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2013 Crop Results

Vitazyme on Mums

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Location: Santa Ana, Tenancingo, Mexico *Variety*: Hartman

<u>Experimental design</u>: A greenhouse with mums was treated with Vitazyme on a bed, and results were compared to previous yields. Applications were made on a regular basis to evaluate the effect of the product on cuttings for propagation.

1. Control 2. Vitazyme

Fertilization: A potassium product was applied to promote better stem thickness.

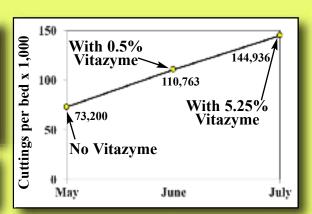
<u>Vitazyme application</u>: (1) 350 ml/70 liters of water (0.5%) on the leaves; (2) 52.5 ml/liter of water (5.25%) <u>Growth results</u>: In October of 2012, observations showed that Vitazyme made significant improvements:

- Better overall growth and yield of stems and leaves
- Faster growth rate

Yield results: Thirty day intervals were analyzed

Treatment	May yield	June yield*	July yield*
		cuttings/ha	
Control	73,200	(73,200)	(73,200)
Vitazyme	_	110,763 (+51%)	144,936 (+98%)
*Comparisons are made with data from the same bed in May before treatment.			

Cutting increases with Vitazyme: 51 to 98%



<u>Conclusions</u>: Mums treated with either a 0.5% or 5.25% Vitazyme solution in a greenhouse setting in Mexico showed a great response, in terms of growth vigor and cutting production. Increases were 51% after one month and 98% after two months. The use of Vitazyme for mum cutting production is highly recommended.