IPNI Crop Nutrient Deficiency Photo Contest 2011

nce again we welcome all those with a keen eye and ready access to agricultural production, at either the field or research plot scale, to seek out and gather their best examples of crop nutrient deficiency for entry into the 2011 edition of our photo contest.

The competition continues to foster awareness about, and focus attention on, identifying the common traits of nutrient deficiency for a wide range of crops. We are proud of how this contest has grown into an international challenge to field researchers, farmers, students, and other interested in crop production.

The competition continues with its four categories: Nitrogen (N), Phosphorus (P), Potassium (K), and Other (Secondary and Micronutrients). Entrants are limited to one entry per category (i.e. one individual could have an entry in each of the four categories). The winner in each category will receive a cash prize of USD 150 while second place receives USD 75. Selection of winners will be determined by a committee of IPNI scientific staff.

Photos and supporting information can be submitted until December 13, 2011. Winners be notified and the results will be announced at our website and in this publication in January of 2012. Entries should only be submitted as original, digital files. Please see the contest site www.ipni.net/photocontest for all details. **M**



Nitrogen deficiency in corn, Terra Haute, Indiana.



2010 Prize winning entry from Yogesh Mahida, Arya Agro Biotech & Research Center, Gujarat, India, who captured this image of boron (B) deficiency in a papaya (Honey Dew Variety) plantation near Santokpura.



Potassium deficienct grape, Maharashtra, India.

Recent Release: Crop Nutrient Deficiency Image Collection

PNI has assembled a new image collection comprised of more than 400 examples of nutrient deficiency symptoms in common crops. Images have been collected from various field settings around the world ...some originating from our annual contest described above. The images are organized in groups including primary nutrients, secondary nutrients, and micronutrients. Text and diagrammatic descriptions of nutrient deficiency are also available

The IPNI Crop Nutrient Deficiency Image Collection is available either in CD format for USD 30.00 (thirty dollars) or on a USB Flash Drive for USD 40.00 (forty dollars). Both prices include shipping for a single item. They can be ordered directly from the IPNI store, available at the website: www.ipni.net.

If you have questions or are interested in multiple copies of either the CD or USB Flash Drive, contact us for details on possible discounts for quantities.

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