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**BIOL as substitute of fungicides
in the management of a
technified farm of cacao CCN-
51 in the Coast of Ecuador.**

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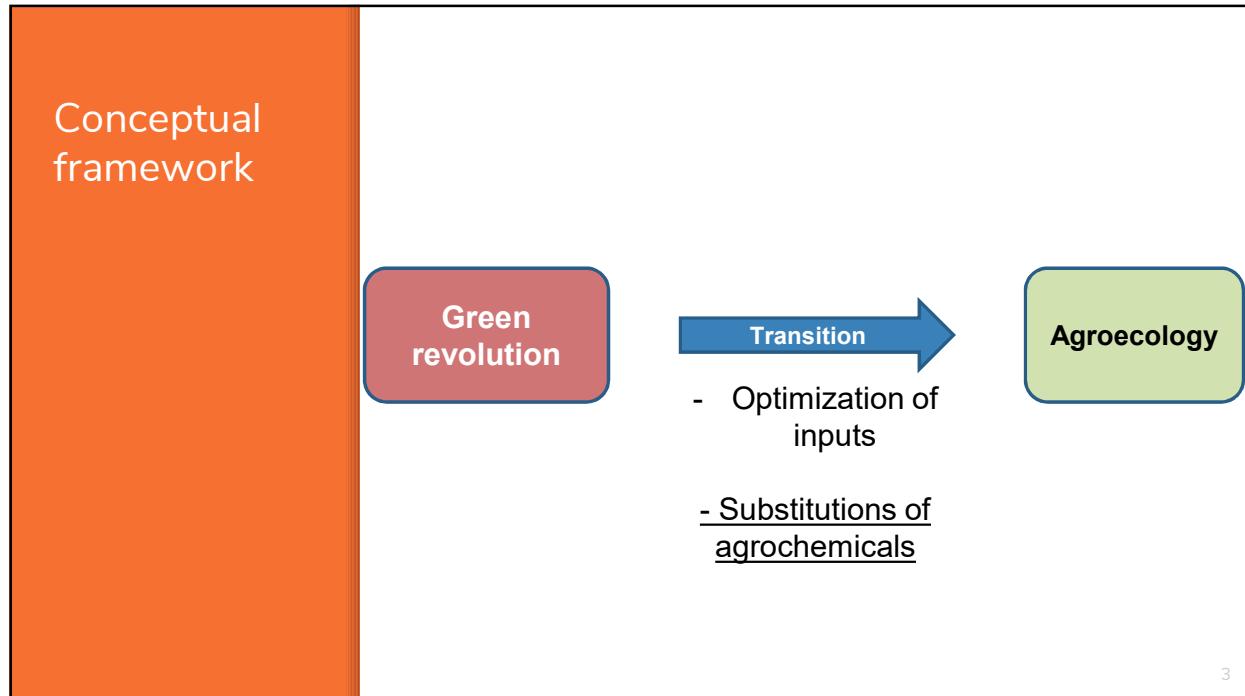
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UNEMI, funded in 2001

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Cacao CCN-51 vs. Cacao Nacional

- Highly productivity.
- Less flavor.
- Diseases “resistant”.
- Thriving in full-sun.
- Monoculture.

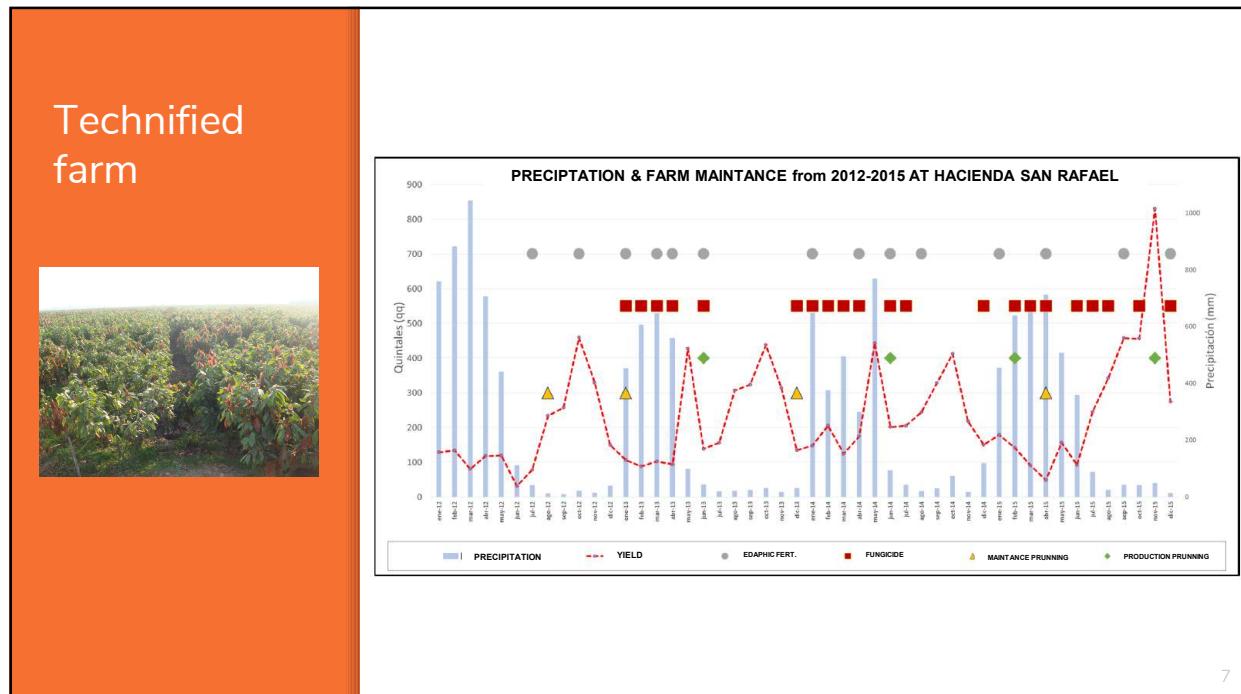


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TREATMENTS

Names	N° Agrochemicals & N° applications/ y			BIOL
	Edafic fertilization	Foliar fertilization	Foliar fungicide	
T1, Conventional	7/4	8/22	7/ 8	--
T2, Convent.-reduced	5/4	8/22	7/ 8	--
T3, Biol100/ 15d	7/4	8/22	--	100%/ 15
T4, Biol100/ 30d	7/4	8/22	--	100%/ 30
T5, Biol50/ 15d	7/4	8/22	--	50%/ 15
T6, Biol50/ 30d	7/4	8/22	--	50%/ 30

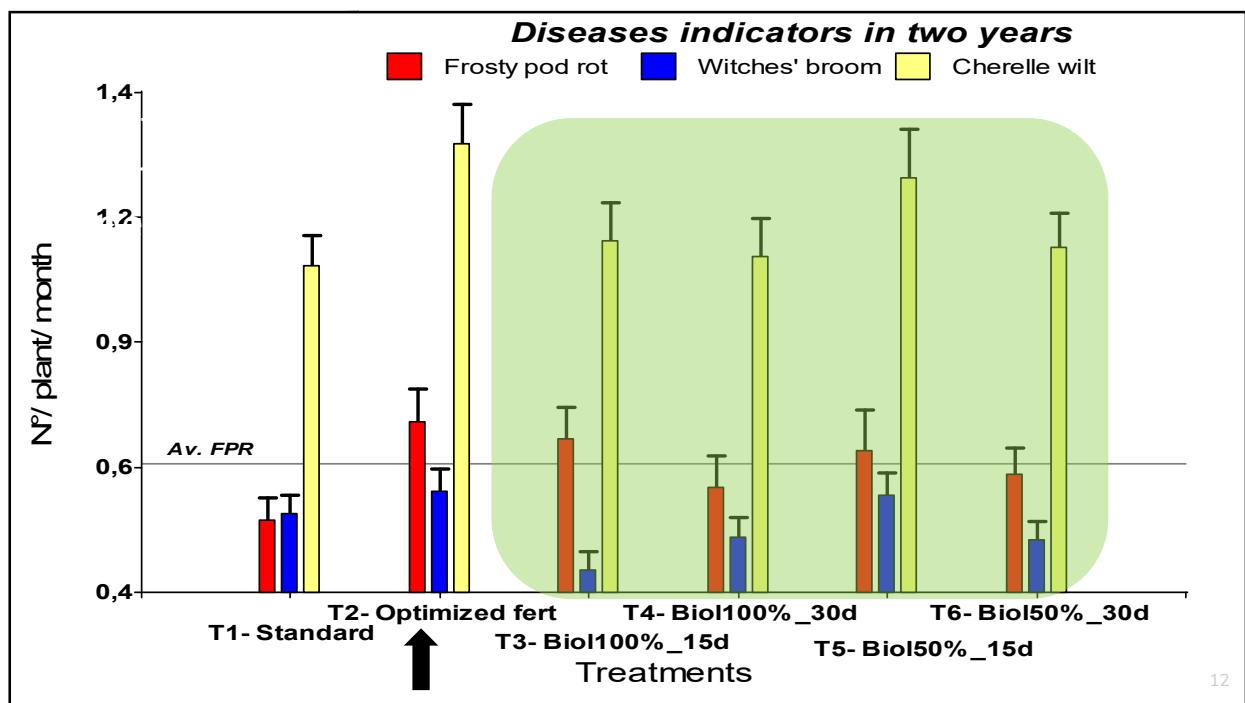
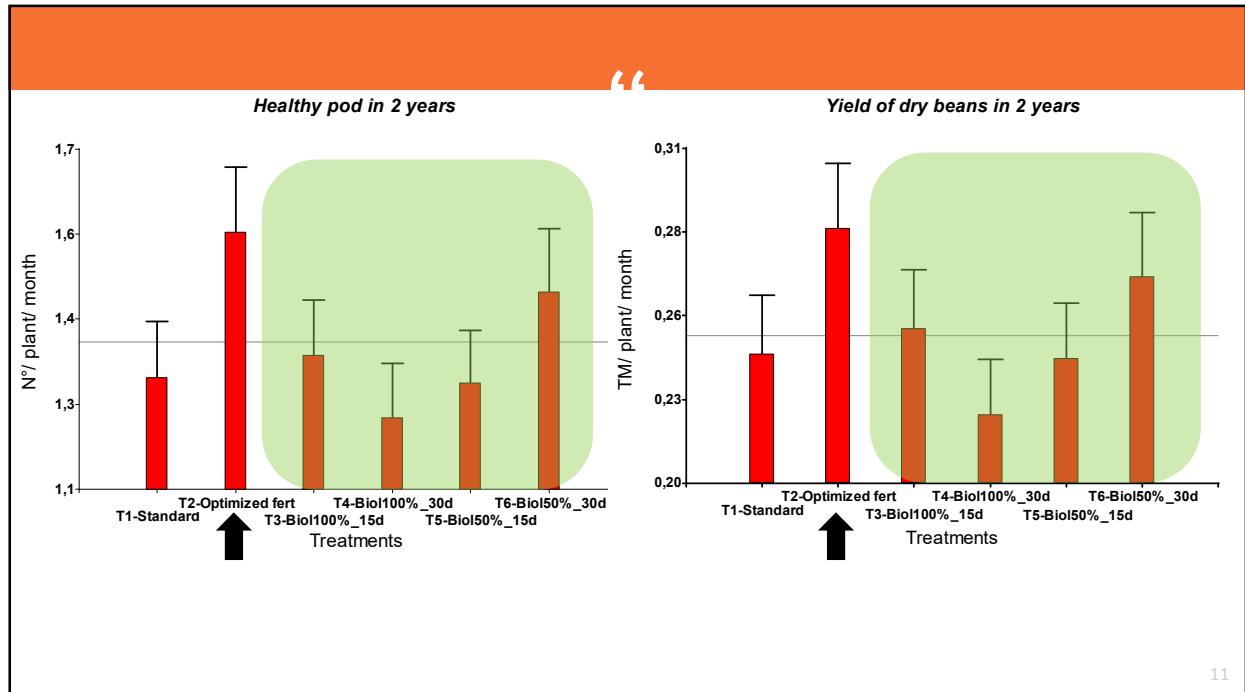
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Treatments			
Nº	Name	Some Details	Total
1	Biol (Nutrabiol)	100%=184.54 l/ha, 50%=92.27 l/ha, N° applications 1-2/ month	1
2	Full edafic fertilization (Ecuadorian comercial names):	Urea, Muriate of Potash (KCl), Sulpomag ($MgSO_4+K_2SO_4$), Microessential, Nutrimenores (microelements), $(NH_4)_2SO_4$, Ferticacao (20-6-17-3-4-1).	7
3	Reduced edafic fertilization:	Urea, Muriate of Potash (KCl), Sulpomag ($MgSO_4+K_2SO_4$), NH_4NO_3 , diammonium phosphate $(NH_4)_2HPO_4$.	5
4	Fungicides (active principles):	azoxystrobin, cloronitrilo, fosetyl aluminio, ditiocarbamato, propiconazol, mandipropamid, $CuSO_4 \cdot 5H_2O$.	7

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Agrochemicals & USD/ ha for 2015

PRODUCTO	TIPO	UNIDAD	DOSIS / Ha	CICLOS	CANTIDAD	PRECIO UNIT	TOTAL \$	Total \$/área productiva
Aminocrop	FERT FOLIAR	L	1.00	2.00	2.00	13.30	26.60	
Foska	FERT FOLIAR	L	1.00	3.00	3.00	13.30	39.90	
Fullbionic 622	FERT FOLIAR	L	1.50	2.00	3.00	9.45	28.35	
Fullbionic Boro	FERT FOLIAR	L	1.00	2.00	3.00	8.40	25.20	
Humitec Cu	FERT FOLIAR	L	1.00	1.00	1.00	9.89	9.89	
Humitec Mn	FERT FOLIAR	L	1.00	2.00	2.00	8.90	17.80	
Cohesion Zn	FERT FOLIAR	L	1.00	2.00	2.00	10.90	21.80	
Nitrato Potasio	FERT FOLIAR	Kg	1.00	8.00	8.00	1.60	12.80	
					TOTAL	24.00	182.34	23,970.42
Axozistrubin	FUNGICIDA	L	0.30	2.00	0.60	52.00	31.20	
Clorotalonil 72	FUNGICIDA	L	0.75	1.00	0.75	13.64	10.23	
Fosetyl aluminio	FUNGICIDA	Kg	0.30	1.00	0.30	13.58	4.07	
Metalaxil + Mancozeb	FUNGICIDA	L	0.50	1.00	0.50	29.50	14.75	
Propiconazole	FUNGICIDA	L	0.30	1.00	0.30	18.75	5.63	
Revus	FUNGICIDA	L	0.30	1.00	0.30	67.76	20.33	
Sulf. COBRE Pentahidratado	FUNGICIDA	L	0.50	1.00	0.50	40.67	20.34	
					TOTAL	3.25	106.54	14,006.01
FERTILIZANTE EDAFICO								
Urea	FERT EDAFICO	Kg	-	-	213.61	0.41	88.61	
Muriato Potasio granulado	FERT EDAFICO	Kg	-	-	206.00	0.43	88.58	
Microessential	FERT EDAFICO	Kg	-	-	123.85	1.07	133.09	
K Mag o Sul/pomag	FERT EDAFICO	Kg	-	-	127.06	0.53	67.34	
Nutrimenores (microelementos)	FERT EDAFICO	Kg	-	-	52.24	0.64	33.43	
Sulfato de amonio	FERT EDAFICO	Kg	-	-	98.85	0.38	37.56	
Ferticacao 20-6-17-3-4-1	FERT EDAFICO	Kg	-	-	200.00	0.60	120.00	
					TOTAL	1,021.61	568.61	74,749.87
BIOL-CIBE								
Biol preparación CIBE	FUNGICIDA	L	92	12	1104	0.06	64.58	8,490.21

* Fuente: Ing. Aquilez Boborquez y Datos CIBE.

Results

1. Two treatments with BIOL were better than T1 (Standard) in yield and healthy pods.
2. T1 (Standard) was better than BIOL in controlling Frosty pod rot.
3. Three treatment with BIOL controlled Witches's broom better than T1.
4. BIOL is cheaper (at least 4,5 times) then T1

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In 2017, the administration of the HSR changed, and the results were not convincing enough to apply BIOL.

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ARTÍCULO DE INVESTIGACIÓN/ RESEARCH ARTICLE

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