

# **Soybean Biological Trial**

#### Trial ID: 2023-SB02 – R.M. of Rockwood

**Objective:** Quantify the agronomic and economic impacts of biological products for soybean production.

**Summary:** There was no significant yield difference between soybeans treated with Fertiactyl<sup>®</sup> and those without. Due to the lack of yield response, there was a decrease in profit/ac in the treated area of the trial, equivalent to the cost of product.

### **Trial Information**

Treatment	eatment Fertiactyl®		
Soil Texture	Clay Loam		
Previous Crop	Wheat		
Tillage	-		
Seeding Date	-		
Variety	-		
Seeding Rate	-		
Row Spacing	7.5″		
Plant Stand @ V1	249 000 plants/ac		
Harvest Date	September 20		

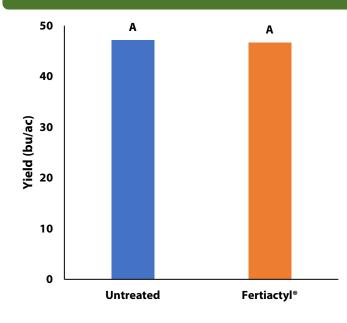
#### Precipitation (mm)

	May	June	July	Aug	Total
Rainfall	11.8	47.4	47	48.4	154
Normal	53.8	92	66	63.3	276
% Norm	22%	52%	70%	76%	56%

#### NDVI Field Image August 13



Yield by Treatment







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Overall Yield & Economics					
	Mean (bu/ac)	Cost <sup>+</sup>	Change in Profit <sup>++</sup>		
Fertiactyl®	46.3	\$28/ac	-\$28/ac		
Untreated	47.5				
Yield Difference	-1.2				
P-Value	0.072				
CV	1.2%				
Significance	No	Economic	Νο		

+ Based on an estimated cost for biological products

++ Yields were not significantly different, therefore there is no increased income to offset the cost of the biological product

