

BASF Intrinsic® technology powering turf establishment

Intrinsic® brand fungicides are the future of disease control today. Achieving disease free, healthy turf is at the forefront of grower intentions and intrinsic products are integral in their provision of both advanced, long-lasting disease control, and plant health benefits.

Intrinsic brand fungicides offer plant health benefits beyond disease control as they promote stronger, denser roots, advanced ground coverage and faster recovery from both environmental and mechanical stressors. Pyraclostrobin's unique technology harnesses maximum CO₂ levels to increase net photosynthesis, ensuring efficiency is optimised to prioritise energy production (Figure 1).

Lexicon Intrinsic Brand Fungicide

With its two unique chemistries, Fluxapyroxad + Pyraclostrobin, Lexicon Intrinsic brand fungicide provides optimal protection from key turf diseases, in addition to delivering plant health benefits and faster recovery from stressors. While Fluxapyroxad effectively disrupts the energy supply of essential building blocks stopping the growth of fungal cells, Pyraclostrobin maximises green resilience advancing rooting and cover. Preventative and curative activity are provided by systemic movement through the waxy leaf surface resulting in the highly

sought-after combination of quick knockdown and long residual action (Figure 2).



Night Respiration

Treated with Intrinsic brand fungicides, lower levels of CO₂ are produced, energy and growth are redirected to the root system – resulting in an efficient and healthier plant

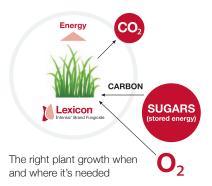


Figure 1: Pyraclostrobin's unique technology reduces night respiration redirecting carbon to root growth and turf establishment.

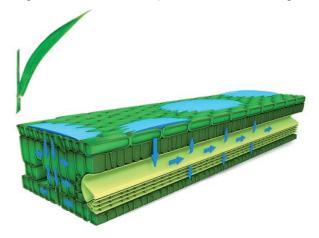


Figure 2: Fluxapyroxad provides unmatched systemic movement Absorbed to waxy layer and evenly transported in leaves.







Plant Health Benefits and Turf Establishment

As a high cost and labour-intensive crop, the importance of optimum turf establishment is becoming increasingly realised particularly in seeding and sprigging programs. Overseeding and sprigging programs are often compromised by the risk and presence of disease pressure, particularly Pythium, which can spread to kill large areas of turf in conducive conditions. Lexicon Intrinsic Brand Fungicide provides superior control of Pythium when compered to competitor fungicides (Figure 3), providing you confidence that turf will establish disease free.

An added benefit of Lexicon Intrinsic brand fungicide in turf establishment programmes results from the advanced health benefits provided by Intrinsic brand fungicides. Establishment of new seed and/or treated springs is accelerated, so not only are tough diseases controlled but your turf will establish faster and look healthier. The images and data below demonstrate the benefits that Lexicon Intrinsic Brand Fungicide can provide during reseeding programs.

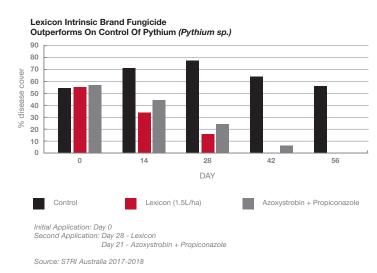


Figure 3: Lexicon Intrinsic Brand Fungicide outperforms on Pythium control.

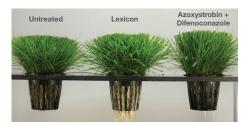
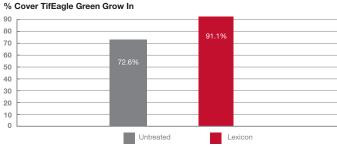




Figure 4a & b: Illustrates the improved root development and establishment provided by Lexicon Intrinsic Brand Fungicide.

Faster establishing root systems is integral to healthy looking turf. Data below illustrates than not only do roots establish faster and stronger, but this results in improved turf cover.



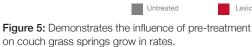




Figure 6: Illustrates the improvement in turf establishment from sprigs when treated with Lexicon Intrinsic Brand Fungicide.

Lexicon Intrinsic Brand Fungicide provides turf managers with the confidence that not only will turf disease be kept in check, but turf will establish quicker and stronger ultimately resulting in improved stress tolerance. When establishing new plantings, over-seeding or sprigging – Lexicon Intrinsic Brand Fungicide is the only choice for disease free healthy turf.

For more information on Lexicon Intrinsic Brand Fungicide, visit **crop-solutions.basf.com.au** or contact BASF on **1800 558 399**

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