

## **Scouting Notes:**

## **Proper Timings for Foliar Boron as Peanuts Begin to Flower**

First flowering is fast approaching; this coincides with the best foliar timing and peak demand for boron in peanuts. Because peanuts are normally grown in sandy soils that are low in boron, they are responsive to foliar boron applications. To further complicate the issue, boron is easily leached and many peanuts are grown on irrigated fields.

Low boron supply can lead to a loss of fruit set and development. If boron deficiencies are severe, it can impact the flower's development itself. Quality and yield are also positively impacted by improved sugar translocation to developing peanuts and prevent "hollow heart".





**BRANDT Smart B-Mo** contains a novel boron delivery system that dramatically improves boron mobility within the plant.

Starting at flowering through pod development, **BRANDT® Smart B-Mo** applied at a rate of 1 to 2 pints/acre is very effective in supplying boron and molybdenum.



