

Table 2. Cost comparison of anthracnose management practices in greenhouse-grown cucumber<sup>1</sup>

Material	Application method	Material cost/kg (\$)	Material rate/ha (kg)	Material cost/ha (\$)	Estimated labor cost/ha (\$)	Total cost/ha (\$)
Champ WG, [Cu(OH) <sub>2</sub> ]	Foliar spray	13.29	3.36	44.36	144.00	<b>188.36</b>
Vansil W-50 (CaSiO <sub>4</sub> )	Soil incorporation	0.66	109.2 (600 kg field-equivalent)	71.95	36.00	<b>107.95</b>
Potassium silicate (K <sub>2</sub> SiO <sub>4</sub> )	Chemigation (via drip irrigation)	0.72	138.05 (600 kg field-equivalent)	99.40	9.00	<b>108.40</b>

<sup>1</sup> Based on the operation costs of a greenhouse facility in north central Florida that grows an average of 26,000 cucumber plants/ha using 92 m<sup>3</sup> of artificial media.