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Fink, R. (1981) Letter sent to Edward M. Lignowski dated Jul 15, 1981 @Thimet 20G studies!. (Unpublished study received Aug 10, 1981 under 241-257; prepared by Wildlife International, Ltd., submitted by American Cyanamid Co., Princeton, N.J.; CDL: 245917-A)

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Attach to MRID 00074623, simulated field study with bobwhite quail, project # 130-BA by Wildlife International. This explains Bob Fink's interpretation of the wild bird mortality.

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July 15, 1981

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Dear Ed:

In response to our telephone conversation of July 10, 1981, regarding the question on the Thimet 20G studies, the following information should prove helpful:

In Project No. 130-131A in which two field sparrows were found dead, it was concluded that the birds were electricuted because they were found directly beneath the electrified wire, and a crop analysis did not reveal any Thimet 20G granules. It is not uncommon to find dead wild birds directly beneath any type of electrified fence on a farm.

The transect of each test plot that was walked daily to search for wild bird mortality is diagrammed on the enclosed transect attachment. The establishment of a formalized pathway in search of wild bird mortalities insured uniformity between test plots on a daily basis and throughout the duration of the study.

If I can answer any questions or be of further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

ROBERT FINK  
Wildlife Toxicologist

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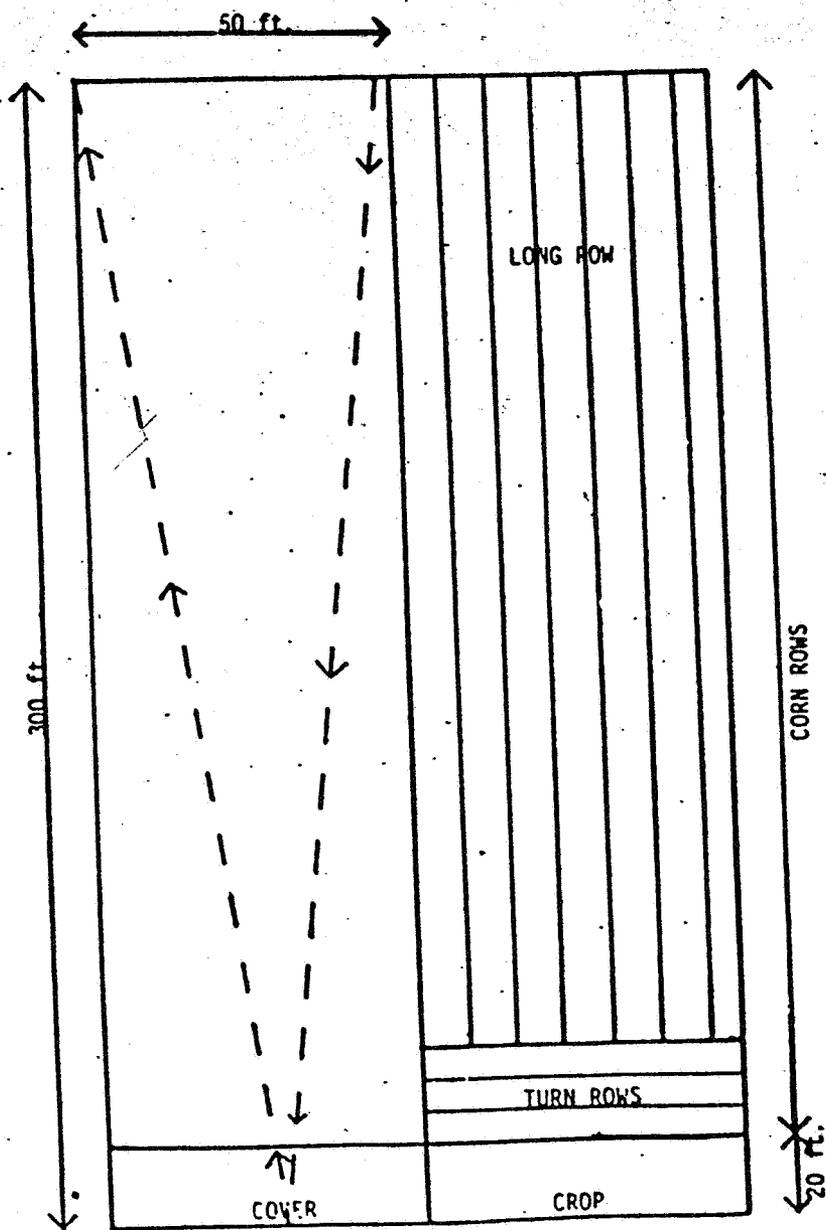
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