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PC 284

Review of pest control in UK
pepper crops

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Title: Review of pest control in UK pepper crops

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Background and project objectives

The current use of biological control agents within protected pepper crops has been subject to problems and disruption among many growers. These changes include increasing problems in controlling common species and the occurrence of new species of pest.

The proposed project will provide a first step in the review of pest control in UK peppers. The projects aim is to identify the main concerns for growers and thereby provide an overview of the different problems and possible solutions.

Further information

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