



G.S. Long Company Yakima, Wa Cody Wilmorh Summer 2016



Introduction

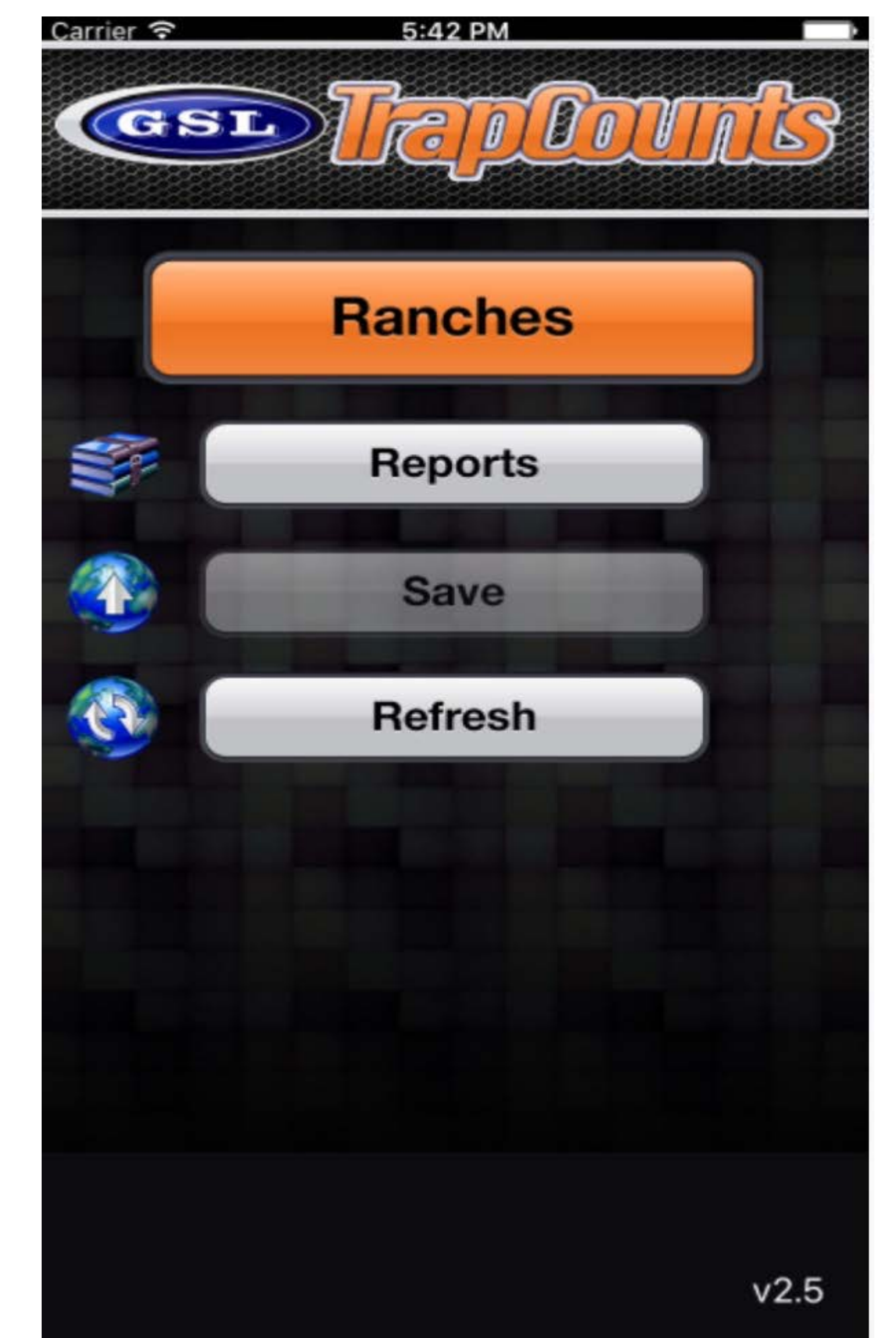
G.s. Long Company is a chemical and fertilizer company that is from Yakima, Wa, This company provides growers with solutions for any problems that the growers might face throughout the growing season of their crops. The main solutions that G.S. Long gives are for consulting purposes, crop protection and delivering chemicals that are needed.



Here is an example of codling moths caught in an apple orchard using liners and lures

Responsibilities

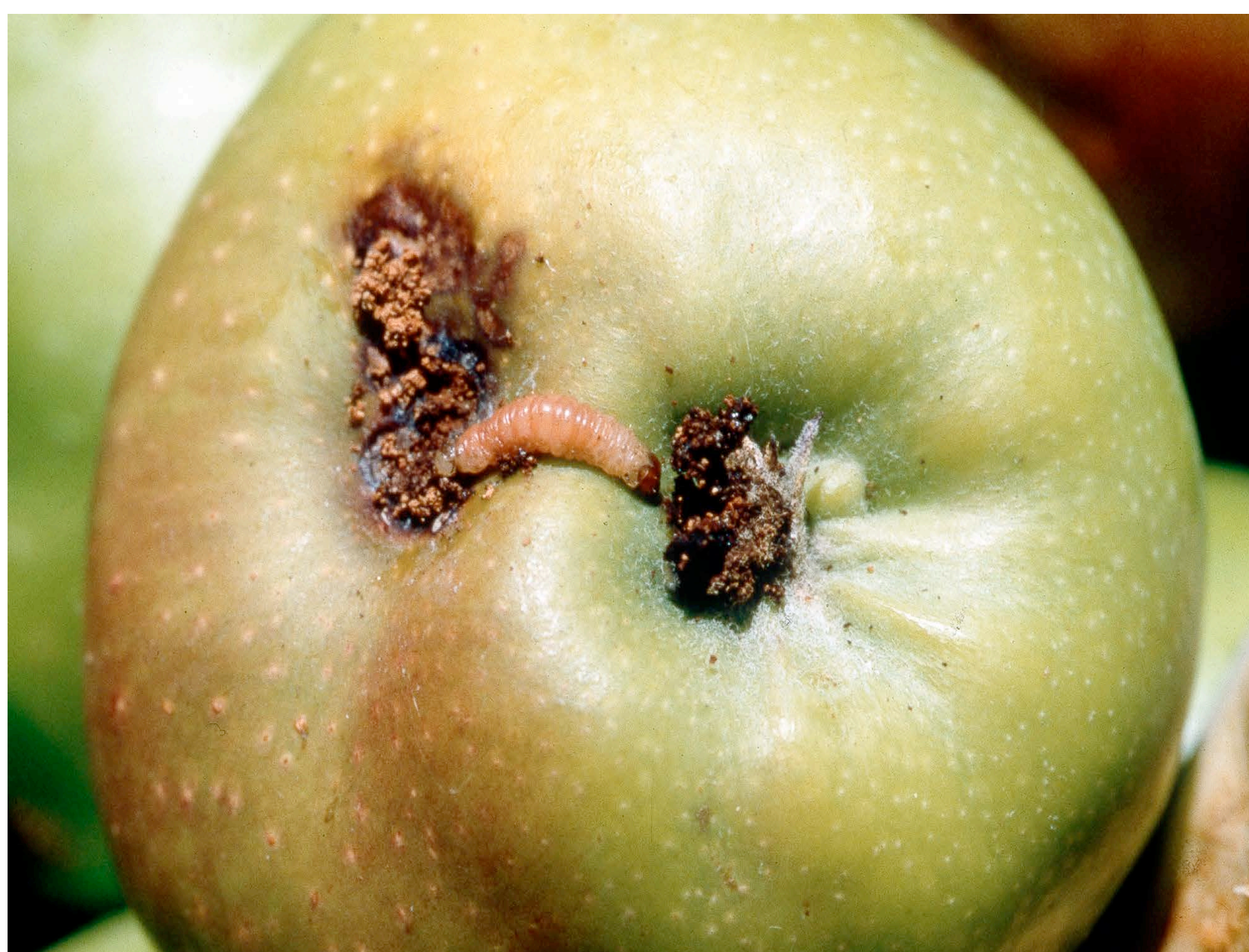
- Scouting for specific insects
- Identify the insects
- Change traps, liners, and lures when needed
- Record trap counts in trap app and send to consultant
- Take care of company truck and quad (oil changes)
- Communicate with mentor, consultant, and grower



This is the trap count app that we upload our counts to

Summary

This experience will help me with my professional growth because it taught me a lot about how to be successful in the agricultural industry. This internship helped me improve my communication skills. I learned how to communicate more clearly and on time. This was very important throughout this internship experience because the job relied heavily on communication ranging from letting the consultant know the trap counts from asking questions to my mentor when I was confused about anything. This internship also taught me how much time and commitment it takes during a full-time job and the responsibilities that it comes with such as being on time and finishing your work within a reasonable time. The last thing that this internship provided me with was working on my own, which helped me think of decisions on the fly and allow me to work out my problems without relying on someone to do it for me.



This is an example of what codling moths can do to your apple crop



Example of what the traps look like in the orchard