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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Trial | Larvae | g/ha | Efficacy (ABBOTT) in % | | "Efficacy" (ABBOTT) in % |
|  |  | ca. | Quassin | Neoquassin | Quassin in comp. with Neoquassin |
| 1 | neonatae | 1.5 | 71.9 | 61.0 | 17.8 |
|  |  | 3 | 75.1 | 71.1 | 5.7 |
|  |  | 6 | 91.6 | 63.0 | 45.3 |
|  |  | 12 | 80.7 | 69.5 | 16.2 |
|  |  | 18 | 76.7 | 75.5 | 1.6 |

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