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Grower Levies Working for You

In May 2013

	During the Month of May I engaged with the provincial Departments of Rural Development and Agriculture in EC and Mpumalanga around signing of MoU's for farmer support. The MoU with the National Department of Rural Development was also signed. I also attended the budget vote for DAFF at Parliament in Cape Town. Lukhanyo Nkombisa – Transformation Manager Lukhanyo@cga.co.za	
	Gedurende Mei het ek 'n nuwe potensieële lok-en-doodmaak lokstasie vir vrugtevliegbeheer getoets in vergelyking met die standaard weeklikse bespuitings. Die effektiwiteit vandie lokvalle na 'n verouderingsproses, is ook in die laboratorium ondersoek. John-Henry Daneel - Research Assistant john-henry@cri.co.za	
	In May I conducted bioassays comparing various yeast attractants for improved control of fruit flies and I started with the final replicate of the medfly cold treatment towards establishing a better protocol for exports to Japan. Peter Stephen – Research Assistant prs@cri.co.za	
	During May I gave a presentation to a visiting Turkish delegation on the comparisons between their and the SA citrus industries. I also completed and distributed the 2013 Citrus Statistics books. John Edmonds – Information Manager johne@cga.co.za	
	I attended an AgriBEE Champion workshop in preparation for our Citrus B-BBEE initiative later in 2013. I also started working on a situational survey project that will be conducted amongst development citrus farmers, and assisted with the revision of production learning material. Sam Louw – Programme Co-ordinator sam@citrusacademy.org.za	