WAX APPLE VARIETY EVALUATIONS IN WAIMANALO

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Five varieties of wax apple or wax jambu (Syzygium samarangense) are being evaluated for commercial potential at the Waimanalo Research Station on Oahu. Varieties include Black Diamond, Inyen, Crystal, Super Apple and Citra. Citra and Black Diamond have not fruited to date. Plants were installed in 2006.

Newly installed trees should be protected from the Chinese rose beetle (Adoretus sinicus) to ensure successful orchard establishment.
FUTURE WORK

We will be evaluating the flowering and fruiting season of each variety in 2019.