## Effect on peanut (Arachis hypogea) cultivars

Interaction between host density and fungus

Table shows the effect of different host densities on Sclerotinia blight in different *Arachis hypogea* cultivars

## **Crop: Peanut**

**Stress 1:** 6.1 cm (75 seeds/4.57 m), 15.3 cm (30 seeds/4.57 m), 30.3 cm (15 seeds/4.57 m), and 45.7 cm (10 seeds/4.57 m) **Stress 2:** *Sclerotinia minor* **Stage of the plant:** All growth stages

Plants	Treatments		Plants response to combined	
			stress	
	Host density		% Disease	Parameter
	(Plant spacing in cm)	Fungus	incidence**	type*
Flavor Runner 458	6.1	S. minor	73.2	Type B
	15.3	S. minor	85.8	
	30.3	S. minor	86.6	
	45.7	S. minor	93.5	
Okrun	6.1	S. minor	81.7	
	15.3	S. minor	86.6	
	30.3	S. minor	97.67	
	45.7	S. minor	96.9	
Southwest Runner	6.1	S. minor	25.9	
	15.3	S. minor	28.2	
	30.3	S. minor	36.7	
	45.7	S. minor	37.2	
Tamspan 90	6.1	S. minor	8.4	
	15.3	S. minor	11.2	
	30.3	S. minor	17.8	
	45.7	S. minor	31.2	

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## **Reference-**

Maas AL, Dashiell KE and Melouk HA. Planting density influences disease incidence and severity of Sclerotinia blight in peanut. Crop Science 2006; 46(3), 1341-1345.

## Note:

*'\*' - For more information on parameters classification, please refer to 'methodology' tab. '\*\*' Values presented as they were in the source articles without subjecting them to the calculation.* 

**The inference from the study:** Maas et al., 2006 reported that the incidence of Sclerotinia blight of peanuts increased with increased plant spacing in the susceptible cultivars, Flavor Runner 458 and Okrun, and also the moderately resistant cultivars, Southwest Runner and Tamspan 90.

Incidence of Sclerotinia blight in peanut increases with increased plant spacing.