

Bay of Plenty Young Fruit Grower: Biosecurity Quiz

1. Who is the current Minister for Biosecurity?
2. In the event of a major response, to help with coordination, the Coordinated Incident Management System (CIMS) framework is adopted. There are seven function leads that sit under the Controller in the CIMS framework, can you name four of these function leads?
3. KVH has expanded its core business to be the lead of industry ERM. What does ERM stand for?
4. Biosecurity has topped KPMG's Agribusiness Agenda leader's priorities list for 15 consecutive years. Despite this, we can see biosecurity complacency settle in as it's an issue that often sits out of sight and out of mind for many. Name two ways in which you can combat biosecurity complacency on your orchard/workplace?
5. KVH is one of 26 industry groups that partners in GIA with the aim to improve readiness for future biosecurity events. What does GIA stand for?
6. What are the implications for industry and the environment of having wilding horticulture plants? List two practical steps that can be taken to prevent wilding plants from establishing near an orchard/post-harvest facility/farm?
7. The industry is faced with a labor crisis, and you need to bring contractors in from outside of your region. What risks does this pose to your orchard, and how would you manage this risk?
8. What should you do if you observe plants with unusual symptoms or see an organism that may be a new invasive pest on an orchard? You get an extra mark for knowing the right contact phone number too.
9. Tie-breaker questions if needed:

How many post-harvest facilities were involved in KVH's Brown Marmorated Stink Bug (BMSB) monitoring programme during the recent 2023/24 high-risk season?

To the nearest thousand, how many fruit fly traps are in place at high-risk sites throughout the country as part of the national surveillance network?