Trap Crop Cost-Benefit Worksheet

This trap crop cost-benefit worksheet helps you compare the costs of planting a trap crop with the savings it may bring in pest damage and spray costs.

Farm / unit: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

Main crop and pest _____

Trap crop chosen _____

Area planted _____

Seed and planting costs _____

Labor and upkeep costs _____

Pest damage change observed _____

Spray savings observed _____

Net result and decision _____

NOTES / CALCULATIONS

TIP Keep records over more than one season, since pests and weather change from year to year.