Table. 3.Effects of frost protection methods on the yield of three cranberry cultivars ‘Early Black’, ‘Howes’ and ‘Stevens’ under conventional and cycling frost protection methods in southeast MA in 2013 and 2014

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|  | 2013 | | 2014 | |
| Cultivar | Conventional | Cycling | Conventional | Cycling |
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| Early Black | 23.2a | 22.2b | 29.3b | 25.3b |
| Howes | 26.3a | 26.8b | 36.5ab | 37.9a |
| Stevens | 30.0a | 38.3a | 39.8a | 42.9a |
| **Selected contrasts** |  |  |  |  |
| EB vs Howes | NS | NS | NS | \*\* |
| EB vs Stevens | NS | \*\* | \*\* | \*\* |
| Stevens vs Howes | NS | \*\* | NS | NS |

ɬMean separation by column, using Fisher’s least significant difference (LSD) at the 0.05% level NS-not significant \*\* highly significant