Request for Information on Crop Cycles in California

From: Monisha Kaul

Sent: 10/22/2009 12:03 PM AST

To: Teung Chin

Subject: Questions for IPM Centers

Hello Dr. Chin,

Skee Jones suggested the we go to you with some questions about California crop cycles. EPA would like to know how many crop cycles are grown in California for the attached list of crops annually. I have attached a table with the crop names and estimated number of annual cycles. I'm assuming that the Western IPM centers will best be able to get the answers. By the way, a couple of years ago we asked the IPM center a similar question, but for different crops. If I remember correctly, Rick Melnicoe provided very helpful feedback.

Please contact me with any questions. Thank you.

Monisha

(See attached file: CA crop cycles table102209.doc)

Monisha Kaul

Biological and Economic Analysis Division Office of Pesticide Programs US Environmental Protection Agency

703-308-0098