

## DISCUSSION

**Q : Minami Matsuki (RIKEN, JAPAN)**

Did you any combination of cis-elements for the high latex inducible genes?

**A : Xi Huang (CATAS)**

G-Box is important, another factor will be examine in the future

**Q : T. Saha (RRII, India)**

1. Is the ITS sequencing in performance? For what purpose?
2. Did you see any difference among pathogens?
3. How many markers are associated with resistance?

**A: Fetrina Oktavia (IRRI, Indonesia)**

1. Yes, it is. To identification of *C. cassicola* isolates and to see the differences among isolates.
2. Yes, there were difference among isolates which there were 3 of different nucleotide among isolates of *C. cassicola* from Indonesian rubber plantation.
3. 10 of SSR markers were associated with *Corynespora* leaf fall disease resistant.

**Q: Chaorong Tang (CATAS)**

I am wondering the low sucrose content of the two clones (RRIT 408 and RRIT 251) 2.1 and 7.0 mm, respectively. The figures are significantly lower than the normal value. What technique did you use to test sucrose content of latex?

**A: Ratchanee Rattanawong (RRIT, Thailand)**

We used traditional anthrone method. We collected latex From field, and added cold TCA, then anthrone reagen to test at OD 212.

**Q: Thomson Abraham (RRII, India)**

1. Did you check the DRC before apply stimulant. Is it the reason for low response to stimulation?
2. The clones were opened for tapping only by the 9<sup>th</sup> year of planting. What is the reason for low growth?

**A: Ratchanee Rattanawong (RRIT, Thailand)**

1. No, we did not apply the stimulant in this trial. We just check the DRC every month without stimulation and calculate for the average. So that, it is not a reason for low response to stimulation.
2. In this presentation, RRIT 251 and RRIT 408 did not plant in the same area. Normally, rubber growth in the non-traditional area always slowly growth than the traditional area, and RRIT 408 was planted in the not suitable environment, high level of water on soil. That why RRIT 408 have not a good growth and open tapping very late.