Insect Management

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Outline

• The challenge – “good” bugs vs “bad” bugs
• Insect monitoring & IPM
• What does IPM mean to you?
Selected International Pests of Oilseed Rape

Source: Dr. Samantha Cooke, Rothamsted Research Center
INTEGRATED PEST MANAGEMENT

1. Understand action and economic thresholds
2. Scout, monitor and assess risk
3. Prevent and avoid issues where possible
4. Control pests where necessary

Challenging, changing crop environment continues to require additional research into existing pests and new potential threats to our cropping systems.
Thank you

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