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HOST RANGE STUDIES OF HETERODERA ZEAE AND H. AVENAE

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Abstract

Twenty eight gramineous and 10 non-gramineous plants were tested against *Heterodera zeae* and *H. avenae*. With both cyst nematodes, mostly the gramineous plants were found susceptible whereas plants belonging to the families Malvaceae, Solanaceae, Compositae, Cruciferae and Cucurbitaceae were observed non-susceptible.