

The Southern Plant Diagnostic Network



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Soybean rust training for diagnosticians

Eleven diagnosticians attended training in Beltsville, Maryland for soybean rust training in early February. They received training in Microscopic and macroscopic and real-time PCR identification of *Phakopsora pachyrizi* at the USDA-APHIS-PPQ-CPHIST facility in Beltsville... ([read more](#))

Training modules for First Detectors and First Detector Educators completed

Six modules, which include PowerPoint presentations and handouts, are now available to training coordinators for use during NPDN training sessions.

New pest alerts and fact sheets available for [Soybean Rust](#), [Ralstonia solanacearum](#), and [Soybean aphid](#).
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