BREEDING AGAINST SEED COAT FRAGMENTS IN COTTON FIBER (Gossypium hirsutum L.) USING IMAGE ANALYSIS ON CARD WEB Bruno Bachelier ⁽¹⁾ and Serge Lassus ⁽²⁾ ⁽¹⁾ CIRAD-CA / IRAD, B.P. 33 Maroua, Cameroon ⁽²⁾ CIRAD-CA / LTC, B.P. 5035, 34032 Montpellier cedex 1, France

Abstract

The presence of seed coat fragments in cotton fiber is a major handicap for the textile industry. To meet the demands made by their partners, cotton researchers in Cameroon have developed a varietal creation program designed to combat seed coat fragments. Trashcam image analysis is used in the program to select varieties with reduced seed coat fragment content.

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