# SUGARCANE TRIAL

WORTHY PARK ESTATE
JAMAICA
2015-2016

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#### **WORTHY PARK ESTATE**

- One of the largest sugarcane estates in Jamaica.
- Located in the Parish of St. Catherine.
- Sugarcane is cultivated under rain fed conditions.
- Trials commenced in July 2015 (one month after previous harvest).
- Acreage: 7 acres
- Variety: BJ82119 (susceptible to orange rust which is most often aggravated by dry periods)
- Annual rain fall is normally 60in per year; last year 2015 to date, records show only 22.72in of rain fell, just a fraction above one third of normal expected rainfall.

#### **TREATMENTS**

- 1. One application of Secondary Culture (Innocare, molasses, local soil)
- 2. Three applications of Vitazyme, Wholesome and iSurge (500 mL / Acre ) (iPOP)
- 3. Applications were made over a four month period between July 2015 to October 2015
- 4. Applications were made using knapsack sprayer
- 5. Annual rain fall was just above one third of the annual rainfall average

#### PREPARING TREATMENT MIXTURES





#### TREATED UNTREATED







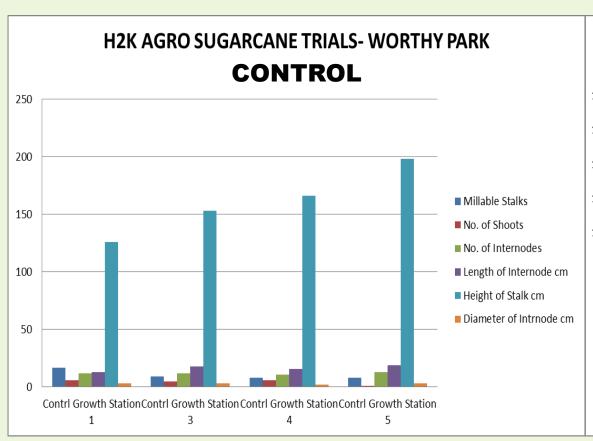
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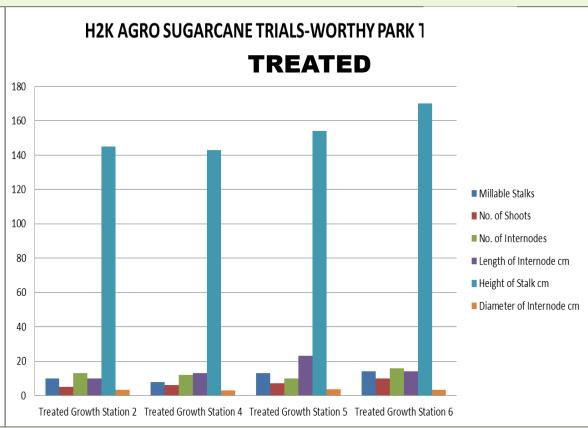




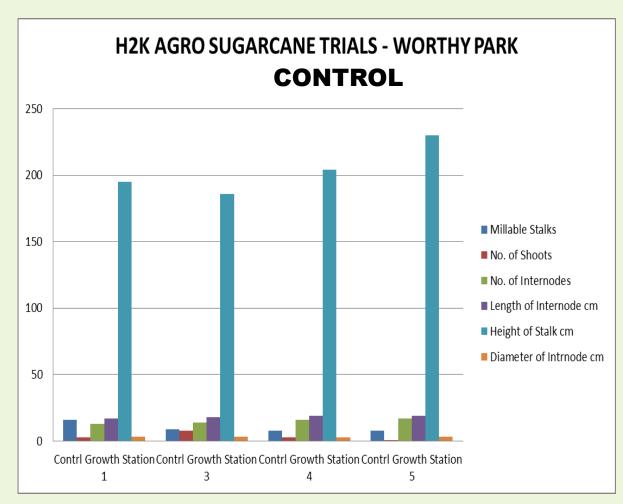


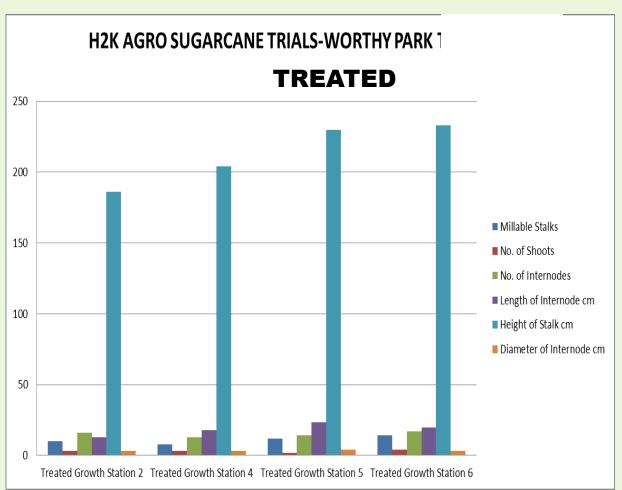
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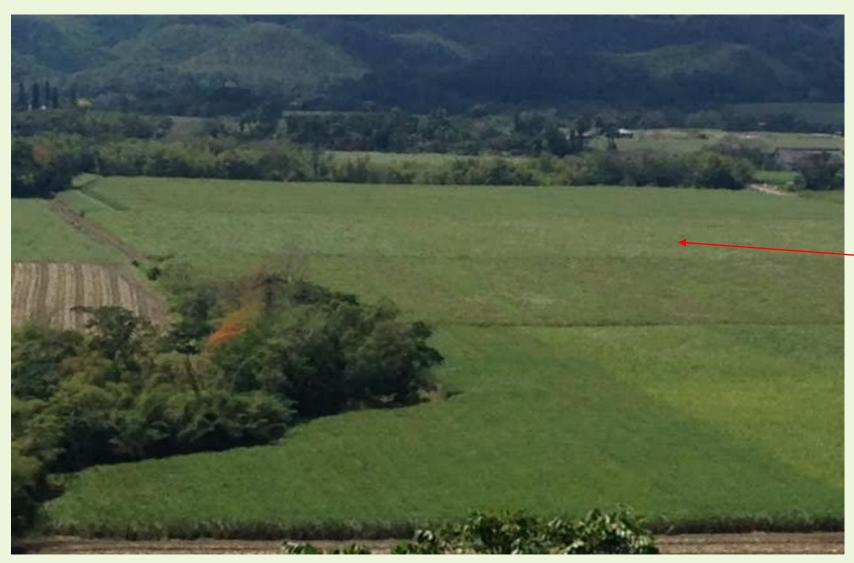


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Trial Field



#### **JUICE ANALYSIS**

Sample No.	Tonnes Cane	Brix	Pol	Purity	тстѕ	TRCS				
CONTROL										
1	1	13.76	10.85	79.37	12.85	7.78				
2	1	13.47	10.96	81.37	12.57	7.95				
Ave.		13.62	10.91	80.37	12.71	7.87				
TREATED										
3	1	15.97	13.84	86.66	9.00	11.12				
4	1	14.48	12.11	83.63	10.60	9.43				
Ave.		15.22	12.98	85.14	9.80	10.27				

#### **FIELD HISTORY**

YEAR	ACREAGE	TONNES	TC/HECT	TS	TC/TS	TS/HECT
2016	7.02	720.74	102.67	60.63	11.89	8.64
2015	7.02	496.17	70.6	59.0	8.41	8.41
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2014	7.00	F22.07	70.53	C4 25	0.00	0.47
2014	7.02	532.97	79.52	64.35	8.28	9.17

# **END OF PRESENTATION**