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Use of Taylor's Power Law parameters in Nematode Sampling

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Abstract : Two insights on the use of Taylor's Power Law(TPL) are discussed. Improving optimum size of nematode samples via iteration is presented. Rearranging the TPL formulae to solve for the ratio of the half-width of the confidence interval to the mean of the nematode numbers rather than sample size is suggested especially in case of limited fund.

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