

Cotton Research & Development Corporation
FINAL REPORT

OVERSEAS TRAVEL

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OBJECTIVES OF VISIT:

- * To attend the 1992 Beltwide Cotton Production Research Conferences organised by the National Cotton Council of America which included the 52nd Cotton Disease Council.
- * To review the latest developments in the biocontrol of seedling diseases and verticillium wilt of cotton with colleagues at the USDA 'Biocontrol of Plant Diseases' laboratory at Beltsville

ITINERARY

5 January	-	Brisbane - Los Angeles - Nashville
6-10 Jan	-	Beltwide Conferences
11 Jan	-	Nashville - Washington
13-14 Jan	-	Beltsville biocontrol Lab
17-19 Jan	-	Washington - Los Angeles - Brisbane

HIGHLIGHTS

- * presentation of a paper entitled "The distribution, importance and control of diseases of cotton in Australia" to the 52nd Cotton Disease Council
- * presentation of a seminar entitled "Seedling Diseases and Verticillium Wilt of Cotton in Australia - potential for biocontrol" to staff of the 'Biocontrol of Plant Diseases' laboratory at the Beltsville Agricultural Research Centre.
- * participation in two days of presentations devoted entirely to cotton pathology at the Beltwide cotton conferences including papers on verticillium wilt (6), seedling diseases (10), biocontrol (4), nematodes (10), bacterial blight (2), fusarium wilt (2) and cotton rust (1).