Subject: bud set stages

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Hi Lizzie,

I still can't find a series of bud set stage photos for you. I thought I had one but may be imagining. I sent a message to Raju to see if he recalls such.

Meanwhile, if we are not actually measuring extension growth, we typically score only what we call stages 6 & 7 (the previous 5 stages being related to bud break and free growth):

6 = terminal bud beginning to form on shoot apex

7 = terminal bud fully developed and covered by dark brown scales

We also score "lammas" (2nd flushing) when it occurs. Something like lammas may happen after growth has started to slow down but before a bud has become evident, and we record those instances too, but have no "stage" assigned to it.

Cheers, Rob

Normal bud formation.pdf

Bud break stages.ppt

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