

# Peanut Response to Delayed Timings of Fluridone (Brake<sup>®</sup>) and Trifludimoxazin (Rexovor<sup>®</sup>)

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# Introduction: Brake® registration 2023

## SePRO's Brake Herbicide Now Labeled For Use In Peanuts

February 8, 2023  
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## Brake Herbicide Now Labeled for Use in Peanuts

By Cotton Grower Staff | March 3, 2023

## New MOA Is A Welcome Addition

April 1, 2023

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## New registration for Brake herbicide

Group 12 herbicide offers mode of action for resistant pigweed.

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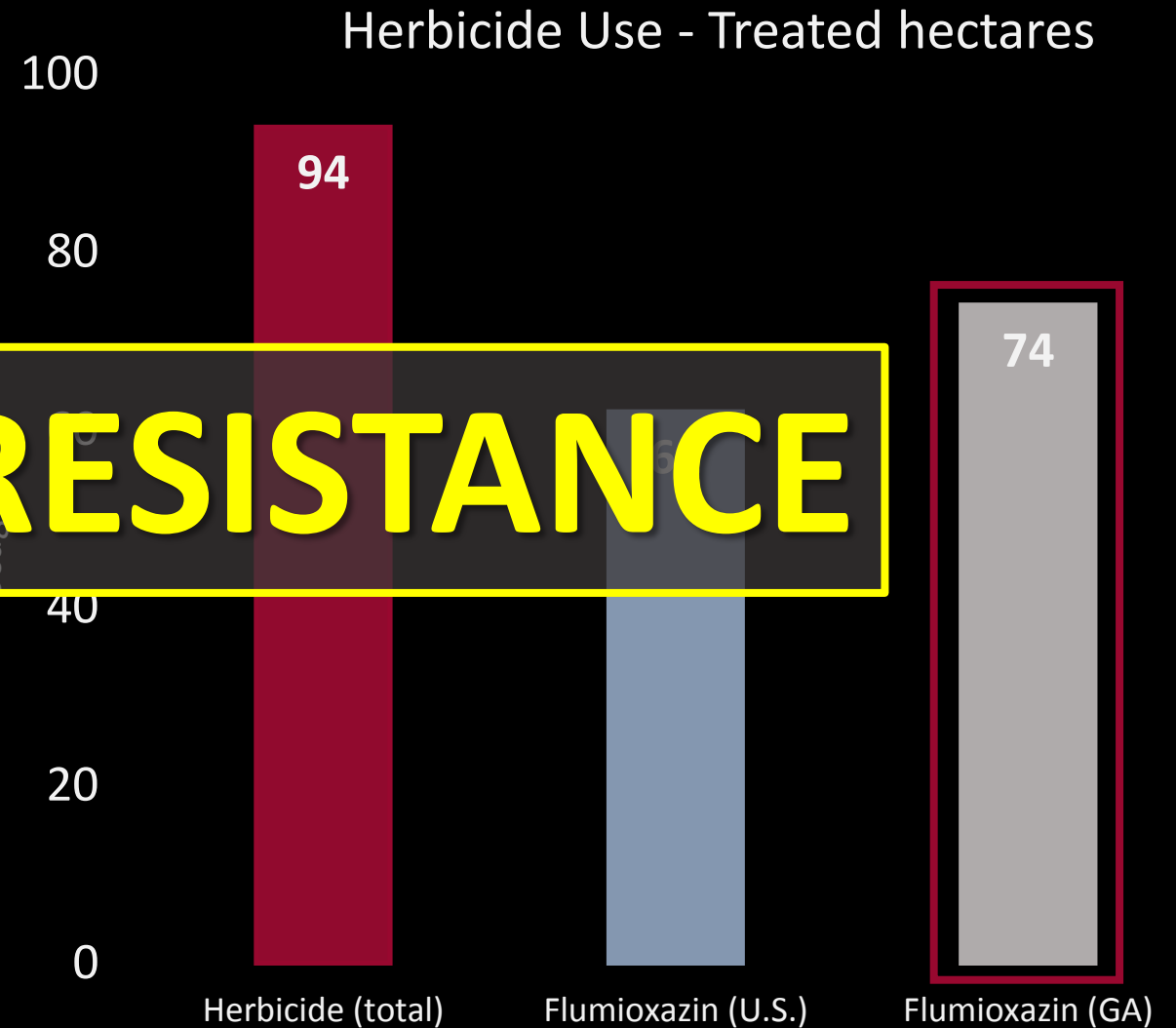
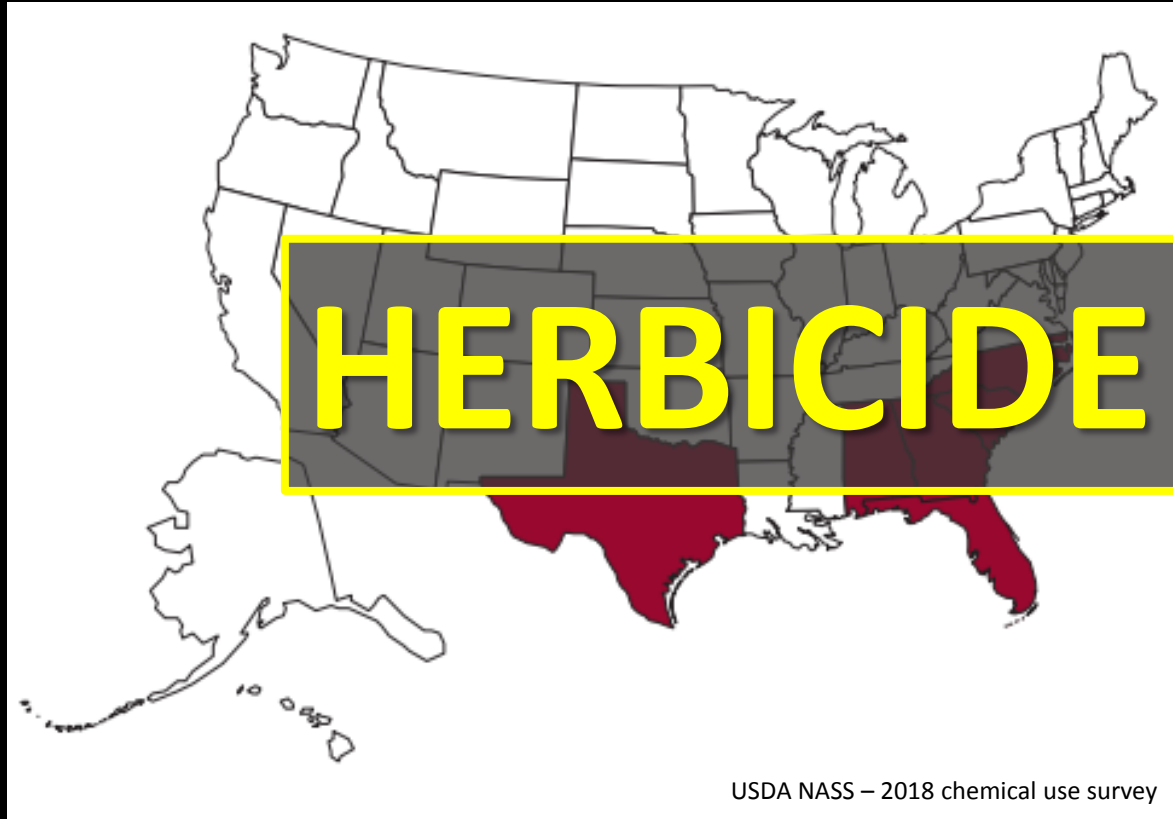
## UGA Extension tests peanut herbicide for 2023 registration

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# Introduction:






## The case for new herbicides



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## Confirming resistance to PPO-inhibiting herbicides applied preemergence and postemergence in a Georgia Palmer amaranth population

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### Abstract

Herbicides that inhibit protoporphyrinogen oxidase (PPO) are used in more than 40 agronomic and specialty crops across Georgia to manage weeds through residual and postemergence (POST) control. In 2017, a population of Palmer amaranth exhibiting reduced sensitivity to POST applications of PPO-inhibiting herbicides was identified by the University of Georgia. Seed were collected from the site along with a known sensitive population; distance between the samples was 200 m, increasing the likelihood of similar environmental and genetic characteristics. To quantify sensitivity for both preemergence (PRE) and POST uses, 21 greenhouse dose-response assessments were conducted from 2017 to 2022. After conducting initial rate-response studies, 13 doses per herbicide were chosen for the POST experiment; field use rates of fomesafen (420 g ai ha<sup>-1</sup>), lactofen (219 g ai ha<sup>-1</sup>), acifluorfen (420 g ai ha<sup>-1</sup>), and trifludimoxazin (25 g ai ha<sup>-1</sup>) ranging from 0× to 4× the field use rate for the susceptible population, and 0× to 40× for the suspect population were applied. Herbicide treatments included adjuvants and were applied to plants 8 to 10 cm in height. Relative resistance factors (RRFs) were calculated for control ratings, mortality, and biomass, and ranged from 105 to 318, 36 to 1,477, 215 to 316, and 9 to 49 for fomesafen, lactofen, acifluorfen, and trifludimoxazin, respectively. In the PRE experiment, herbicide applications included five to nine doses of fomesafen (1× = 210 g ai ha<sup>-1</sup>), flumioxazin (1× = 57 g ai ha<sup>-1</sup>), oxyfluorfen (1× = 561 g ai ha<sup>-1</sup>), and trifludimoxazin (1× = 38 g ai ha<sup>-1</sup>); doses ranged from 0× to 6× for the suspect population and 0× to 2× for the susceptible population. Visual control, mortality, and biomass RRFs ranged from 3 to 5 for fomesafen, 21 to 31 for flumioxazin, 6 to 22 for oxyfluorfen, and 8 to 38 for trifludimoxazin. Results confirm that a Georgia Palmer amaranth population is resistant to PPO-inhibiting herbicides applied both PRE and POST.

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3X rate



Valor = 31X

# Introduction: Brake®



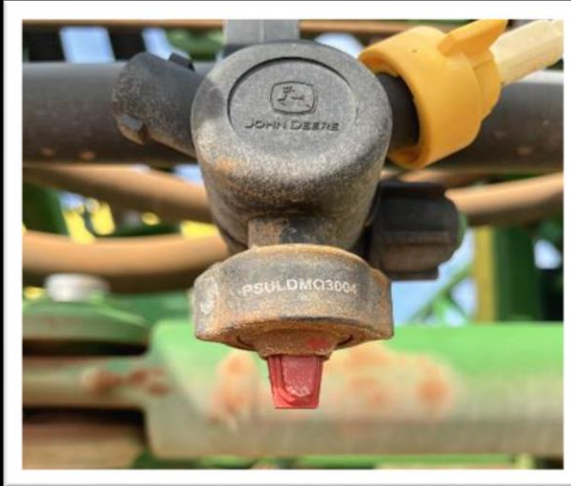
## Fluridone

- WSSA Group # 12  
Phytoene Desaturase  
Inhibitor
- Application method: PRE
- “Apply behind the planter (i.e. at planting) or within **36 hours** after planting.”



## Introduction:

# Reasons for delayed herbicide applications



- Weather
- Equipment failures
- Operational/labor constraints
- Injury

# Introduction: Rexovor®

## Fluridone

- WSSA Group # 12  
Phytoene Desaturase  
Inhibitor
- Application method: PRE
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## Trifludimoxazin

- Rexovor® (BASF)
- WSSA Group # 14  
Protoporphyrinogen Oxidase  
Inhibitor
- Application method: PRE

# Objective

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Evaluate peanut response to delayed timings of fluridone and trifludimoxazin.

$H_0$ : Delayed applications, regardless of timing, will have no effect on peanut density, growth, and yield.



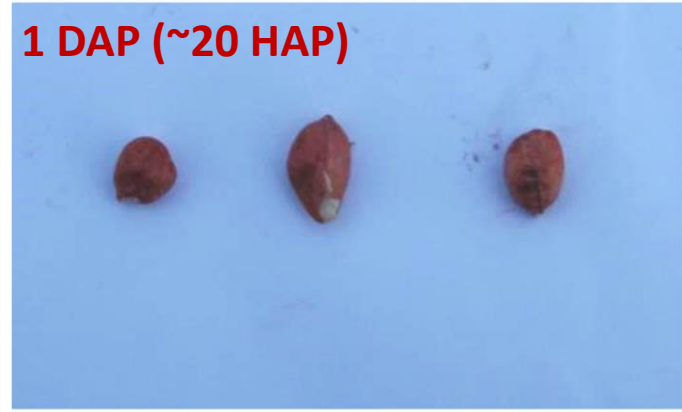
## Methods:

# Experimental Design

- Experimental Period: 2022 – 2023
- Location: Ponder Farm; Ty Ty, GA
  - Dothan/Tifton sand
- Peanut cultivar:
  - GA-06G
- RCB design; 4 replications
  - 3x4 factorial arrangement
- Treatments:
  - NTC
  - Fluridone: 126 g ai ha<sup>-1</sup>
  - Trifludimoxazin: 37 g ai ha<sup>-1</sup>
  - Timing: 1, 3, 5, 7 DAP
- Data analyzed in SAS 9.4 (Cary, NC)
  - PROC GLIMMIX
  - Tukey-HSD ( $P = 0.10$ )  
Pairwise comparison

# Timing - 2022

1 DAP (~20 HAP)



3 DAP



5 DAP



7 DAP\*



\*7 DAP: >50% GROUND CRACKING; 20-25% GREEN PLANT TISSUE EXPOSED.



# Timing - 2023

1 DAP (~20 HAP)



3 DAP



5 DAP



7 DAP\*



\*7 DAP: 50% GROUND CRACKING, <10% GREEN TISSUE EXPOSED.



# Results

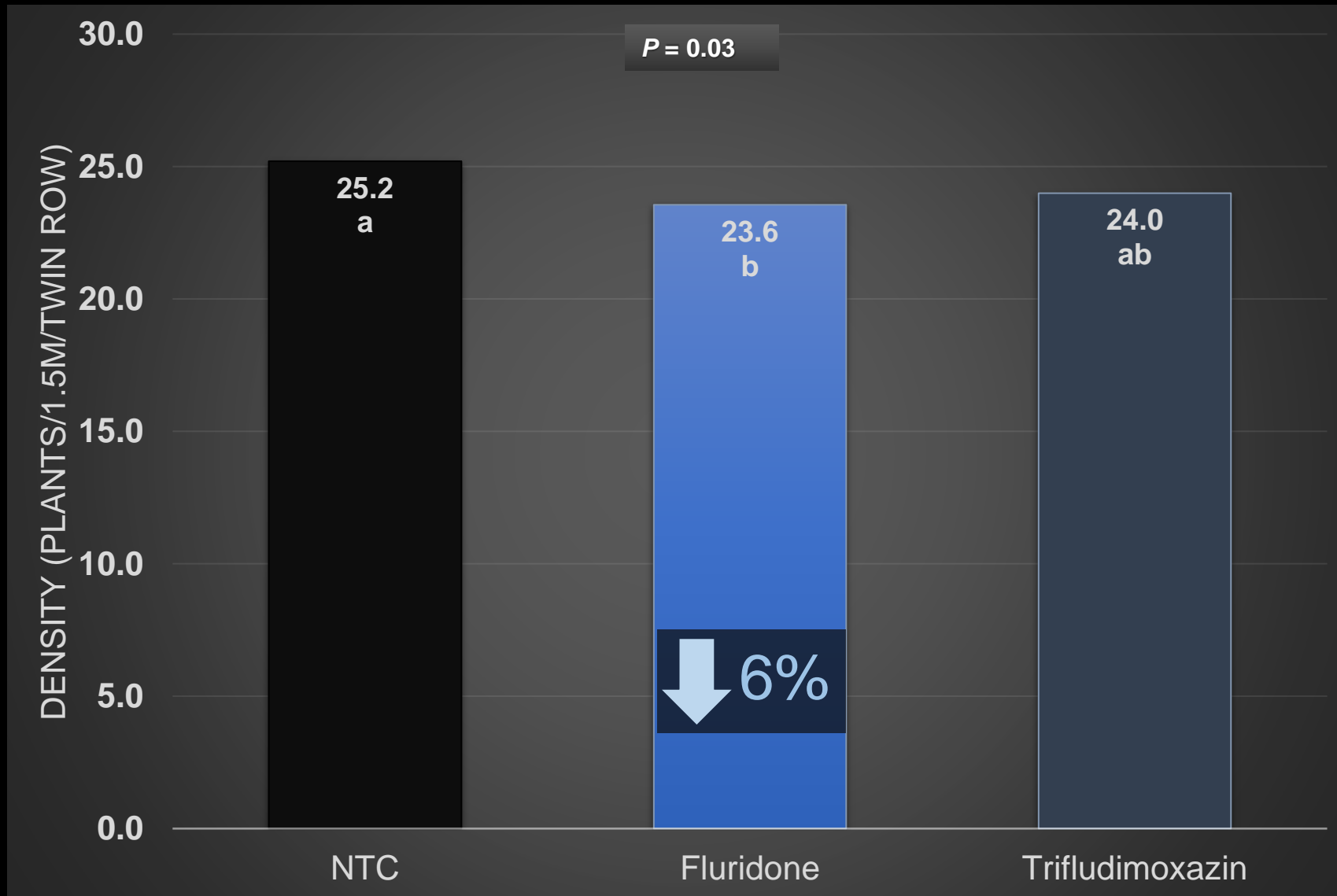
## RESPONSE VARIABLES:

- Density (stand)
- Stunting
- Herbicide symptomology
- Height
- Width
- Yield



# Results:

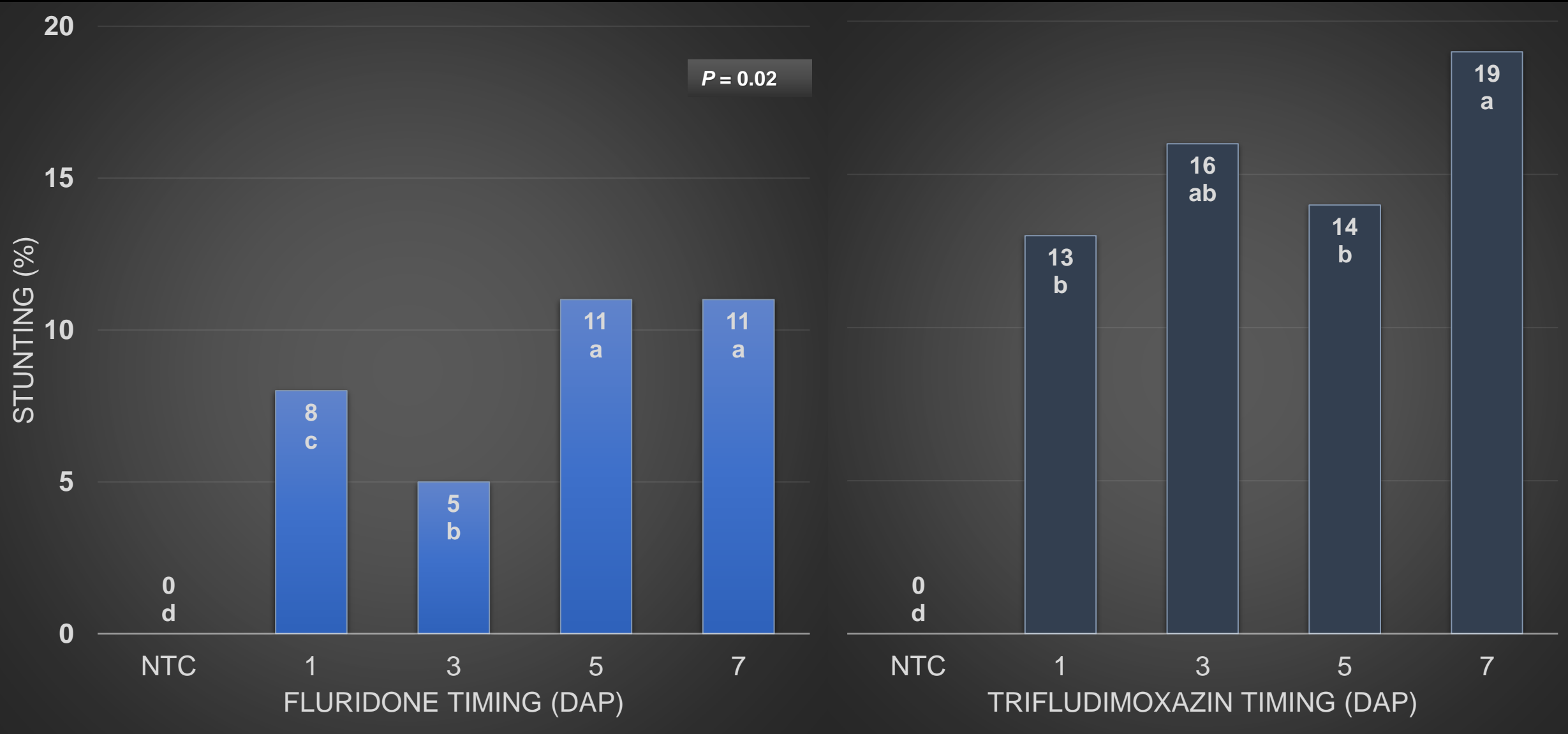
Peanut density 13 DAP following fluridone and trifludimoxazin (2022-2023)



\*Columns with letter separation are significantly different at ( $P < 0.1$ )

# Results:

Peanut stunting 13 DAP following fluridone and trifludimoxazin @ 1, 3, 5, 7 DAP (2022-2023)



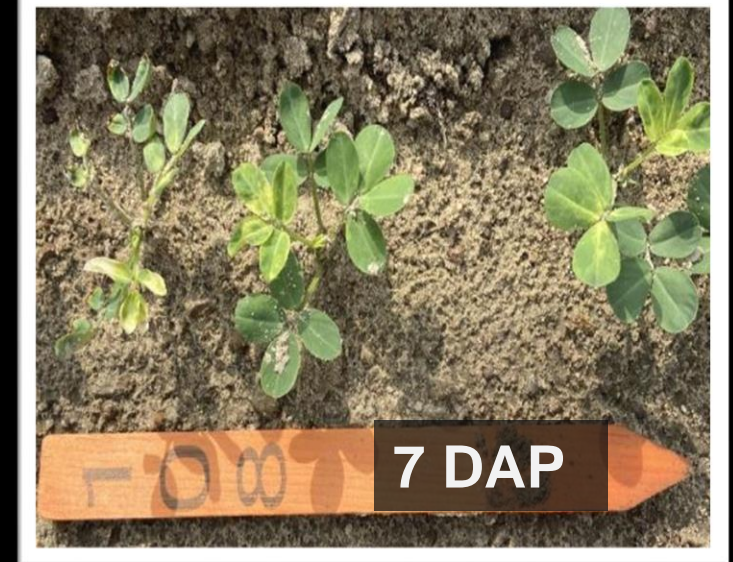
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# Results: Fluridone



13 DAP; May 15, 2023



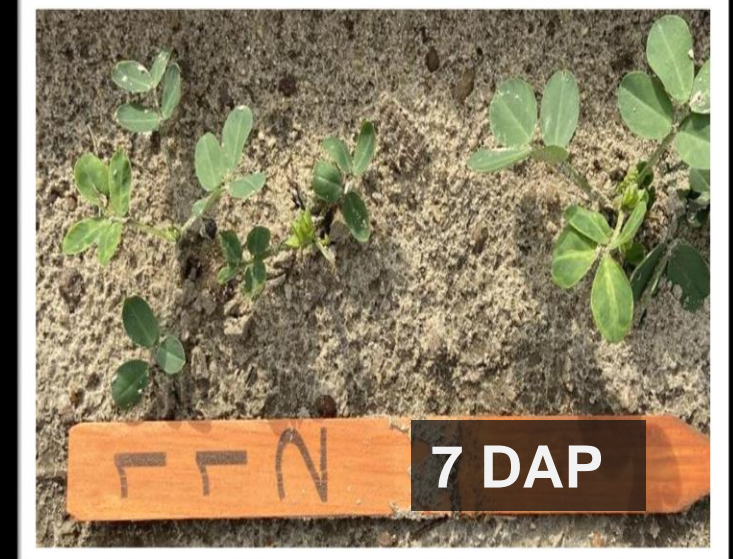


# Results:

## Trifludimoxazin



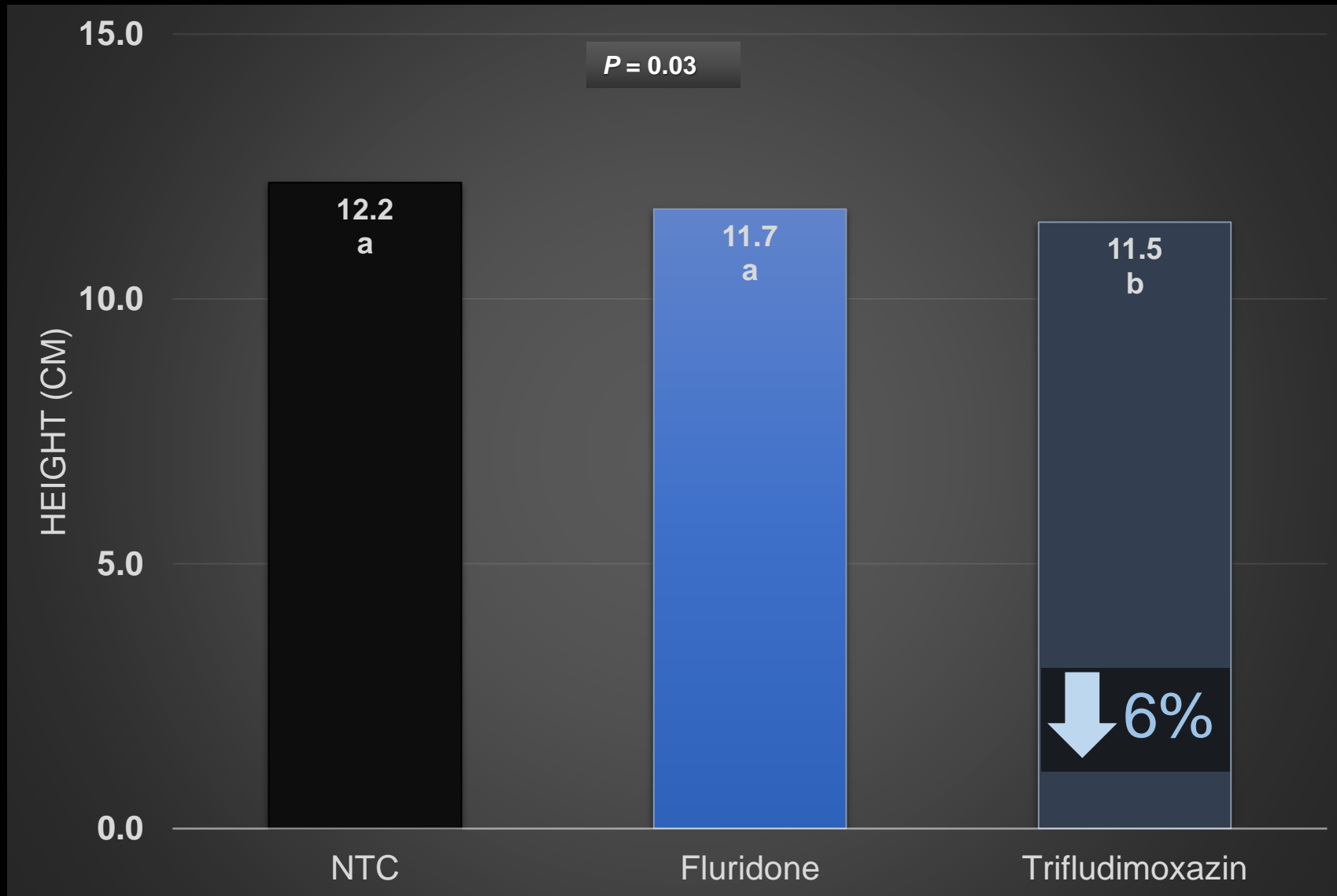
13 DAP; May 15, 2023





# Results:

Peanut height 30 DAP following fluridone and trifludimoxazin (2022-2023)



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# Results: Fluridone

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1 DAP



7 DAP



30 DAP; May 31, 2023



# Results:

## Trifludimoxazin

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1 DAP



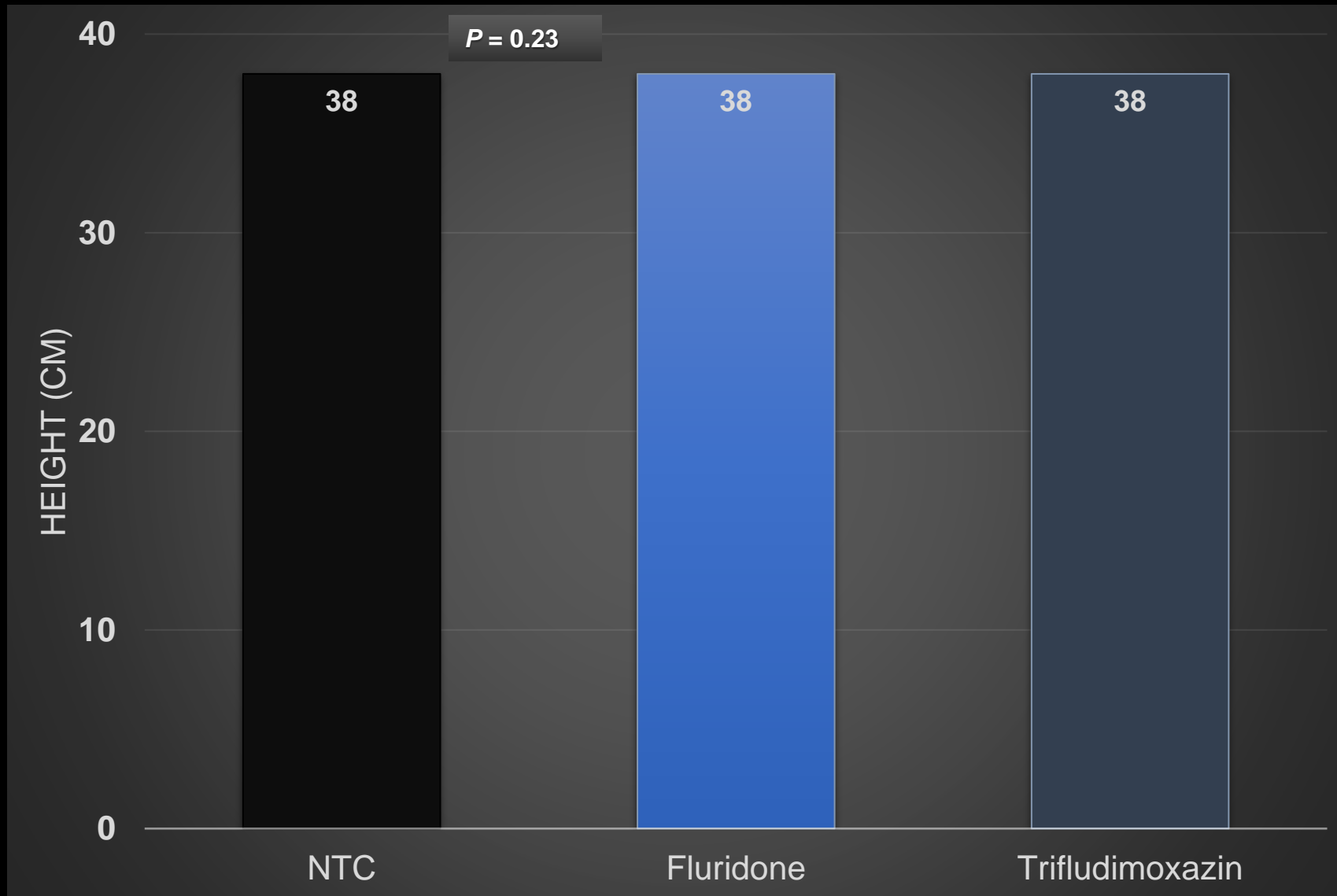
7 DAP



30 DAP; May 31, 2023

# Results:

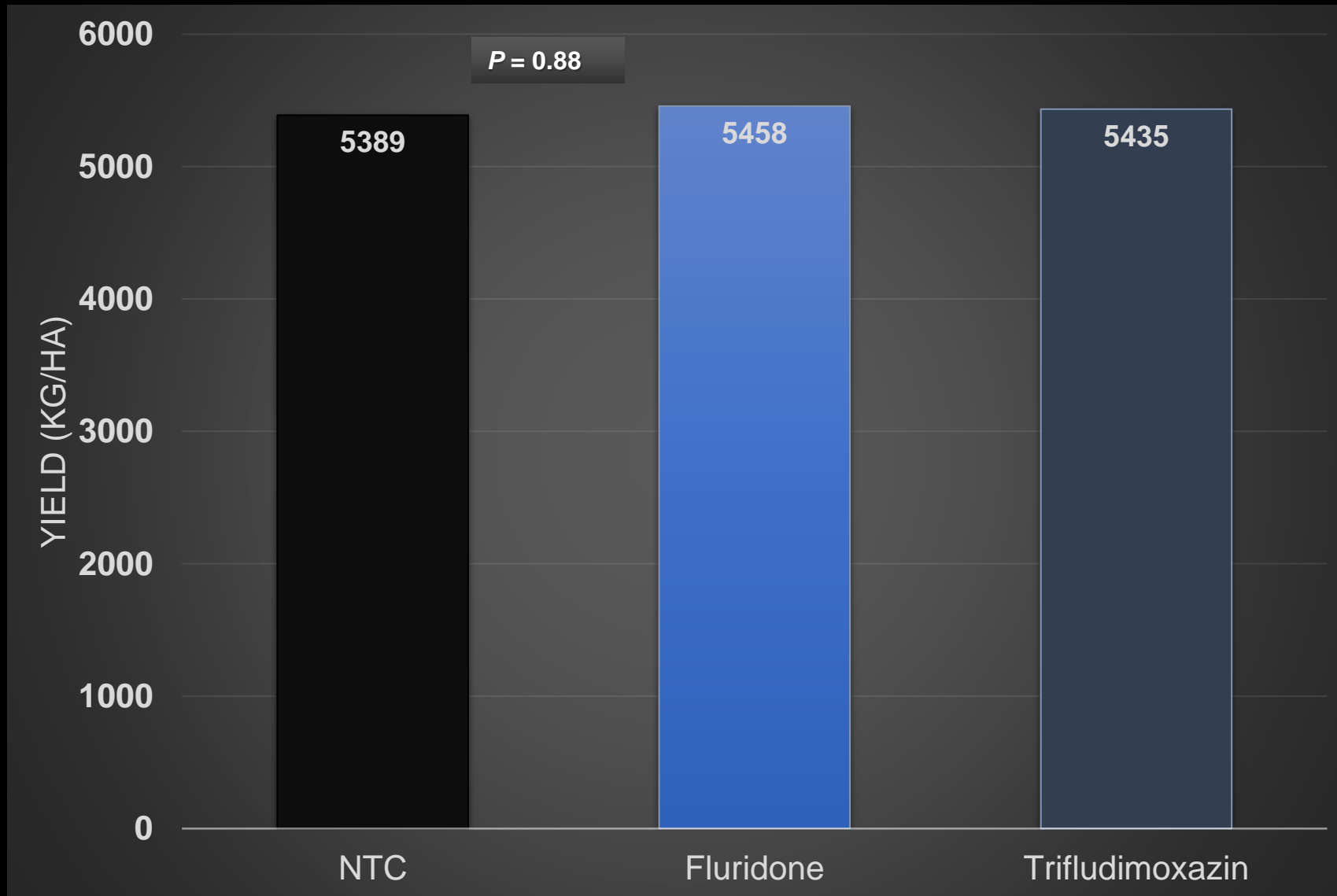
Peanut height 80 DAP following fluridone and trifludimoxazin (2022-2023)





# Results:

Peanut yield following fluridone and trifludimoxazin (2022-2023)



# Conclusions:

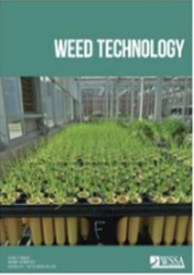
- **Density:**
  - Fluridone – slight decrease (6%)
  - Trifludimoxazin – no effect
- **Increased visual injury with delayed applications**
- **Plant height:**
  - **30 DAP:** Fluridone = no effect; Trifludimoxazin 6% reduction
  - **80 DAP:** no effect regardless of herbicide or timing
- **No effect on yield**
- **Overall Takeaway:**

Peanuts were tolerant to applications of fluridone and trifludimoxazin up to 7 DAP without negatively impacting yield.





# Previous research



WEED TECHNOLOGY

## Phytotoxicity of Delayed Applications of Flumioxazin on Peanut (*Arachis hypogaea*)

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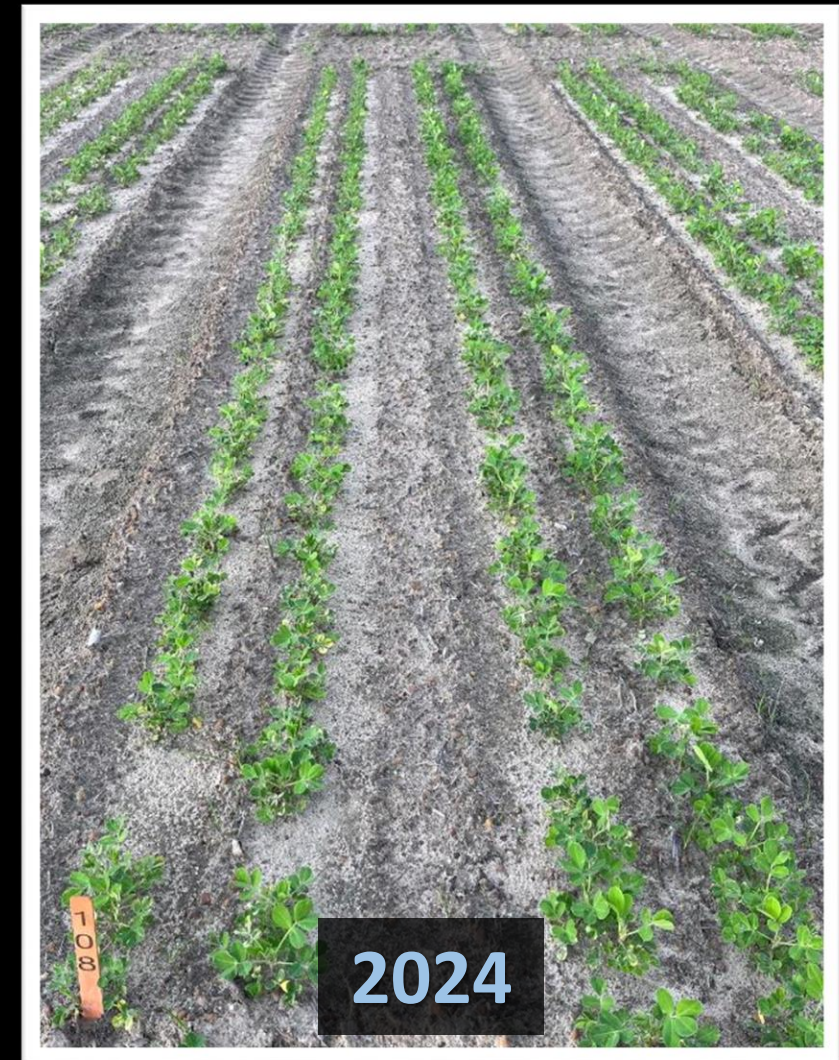
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### Abstract

Trials were conducted under weed-free conditions in 2001, 2002, and 2003 on a loamy sand soil in Georgia to investigate the phytotoxicity of flumioxazin on peanut, and in separate trials, the effects on peanut maturity. The first study evaluated time of flumioxazin application (0, 2, 4, 6, 8, and 10 d after planting [DAP]) and flumioxazin rate (nontreated, 71, and 105 g ai/ha). Peanut (variety 'C99R') were seeded 3.2 cm deep and irrigated immediately after seeding. Flumioxazin applied to peanut 6, 8, and 10 DAP significantly injured peanut (20 to 59%) early season, with more phytotoxicity from flumioxazin at 105 g/ha than 71 g/ha. However, peanut stand was not reduced by any of the times of application or rates. Peanut recovered by midseason, except in cases of severe (up to 49%) visual phytotoxic injury. Peanut yields were not affected by either flumioxazin application timing or rate. The second study (variety 'Georgia Green') evaluated flumioxazin applied at 105 g/ha at varying intervals after planting to determine the phytotoxic effects on peanut maturity using the hull-scrape method. Peanut maturity was delayed by flumioxazin when applied 1 d after planting and later. These results show that the optimum time of application is from immediately after planting to 2 d after planting. Ideally, the application should be made immediately after planting. The highest recommended flumioxazin rate, 105 g/ha, is not significantly phytotoxic when applied within the recommended range of

Supports previous research

# Future work:





# Thank you



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