



# Treatment of Dead Out Equipment (West)

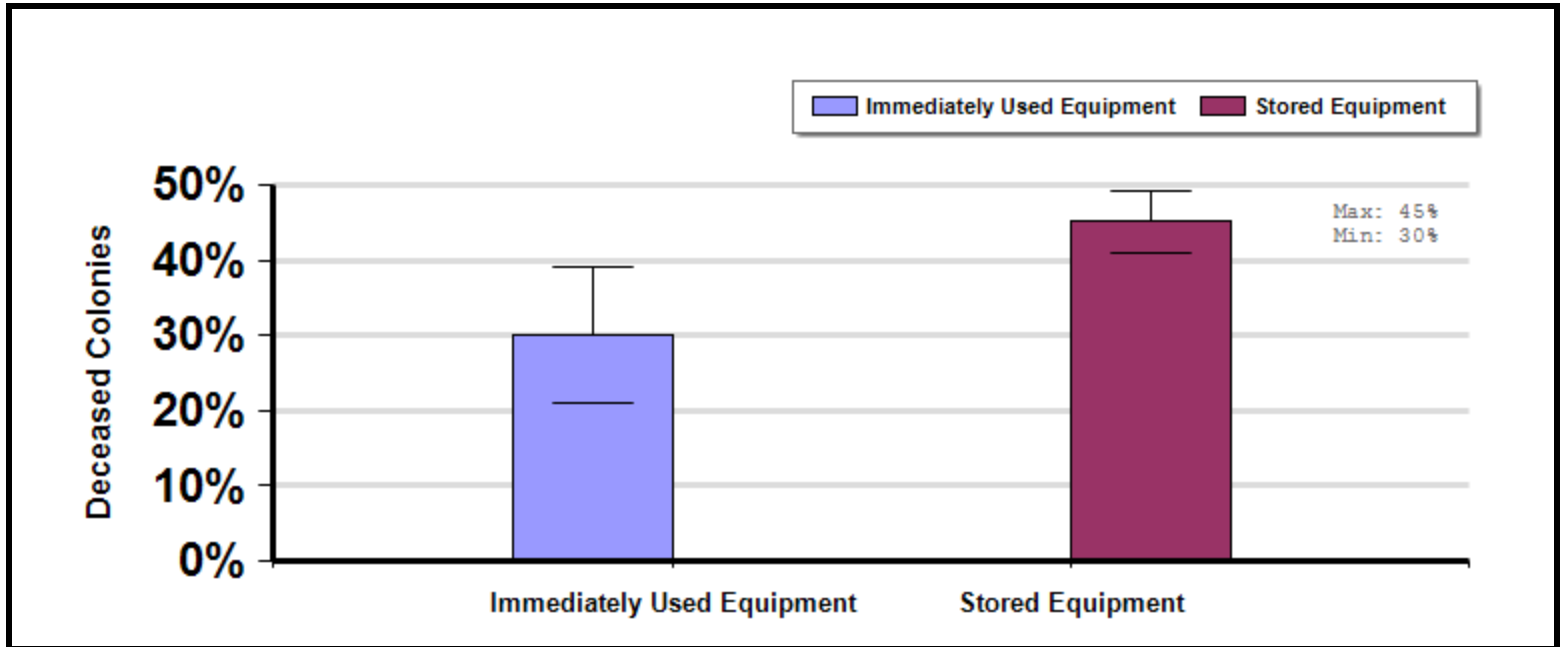
Management Survey 2013

( Filtered by: West )

Average winter colony mortality reported by beekeepers who stored or did not store their equipment between April and March.

## Winter

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## Survey Question

Generally, when you found a dead and/ or weak colony in your operation over the last year you would:

- Immediately replace the dead colony by splitting frames of bees/brood from other strong colonies into the dead out equipment
- Pack up the dead equipment and store it for re-use at a later date
- A mixture of both, I immediately replaced some and packed up others
- Did not find dead colonies
- Other, please specify

		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
Immediately Used Equipment	Immediately Used Equipment	22	54,192	2463.3	659.4	30.0 [21.0, 39.1]

Stored Equipment	Stored Equipment	204	239,935	1176.2	398.9	45.1 [40.9,49.3]
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## Comments About This Data

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## Relevant Links, References, and Citations

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