

# Nebraska On-Farm Research Network

**Years:** 2002

**Title:** Controlling Seedling Insects

Crop: Corn

Study ID: 129023200201

County: Butler

**Objective:** To determine and document the effect of

of controlling seedling insects on the

profitability of corn production

**Treatments:** No insecticide vs. Half-rate of Aztec insecticide

in furrow vs. Full-rate of Aztec in furrow.

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### Results: 2002 Corn (Pioneer 33B51)

	Yield,	<b>Moisture</b>	Test Wt	<u>Plants</u>	Cost
<b>Treatment</b>	bu/ac at 15.5%	<u>%</u>	<u>lbs/bu</u>	1000 plants/ac	<u>\$/ac</u>
None	231**	16.8	60.1	25.4	
Half Rate	235	16.8	60.2	25.0	4.17
Full Rate	234	16.8	60.0	25.0	8.34

#### **Statistical Analysis: (Prob > F)**

Treatments	0.1007	0.914 ns	0.789 ns	0.795 ns
None vs. Half	0.0395**	1.000 ns	0.736 ns	0.607 ns
Half vs. Full	0.4042 ns	0.722 ns	0.505 ns	0.917 ns

**Summary:** In 2002, the Half Rate of Aztec increased yield significantly.

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