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Abstract : Biological and genetic data were used to establish that the causal agent of tomato big bud (TBB) disease in California, USA, is the beet leafhopper-transmitted virescence agent (BLTVA), a mycoplasma-like organism (MLO). Healthy *Circulifer tenellus* (C. tenellus) leafhoppers were found to be the primary vector of BLTVA to tomato plants in California. The BLTVA agent was isolated from C. tenellus and identified as a mycoplasma-like organism (MLO) by electron microscopy and polymerase chain reaction (PCR) analysis. The BLTVA agent was found to be highly similar to the BLTVA agent isolated from C. tenellus in California. The BLTVA agent was found to be highly similar to the BLTVA agent isolated from C. tenellus in California. The BLTVA agent was found to be highly similar to the BLTVA agent isolated from C. tenellus in California.

leafhoppers acquired the BLTVA MLO from field-collected, symptomatic tomatoes and transmitted it to healthy tomato plants, which developed typical big bud syndrome. Healthy tomatoes inoculated with the BLTVA type line (FC-83-13) also developed floral gigantism and virescence characteristic of the disease. A California TBB MLO caused symptoms typical of those caused by the BLTVA, including induction of early flowering, on a standard plant host range. Southern blot analysis of DNA from field-collected and from greenhouse tomato plants inoculated with a California TBB MLO is that all samples possessed plasmids that hybridized with a cloned BLTVA MLO. *Macrostoteles fascifrons* did not transmit a virescence agent from symptomatic tomatoes and tomato plants infected with western aster yellows MLO do not develop floral gigantism or virescence.

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