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Intrinsic® Brand Fungicide

**Maxtima**  
Fungicide

**Xzemplar**  
Fungicide

# Your Course's New Best Round

Technical Manual



# Our Best Round Yet

**Dedicated to investing in the research and development for a complete, quality turf solution, BASF are excited to share *Our Best Round Yet*.**

For over 150 years, we have developed innovations that focus on current and pressing challenges, Our Best Round Yet is a culmination of this research in the fungicide market. BASF together with our partners are focused on investigating and delivering best in class innovations and solutions to the Australian Turf Industry. Maxtima® Fungicide, Xzemplar® Fungicide, and Lexicon® Intrinsic® Brand Fungicide are the key players of this revolutionary, and reliable solution. We are excited to introduce these technologies unmatched in efficacy and performance and look forward to bringing new technologies and innovations to compliment this suite in the new future.

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## Your Course's New Best Round

3 groundbreaking chemistry combinations  
for the complete solution

Whether it's unrivalled broad spectrum disease control, or efficacy at low use rates, BASF's novel active ingredients are the foundational power behind these 3 fungicides. The 3 unique solutions below, in their own rights are unmatched, and as a complete solution, are the key to championship conditions on your greens and tees, all year long.

	Chemistry Group	Active Ingredient	Key Diseases	Key Benefits
<b>Maxtima® Fungicide</b>	3 (DMI)	400g/L Mefentrifluconazole	Dollar spot Spring dead spot Anthracnose Take-all root rot Take-all patch Brown Patch, Large Patch, Brown Ring Patch	Advanced turfgrass safety Unrivalled broad spectrum disease control Unique DMI for use throughout the seasons Powerful, lasting residual
<b>Xzemplar® Fungicide</b>	7 (SDHI)	300g/L Fluxapyroxad	Dollar spot Brown patch Fairy ring <i>Helminthosporium</i> complex Leaf and sheath spots	Efficacy even at a low use rate Broad spectrum disease control Curative and preventative control Quick knockdown with powerful, lasting residual
<b>Lexicon® Intrinsic® Brand Fungicide</b>	7 (SDHI) & 11 (Strobilurin)	167g/L Fluxapyroxad + 333g/L Pyraclostrobin	Anthracnose <i>Curvularia</i> spp. <i>Helminthosporium</i> complex Rust Dollar spot Brown patch Pythium Take-all Patch Take-all Root Rot Fairy ring Spring Dead Spot Take-all Patch Brown Patch or Large Patch ( <i>Rhizoctonia solani</i> ) Fusarium patch <i>Lepista</i> spp. Pythium blight Pythium root dysfunction	Broad spectrum control of 9+ diseases Long residual of up to 28 days Advanced plant health benefits Foundational product for greens

# Maxtima®

Fungicide



Any turf.  
Any temperature.  
Anywhere on your course.

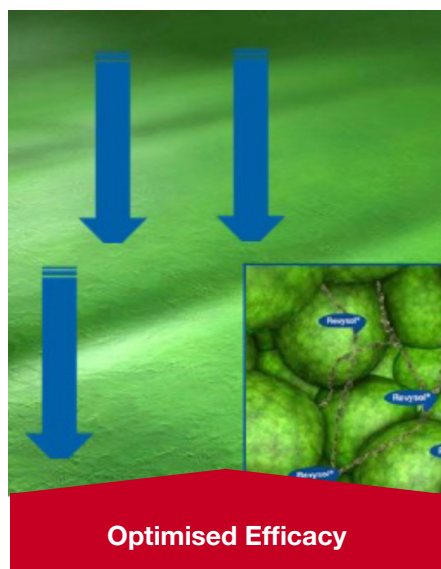
Featuring new Revysol® technology, Maxtima Fungicide is a revolutionary and broad spectrum DMI that offers no limitations to its versatility of application. A DMI that can be applied on any turf, at any temperature, anywhere on your course, Maxtima Fungicide and its novel active, Revysol, deliver flexibility that is best-in-class.

## The Science Behind

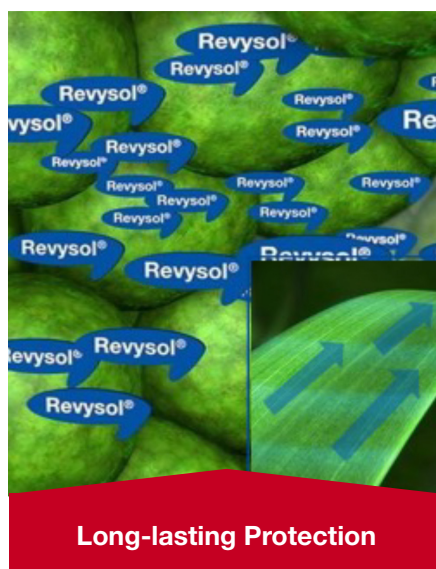
Revysol features a unique Isopropanol moiety which drives its flexibility as it assumes different conformations in its bound and unbound forms. It is this flexibility which enables maximum disease control, efficacy, and long-lasting protection even in warm summer months.

Rapid uptake of Revysol provides initial, fast action to stop fungal infections. After uptake, this active is well-protected within the inner-leaf reservoir and is drawn on for long lasting protection. Its unique chemical structure enables unsurpassed binding capacity and adaptability, also targeting DMI sensitive strains.

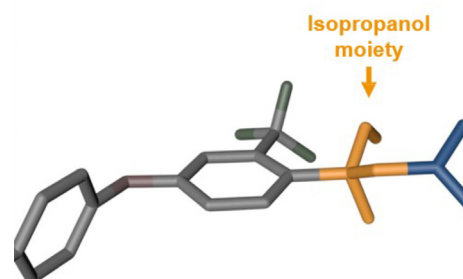
Figure 1: Revysol® outperforms existing benchmarks



Optimised Efficacy



Long-lasting Protection



Performance on DMI  
Insensitive Strains



## Broad spectrum disease control

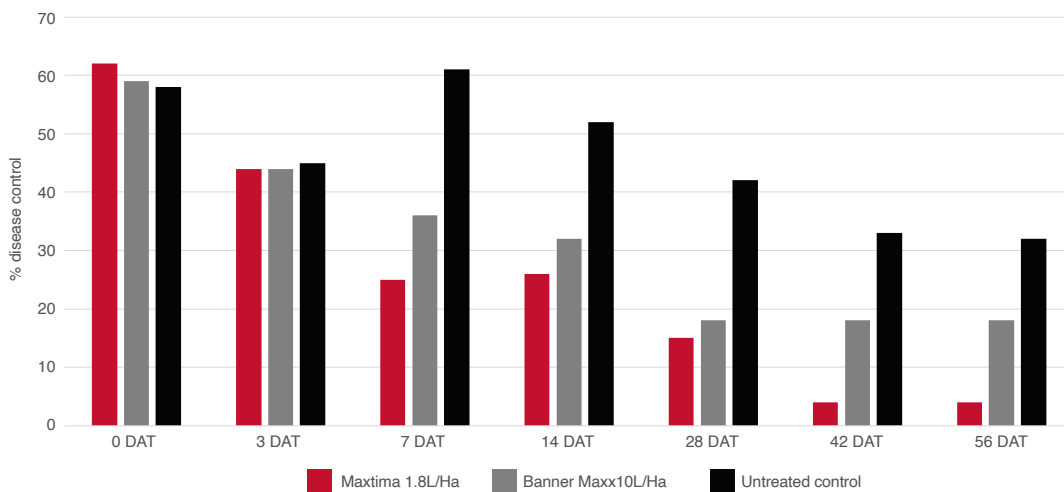
**Maxtima Fungicide** offers maximum disease performance, at an affordable value for fairways to control:

- Rhizoctonia
- Take all patch
- Take all root rot
- Dollar Spot
- Spring Dead Spot
- Anthracnose

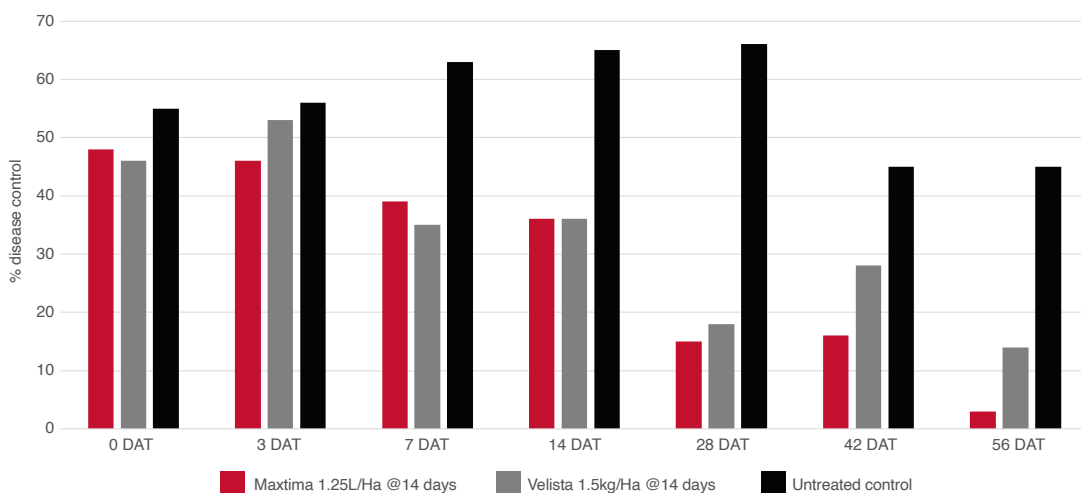
Whether you spray at 14, 21, or 28<sup>#</sup> days, Maxtima fungicide has both the residual staying power and attractive pricing to fit your budget. The varied and low use rates enable value you can afford specific to the situation without compromising residual.

*#spray intervals are disease dependent.*

### Unmatched Performance on Spring Dead Spot



### Exceeding benchmarks in Anthracnose Control



# Xzemplar®

Fungicide



## The New Thoroughbred Workhorse

Featuring unique Xemium® carboxamide technology, Xzemplar Fungicide promises outstanding performance in the toughest situations. An SDHI with broad spectrum preventative and curative action of disease control, Xzemplar Fungicide is the new workhorse with unmatched Dollar spot control.

### The Science Behind

BASF's Xemium technology, disrupts the energy supply and biosynthesis of fungal building blocks via the respiratory chain. This highly systemic SDHI technology ensures the active ingredient is redistributed from the waxy layer of the leaf to other areas of the turf, enabling long lasting curative and preventative control.

Unlike other Azole, Strobilurine or other Carboxamides based technologies, Xemium actively disrupts the biosynthesis of fungi in almost all stages of the life and infection cycles, including spore germination, germ tubes, penetration hyphae, and mycelium growth.

Figure 2: Highly systemic distribution of Xemium in the turf leaf

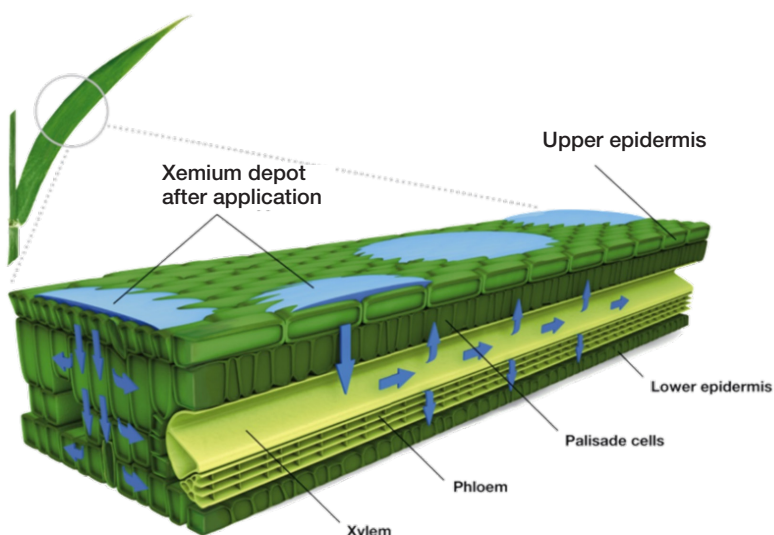
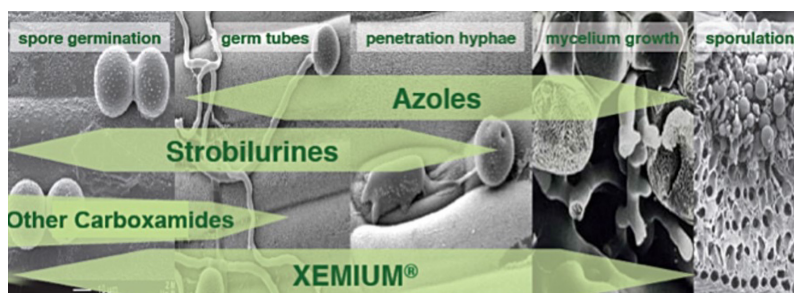


Figure 3: Extended Xemium® activity unlike any other technology





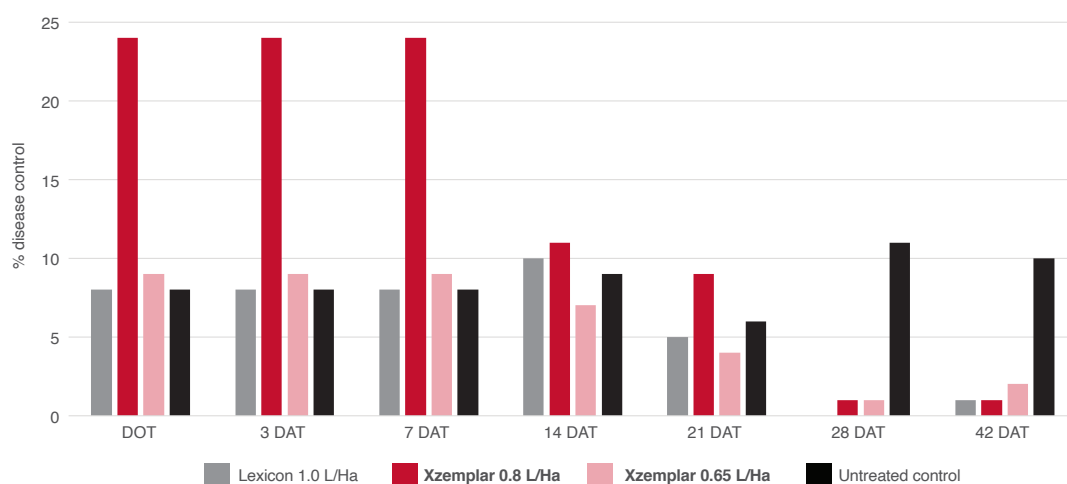
## Broad spectrum disease control

**Xzemplar Fungicide** offers broad spectrum disease control with efficacy at low use rates to control:

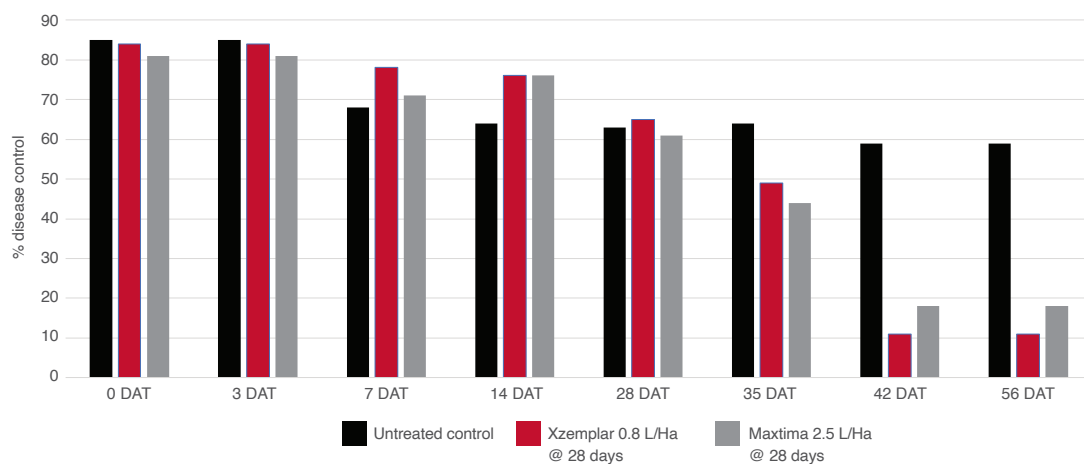
- Brown patch
- Fairy ring
- Leaf and sheath spot
- Dollar spot

Xzemplar fungicide is the number one rated product for Dollar spot control. With efficacy at low use rates, Xzemplar fungicide does not compromise turf health, nor cost effectiveness, making it an essential rotation partner for best-in-class, consistent performance.

### New Standard for Dollar Spot



### Controlling the toughest diseases – Fairy ring





## Perfect turf, powered from within

Featuring a powerful dual chemistry combination, Lexicon® Intrinsic® Brand Fungicide delivers best in class disease control with advanced plant health benefits. Lexicon Intrinsic Brand Fungicide is the foundation product you can count on for consistent, longer-lasting protection with advanced, proven plant health benefits including increased photosynthesis, stronger roots, improved turf vitality and resilience.

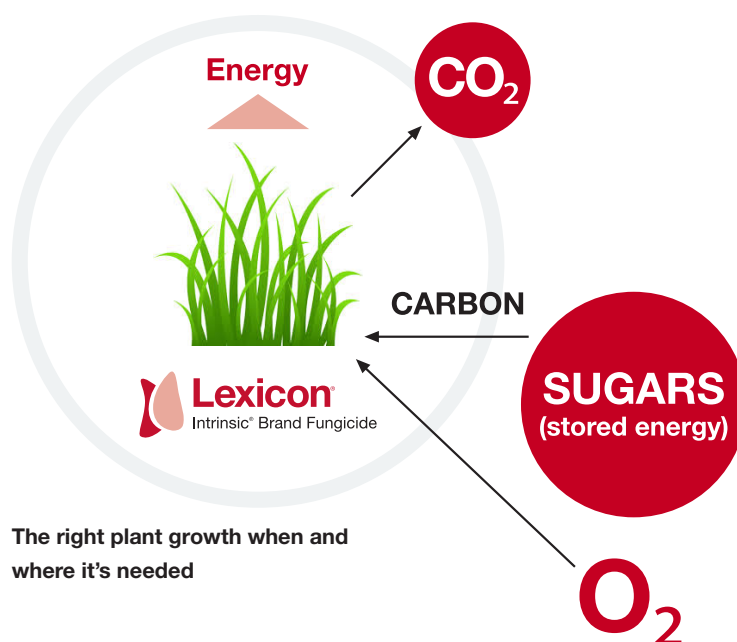
### The Science Behind

Lexicon Intrinsic Brand Fungicide combines two chemistries to ensure the ultimate confidence in turf health and disease management:

BASF's Xemium technology, disrupts the energy supply and biosynthesis of fungal building blocks via the respiratory chain. This highly systemic SDHI technology ensures the active ingredient is redistributed from the waxy layer of the leaf to other areas of the turf, enabling long lasting curative and preventative control.

Pyraclostrobin inhibits fungal respiration, in addition to redirecting energy and growth to the root system, ultimately resulting in a more efficient and healthy plant. This chemistry promotes vigorous vitality in turf enabling it to fight and respond to stressors such as extreme heat and drought.

Figure 4: Lexicon intrinsic Brand Fungicide enhances night respiration advancing plant health





# Broad spectrum disease control

Lexicon Intrinsic Brand Fungicide combines broad spectrum disease control with advanced plant health benefits:

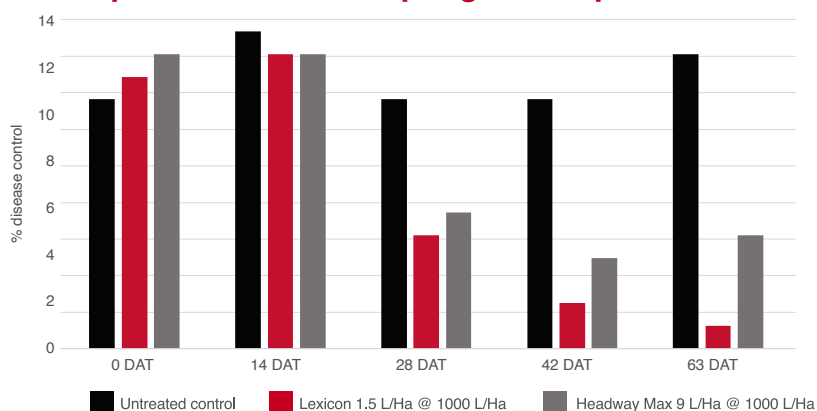
## Disease Control:

- Anthracnose *Curvularia* spp.
- Helminthosporium complex
- Rust
- Dollar spot
- Brown patch
- Pythium
- Take-all Patch
- Take-all Root Rot
- Fairy ring
- Spring Dead Spot
- Take-all Patch
- Brown Patch or Large Patch (*Rhizoctonia solani*)
- Fusarium patch *Lepista* spp.
- Pythium blight
- Pythium root dysfunction

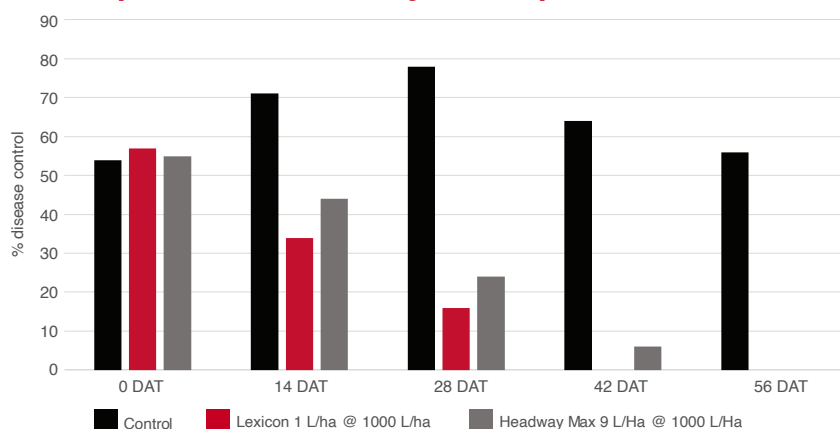
## Plant Health Benefits:

- Withstand stress
- Increased growth efficiency
- Longer, stronger roots
- Optimised emergence and vitality

## Broad spectrum control - Spring Dead Spot & Take-all Patch



## Broad spectrum control - Pythium Species



# Our Best Round Yet

***Our Best Round Yet*** is the culmination of fungicide research that targets current, pressing industry challenges, and provides an exciting foundation to solutions for challenges that may present in the future.

Curated to combat DHI sensitivity, SDHI reliance and resistance, and turf health, Our Best Round Yet provides a best-in-class rotation program for cool and warm season turf.





## Rotation. Resistance. Reward.





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Intrinsic<sup>®</sup> Brand Fungicide



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Fungicide



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