



Carbohydrate Feed Use (West)

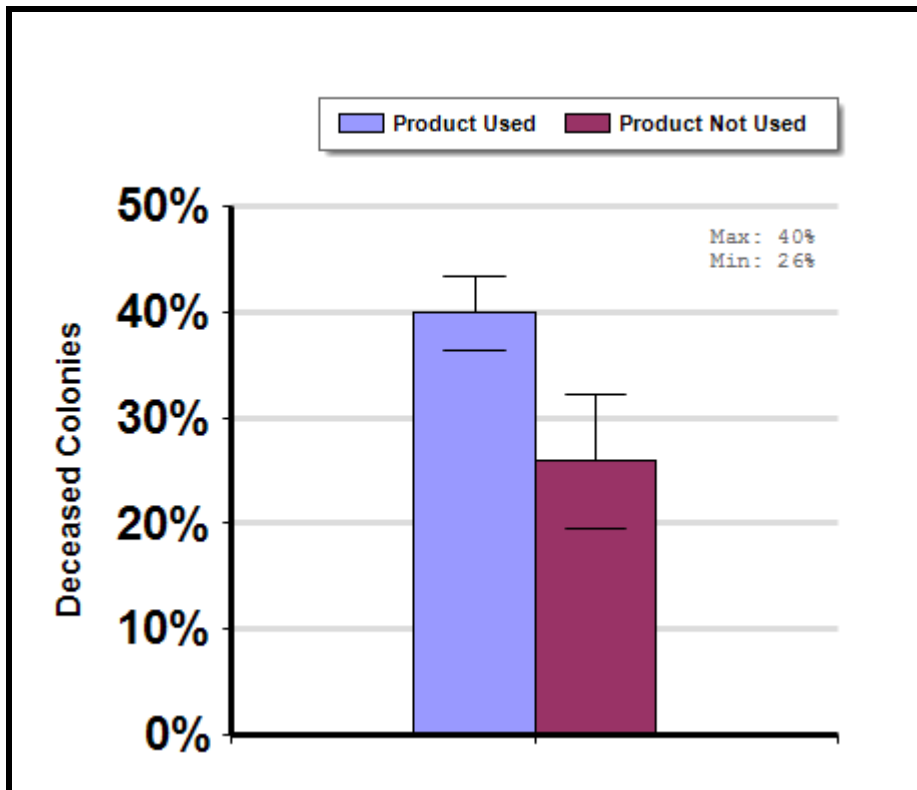
Management Survey 2013

(Filtered by: West)

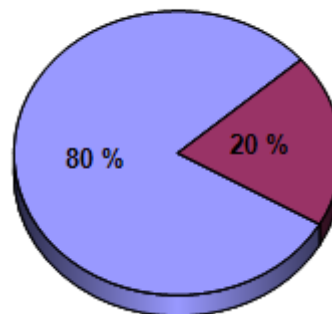
Winter

A comparison of average winter colony mortality among beekeepers who did or did not feed carbohydrates to a majority of their colonies, at least once, between April and March.

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Participant Ratio



Survey Question

Which, if any of the following, did you apply to a majority of your colonies between April 1, 2012 and March, 2013?

- Candy
- Dry sugar
- High Fructose Corn Syrup (HFCS)
- Honey
- Sugar syrup
- Wet supers

		Total Number of Respondents Providing Valid Responses	Total Number of Colonies Managed	Average Number of Colonies Managed		Average Colony Loss
				Mean	Standard Error	Mean(%) [Lower, Upper] CI
	Product Not Used	81	90,129	1112.7	365.4	25.9 [19.6, 32.3]
	Product Used	329	370,503	1126.1	267.6	39.9 [36.4, 43.4]

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