

Fusarium oxysporum f. sp. cubense (Foc)

Pest under active surveillance

Panama disease, caused by *Fusarium oxysporum f.sp. cubense* (Foc) is one of the most aggressive banana diseases (*Musa spp.*). Currently, the Foc Tropical Race 4 (TR4) variant is responsible for outbreaks that devastated Cavendish cultivars in Southeast Asia. In Mexico, the main potential host of Foc TR4 is the plantain.