

Organic Risk Management: Soil Health

What: This chapter is part of a broader manual that covers a range of topics dealing with organic food production. It reviews some of the general properties of soil, soil conservation, and plant nutrient needs.

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Why: To provide basic soil health information in order to reduce long term operational risks

How: Researchers from CFAN at UMN review existing literature on soil health.

Find this chapter and links to the full Risk Management Guide for Organic Producers at http://www.organicriskmanagement.umn.edu/soil_health3.html