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Life in Life Scientific...

Delighted to be sending Nicola Mitchell and Sarah McManus to the Annual Regulation Conference in Ghent this month.

The Conference will focus on the many challenges in the implementation and application of Regulation 1107/2009 and provides an opportunity for the industry to hear about the latest developments that are affecting and influencing the regulatory environment.

The event will also be an opportunity to look at possible future changes in the legislation and discuss future opportunities, in particular the use of new technologies.

Product News

Basilico[™] can be used in grain and forage maize for broad-leaved weed control. Early weed control in maize is important to get the plants off to the right start.

Weed competition between the row can affect the growth habit of maize plants and restrict outward leaf growth which in turn reduces yield as maize plants cannot take advantage of all available sunlight. Weeds should be removed before the maize plants reach 4 true leaves.

Use Basilico $^{\text{TM}}$ at 0.75 I/ha for a wide selection of broad-leaved weeds and at 1.5 I/ha for targeting Cockspur grass.



Delia Bean Fly

Soya is enjoying something of a resurgence in the UK. New varieties, in conjunction with a dramatic rise in the price of Soya, have made the crop look like a fair economic proposition for growers. However, there is a significant threat posed by Delia Platura (Delia Bean Fly). In previous years, growers have been able to use Chlorpyrifos for control. However since it's withdrawal, the only approved product to control this pest is Life Scientific's Lambdastar[®] containing lambda-cyhalothrin.

Lambdastar® should be used as a single pre emergence application onto bare soil to control female flies. It may also reduce egg-laying by acting as an ongoing deterrent, as it's the adult fly's sense of smell that directs it to emerging Soya crops.

Authorisation is granted under an Extension of Authorisation, Number 0785 of 2018. Rate of use is between 75ml/ha and 150ml/ha and the latest time of application is immediately post emergence GS 10-15.



Our website gets better

We've had some great feedback on the simplicity of our website. We hope to provide everything you need, and nothing you don't.

As well as the newsletter, our product compatibility sheets have had a facelift.

Shortly every product will feature its own compatibility sheet. It takes all the tank mixes from the reference product, which of course, we support.

We've done some of our own tank mixes too where a customer has specifically requested a product mix.

Take a look at the website for more information.

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