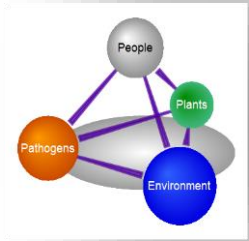


# ***A step towards more sustainable vine health: the clean plant approach to grape virus disease management***

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# The ostensible problem: Grape virus diseases



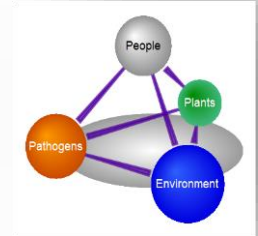
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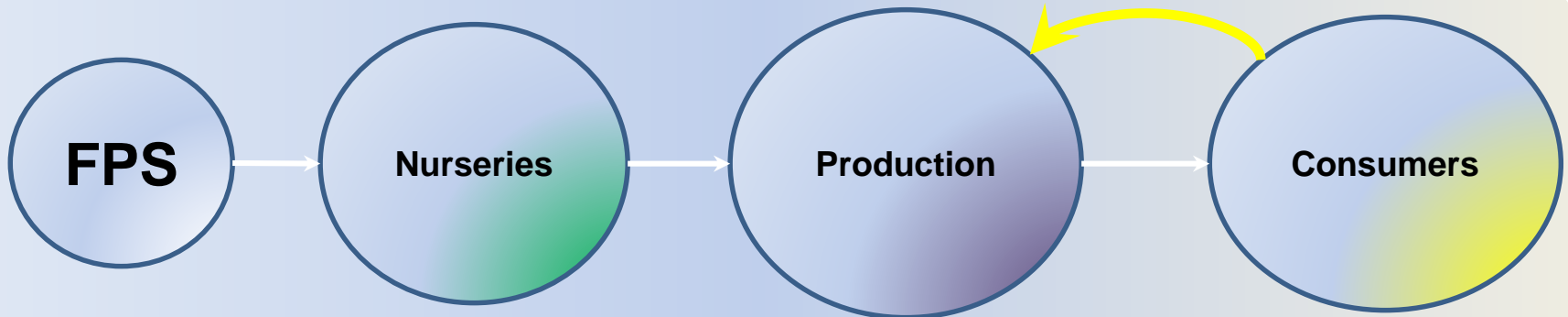
Three-cornered alfalfa treehopper (3-CAT)

*Spissistilus festinus*

# The actual problem: Between block infection causes shared costs and responsibilities



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**the message: “Get clean, stay clean”**

**Starting clean with ‘certified’  
planting stock**

**California  
Registration and Certification  
of Grapevines**

**3 CCR § 3024-3024.8  
Last updated 2010**



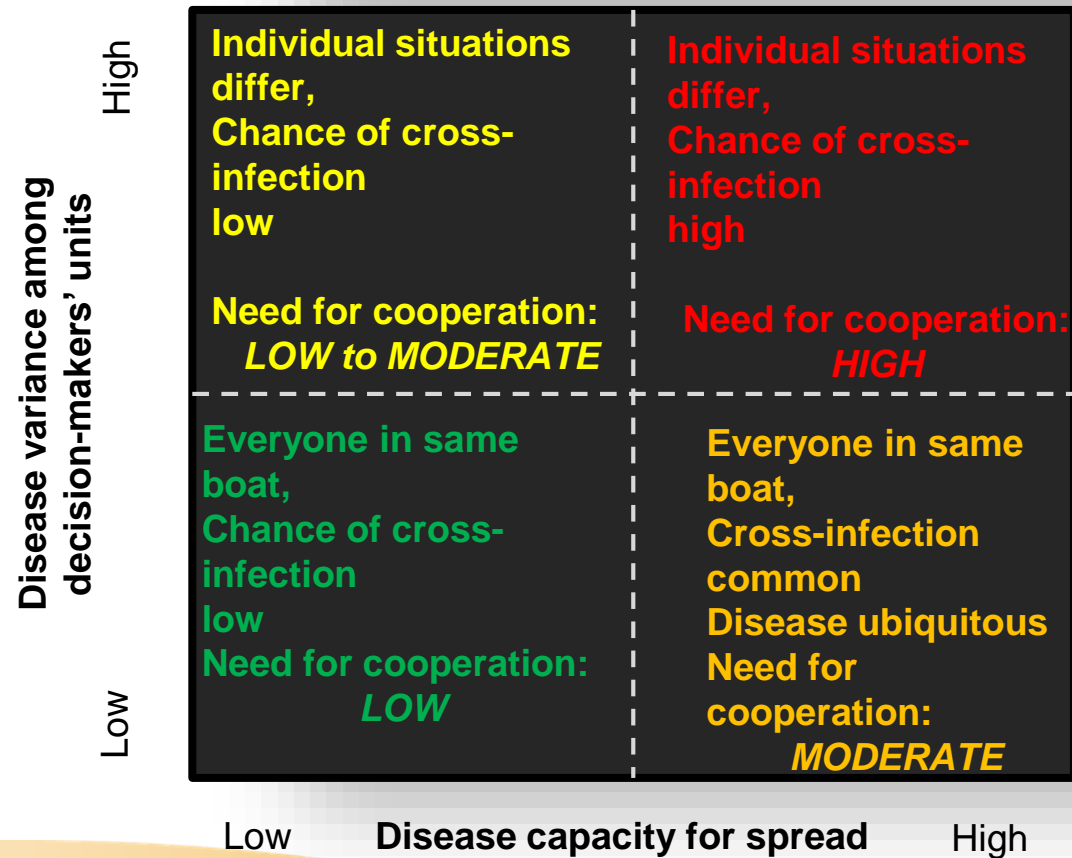
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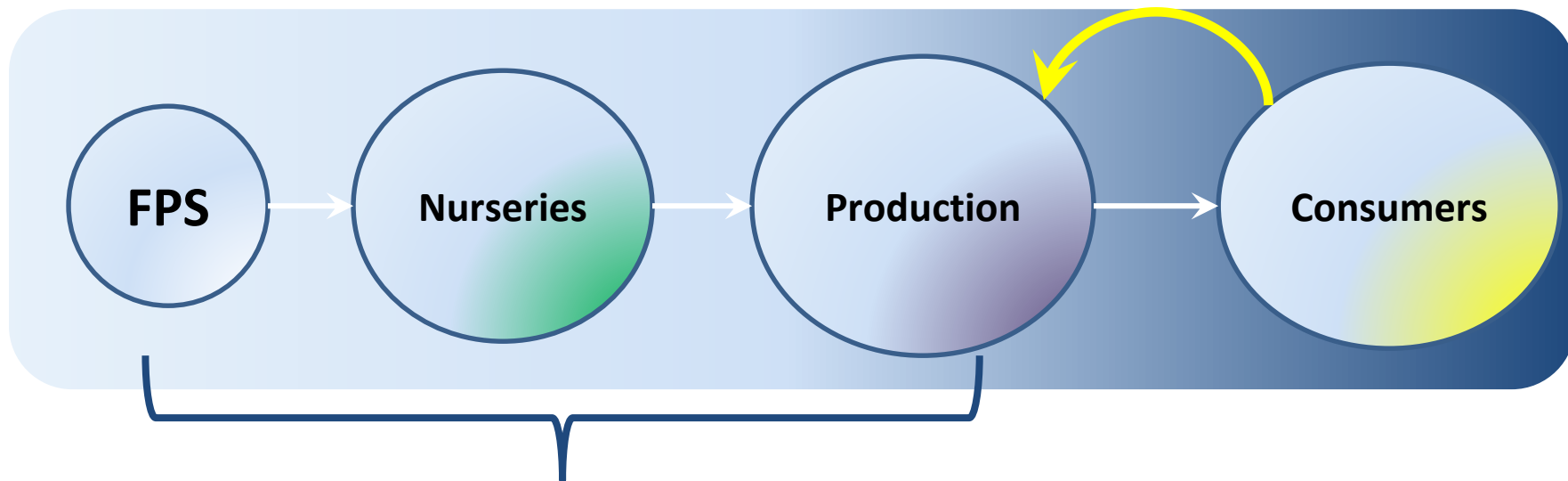
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# When does disease drive cooperation?

Plant disease properties at regional level and  
need for cooperative (area-wide) management





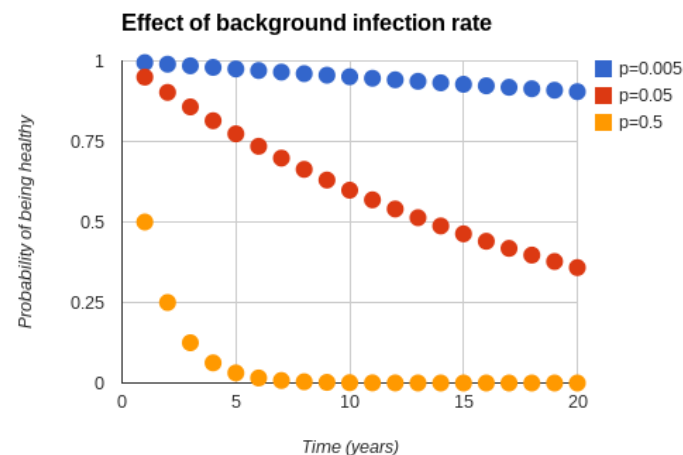
Sampling can be used to produce a supply chain with known performance for delivery of healthy vines

Assume background probability of vine being infected per year is  $p$ , so probability of staying healthy is  $(1-p)$ . Probability of being healthy after  $t$  years is  $(1-p)^t$ .

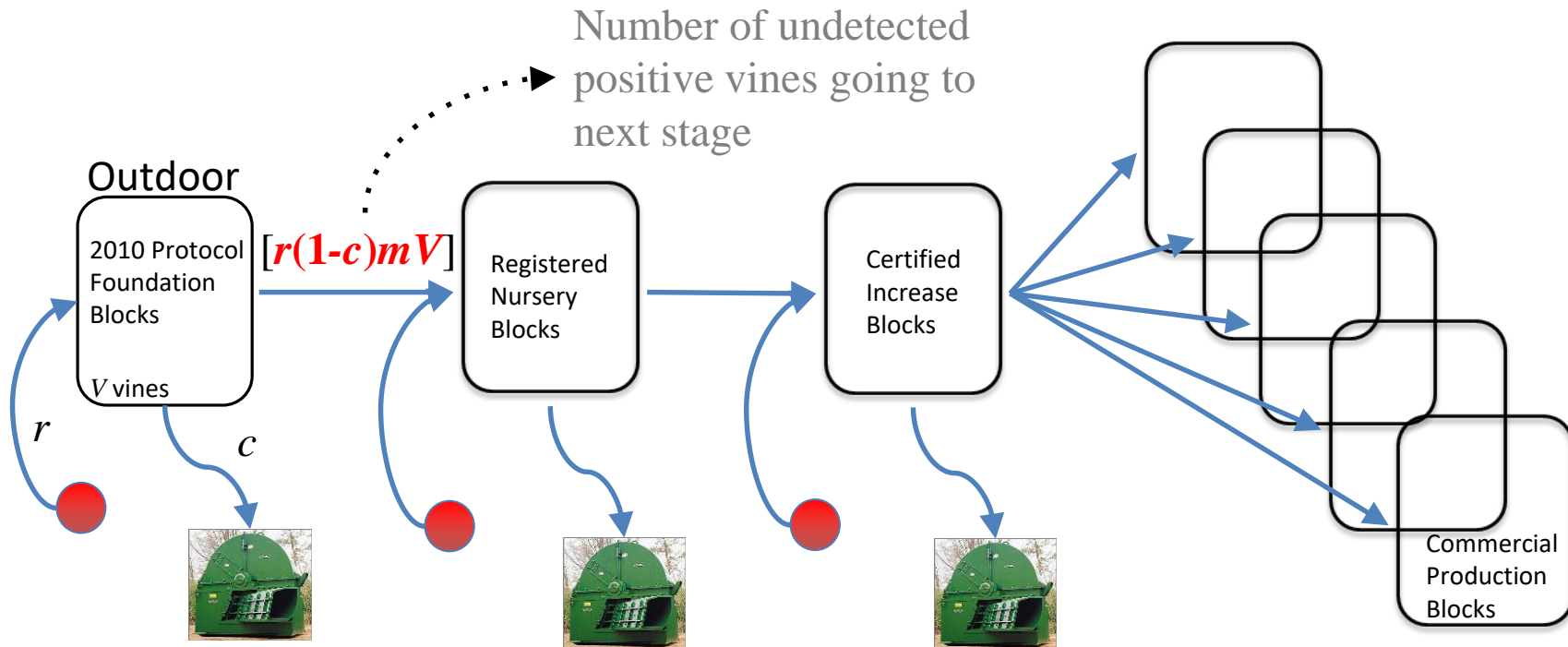
Let  $V_H$  = value of healthy vine

$V_I$  = value of infected vine

Expected value of vine at time,  $t$ , =  $\$[(1-p)^t V_H] + [1-(1-p)^t V_I]$



# The certification discussion and the future: Education is the key



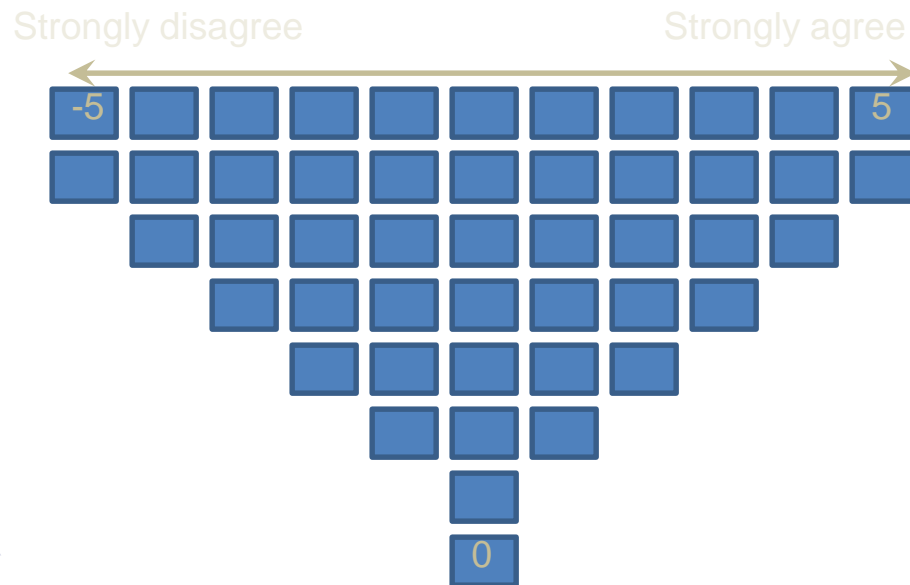
$$c = d \times tpp$$

$d$  = probability of detection (sampling) =  $f(n, N, p, \theta)$

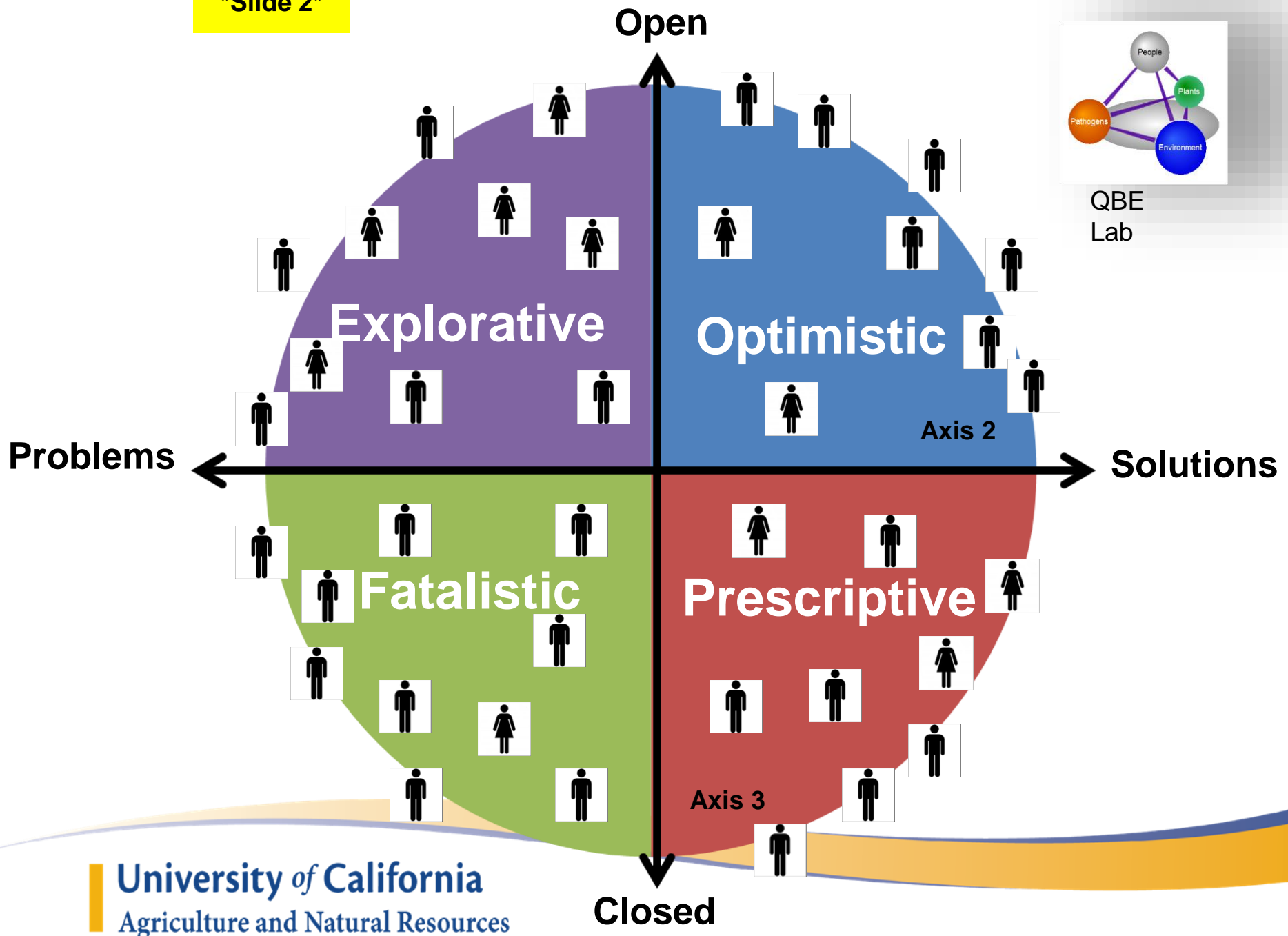
$tpp$  = diagnostic true positive proportion

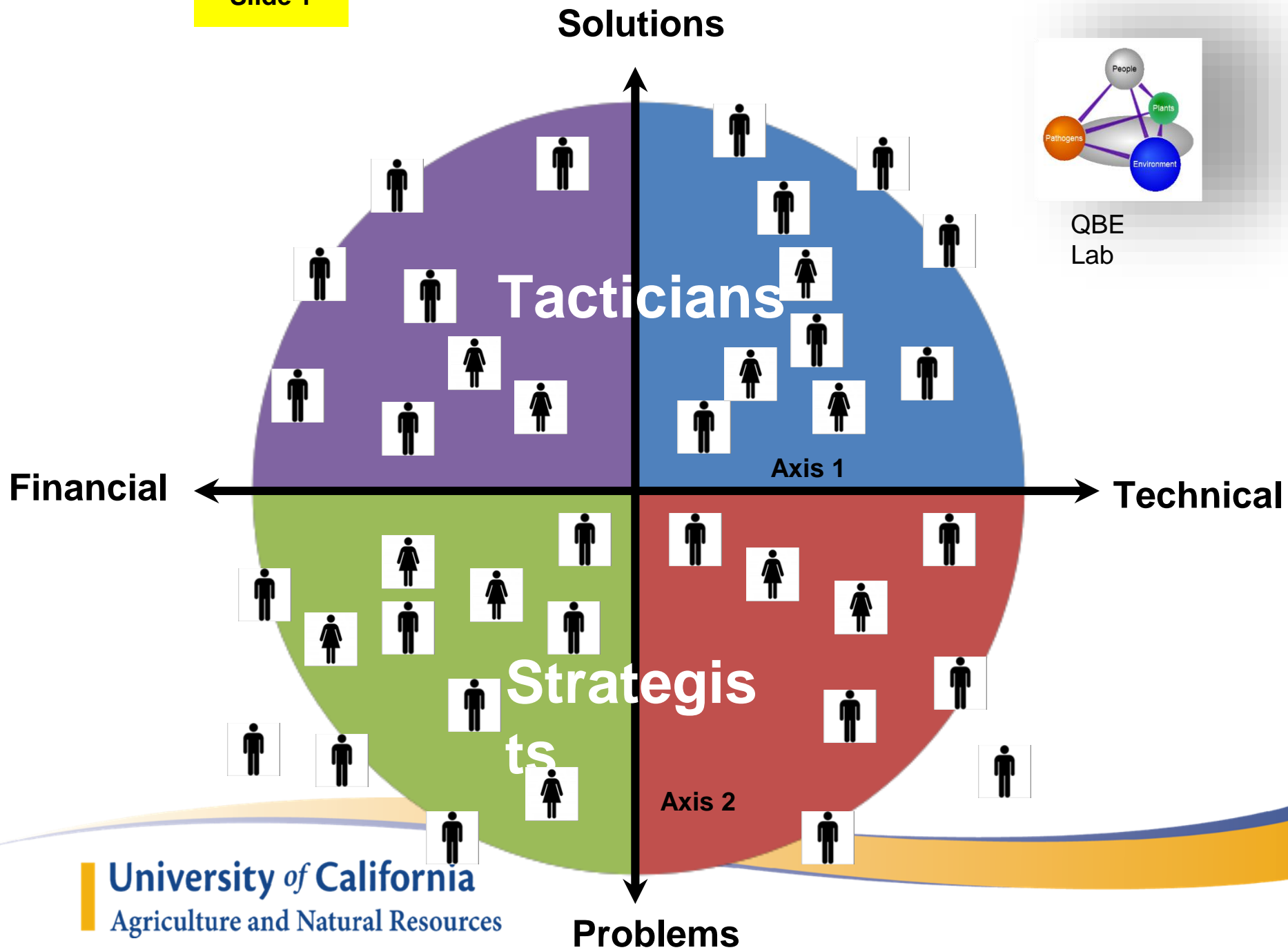
## Q-method study

- Q-method: Study of subjectivity
- Workshops to generate discourse (3)
- Extraction of a set of characteristic statements (47 from discourse)
- Ranking of statements by participants in Q-sort (37)
- Statistical analysis





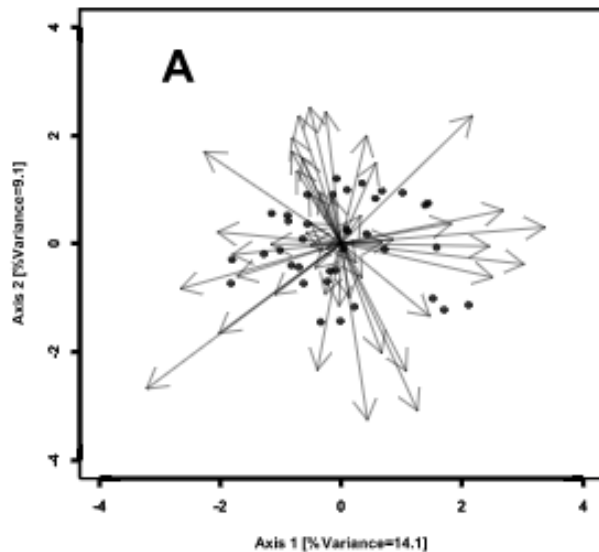




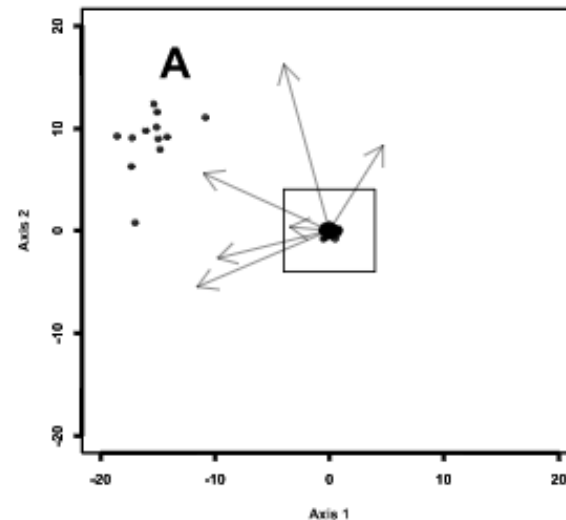
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To see oursels as ithers see us!

*Robert Burns, To a Louse*  
(1786)

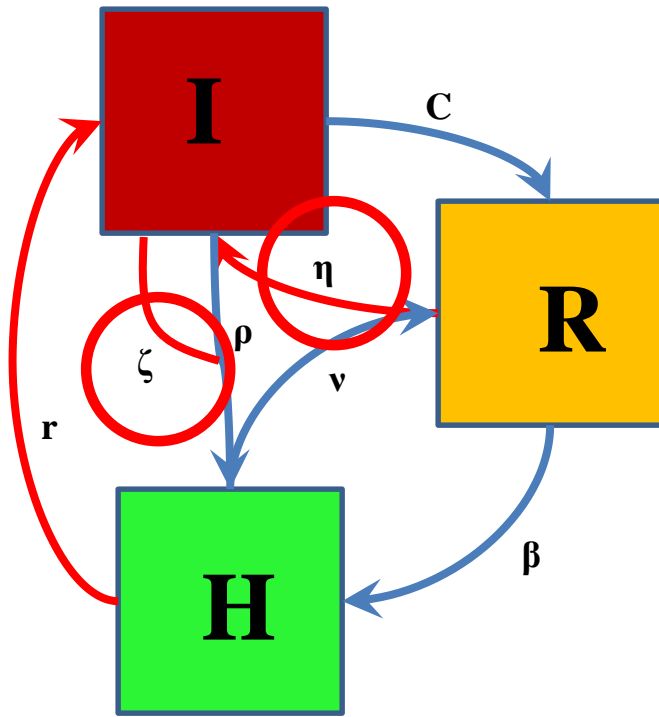
Diversity among growers/winemakers  
with respect to leafroll management  
and clean plant programs



But they're all close together when we  
include nursery stock producers in the  
same analysis



# Inter-block meta-population model



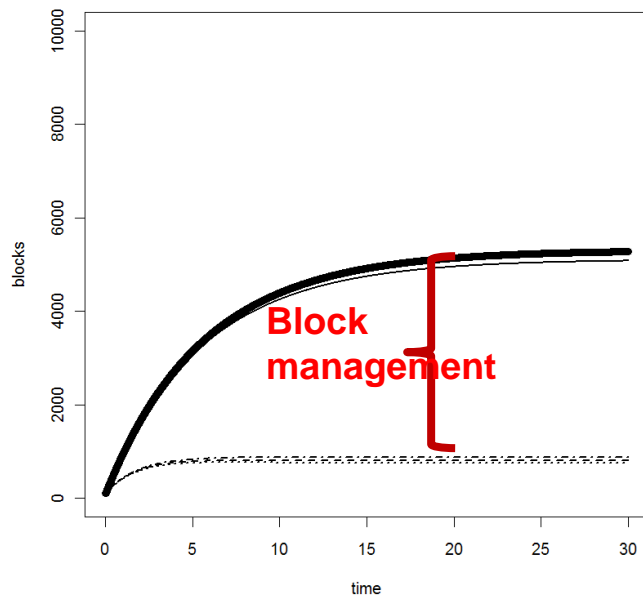
$$\frac{dI}{dt} = rH + \eta R - cI - (1 - \zeta)\rho I$$

$$\frac{dH}{dt} = \beta R + (1 - \zeta)\rho I - rH - vH$$

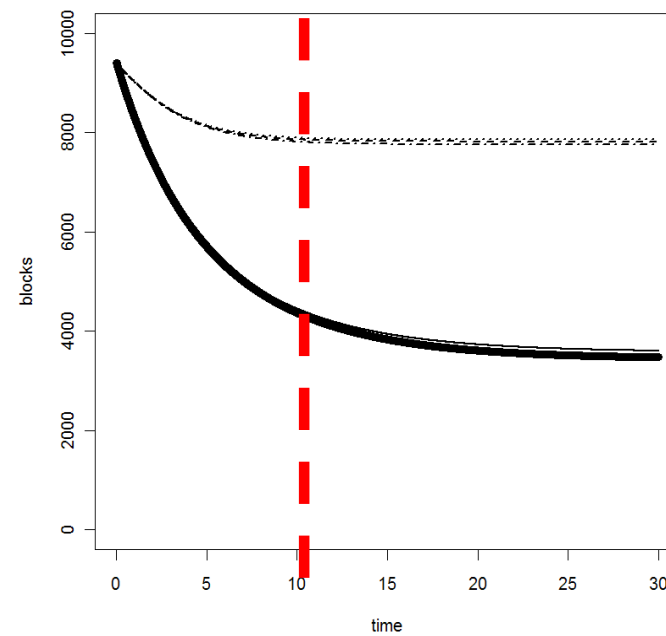
$$\frac{dR}{dt} = cI + vH - \beta R - \eta R$$

What drives the leafroll epidemic regionally?

Infected

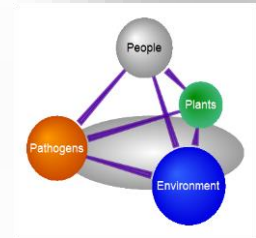


Healthy

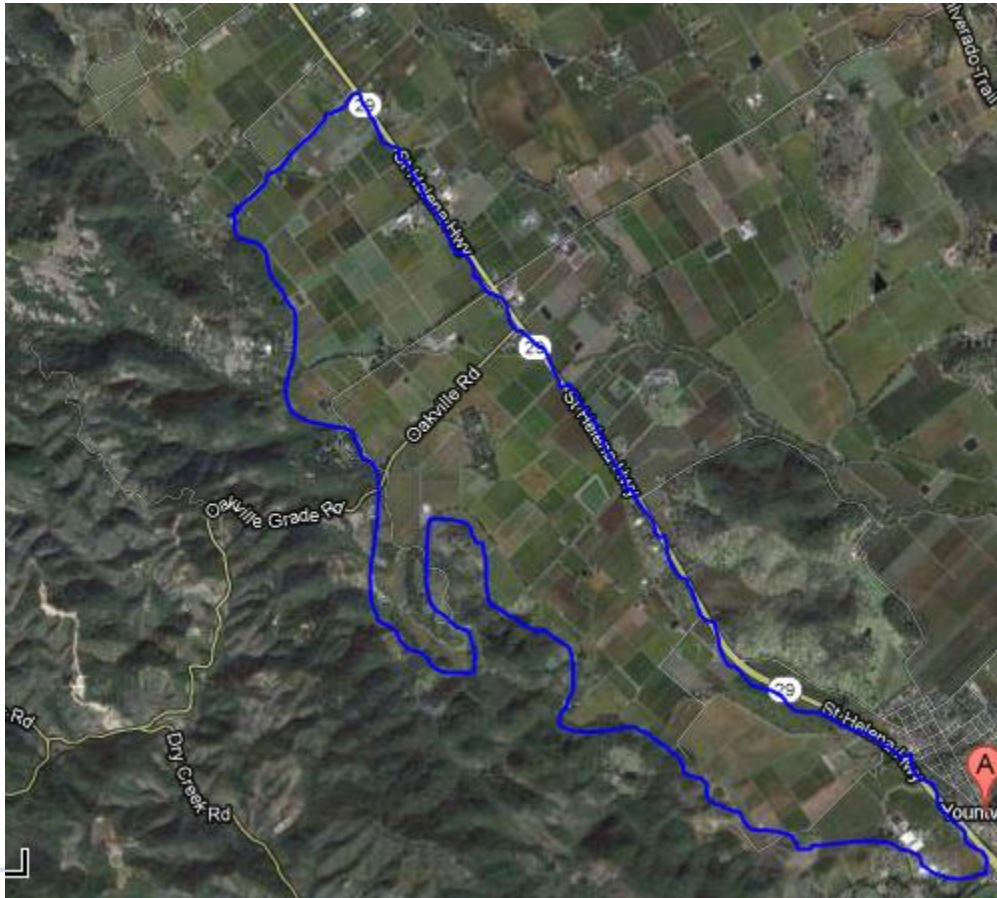




# Yountville-Oakville neighborhood group



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Mealybug counts  
Discussion on control  
Interest in virus testing and  
detection

# Sampling propagated vines

*Sampling the source material will be more efficient*

*Illustrating the scale of the problem*

*Suppose  $N = 5$  mother vines*

*$n = 10$  budsticks from each = 50 propagated vines*

*Suppose we want to take Simple Random Sample (SRS) of  $m = 5$  sticks*

There are  $\binom{50}{5} = 2,118,760$

*ways to draw the sample.  $n^N = 100,000$  combinations have wood from all 5 mother vines so only  $100,000 / 2,118,760 = 0.047$  (5%) of SRS capture all 5 mother vines.*



# Sampling propagated vines cont'd.

*Sampling the source material will be more efficient*

*More realistic (but still tiny-size) problem*

*Suppose  $N = 50$  mother vines*

*$n = 100$  budsticks from each vine*

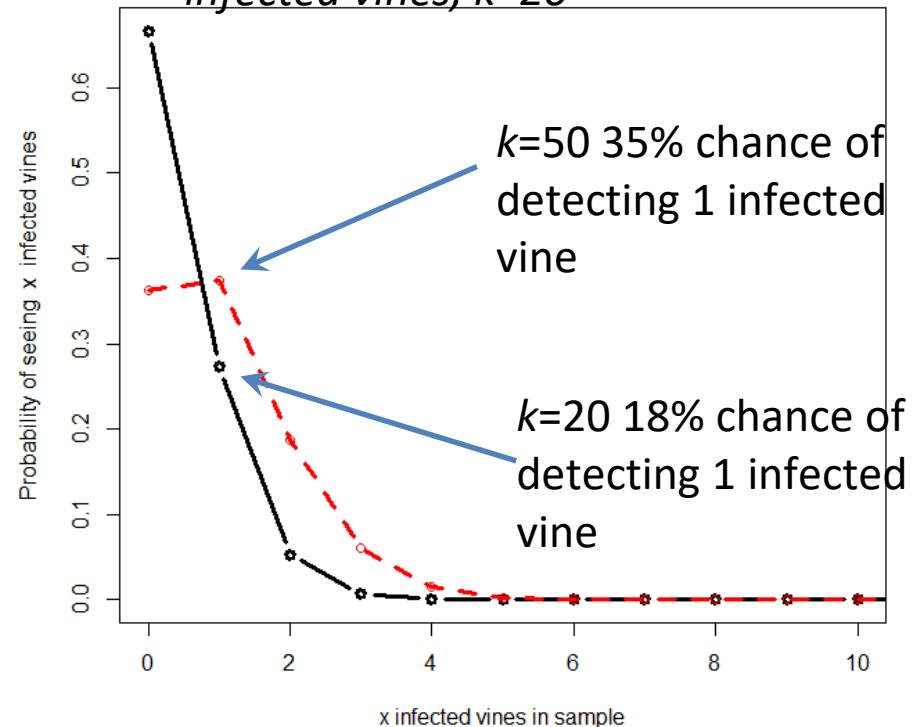
*Suppose  $d = 1$  infected mother vine =  $n \cdot d = 100$  infected daughter vines in  $n \cdot N = 5000$*

*We sample  $k = 20$  vines off the truck using a SRS and send for testing. What is the probability we find  $x = 0, 1, \dots, k$  infected vines in the sample?*

**Hypergeometric distribution**

$$\Pr(X = x) = \frac{\binom{n \cdot d}{x} \binom{n \cdot N - n \cdot d}{k - x}}{\binom{n \cdot N}{k}}$$

*>65% chance of detecting no infected vines,  $k=20$*



# If you don't find it, is it really not there?

$$\Pr(X = 0) = (1 + n\theta)^{-N\frac{p}{\theta}}$$

*Probability of not detecting disease if true vine incidence is  $p$ , group size is  $n$  and  $N$  groups of tests are made*

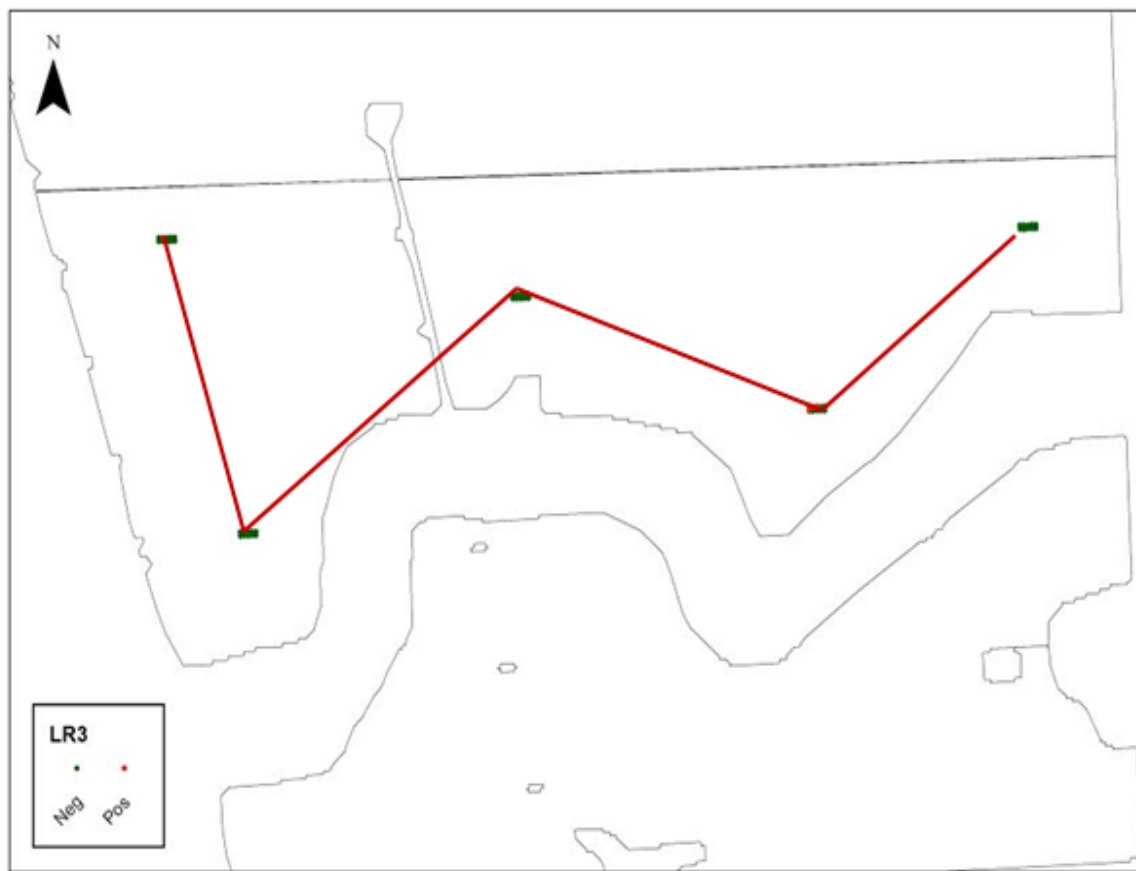
$$p = -\theta \cdot \log(P)/N \cdot \log(1 + n\theta)$$

*Maximum true vine disease incidence that could result in zero positives, given group size  $n$ ,  $N$  groups, with probability  $P$ .*

$$N = -\theta \cdot \log(P)/p \cdot \log(1 + n\theta)$$

*Sample size required to generate zero positives, given group size  $n$  and true disease incidence  $p$ , with probability  $P$ . Larger samples will give one or more positives*

# Case Study



Grower decided to test using this structure:

- 5 sets (quadrats)
- 10 samples (n=10) in each set

Row	XXXXX
Row	XXXXX

- Each vine individually tested
- “W” formation throughout field block
  - “X” works too



# Where are the positives?

## GRBaV

15 positive of 50, approx. 30%

5 Quadrats of 10:

Quadrat	# Positive
1	3/10
2	2/10
3	0/10
4	0/10
5	10/10

## GLRaV-3

5 positive of 50, approx. 10%

5 Quadrats of 10:

Quadrat	# Positive
1	1/10
2	0/10
3	0/10
4	0/10
5	4/10

# GRBaV in the given samples

## BINOMIAL

Fit Statistics	
-2 Log Likelihood	43.9
AIC (smaller is better)	45.9
AICC (smaller is better)	47.2
BIC (smaller is better)	45.5



Label	Estimate	Standard Error	DF	t Value	Pr >  t	Alpha	Lower	Upper
p	0.3	0.06481	5	4.63	0.0057	0.05	0.1334	0.4666

## BETA-BINOMIAL

Fit Statistics	
-2 Log Likelihood	19.4
AIC (smaller is better)	23.4
AICC (smaller is better)	29.4
BIC (smaller is better)	22.6



Label	Estimate	Standard Error	DF	t Value	Pr >  t	Alpha	Lower	Upper
p	0.3519	0.1738	5	2.02	0.0988	0.05	-0.09483	0.7986
alpha	0.1928	0.1709	5	1.13	0.3105	0.05	-0.2465	0.6321
beta	0.3551	0.3511	5	1.01	0.3582	0.05	-0.5474	1.2576
rho (intraclass corr.)	0.646	0.2017	5	3.2	0.0239	0.05	0.1277	1.1644

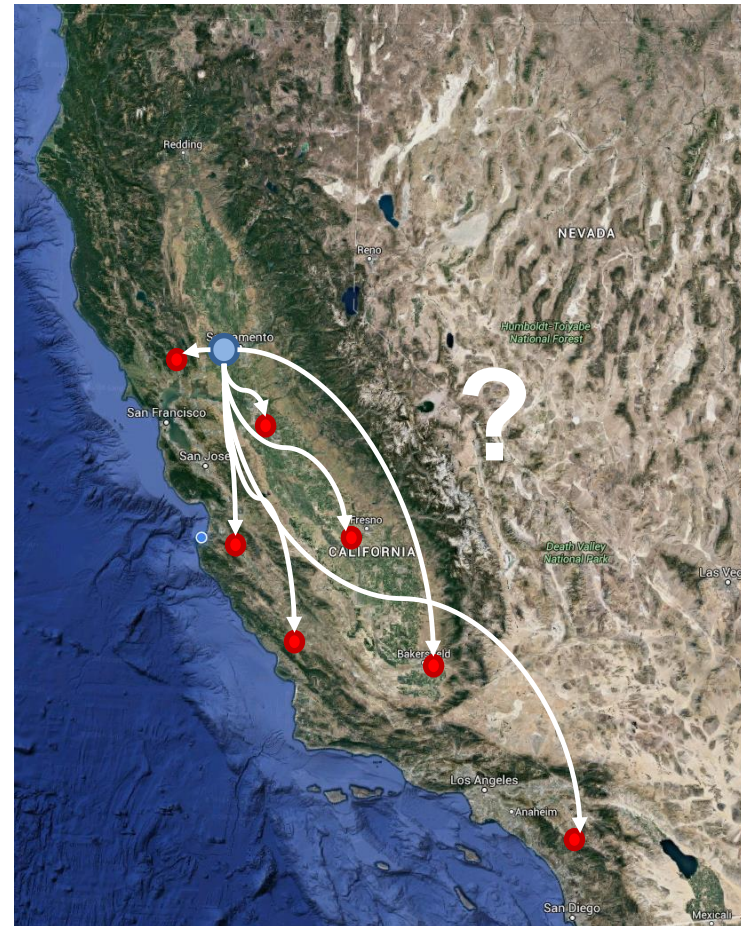
# PD/GWSS project on vine health A network of neighborhoods



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*Discussion time*