

## Eastern Ontario Crop Diagnostic Day 2003



The Eastern Ontario Crop Diagnostic Day is a co-operative effort between the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food, the Eastern Ontario Crop Advisory Committee and Kemptville College. The Eastern Ontario Crop Diagnostic Day is an annual event held in mid-July, designed specifically to improve the problem solving skills of seed, fertilizer and chemical industry personnel, agricultural consultants and farm managers. Certified Crop Advisor credits are available for most sessions.

The Eastern Ontario Crop Diagnostic Day provides growers and agri-business personnel with “hands-on” learning experiences to assist in the correct identification and treatment of crop problems common to eastern Ontario. The program provides a “real-world” environment where agriculturists can hone their crop trouble-shooting skills and evaluate new and alternative management strategies.

Popular topics include Weed Identification, Herbicide Injury in Corn & Soybeans, Fertility Diagnostics, Planter Problems, Air Induction Nozzles & Spray Drift Management, Cereal, Soybean and Corn Diseases and Insects, Forage Establishment and Management and Soil Compaction and Management. Special topics such as Bt Corn Management, New, Emergency & Annual Forages, Precision Agriculture, Biosolids, Chickpeas - Today & Tomorrow, Tillage-in-Action and Scouting Tips, Techniques and Tools have also been added.

Participant comments:

“Topics and speakers were all excellent”.

“Well presented and interesting topics.”

“Excellent cross section of what can be grown and specific problems in Eastern Ontario”

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