

Gulf CHMA Update – Jan 2013, Cycle 25

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As of the 25th cycle, the total number of MB surveyed has decreased from 5153 to 5120 with 1454 of these having n/a (i.e. not available – 28% total not surveyed). In the 5 County area, the number of multi-blocks surveyed decreased from 826 to 825 and 149 MB had n/a for their data (10% not surveyed). For comparison, total MBs surveyed in the other CHMAs combined totaled 4,327 MB with 265 n/a for 18% not surveyed. The 25th cycle of the statewide survey was completed on 4 January 2013. Hendry, Charlotte, and Lee Counties are having decreases in ACP counts, but Collier County had a sharp increase. Glades County showed a slight increase in ACP counts. The map now shows only Cycles 18 – 25 to better fit the data (Fig. 1). The number of hotspots has increased from 3 to 14 (i.e. Multi-block ID with ≥ 21 psyllids) for Cycles 23, 24, and 25 (see interactive map on our website for locations of psyllid counts and hotspots).

Figure 1 - Average ACP per Gulf CHMA Cycle by County

