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GROUP 4 FUNGICIDE

BELMONT[®] 2.7 FS

Seed Treatment Fungicide

A seed treatment for control of seedling blights and seed rots caused by *Pythium* spp. on alfalfa, birdsfoot trefoil, beans, chickpeas, canola, clover, corn (field and sweet), grasses (forage and turf), sugar beets, soybeans, sorghum, vetch, peas (dry and processing), sunflowers, wheat, barley, oats, rye, triticale and sainfoin and for controlling early season root rot caused by *Aphanomyces euteiches* on lentils and dry peas.

SUSPENSION

COMMERCIAL

All seed treated with this product must be conspicuously coloured at the time of treatment.

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:
Metalaxyl.317 g/L

REGISTRATION No. 30246 PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS ACT

READ THE LABEL AND BOOKLET BEFORE USING

WARNING – SKIN AND EYE IRRITANT

NET CONTENTS: 500 mL to bulk

Special Use Restrictions:

This **product contains no colourant**. An appropriate colourant must be added when this product is applied to seed. Belmont 2.7 FS is sold only to commercial seed treaters who can comply with these requirements. Regulations pertaining to colouration of treated seed enforced under the 'Seeds Act' must be strictly adhered when using this product.

PROTECT FROM FREEZING

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Research Triangle Park, NC 27709 For Product Use Information Call 1-800-438-6071

FOR CHEMICAL EMERGENCY: spill, leak, fire, exposure, or accident call CHEMTREC 1-800-424-9300.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Belmont 2.7 FS is a systemic fungicide seed treatment for control of seed rots and seedling blights caused by *Pythium* spp. on a number of different crops including:

CROP	DISEASE CONTROLLED
alfalfa, bird's-foot trefoil, clover, vetch	seed rots and seedling blights
sainfoin, grasses (forage and turf)	seed rots and seedling blights
beans, chickpeas, peas	seed rots and seedling blights
canola, rapeseed, corn (field and sweet)	seed rots and seedling blights
soybeans	seed rots and seedling blights, early season <i>Phytophthora</i>
sunflowers	seed rots and seedling blights, downy mildew
barley, oats, rye, wheat, triticale	seed rots and seedling blights
low tannin lentils*	<i>Pythium</i> seed rot
Peas, lentils	early season root rot (<i>Aphanomyces euteiches</i>) when tank mixed with Rancona® Trio Fungicide.

*Only one application should be made to low tannin lentil seed. Belmont 2.7 FS may only be used on low tannin lentil seed destined for export or seed intended for seed production.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE:

Belmont 2.7 FS should be mixed with water to form a slurry seed treatment. Use the high application rate when planting into cold and wet soils is anticipated. Mix Belmont 2.7 FS with water as follows:

CANADA - APPLICATION RATE TABLE (mL per 100 kg seed)

Crop	Belmont 2.7 FS	Water	Total Volume
Cereals (wheat, barley, oats, rye, triticale)	6.3-12.6 mL	493.7-487.4 mL	500 mL
chickpeas, dry peas	16-110 mL	484-390 mL	500 mL
canola, rapeseed, processing peas	32-110 mL	468-390 mL	500 mL
alfalfa, beans, clover, corn (field and sweet), sainfoin, vetch	46-110 mL	454-390 mL	500 mL
grasses (forage), soybeans	46-93 mL	454-407 mL	500 mL
grasses (turf), sugarbeets	93 mL	407 mL	500 mL
sunflowers	110-189** mL	390-311 mL	500 mL
low tannin lentils***	16 mL	484 mL	500 mL

** High rate needed for downy mildew control

*** For use on low tannin lentils destined for EXPORT OR SEED PRODUCTION ONLY.

TANK-MIXTURES

In cases where precautions, restrictions and environmental precautions differ between the tank mix partner labels, the most restrictive label must be followed.

For control of early season root rot (*Aphanomyces euteiches*) during plant emergence and early crop establishment in fields with low disease pressure in lentil and dry pea, 72 mL of Belmont 2.7 FS can be tankmixed with 500 mL of Rancona Trio Fungicide per 100 kg of seed.

Crop	Disease	Tankmix
Lentil* and Dry Pea	For control of early season root rot (<i>Aphanomyces euteiches</i>) during plant emergence and early crop establishment in fields with low disease pressure.	72 mL of Belmont 2.7 FS (22.8 gai) + 500 mL of Rancona Trio Fungicide (6.67 gai)

CROPS INTENDED FOR EXPORT:

If the crop is intended for export, the following rates should be used. Always consult with the importer to establish what rates of Belmont 2.7 FS are used on the crop in their country for controlling specific diseases.

APPLICATION RATE TABLE (mL per 100 kg seed)

Crop	Disease	Belmont 2.7 FS	Water	Total Volume
corn	Downy mildew	189-620 mL	311-0 mL	500-620 mL
peas	Downy mildew	146 mL	354 mL	500 mL
sunflowers	Downy mildew	620 mL	0 mL	620 mL
cereals (wheat, barley, oats, rye)	<i>Pythium</i>	46-110 mL	454-390 mL	500 mL
sorghum	<i>Pythium</i> , downy mildew	93-110 mL 189 mL	407-390 mL 311 mL	500 mL 500 mL
bird's-foot trefoil	<i>Pythium</i>	46-110 mL	454-390 mL	500 mL
low tannin lentils	<i>Pythium</i>	16 mL	484 mL	500 mL
Lentils and dry peas	<i>Aphanomyces euteiches</i>	72 mL + 500 mL Rancona Trio Fungicide	0	572 mL

The slurry should be applied as a spray into the mixing chamber of the seed treating equipment to ensure good coverage.

See instructions supplied with the applicable seed treater system for information on proper application techniques.

SLURRY PREPARATION:

When preparing the slurry the following procedure should be used.

- 1) Partially fill the mixing tank with water.
- 2) Add the required quantity of Belmont 2.7 FS onto the water surface.
- 3) Allow product to disperse and then switch on agitation.
- 4) Top up with extra water to required volume and maintain agitation during use.
- 5) Add colourant last.

NOTE: A suitable seed colourant (such as Pro-Ized® Liquid Seed Colorant) must be added to the slurry prior to application on the seed. Follow instructions on the colourant package for mixing with the Belmont 2.7 FS slurry.

Belmont 2.7 FS treated seed may reduce seed flow in the seed drill. Recalibration of the seed drill may be required to obtain correct seeding rate before planting.

Do not apply this product directly to freshwater habitats (such as lakes, rivers, sloughs, ponds, prairie potholes, creeks, marshes, streams, reservoirs, ditches and wetlands), estuaries or marine habitats. Do not contaminate irrigation or drinking water supplies or aquatic habitats by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes.

RESISTANCE MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS:

For resistance management, note that Belmont 2.7 FS contains a Group 4 fungicide. Any fungal population may contain individuals naturally resistant to Belmont 2.7 FS and other Group 4 fungicides. A gradual or total loss of pest control may occur if these fungicides are used repeatedly in the same fields. Other resistance mechanisms that are not linked to site of action but specific for individual chemicals, such as enhanced metabolism, may also exist. Appropriate resistance-management strategies should be followed.

To delay fungicide resistance:

- Where possible, rotate the use of Belmont 2.7 FS or other Group 4 fungicides with different groups that control the same pathogens.
- Use tank mixtures with fungicides from a different group that is effective on the target pathogen when such use is permitted.
- Fungicide use should be based on an IPM program that includes scouting, historical information related to pesticide use and crop rotation and considers host plant resistance, impact of environmental conditions on disease development, disease thresholds, as well as cultural, biological and other chemical control practices.
- Where possible, make use of predictive disease models to effectively time fungicide applications.
- Monitor treated fungal populations for resistance development. Notify UPL AgroSolutions Canada Inc. if reduced sensitivity of the pathogen to Belmont 2.7 FS is suspected.
- If disease continues to progress after treatment with this product, do not increase the use rate. Discontinue use of this product, and switch to another fungicide with a different target site of action, if available.
- Contact your local extension specialist or certified crop advisors for any additional pesticide resistance-management and/or IPM recommendations for specific crops and pathogens.
- For further information and to report suspected resistance, contact UPL AgroSolutions Canada Inc. representatives at 1-800-438-6071.

USE RESTRICTIONS:

1. Treated seed must not be used for food, feed or oil processing.
2. Do not graze or feed livestock on treated areas for four weeks after planting.
3. Treated seed may be toxic to birds and other wildlife. Clean up any spilled seed. Ensure that treated seed is properly incorporated at planting.
4. All bags containing treated seed for sale or use in Canada must be labelled or tagged as follows:

For barley, oats, rye, wheat and triticale:

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"This seed has been treated with Belmont 2.7 FS, which contains metalaxyl, a Group 4 Fungicide. Wear coveralls over normal clothing and chemical resistant gloves when handling treated seed. Do not use for feed, food or oil processing."

For lentils and dry peas treated with Belmont 2.7 FS and Rancona Trio Fungicide:

"KEEP TREATED SEED OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN AND ANIMALS.. Store away from feed and food stuff. DO NOT use for food, feed or oil processing. This seed is treated with Rancona Trio Fungicide containing ipconazole, carbathiin and metalaxyl and Belmont 2.7 FS, which contains metalaxyl. When planting or handling treated seeds, wear coveralls over a long-sleeved shirt, long pants, shoes, socks and chemical-resistant gloves. Use only a closed-cab tractor when planting. Gloves are not required while driving in a closed-cab. Toxic to birds and small wild mammals. Any spilled or exposed seeds must be incorporated into the soil or otherwise cleaned-up from the soil surface. As this product is not registered for the control of pests in aquatic systems, DO NOT use to control aquatic pests. DO NOT apply using aerial application equipment."

For other crops:

"This seed has been treated with Belmont 2.7 FS seed protectant, which contains metalaxyl, a Group 4 Fungicide. Use chemical resistant gloves when handling treated seed. Do not use for feed, food or oil processing."

5. All bags containing treated seed for export must be labeled or tagged as follows:

"FOR EXPORT ONLY. This seed has been treated with Belmont 2.7 FS seed protectant which contains metalaxyl a Group 4 Fungicide. Use chemical resistant gloves when handling treated seed. Do not use for feed, food or oil processing . Store away from feeds and foodstuffs."

6. No foliar application of metalaxyl can be used on low-tannin lentils grown from metalaxyl treated seed.

PRECAUTIONS:

1. KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.
2. Do not apply in a way that this product will contact workers or other persons, either directly or through drift. Only handlers (mixers, loaders and applicators) wearing personal protective equipment may be in the area being treated during application.
3. Wear coveralls over normal work clothing and chemical resistant gloves when handling

Belmont 2.7 FS, contaminated equipment or metalaxyl-treated seed. Do not use leather or cloth gloves.

4. Wear a suitable dust mask when bagging or sewing bags of treated seed or when transferring seed to a storage bin.
5. Belmont 2.7 FS is an eye irritant. Protective eye wear should be worn at all time when handling this product.
6. Use good personal hygiene, washing hands and exposed skin before eating, drinking or smoking. No food, drink or tobacco should be allowed in areas of chemical storage or use.
7. May be harmful if swallowed or absorbed through skin. Wash exposed skin after use.

TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:

This product contains petroleum distillates. Vomiting may cause aspiration pneumonia. Treat symptomatically.

FIRST AID:

IF SWALLOWED: Call a poison control centre or doctor IMMEDIATELY for treatment advice. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control centre or doctor. Do not give **any** liquid to the person. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

IF IN EYES: Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing the eye. Call a poison control centre or doctor IMMEDIATELY for treatment advice.

IF ON SKIN OR CLOTHING: Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin IMMEDIATELY with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control centre or doctor IMMEDIATELY for treatment advice.

IF INHALED: Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth if possible. Call a poison control centre or doctor for treatment advice.

Take container, label, or product name and Pest Control Product Registration Number with you when seeking medical attention.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL:

STORAGE:

Store product in original container only, away from other pesticides, fertilizer, food or feed. Keep container closed. Do not store Belmont 2.7 FS in direct sunlight. Do not store Belmont 2.7 FS above 35°C or below 0°C.

DISPOSAL OF CONTAINERS:

FOR NON-RETURNABLE CONTAINERS:

1. Triple- or pressure-rinse the empty container. Add the rinsings to the mixture in the tank.
2. Follow provincial instructions for any required additional cleaning of the container prior to its disposal.

3. Make the empty container unsuitable for further use.
4. Dispose of the container in accordance with provincial requirements.

FOR RECYCLABLE CONTAINERS:

Do not reuse this container for any purpose. This is a recyclable container, and is to be disposed of at a container collection site. Contact your local distributor/dealer or municipality for the location of the nearest collection site. Before taking the container to the collection site:

1. Triple- or pressure-rinse the empty container. Add the rinsings to the mixture in the tank.
2. Make the empty, rinsed container unsuitable for further use. If there is no container collection site in your area, dispose of the container in accordance with provincial requirements.

FOR RETURNABLE CONTAINERS:

Do not reuse this container for any purpose. For disposal, this empty container may be returned to the point of purchase (distributor/dealer).

FOR REFILLABLE CONTAINERS:

For disposal, this container may be returned to the point of purchase distributor/dealer). It must be refilled by the distributor/dealer with the same product. Do not use this container for any other purpose.

TRIPLE RINSE INSTRUCTIONS (FOR RECYCLABLE AND DISPOSABLE CONTAINERS ONLY): This container should be triple-rinsed prior to its disposal. The rinsings can be added to the seed treatment provided the volume of water does not exceed the quantity indicated in the Application Rate table under the Directions for Use. Follow these steps for rinsing of containers.

1. Transfer Belmont 2.7 FS from the container to the seed treating equipment applicator tank.
2. Add 1/3 of the rinse water to the container and agitate the contents.
3. Transfer the rinsings to the applicator tank.
4. Rinse as above 2 more times. Add additional water as required to obtain desired Total Volume.
5. Thoroughly mix the Belmont 2.7 FS Fungicide and rinse water in the applicator tank prior to use.

DISPOSAL OF UNUSED, UNWANTED PRODUCT:

For information on disposal of unused, unwanted product, contact the manufacturer or the provincial regulatory agency. Contact the manufacturer and the provincial regulatory agency in case of a spill, and for clean-up of spills.

SEED QUALITY:

Treatment of highly mechanically damaged seed, or seed known to be of low vigor and poor quality may result in reduced germination and/or reduction of seed and seedling vigor. If seed lot quality is unknown, conduct a germination test on a small portion of seed before committing the total seed lot to a selected chemical treatment. This product is intended for treating seed immediately before use. UPL AgroSolutions Canada Inc. makes no claims or guarantees as to germination of carry over seed.

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NOTICE TO USER: This pest control product is to be used only in accordance with the directions on the label. It is an offence under the *Pest Control Products Act* to use this product in a way that is inconsistent with the directions on the label.

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