

NC-140 Annual Report Format

To develop the NC-140 Annual Report, please provide a very brief report from your location including the following information (please note that this may be developed as an “executive summary” of the report that you present at the meeting):

Progress of Work and Principal Accomplishments: Provide bullet statements giving highlights of this year's progress and accomplishments.

Usefulness of Findings and Impact of Cooperative Research Project: Again, bullet statements would be best, ie impact on the industry, nurseries, etc.

Work Planned for Next Year: Only include local projects in this section. Brief statements are all that are necessary. Information on cooperative projects will be provided by the coordinators.

Publications: Separate rootstock-related publications into Refereed and Non-refereed. Include only those already published, and use the following format:

Doe, J.M. 2002. Rootstocks alter tree performance. J. Amer. Pomol. Soc. 56:14-22.

Please include the actual URL of either a published abstract or an online publication.

Presentations: List presentations of rootstock-related information. Include the authors, date, presentation title, conference title, location, type of audience, and attendance. Use the following format:

Doe, J.M. 10 April 2002. Rootstocks alter tree performance. April Apple Twilight Meeting. Biglerville, PA. Grower audience. Attendance 231.

Grants: External grants/funding/donations (in-kind included, value for example \$5,000/acre grower hosted orchards/year) supporting NC 140 objectives. External grants can include colleagues in various disciplines who use rootstock trials for supporting accessory studies, ex. fireblight on apple and interaction with rootstocks (plant pathology), nematode studies on rootstocks, BMSB insect study on a block, etc.

Include the recipients, date, title, source, and amount in the following format:

Doe, J.M. 2002. Do rootstocks alter tree performance? International Dwarf Fruit Tree Association. \$129,000.