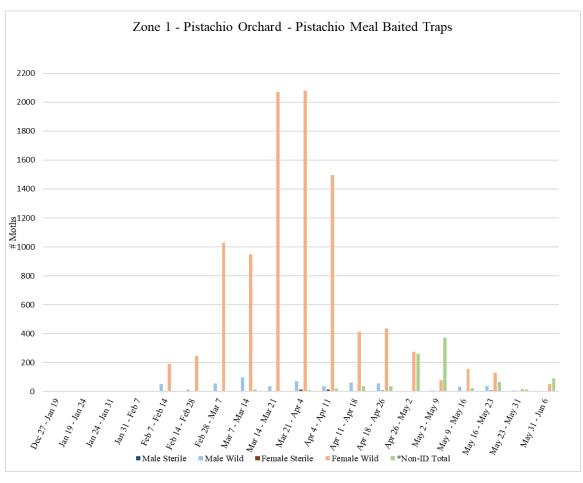
Zone 1 - Pistachio												
	Pheromone/PPO Lure Baited Traps											
	# of Releases During											
Dates Traps in	Trap	Male	Male	Male	Female	Female	Female	*Non-ID				
Field	Period	Sterile	Wild	Total	Sterile	Wild	Total	Total				
<sup>1</sup> Dec 27 - Jan 19	0	0	15	15	0	0	0	0				
Jan 19 - Jan 24	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0				
Jan 24 - Jan 31	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0				
Jan 31 - Feb 7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Feb 7 - Feb 14	0	0	139	139	0	4	4	0				
<sup>2</sup> Feb 14 - Feb 28	0	0	52	52	0	12	12	1				
Feb 28 - Mar 7	0	0	166	166	0	121	121	9				
Mar 7 - Mar 14	0	0	297	297	0	48	48	2				
Mar 14 - Mar 21	7	24	1772	1796	0	391	391	0				
<sup>3</sup> Mar 21 - Apr 4	15	44	1659	1703	16	803	819	4				
Apr 4 - Apr 11	7	5	764	769	3	551	554	5				
Apr 11 - Apr 18	8	3	866	869	2	120	122	0				
Apr 18 - Apr 26	8	5	617	622	0	172	172	0				
Apr 26 - May 2	6	5	199	204	0	134	134	7				
May 2 - May 9	8	3	223	226	0	245	245	81				
May 9 - May 16	7	4	202	206	0	64	64	11				
May 16 - May 23	8	29	210	239	2	126	128	2				
May 23 - May 31	7	0	12	12	0	7	7	65				
May 31 - Jun 6	0	1	17	18	4	20	24	0				
*Non-ID counts a	re NOW mot	ths unable t	to be sexe	d as male	or female/or	identified a	s sterile or v	vild due to				

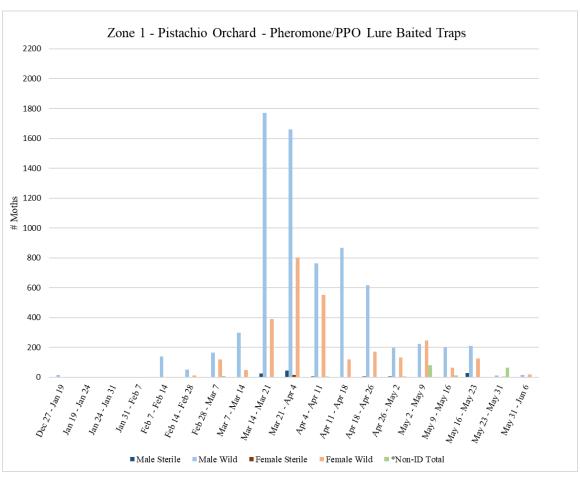
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>18 of the 36 traps in field since Dec 20; 18 of the 36 traps in field since Dec 27

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Traps in field for two weeks

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Traps not serviced in Zone 1 during the week of Apr 1 due to severe weather on site





# Zone 2 Zone 2 is a pistachio orchard where aerial NOW SIT releases are not conducted. A total of **72** traps were collected from Zone 2 on <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>June 1</u>, with **36** pistachio meal baited traps and **36** pheromone/PPO lure traps.

A total of **72** traps were collected from Zone 2 on <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>June 7</u>, with **36** pistachio meal baited traps and **36** pheromone/PPO lure traps.

Zone 2 - Pistachio											
		Pi	stachio M	eal Baited	Traps						
	# of										
	Releases										
	During										
Dates Traps in	Trap	Male	Male	Male	Female	Female	Female	*Non-ID			
Field	Period	Sterile	Wild	Total	Sterile	Wild	Total	Total			
<sup>1</sup> Dec 21 - Jan 20	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0			
Jan 20 - Jan 25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Jan 25 - Feb 1											
Feb 1 - Feb 8	Feb 1 - Feb 8         0         0         0         0         0         0         0										
Feb 8 - Feb 15         0         0         45         45         0         335         335         0											
Feb 15 - Feb 22         0         0         49         49         0         360         360         19											
<sup>2</sup> Feb 22 - Mar 11	0	0	61	61	0	318	318	0			
<sup>3</sup> Mar 11 - Mar 15	0	0	69	69	0	790	790	0			
Mar 15 - Mar 22	0	0	73	73	0	1893	1893	9			
<sup>4</sup> Mar 22 - Apr 5	0	0	106	106	0	2033	2033	27			
Apr 5 - Apr 12	0	0	138	138	0	1091	1091	98			
<sup>5</sup> Apr 12 - Apr 27	0	0	69	69	0	373	373	236			
Apr 27 - May 3	0	0	38	38	0	442	442	370			
May 3 - May 10	0	0	21	21	0	237	237	320			
May 10 - May 18	0	0	39	39	0	345	345	434			
<sup>6</sup> May 18 - Jun 1	0	0	1	1	0	265	265	45			
Jun 1 - Jun 7	0	0	4	4	0	189	189	365			
*Non-ID counts	are NOW mot	hs unable t	o be sexe	d as male	or female/or i	dentified as	sterile or w	rild due to			
missing or unre	*Non-ID counts are NOW moths unable to be sexed as male or female/or identified as sterile or wild due to missing or unrecognizable genitalia caused by predation while traps were in storage awaiting processing										
	<sup>1</sup> Traps in field since 12/21										
<sup>2</sup> Only 13 of the 36 traps serviced this week due to pesticide applications on site											
<sup>3</sup> 13 of the 36 traps in field since Mar 11; 23 of the 36 traps in field since Feb 22											
<sup>4</sup> Traps not serviced in Zone 2 during the week of Apr 1 due to severe weather on site											
<sup>5</sup> Traps no	<sup>5</sup> Traps not serviced in Zone 2 during the week of Apr 22 due to pesticide applications on site										

<sup>6</sup>Traps not serviced in Zone 2 during the week of May 27 due to pesticide applications on site

Zone 2 - Pistachio											
		Pher	omone/PI	PO Lure B	Baited Traps						
	# of										
	Releases										
	During										
Dates Traps in	Trap	Male	Male	Male	Female	Female	Female	*Non-ID			
Field	Period	Sterile	Wild	Total	Sterile	Wild	Total	Total			
<sup>1</sup> Dec 21 - Jan 20	0	0	9	9	0	0	0	0			
Jan 20 - Jan 25	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0			
Jan 25 - Feb 1	0	0	8	8	0	0	0	0			
Feb 1 - Feb 8	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0			
Feb 8 - Feb 15	0	0	49	49	0	7	7	0			
Feb 15 - Feb 22	0	0	106	106	0	15	15	0			
<sup>2</sup> Feb 22 - Mar 11	0	0	80	80	0	20	20	0			
<sup>3</sup> Mar 11 - Mar 15	0	0	351	351	0	103	103	0			
Mar 15 - Mar 22	0	0	1781	1781	0	483	483	0			
<sup>4</sup> Mar 22 - Apr 5	0	0	1771	1771	0	1061	1061	0			
Apr 5 - Apr 12	0	0	631	631	0	699	699	1			
<sup>5</sup> Apr 12 - Apr 27	0	0	791	791	0	282	282	91			
Apr 27 - May 3	0	0	689	689	0	184	184	124			
May 3 - May 10	0	3	867	870	3	430	433	248			
May 10 - May 18	0	0	569	569	0	372	372	250			
<sup>6</sup> May 18 - Jun 1	0	0	1268	1268	0	314	314	9			
Jun 1 - Jun 7	0	0	77	77	0	116	116	19			
*Non-ID counts	are NOW mo	ths unable	to be sex	ed as male	e or female/o	r identified	as sterile o	r wild due to			

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1 Traps in field since 12/21

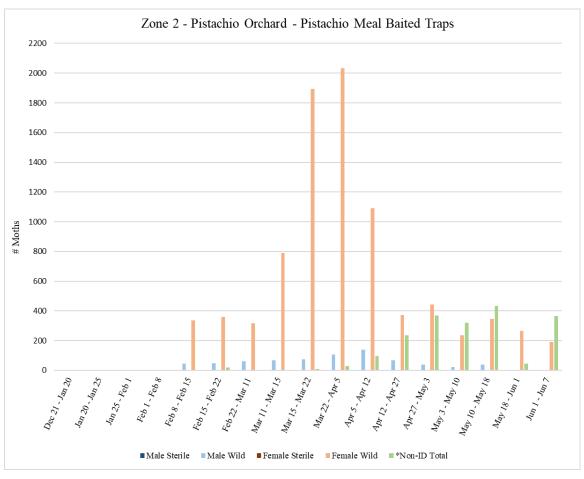
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Only 13 of the 36 traps serviced this week due to pesticide applications on site

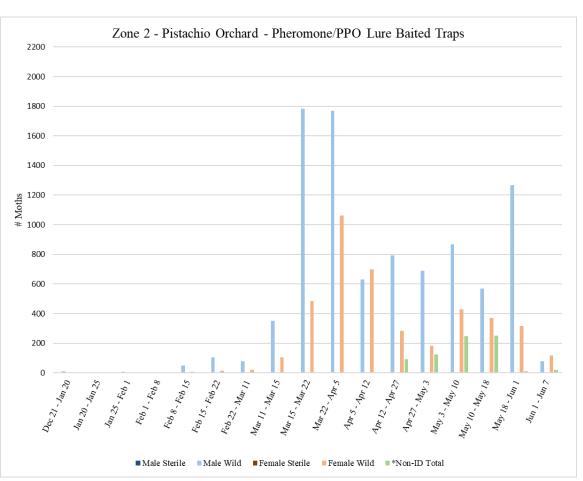
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>13 of the 36 traps in field since Mar 11; 23 of the 36 traps in field since Feb 22

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>Traps not serviced in Zone 2 during the week of Apr 1 due to severe weather on site

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup>Traps not serviced in Zone 2 during the week of Apr 22 due to pesticide applications on site

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup>Traps not serviced in Zone 2 during the week of May 27 due to pesticide applications on site





Zone 3 is an almond orchard where aerial NOW SIT releases are conducted. A total of **72** traps were collected from Zone 3 on <u>Thursday</u>, <u>June 2</u>, with **36** pistachio meal baited traps and **36** pheromone/PPO lure traps.

A total of **72** traps were collected from Zone 3 on <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>June 8</u>, with **36** pistachio meal baited traps and **36** pheromone/PPO lure traps.

	Zone 3 - Almond										
		P	istachio l	Meal Bait	ed Traps						
	# of										
	Releases										
	During										
Dates Traps in	Trap	Male	Male	Male	Female	Female	Female				
Field	Period	Sterile	Wild	Total	Sterile	Wild	Total	*Non-ID Total			
<sup>1</sup> Dec 22 - Jan 21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Jan 21 - Jan 26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Jan 26 - Feb 2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Feb 2 - Feb 9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Feb 9 - Feb 16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Feb 16 - Feb 23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Feb 23 - Mar 2	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0			
Mar 2 - Mar 9	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	0			
Mar 9 - Mar 16	2	0	4	4	0	9	9	0			
Mar 16 - Mar 23	8	0	0	0	0	24	24	0			
Mar 23 - Mar 30	9	0	5	5	0	45	45	0			
Mar 30 - Apr 6	7	0	0	0	0	39	39	0			
Apr 6 - Apr 13	8	0	2	2	0	52	52	0			
Apr 13 - Apr 19	7	0	0	0	0	59	59	0			
Apr 19 - Apr 25	6	1	1	2	2	34	36	0			
Apr 25 - May 4	9	0	1	1	4	84	88	0			
May 4 - May 11	8	0	6	6	0	6	6	2			
May 11 - May 17	6	0	0	0	1	17	18	1			
May 17 - May 25	9	0	7	7	0	17	17	8			
May 25 - Jun 2	5	5	3	8	6	14	20	12			
Jun 2 - Jun 8	0	3	1	4	2	29	31	8			

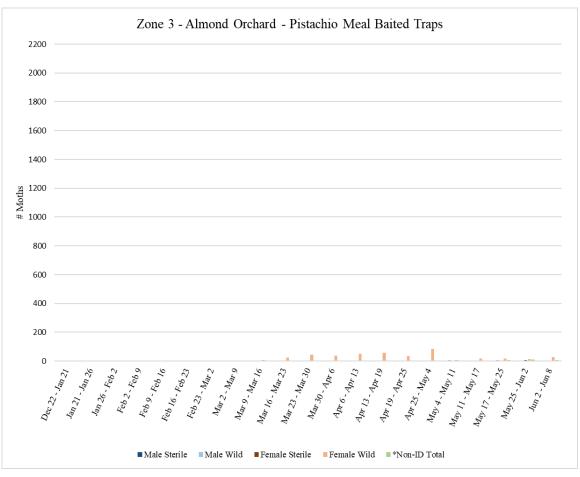
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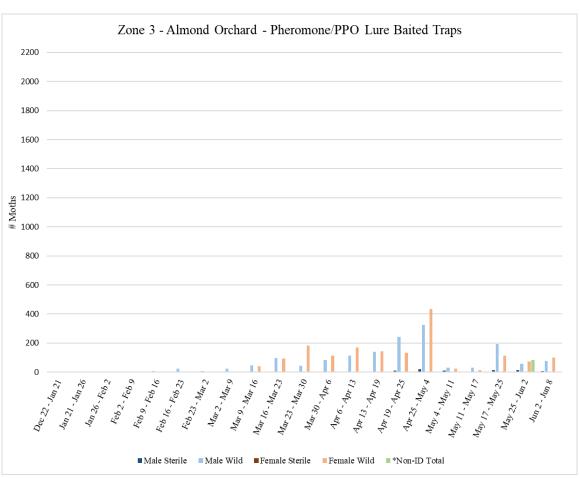
1Traps in field since 12/22

	Zone 3 - Almond											
		Phero	mone/PP	O Lure Ba	ited Traps							
	# of											
	Releases											
	During											
Dates Traps in	Trap	Male	Male	Male	Female	Female	Female	*Non-ID				
Field	Period	Sterile	Wild	Total	Sterile	Wild	Total	Total				
<sup>1</sup> Dec 22 - Jan 21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1				
Jan 21 - Jan 26	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0				
Jan 26 - Feb 2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Feb 2 - Feb 9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Feb 9 - Feb 16	0	0	6	6	0	0	0	0				
Feb 16 - Feb 23	0	0	24	24	0	2	2	1				
Feb 23 - Mar 2	0	0	7	7	0	0	0	0				
Mar 2 - Mar 9	0	0	23	23	0	3	3	1				
Mar 9 - Mar 16	2	0	46	46	0	40	40	0				
Mar 16 - Mar 23	8	1	96	97	0	94	94	0				
Mar 23 - Mar 30	9	1	45	46	0	182	182	0				
Mar 30 - Apr 6	7	1	82	83	0	113	113	0				
Apr 6 - Apr 13	8	1	113	114	0	171	171	0				
Apr 13 - Apr 19	7	0	139	139	0	142	142	0				
Apr 19 - Apr 25	6	10	243	253	1	134	135	0				
Apr 25 - May 4	9	22	325	347	1	435	436	1				
May 4 - May 11	8	11	30	41	0	25	25	3				
May 11 - May 17	6	4	31	35	0	14	14	2				
May 17 - May 25	9	14	192	206	1	112	113	4				
May 25 - Jun 2	5	14	56	70	2	73	75	85				
Jun 2 - Jun 8	0	6	76	82	1	100	101	1				

<sup>\*</sup>Non-ID counts are NOW moths unable to be sexed as male or female/or identified as sterile or wild due to missing or unrecognizable genitalia caused by predation while traps were in storage awaiting processing

1 Traps in field since 12/22





Zone 4 is an almond orchard where aerial NOW SIT releases are not conducted. A total of **72** traps were collected from Zone 4 on Friday, June 3, with **36** pistachio meal baited traps and **36** pheromone/PPO lure traps.

No traps were serviced in Zone 4 during the week of <u>June 10</u> due to issues with staffing.

Zone 4 - Almond										
		Pis	stachio M	eal Baited	d Traps					
	# of Releases During									
Dates Traps in	Trap	Male	Male	Male	Female	Female	Female	*Non-ID		
Field	Period	Sterile	Wild	Total	Sterile	Wild	Total	Total		
<sup>1</sup> Dec 2 - Jan 21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Jan 21 - Jan 27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Jan 27 - Feb 3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Feb 3 - Feb 10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Feb 10 - Feb 17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Feb 17 - Feb 24	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0		
Feb 24 - Mar 3	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0		
Mar 3 - Mar 10	0	0	4	4	0	5	5	0		
Mar 10 - Mar 17	0	0	5	5	0	21	21	0		
Mar 17 - Mar 24	0	0	3	3	0	81	81	0		
Mar 24 - Apr 1	0	0	17	17	0	232	232	0		
Apr 1 - Apr 7	0	0	7	7	0	213	213	0		
Apr 7 - Apr 14	0	0	35	35	0	172	172	0		
Apr 14 - Apr 20	0	0	14	14	0	187	187	7		
Apr 20 - Apr 28	0	0	0	0	0	197	197	0		
Apr 28 - May 5	0	0	4	4	0	159	159	11		
May 5 - May 12	0	0	3	3	0	52	52	6		
<sup>2</sup> May 12 - May 26	0	0	83	83	0	157	157	11		
May 26 - Jun 3	0	3	4	7	2	16	18	1		
<sup>3</sup> Jun 3 -										
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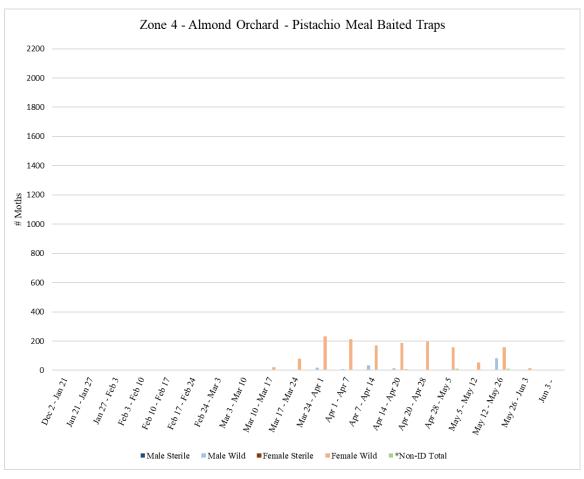
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Traps not serviced in Zone 4 during the week of May 20 due to pesticide applications on site <sup>3</sup>Traps not serviced in Zone 4 during the week of June 10 due to staff shortage

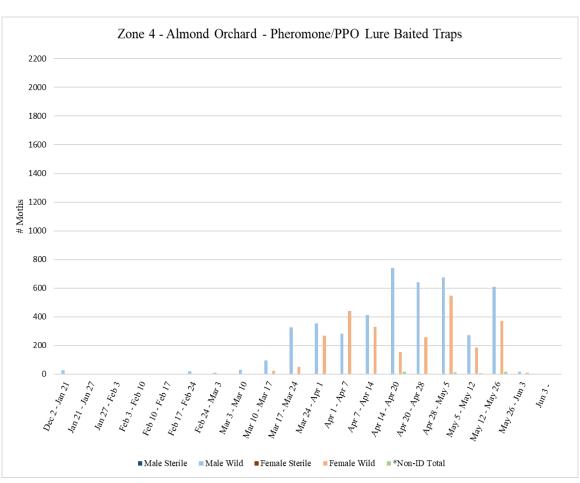
	Zone 4 - Almond											
	Pheromone/PPO Lure Baited Traps											
	# of Releases During											
Dates Traps in	Trap	Male	Male	Male	Female	Female	Female	*Non-ID				
Field	Period	Sterile	Wild	Total	Sterile	Wild	Total	Total				
<sup>1</sup> Dec 2 - Jan 21	0	0	26	26	0	1	1	0				
Jan 21 - Jan 27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Jan 27 - Feb 3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Feb 3 - Feb 10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Feb 10 - Feb 17	0	0	4	4	0	0	0	0				
Feb 17 - Feb 24	0	0	20	20	0	1	1	0				
Feb 24 - Mar 3	0	0	11	11	0	3	3	0				
Mar 3 - Mar 10	0	0	30	30	0	3	3	0				
Mar 10 - Mar 17	0	0	96	96	0	25	25	1				
Mar 17 - Mar 24	0	0	328	328	0	50	50	0				
Mar 24 - Apr 1	0	0	355	355	0	267	267	0				
Apr 1 - Apr 7	0	0	281	281	0	439	439	0				
Apr 7 - Apr 14	0	0	414	414	0	330	330	0				
Apr 14 - Apr 20	0	0	742	742	0	154	154	17				
Apr 20 - Apr 28	0	0	640	640	0	257	257	3				
Apr 28 - May 5	0	0	676	676	0	549	549	14				
May 5 - May 12	0	0	271	271	0	185	185	6				
<sup>2</sup> May 12 - May 26	0	0	609	609	0	370	370	18				
May 26 - Jun 3	0	1	17	18	2	11	13	0				
<sup>3</sup> Jun 3 -												
*Non ID counts												

<sup>\*</sup>Non-ID counts are NOW moths unable to be sexed as male or female/or identified as sterile or wild due to missing or unrecognizable genitalia caused by predation while traps were in storage awaiting processing

¹Traps in field since 12/2

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Traps not serviced in Zone 4 during the week of May 20 due to pesticide applications on site <sup>3</sup>Traps not serviced in Zone 4 during the week of June 10 due to staff shortage





Zone 5 is a pistachio orchard where aerial NOW SIT releases will be conducted. A total of **72** traps were collected from Zone 5 on <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>May 31</u>, with **36** pistachio meal baited traps and **36** pheromone/PPO lure traps.

A total of **72** traps were collected from Zone 5 on Monday, June 6, with **36** pistachio meal baited traps and **36** pheromone/PPO lure traps.

	Zone 5 - Pistachio											
		Pi	stachio M	Ieal Baited	l Traps							
	# of Releases During											
Dates Traps in	Trap	Male	Male	Male	Female	Female	Female	*Non-ID				
Field	Period	Sterile	Wild	Total	Sterile	Wild	Total	Total				
<sup>1</sup> Dec 20 - Jan 12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Jan 12 - Jan 18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Jan 18 - Jan 24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Jan 24 - Jan 31	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0				
Jan 31 -Feb 7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Feb 7 - Feb 14	0	0	25	25	0	138	138	0				
Feb 14 - Feb 24	0	0	40	40	0	204	204	0				
Feb 24 - Feb 28	0	0	6	6	0	12	12	0				
Feb 28 - Mar 7	0	0	166	166	0	327	327	3				
Mar 7 - Mar 14	0	0	26	26	0	124	124	5				
Mar 14 - Mar 21	0	0	80	80	0	720	720	2				
<sup>2</sup> Mar 21 - Apr 5	0	0	78	78	0	960	960	0				
Apr 5 - Apr 11	0	0	19	19	0	566	566	3				
Apr 11 - Apr 18	0	0	21	21	0	127	127	11				
Apr 18 - Apr 25	0	0	11	11	0	194	194	70				
Apr 25 - May 2	0	0	18	18	0	254	254	161				
May 2 - May 9	0	0	21	21	0	210	210	41				
May 9 - May 16	0	0	27	27	0	298	298	130				
May 16 - May 26	0	0	9	9	0	111	111	30				
May 26 - May 31	2	0	4	4	1	80	81	35				
May 31 - Jun 6	0	0	5	5	5	130	135	177				

<sup>\*</sup>Non-ID counts are NOW moths unable to be sexed as male or female/or identified as sterile or wild due to missing or unrecognizable genitalia caused by predation while traps were in storage awaiting processing

1 Traps in field since 12/20

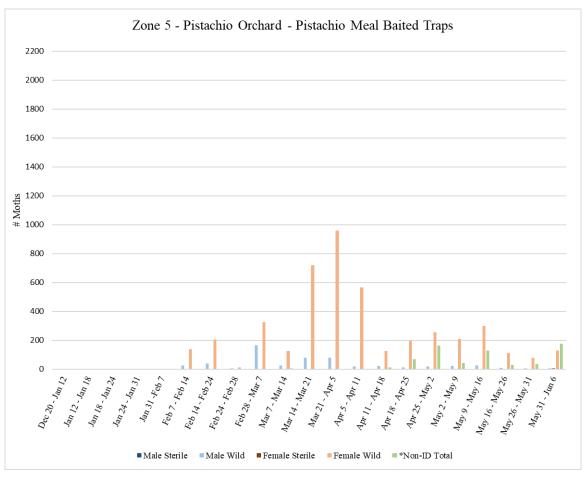
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Traps not serviced in Zone 5 during the week of Apr 1 due to severe weather on site

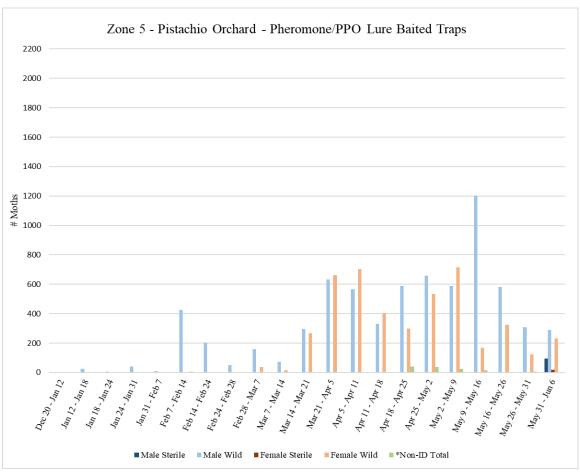
Zone 5 - Pistachio											
Pheromone/PPO Lure Baited Traps											
	# of										
	Releases										
	During										
Dates Traps in	Trap	Male	Male	Male	Female	Female	Female				
Field	Period	Sterile	Wild	Total	Sterile	Wild	Total	*Non-ID Total			
<sup>1</sup> Dec 20 - Jan 12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Jan 12 - Jan 18	0	0	24	24	0	0	0	0			
Jan 18 - Jan 24	0	0	7	7	0	0	0	0			
Jan 24 - Jan 31	0	0	41	41	0	0	0	0			
Jan 31 - Feb 7	0	0	10	10	0	0	0	0			
Feb 7 - Feb 14	0	0	427	427	0	1	1	7			
Feb 14 - Feb 24	0	0	202	202	0	3	3	0			
Feb 24 - Feb 28	0	0	51	51	0	0	0	0			
Feb 28 - Mar 7	0	0	159	159	0	38	38	0			
Mar 7 - Mar 14	0	0	74	74	0	15	15	0			
Mar 14 - Mar 21	0	0	296	296	0	266	266	4			
<sup>2</sup> Mar 21 - Apr 5	0	0	634	634	0	660	660	2			
Apr 5 - Apr 11	0	0	565	565	0	703	703	0			
Apr 11 - Apr 18	0	0	329	329	0	402	402	4			
Apr 18 - Apr 25	0	0	589	589	0	297	297	42			
Apr 25 - May 2	0	0	657	657	0	535	535	39			
May 2 - May 9	0	0	589	589	0	715	715	26			
May 9 - May 16	0	0	1203	1203	0	168	168	15			
May 16 - May 26	0	0	582	582	0	325	325	4			
May 26 - May 31	2	1	308	309	0	125	125	5			
May 31 - Jun 6	0	95	288	383	17	231	248	4			

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1 Traps in field since 12/20

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Traps not serviced in Zone 5 during the week of Apr 1 due to severe weather on site





Zone 6 is a pistachio orchard where aerial NOW SIT releases are not conducted. A total of **18** traps were collected from Zone 6 on Wednesday, June 1, with **9** pistachio meal baited traps and **9** pheromone/PPO lure traps.

A total of 18 traps were collected from Zone 6 on <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>June 7</u>, with 9 pistachio meal baited traps and 9 pheromone/PPO lure traps.

	Zone 6 - Pistachio											
		F	Pistachio l	Meal Baite	ed Traps							
	# of Releases During											
Dates Traps in	Trap	Male	Male	Male	Female	Female	Female	*Non-ID				
Field	Period	Sterile	Wild	Total	Sterile	Wild	Total	Total				
<sup>1</sup> Dec 21 - Jan 11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Jan 11 - Jan 19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Jan 19 - Jan 25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Jan 25 - Feb 1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Feb 1 - Feb 8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Feb 8 - Feb 15	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0				
Feb 15 - Feb 22	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	0				
Feb 22 - Mar 2	0	0	1	1	0	11	11	0				
Mar 2 - Mar 7	0	0	1	1	0	22	22	0				
Mar 7 - Mar 15	0	0	0	0	0	29	29	0				
Mar 15 - Mar 22	0	0	0	0	0	24	24	0				
<sup>2</sup> Mar 22 - Apr 6	0	0	44	44	0	175	175	0				
Apr 6 - Apr 12	0	0	1	1	0	132	132	0				
Apr 12 - Apr 20	0	0	11	11	0	123	123	14				
Apr 20 - Apr 26	0	0	5	5	0	75	75	9				
Apr 26 - May 3	0	0	16	16	0	18	18	3				
May 3 - May 10	0	0	0	0	0	7	7	1				
May 10 - May 17	0	0	2	2	0	19	19	4				
May 17 - May 24	0	0	0	0	0	7	7	1				
May 24 - Jun 1	0	0	0	0	0	9	9	1				
Jun 1 - Jun 7	0	0	0	0	0	38	38	14				

<sup>\*</sup>Non-ID counts are NOW moths unable to be sexed as male or female/or identified as sterile or wild due to missing or unrecognizable genitalia caused by predation while traps were in storage awaiting processing

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Traps in field since 12/21

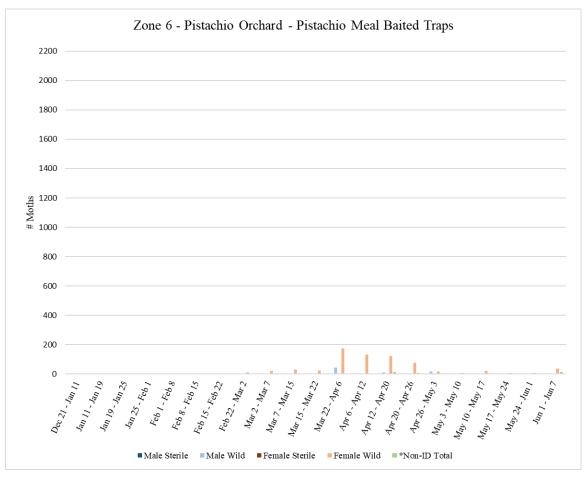
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Traps not serviced in Zone 6 during the week of Apr 1 due to severe weather on site

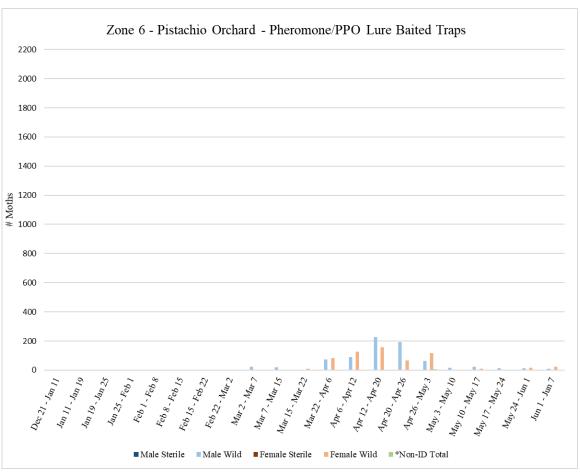
Zone 6 - Pistachio										
Pheromone/PPO Lure Baited Traps										
	# of Releases During									
Dates Traps in	Trap	Male	Male	Male	Female	Female	Female	*Non-ID		
Field	Period	Sterile	Wild	Total	Sterile	Wild	Total	Total		
<sup>1</sup> Dec 21 - Jan 11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Jan 11 - Jan 19	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0		
Jan 19 - Jan 25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Jan 25 - Feb 1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Feb 1 - Feb 8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Feb 8 - Feb 15	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0		
Feb 15 - Feb 22	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0		
Feb 22 - Mar 2	0	0	2	2	0	1	1	0		
Mar 2 - Mar 7	0	0	24	24	0	1	1	0		
Mar 7 - Mar 15	0	0	20	20	0	0	0	0		
Mar 15 - Mar 22	0	0	0	0	0	8	8	0		
<sup>2</sup> Mar 22 - Apr 6	0	0	72	72	0	83	83	0		
Apr 6 - Apr 12	0	0	89	89	0	126	126	0		
Apr 12 - Apr 20	0	0	228	228	0	155	155	3		
Apr 20 - Apr 26	0	0	192	192	0	67	67	2		
Apr 26 - May 3	0	0	64	64	0	118	118	5		
May 3 - May 10	0	0	16	16	0	2	2	2		
May 10 - May 17	0	0	23	23	0	11	11	2		
May 17 - May 24	0	0	13	13	0	3	3	0		
May 24 - Jun 1	0	0	12	12	0	17	17	1		
Jun 1 - Jun 7	0	0	10	10	0	22	22	0		

<sup>\*</sup>Non-ID counts are NOW moths unable to be sexed as male or female/or identified as sterile or wild due to missing or unrecognizable genitalia caused by predation while traps were in storage awaiting processing

1 Traps in field since 12/21

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Traps not serviced in Zone 6 during the week of Apr 1 due to severe weather on site





Zone 7 is an almond orchard where aerial NOW SIT releases will be conducted. A total of **72** traps were collected from Zone 7 on <u>Thursday</u>, <u>June 2</u>, with **36** pistachio meal baited traps and **36** pheromone/PPO lure traps.

A total of **72** traps were collected from Zone 7 on <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>June 8</u>, with **36** pistachio meal baited traps and **36** pheromone/PPO lure traps.

Zone 7 - Almond									
Pistachio Meal Baited Traps									
	# of Releases During								
Dates Traps in	Trap	Male	Male	Male	Female	Female	Female	*Non-ID	
Field	Period	Sterile	Wild	Total	Sterile	Wild	Total	Total	
<sup>1</sup> Dec 8 - Jan 13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Jan 13 - Jan 20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Jan 20 - Jan 26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Jan 26 - Feb 2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Feb 2 - Feb 9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Feb 9 - Feb 16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Feb 16 - Feb 23	0	0	3	3	0	1	1	0	
Feb 23 - Mar 1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Mar 1 - Mar 9	0	0	1	1	0	7	7	0	
Mar 9 - Mar 16	0	0	6	6	0	13	13	0	
Mar 16 - Mar 23	0	0	0	0	0	10	10	0	
<sup>2</sup> Mar 23 - Apr 7	0	0	6	6	0	191	191	0	
Apr 7 - Apr 13	0	0	17	17	0	125	125	0	
Apr 13 - Apr 19	0	0	10	10	0	74	74	3	
Apr 19 - Apr 27	0	0	11	11	0	109	109	7	
Apr 27 - May 4	0	0	11	11	0	122	122	10	
May 4 - May 11	0	0	8	8	0	34	34	6	
May 11 - May 18	0	0	0	0	0	101	101	0	
May 18 - May 25	0	0	0	0	0	30	30	1	
May 25 - Jun 2	2	0	1	1	0	19	19	0	
Jun 2 - Jun 8	0	2	2	4	4	40	44	4	

<sup>\*</sup>Non-ID counts are NOW moths unable to be sexed as male or female/or identified as sterile or wild due to missing or unrecognizable genitalia caused by predation while traps were in storage awaiting processing

1 Traps in field since 12/8

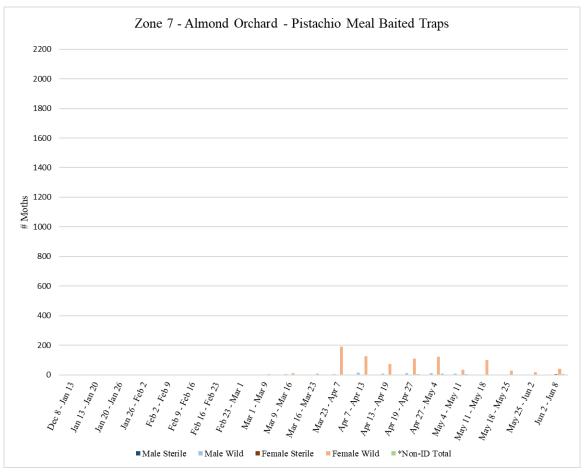
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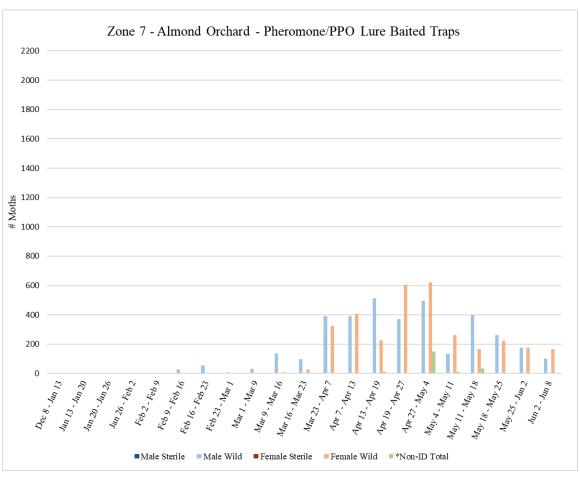
Zone 7 - Almond										
Pheromone/PPO Lure Baited Traps										
	# of Releases									
	During									
Dates Traps in	Trap	Male	Male	Male	Female	Female	Female	*Non-ID		
Field	Period	Sterile	Wild	Total	Sterile	Wild	Total	Total		
<sup>1</sup> Dec 8 - Jan 13	0	0	6	6	0	0	0	0		
Jan 13 - Jan 20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Jan 20 - Jan 26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Jan 26 - Feb 2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Feb 2 - Feb 9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Feb 9 - Feb 16	0	0	29	29	0	0	0	0		
Feb 16 - Feb 23	0	0	55	55	0	0	0	0		
Feb 23 - Mar 1	0	0	8	8	0	0	0	0		
Mar 1 - Mar 9	0	0	31	31	0	0	0	0		
Mar 9 - Mar 16	0	0	138	138	0	8	8	0		
Mar 16 - Mar 23	0	0	98	98	0	27	27	0		
<sup>2</sup> Mar 23 - Apr 7	0	0	390	390	0	325	325	1		
Apr 7 - Apr 13	0	0	390	390	0	408	408	1		
Apr 13 - Apr 19	0	0	512	512	0	227	227	11		
Apr 19 - Apr 27	0	0	372	372	0	604	604	0		
Apr 27 - May 4	0	0	495	495	0	623	623	150		
May 4 - May 11	0	0	135	135	0	261	261	12		
May 11 - May 18	0	0	396	396	0	165	165	34		
May 18 - May 25	0	0	263	263	0	221	221	3		
May 25 - Jun 2	2	0	176	176	0	177	177	0		
Jun 2 - Jun 8	0	5	100	105	1	165	166	1		

<sup>\*</sup>Non-ID counts are NOW moths unable to be sexed as male or female/or identified as sterile or wild due to missing or unrecognizable genitalia caused by predation while traps were in storage awaiting processing

1 Traps in field since 12/8

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Traps not serviced in Zone 7 during the week of Apr 1 due to severe weather on site





Zone 8 is an almond orchard where aerial NOW SIT releases are not conducted. A total of **18** traps were collected from Zone 8 on <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>June 1</u>, with **9** pistachio meal baited traps and **9** pheromone/PPO lure traps.

A total of 18 traps were collected from Zone 8 on <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>June 7</u>, with 9 pistachio meal baited traps and 9 pheromone/PPO lure traps.

Zone 8 - Almond									
Pistachio Meal Baited Traps									
	# of Releases During								
Dates Traps in	Trap	Male	Male	Male	Female	Female	Female	*Non-ID	
Field	Period	Sterile	Wild	Total	Sterile	Wild	Total	Total	
<sup>1</sup> Dec 21 - Jan 11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Jan 11 - Jan 19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Jan 19 - Jan 25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Jan 25 - Feb 1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Feb 1 - Feb 8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Feb 8 - Feb 15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Feb 15 - Feb 22	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	
Feb 22 - Mar 2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Mar 2 - Mar 7	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	
Mar 7 - Mar 15	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	
Mar 15 - Mar 22	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	
<sup>2</sup> Mar 22 - Apr 6	0	0	70	70	0	59	59	0	
Apr 6 - Apr 12	0	0	7	7	0	37	37	0	
Apr 12 - Apr 20	0	0	2	2	0	23	23	0	
Apr 20 - Apr 26	0	0	0	0	0	9	9	0	
Apr 26 - May 3	0	0	0	0	0	22	22	2	
May 3 - May 10	0	0	3	3	0	3	3	2	
May 10 - May 17	0	0	0	0	0	10	10	2	
May 17 - May 24	0	0	16	16	0	19	19	0	
May 24 - Jun 1	0	0	1	1	0	6	6	0	
Jun 1 - Jun 7	0	0	0	0	0	16	16	9	

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1 Traps in field since 12/21

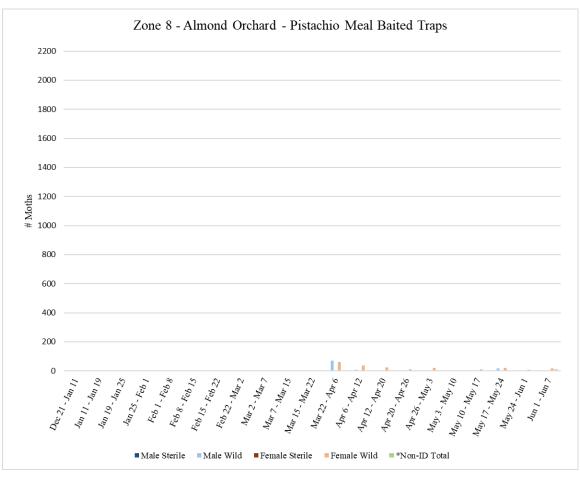
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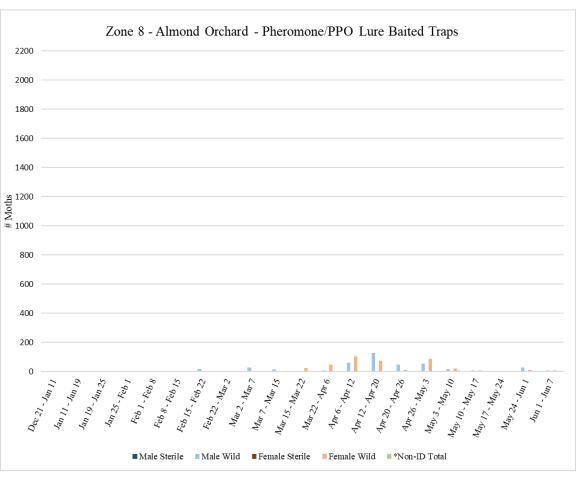
Zone 8 - Almond										
Pheromone/PPO Lure Baited Traps										
	# of Releases									
	During									
Dates Traps in	Trap	Male	Male	Male	Female	Female	Female	*Non-ID		
Field	Period	Sterile	Wild	Total	Sterile	Wild	Total	Total		
<sup>1</sup> Dec 21 - Jan 11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Jan 11 - Jan 19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Jan 19 - Jan 25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Jan 25 - Feb 1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Feb 1 - Feb 8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Feb 8 - Feb 15	0	0	2	2	0	1	1	0		
Feb 15 - Feb 22	0	0	19	19	0	0	0	0		
Feb 22 - Mar 2	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0		
Mar 2 - Mar 7	0	0	28	28	0	4	4	0		
Mar 7 - Mar 15	0	0	15	15	0	0	0	0		
Mar 15 - Mar 22	0	0	0	0	0	25	25	0		
<sup>2</sup> Mar 22 - Apr 6	0	0	8	8	0	46	46	0		
Apr 6 - Apr 12	0	0	61	61	0	104	104	2		
Apr 12 - Apr 20	0	0	126	126	0	75	75	0		
Apr 20 - Apr 26	0	0	48	48	0	11	11	4		
Apr 26 - May 3	0	0	54	54	0	86	86	3		
May 3 - May 10	0	0	16	16	0	20	20	8		
May 10 - May 17	0	0	9	9	0	7	7	1		
May 17 - May 24	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	1		
May 24 - Jun 1	0	1	26	27	0	12	12	1		
Jun 1 - Jun 7	0	0	9	9	0	7	7	0		

<sup>\*</sup>Non-ID counts are NOW moths unable to be sexed as male or female/or identified as sterile or wild due to missing or unrecognizable genitalia caused by predation while traps were in storage awaiting processing

1 Traps in field since 12/21

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Traps not serviced in Zone 8 during the week of Apr 1 due to severe weather on site





#### IV. Quality Control

QC tests are performed on samples taken from each shipment of sterile NOW moths. These tests include: zero-hour mortality rates, zero-hour mating dissections, forty-eight-hour mating dissections, seven-day longevity monitoring, and crush tests. Throughout the span of a week, Monday through Sunday, the results of each test are averaged. Below are the QC results for Mag 1 and Mag 2 of sterile NOW moths during the week of Monday, May 23, 2022 to Sunday, May 29, 2022:

#### Mag 1:

- 0% of moths from samples found dead at zero hour
- 0% of moths from samples found to have mated at zero hour
- 17% of moths from samples found to have mated after forty-eight hours
- 72% of moths from samples remained alive after seven days in BioChamber
- 93% of moths from samples found to have distinct red dye markings

#### Mag 2:

- 0% of moths from samples found dead at zero hour
- 1% of moths from samples found to have mated at zero hour
- 13% of moths from samples found to have mated after forty-eight hour
- 41% of moths from samples remained alive after seven days in BioChamber
- 86% of moths from samples found to have distinct red dye markings

No releases were conducted during the week of <u>Monday, May 30, 2022</u> to <u>Sunday, June 5, 2022</u> due to issues with release aircraft, therefore no QC was conducted during that time.