

Studies on the Graft Compatibility as Pepper Scions Grafted onto Eggplant Rootstocks

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Abstract

Pepper cv. 'Andalus ' and 'Delicacy' grafted on seven wild eggplant species and 13 eggplant lines showed retarded growth. At 15-45 day after grafting , the stunted plants gradually developed purplish vein , leaf chlorosis and defoliation, followed by plant death in all graft combinations. Graft incompatibility was confirmed between pepper scions and eggplant rootstocks in this study.

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