



germination of much greater significance in New Zealand than in other countries.

Typical borax injury is seen in seedlings with white or yellow cotyledons (or seed-leaves) and in stunted growth of seedlings. Seedlings in the rough leaf stage may be dwarfed, with

wrinkled leaves, and these are often variegated. Such seedlings are easily killed by dry weather or adverse growing conditions, although if they survive they will later turn green and appear normal. Trials have shown, however, that the yield may be seriously reduced due to this early

check in growth. Germination counts have also shown that many seedlings are completely killed, and further, that those surviving take longer to come through the ground. A typical case is given in the accompanying table.

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