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Variety Testing

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Memo To: Alabama Soybean Variety Trial Participants

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From: Kathryn M. Glass, Alabama Variety Testing

Subject: Seed Request for 2017

The *Performance of Soybean Cultivars in Alabama, 2016* can be found at:

www.alabamavarietytesting.com

Plans are being made for the 2017 Alabama Soybean Variety Trials. Please send a list of proposed entries to me by March 24. Enclosed are the guidelines for entry into these tests and an entry form. Indicate your preference for your varieties with an AX@ in the appropriate box on the entry form. We will also need the percent germination for each entry.

Please **list ALL seed treatments** on seed bag.

15 lbs of seed **per entry per region** should be shipped to:

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Seeds should be delivered to me by April 8.

The fee is \$100 per entry per location.

Please make checks payable to: *Crop, Soil, & Environmental Sciences - Auburn University.*

The soybean variety testing in Alabama will consist of the following:

<u>Test name</u>	<u>Location</u>
* Group IV trial:	(Belle Mina & Crossville in north AL and Tallassee in central AL) These tests will be planted in mid-late April. Please make sure your Group IV varieties arrive on time to meet the target planting date.
* Regular Trials:	North (Belle Mina, Crossville) Planted May 1-10 Central (EV Smith - Milstead) Planted May 10-20 Black Belt (Marion Junction, 2 trials - Vaiden soil & Sumter soil) Planted May 10-20 Southern (Brewton) Planted May 25-June 5 Gulf Coast (Fairhope) Planted May 25-June 5

Disclaimer:

Seed received for testing will be used solely for that purpose. Auburn University will not isolate or have isolated, sequence or have sequenced, or analyze or have analyzed genetic material from seed received and shall not use any biotechnology process to manipulate the seed. Seed received will not be transferred to a third party. Auburn University agrees not to use the seed of any experimental lines for plant breeding or seed stock increases. Auburn University retains the right to make crosses with commercially released, non-transgenic, non-patented varieties.