

Security Seeds Hopkinsville UREA – UAN Trials

OVERVIEW: This trial compares 4 Ultra Boost and 3 Growth Boost treated and untreated nitrogen applications at 130 and

180 units of N to demonstrate nutrient stabilization as measured by yield.

LOCATION: Hopkinsville, KY Corn Plot

PLOT SIZE: 408' x 10' (4 x 30" rows per plot) **HYBRID:** AgriGold 6517 @ 32K population

PLANTING DATE: 5/2/2015

WEED TREATMENT: Pre-Plant: Verdict (10) ounces with Zidua at (1.5) ounces per acre.

Post-Emergence: Halex at (3.6) ounces per acre at V5

TREATMENTS: Pre-Plant: 180 pounds of DAP & 100 pounds of Potash per acre.

Pre-Plant: 4 Ultra Boost treated Urea (1 gallon Ultra Boost per ton of Urea) was applied to appropriate

plots.

At Planting: 9-24-3 Pro-germinator at (3) gallons with (1) quart Zinc was applied in furrow with Capture

LFR at (3.4) ounces per acre. 30 Units of Nitrogen from 28-0-0 was applied 2x2.

Post-Emergence: 32-0-0 UAN side-dress with and without Growth Boost was applied the last week of

May (5/28/15). 2 quarts per acre Growth Boost was applied to 130 units per acre of N and 3 quarts

per acre was applied to 180 units per acre of N from 32-0-0 UAN.

CONDITIONS: NO-TILL

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Urea	%M	TW	LBS	Length	Yield/Bu	Increase	ROI
Soil Biotics 180 treated	16.4	54.2	1120	408	210.01	8.44	\$27.55
Soil Biotics 180 untreated	17.4	54.3	1088	408	201.57		
Soil Biotics 130 treated	16.9	54	1108	408	206.52	7.56	\$25.03
Soil Biotics 130 untreated	17.1	55	1070	408	198.96		
32% UAN							
Soil Biotics UAN 180 treated	18.1	54.3	1332	408	244.69	-8.51	-\$43.39
Soil Biotics UAN 180 untreated	18.2	54.3	1380	408	253.19		
Soil Biotics UAN 130 treated	19.2	54.2	1188	408	215.30	11.27	\$30.36
Soil Biotics UAN 130 untreated	17.9	54	1108	408	204.03		

SUMMARY: The Ultra Boost and Growth Boost treated nitrogen applications resulted in higher yields and positive ROI*.

*ROI is based on \$3.50 per bushel corn and estimated producer costs of Growth Boost at \$18.15 per gallon and Ultra Boost at \$22.15 per gallon.

We have colored the columns with the yield increases and ROI to show that they were added by SoilBiotics.