Giving Remoa A Tri

A Virginia Cage Field trial

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What is Remoa Tri?

- New Adulticide
- 3 Active Ingredients
 - Abamectin
 - Fenpropathrin
 - C8910
- 3 Modes of Action
- Efficacy against metabolic resistance and knockdown resistance
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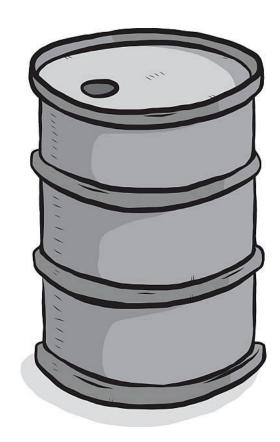


CDC Bottle Bio Assay Testing Results Overview

- 2018-2023
- Aedes Albopictus
 - Susceptible to every active ingredient tested against
 - Pyrethroid (permethrin, prallethrin, sumithrin, deltamethrin, etofenprox, synergists w/pyrethroids)
 - Organophosphate (chlorpyrifos, malthion, naled, synergists w/ pyrethroids)
- Culex pipiens
 - Pyrethroids Resistant to all until 2023 where it was found to be Susceptible to Permethrin with PBO
 - Organophosphates
 - Susceptible to Naled
 - Resistant Susceptible for Chlorpyrifos & Malathion

What adulticide will we use against Culex pipiens?

- Halted the use of pyrethroid based adulticides
 - Possibility of further increasing their resistance to it
- Began using an organophosphate based adulticide
 - MosquitoMost 2 chlorpyrifos





HELLO, IS THERE **ANYBODY** INTHERE

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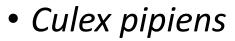
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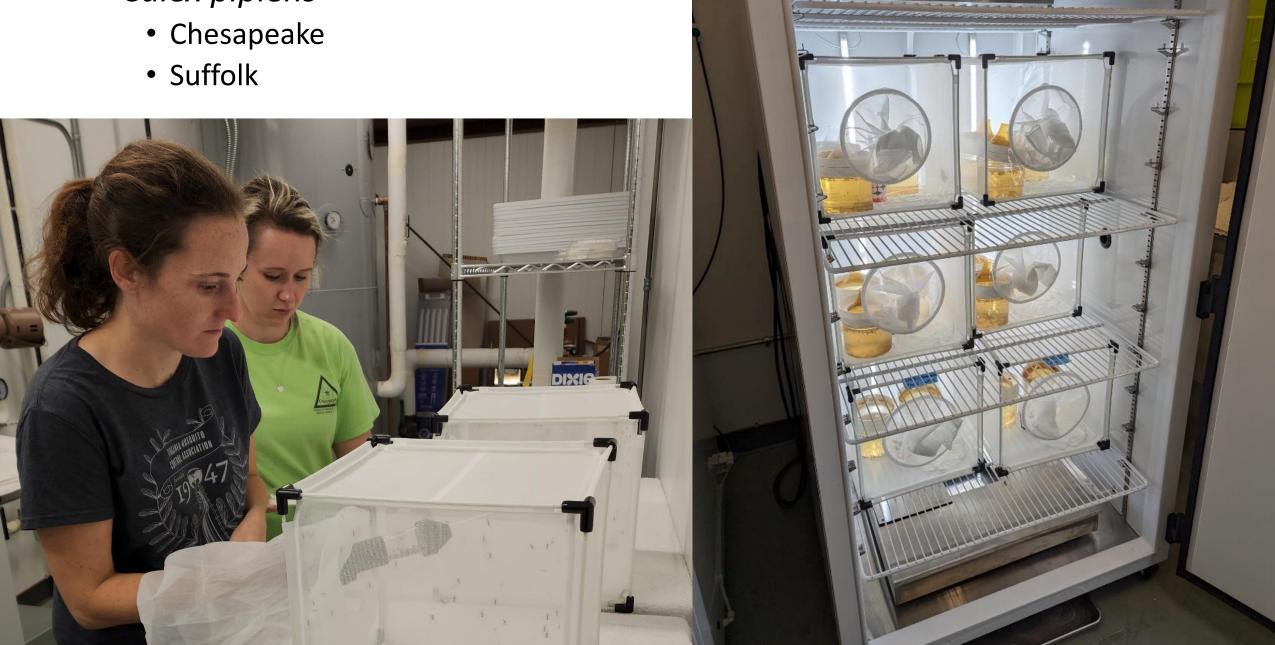
Field Trial

- Who would be involved in the trial?
 - Suffolk, Chesapeake, Valent Bio Sciences, Azelis
- When would we spray?
 - August 2, 2023
- What we would spray?
 - Culex pipiens resistant mosquitoes
 - Remoa Tri Abamectin, Fenpropathrin, C8910
 - Zenivex Etofenprox

- Where we would spray?
 - Suffolk







Calibrations

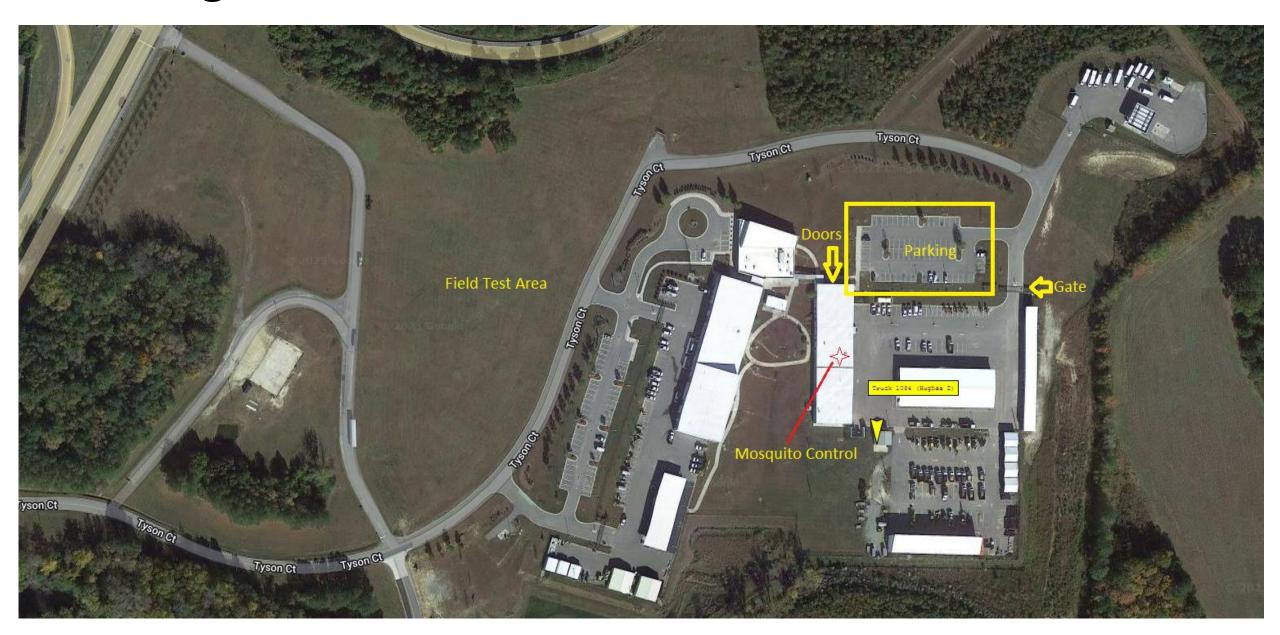


Calibrations

- Cougar Spray Machines
 - Remoa Tri flow rate of 4.8 oz/minute
 - Zenivex E20 flow rate of 3.6 oz/minute

| | Application Rate (ounces/acre) | Spray Volume (ounces/acre) | Flow Rate (ounces/min) | Speed of Truck (mph) | Swath (ft) | Droplet Analysis (DV _{0.5}) |
|-------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|------------|--|
| ReMoa Tri | 0.8 | 0.8 | 4.8 | 10 | 300 | 15.35 |
| Zenivex E20 | 0.3207 | 0.64 | 3.6 | 10 | 300 | 14.44 |

Testing Site

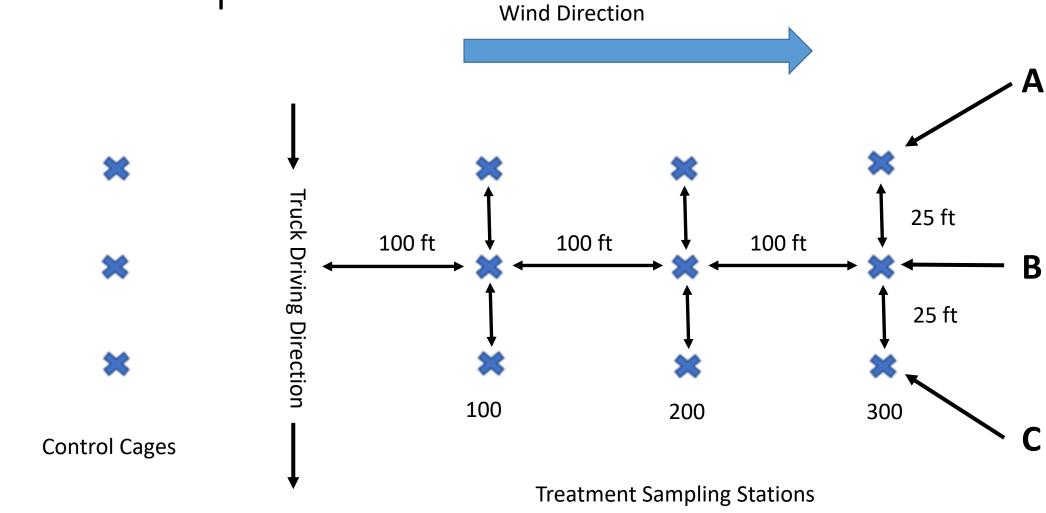


Setup

- 3x3 Grid
- 9 sentinel cage poles
 - 2 cages per pole
 - Chesapeake
 - Suffolk
- 9 spinner tripods
 - 2 slides per tripod
- 3 Control Cages



Grid Setup



Preparation

- 2-8 mph wind
- Temperature inversion
 - Weather station at 5' and 30'
- Dry truck runs
- Cages with mosquitoes
 - Checked cages for death
- Spinners turned on
 - 2 glass rods for spinners









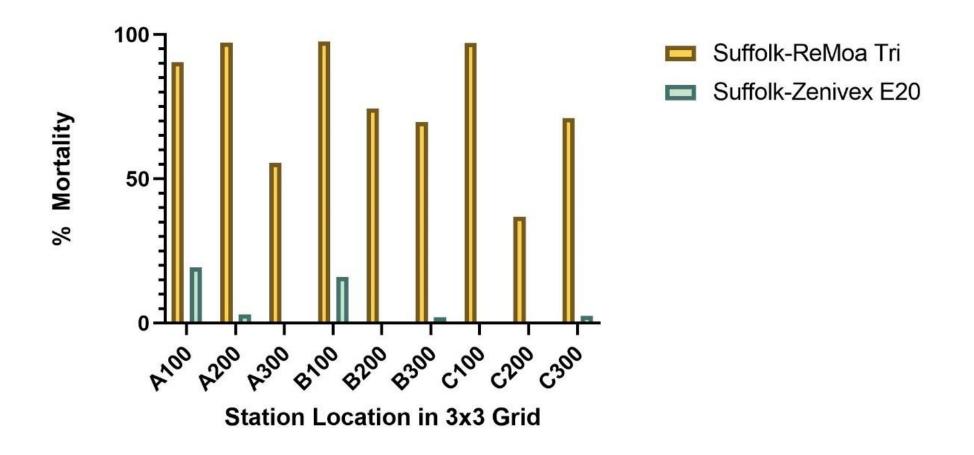


Results: Droplet Densities

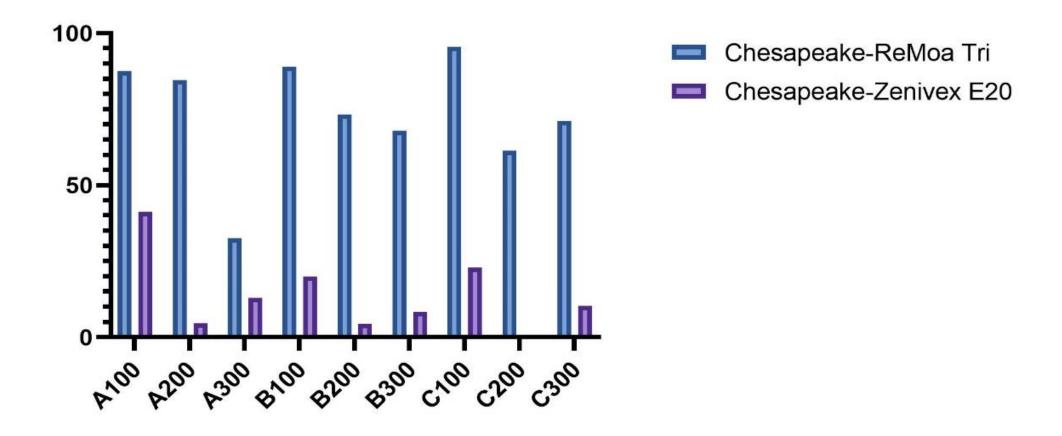
| | Suffolk - Remoa Tri | Suffolk - Zenivex E20 |
|----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Grid Location | Droplet Density (mm²) | Droplet Density (mm²) |
| A100 | 21.00 | 128.00 |
| A200 | 6.00 | 84.00 |
| A300 | 3.00 | 185.00 |
| A Avg | 10.00 | 132.33 |
| B100 | 19.00 | 151.00 |
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| B Avg | 13.00 | 94.00 |
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| C200 | 12.00 | 82.00 |
| C300 | 17.00 | 72.00 |
| C Avg | 61.33 | 79.00 |
| Tot Avg | 28.11 | 101.78 |
| UTC A | 0.00 | 0.00 |
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| | Chesapeake - Remoa Tri | Chesapeake - Zenivex E20 | |
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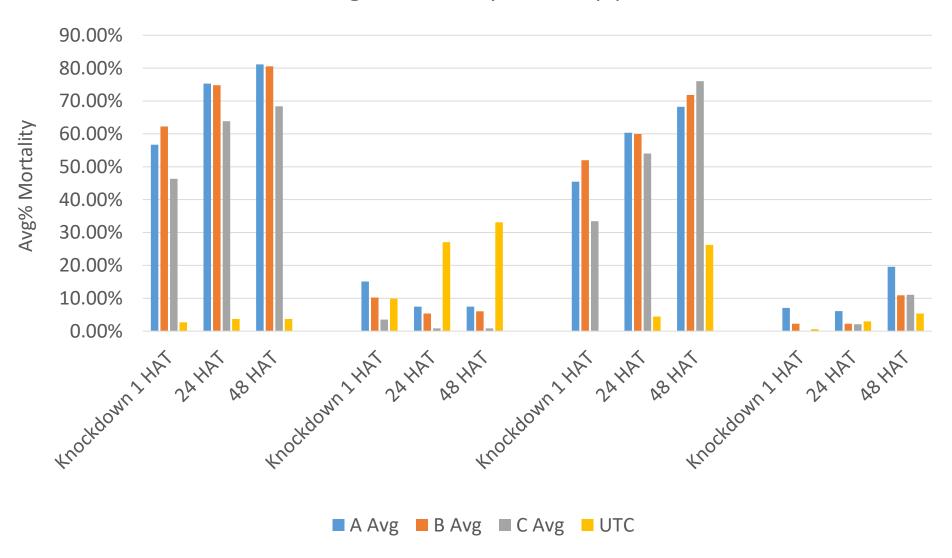
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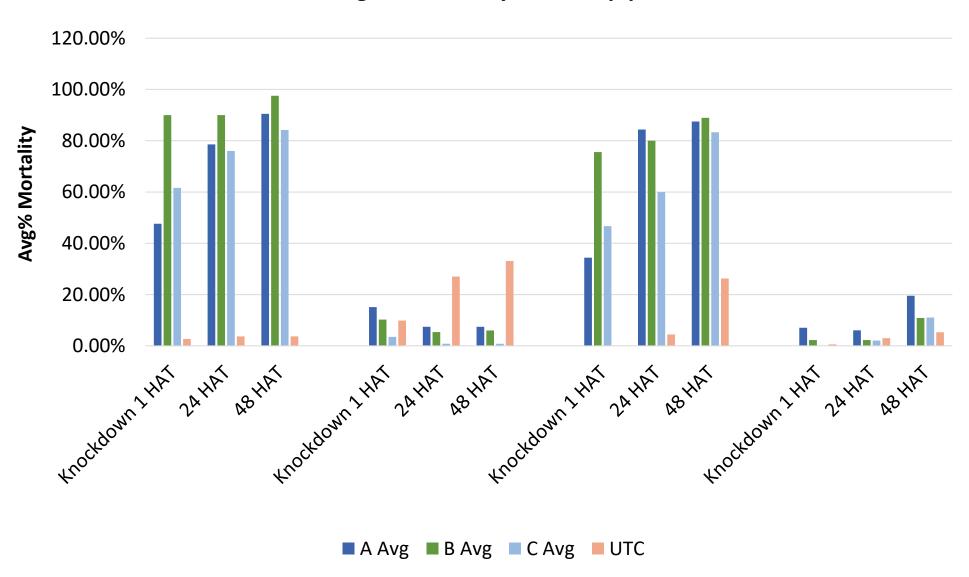
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Average % Mortality of Culex pipiens



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Results Overall

| ReMoa Tri | Suffolk 48 Hour Mortality % | | | |
|-----------|-----------------------------|--------|--------|--|
| | 100 ft | 200 ft | 300 ft | |
| Α | 90.48 | 97.3 | 55.56 | |
| В | 97.50 | 74.36 | 69.77 | |
| С | 97.14 | 36.84 | 71.15 | |

| ReMoa Tri | Chesapeake 48 Hour Mortality % | | | |
|-----------|--------------------------------|--------|--------|--|
| | 100 ft | 200 ft | 300 ft | |
| Α | 87.5 | 84.62 | 32.5 | |
| В | 88.89 | 73.21 | 67.86 | |
| С | 95.56 | 61.4 | 71.11 | |

| Zenivex | Suffolk 48 Hour Mortality % | | | |
|---------|-----------------------------|--------|--------|--|
| | 100 ft | 200 ft | 300 ft | |
| Α | 19.35 | 3.03 | 0 | |
| В | 16.12 | 0 | 1.96 | |
| С | 0 | 0 | 2.56 | |

| Zenivex | Chesapeake 48 Hour Mortality % | | | |
|---------|--------------------------------|--------|--------|--|
| | 100 ft | 200 ft | 300 ft | |
| Α | 41.18 | 4.55 | 12.9 | |
| В | 20 | 4.35 | 8.33 | |
| С | 22.86 | 0 | 10.34 | |

Conclusions

- Rotating Remoa Tri into our program
 - Effective against resistant Culex pipiens
- Rotate with chlorpyrifos
 - Targeting different modes of action
- Future testing
 - CDC Bottle Bio Assays
 - More field cage trials

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Questions?