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INDETERMINATE VERSUS DETERMINATE VARIETIES UNDER IRRIGATION

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Objective: To determine and document the effect on profitability of the use of an indeterminate variety (Hoegemeyer 368) versus the use of a determinate variety (Hobbit87) under irrigation.

	DETERMINATE VARIETY			
	Treatment:			
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	Field cultivation			
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planting per acre; 6.25 pints nand and proadcast	Planting: Hobbit87, planting rate of 75 pounds per acre; banded application of 6.25 pints Freedom, 1 pint Command and 0.5 pound Sencor DF (broadcast rates)			
	Cultivation			
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	Rouging			
	Irrigation			
	Costs	:		
\$ 14.40	Seed		\$	13.50
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\$ 14.40

Comparative cost



13.50

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Comparative cost



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RESULTS:

Early population

Indeterminate 138000 Determinate 133000

Final population

Indeterminate 114000 *
Determinate 129000

Population loss

Indeterminate 7.3% Determinate 2.2%

Plant height

Indeterminate 34.9" **

Determinate 20.6"

Pod height

Indeterminate 6.9" **
Determinate 5.1"

Moisture

Indeterminate 8.8% Determinate 8.7%

Sample weight

Indeterminate 57.2 Determinate 56.9

Yield(13%)

Indeterminate 54.5 Determinate 55.8

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^{* -} significantly different at 95% confidence level

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