

Editor's Comment:

The work aimed at synchronising and improving apple production notably the yield and its components using different budbreak promoters and two cultivars Eva and Castel Gala, low chilling apple trees, in mild winter conditions of the Southern Brazil.

The methodology was scientifically unquestionable. The analysis of variance didn't detect a significant effect of the interaction budbreak promoter x cultivar, in general, for yield and average fruit weight, two agronomic parameters of commercial value. Authors rightly pursued the search for a specific interaction budbreak promoter x cultivar. They found that in the cultivar Eva, budbreak promoters have contributed to 28% increase in yield and to 31% improvement in average fruit weight over the control, in addition to the synchronisation of the production of apple.

Congratulations to the authors whose manuscript entitled **Evaluation of the effect of different budbreak promoters on apple trees 'Eva' and 'Castel Gala' in mild winter climate conditions can be published by the Journal of Experimental Agriculture International** provided that the unit for yield data is modified in Table 3. We don't think that it is "mgha⁻¹".

Editor's Details:

Dr. Claude Bakoume
Professor,
Institute of Agricultural Research for Development, Cameroon