

PINK BOLLWORM PROGRAM – WEEKLY REPORT
47 YEARS OF SERVICE TO COTTON GROWERS



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Pink Bollworm Activities

Southern California:

Agricultural Pest Control Supervisor Jodi Brigman reported rain totals for the following areas:

Palo Verde Valley - Blythe NE .32", Ripley 1.05" and Palo Verde .00
Imperial Valley - Calipateria .01, Seeley .24, Meloland .23, Andrade .23 and Indio .00

The native or sterile pink bollworm moth counts are still zero.

San Joaquin Valley:

There have been a few traps added with one trap added to Fresno County and three added to Merced County. There are still no native (or sterile) pink bollworm moths captured in 2014. Everything is going very well.

Sacramento Valley:

Agricultural Pest Control Supervisor Larry Olagues traveled to the northern cotton counties of Glenn and Sutter. Larry placed 20 traps in Glenn County cotton fields and 6 traps in Sutter County cotton fields. The traps will be inspected and removed in mid to late October, depending on heat unit accumulations and weather.