

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



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**Pink Bollworm Activities**

**Southern California:**

Agricultural Technician II John Nelson reported that a 160 acre field of cotton has been picked in the Palo Verde Valley. The field had severe damage due to hail and poor standing. Agricultural Pest Control Supervisor Jodi Brigman reports no pink bollworm moths have been trapped.

**San Joaquin Valley:**

There were 543 traps (100%) serviced in Kern County fields over two weeks. There were 197 traps (99.5%) serviced in Tulare County over two weeks and one trap could not be serviced due to a road block. There were 657 traps (100%) serviced in Kings County in one week. There were 588 traps (100%) serviced in Fresno County fields over two weeks. There were 18 traps (100%) serviced in Madera County fields in one week. There were 597 traps (93.1%) serviced in Merced County fields over two weeks. There was a vehicle breakdown and 43 traps could not be serviced.

**Sacramento Valley:**

The traps will be inspected and removed by late September or early October, depending on heat unit accumulations and weather.