

Innovation research and ongoing management measures on Foc TR4 in China

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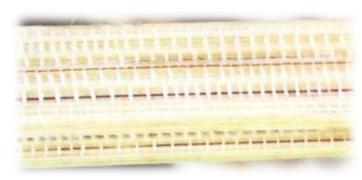


- Fusarium Wilt of banana in China
- Molecular detection and quarantine
- Resistant breeding and the new varieties
- Integrative Control measures on Foc TR4

■ The way forward



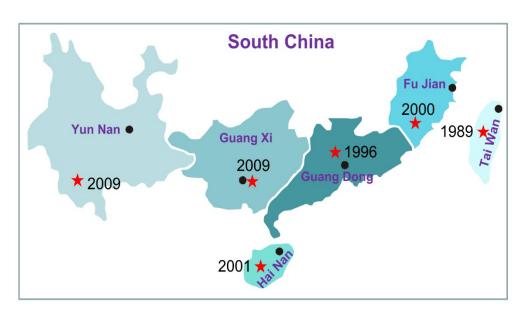




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Fusarium Wilt of banana in China



- ✓ Destroyed many banana gardens and abandoned
- √ The direct economic loss >> 10 billion USD/ year
- ✓ National/Provincial Banana Industry Technical System
- ✓ Many kinds measures have been tried in China and recovered China banana industry in some degree.





Molecular detection and quarantine

Traditional methods

- ✓ Race and VCG identification
- √ PCR based technologies
- --- PCR
- --- q-PCR
- --- LAMP
- ✓ Other molecular methods
- ---SSR, RAPD, AFLP

Point-of-care method





Molecular detection and quarantine

- Foc TR4 was in the National Plant Quarantine Pest List
- Surveillance and monitoring
- Foc TR4 annual report and occurrence area
- Managing the production and sales of banana plantlets Strictly
- ✓ The selection of Sucker for tissue culture
- ✓ Location of tissue culture factories
- ✓ Irrigation water, soil for tissue culture factories
- ✓ Transportation, sales of banana plantlets











Establishing breeding systems and the new varieties

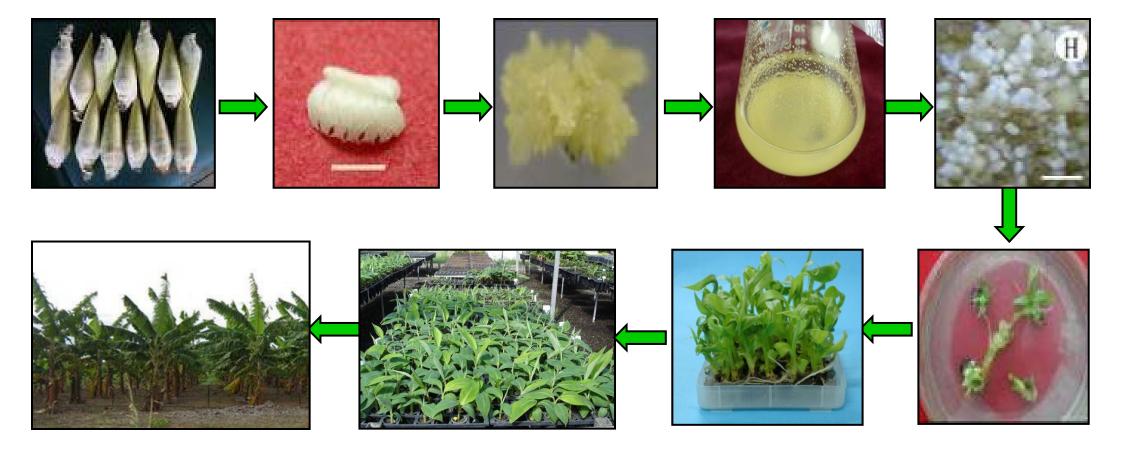
Breeders from---

- ✓ National/Provincial Banana Industry Technical System
- ✓ GDAAS
- ✓ The Chinese Academy of Tropical Agricultural Sciences
- ✓ Guangxi Academy of Tropical Agricultural Sciences
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Screening the resistant mutants to Foc TR4

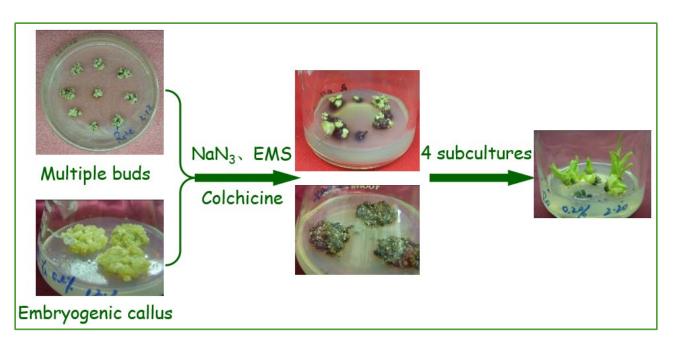




Single-cell original somatic embryo regeneration system

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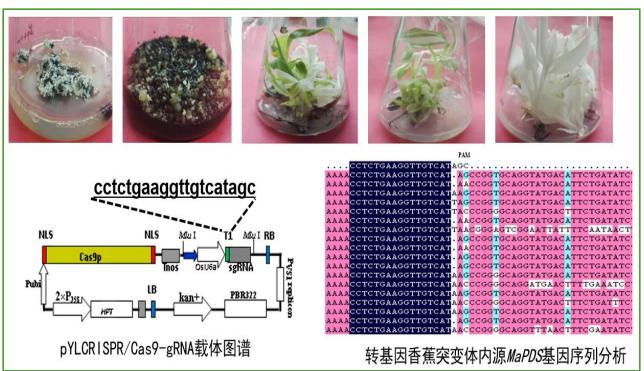




Physical (Right) and Chemical (Left) mutation breeding technologies







Banana Crossing or hybridization

Banana gene edition





Resistant Cavendish mutant (AAA) Zhongjiao#4



Resistant Pisang Awak (ABB) Fenza



Resistant Cavendish mutant (AAA)
Guijiao#9







Evaluation of the resistant varieties in Southern China



Integrative Control measures on Foc TR4



"Five in One" integrative control system
Concluded by China Banana Industry Technical System

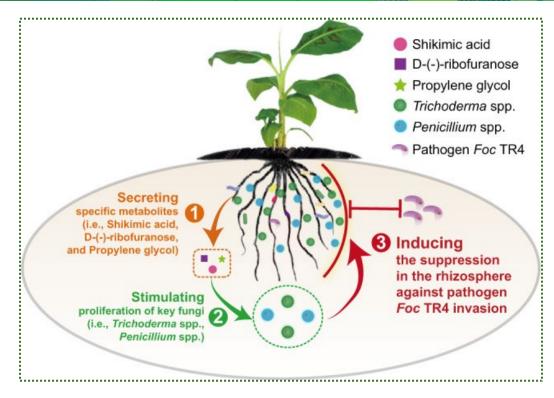
Five components

- ✓ Molecular detection of TR4 in soil.
- ✓ Soil conditioning
- ✓ Planting resistant varieties
- ✓ Application of bio-fertilizer
- ✓ Free or few plough



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One functional water soluble fertilizer
Based on one chemical released from
the resistant banana root system
which can recruit the beneficial microbes



Academician/Professor Shen Qirong working in the banana field who's group developed many kinds of bio-fertilizers

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Soil health fertilizers-improving PH value





Alkaline compound fertilizer





Improving the traditional bio-fertilizer



A good soil fumigation method







Ammonia water/lime/ammonium carbonate combined with bio-fertilizer



Root system health















The new roots grow out rapidly



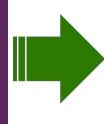




The way forward

- ✓ Fusarium oxysporum is evolving rapidly
- ✓ Our integrative control measures is basing on resistant varieties, not delicious susceptible ones
- ✓ Novel Green sustainable control measures should be focused on and developed













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