

TECHNICAL INFORMATION BULLETIN

FIFRA Section 2(ee) Recommendation

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BALLAD® PLUS **EPA Reg. No. 69592-13**

For use of Ballad® Plus on corn at reduced application rates when tank-mixed with labeled rates of strobilurin or triazole fungicides registered for control of the corn diseases specified in the accompanying application tables.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Do not apply this product in a way that will contact workers or other persons, either directly or through drift. Only protected handlers may be in the area during application. For any requirements specific to your State or Tribe, consult the State or Tribal agency responsible for pesticide regulation.

This FIFRA Section 2(ee) recommendation contains new or additional directions for use of this product, which may not appear on the package label. Read and carefully observe the cautionary statements plus all the other information appearing on the product label.

All applicable directions, restrictions and precautions on the EPA-registered label are to be followed.

This recommendation must be in the possession of the user at the time of pesticide application.

To enhance plant disease control, reduced application rates of Ballad Plus may be tank-mixed with labeled rates of strobilurin or triazole fungicides registered for use on corn. Ballad Plus cannot be mixed with any product with prohibition against such mixing. When tank-mixing Ballad Plus with other registered pesticides, always read and follow all use directions, restrictions, and precautions of both Ballad Plus and the tank-mix partner(s). Use of the resulting tank mix must be in accordance with the more restrictive label limitations and precautions. Do not exceed label dosage rates for the tank mix partner and follow the dosage rates for Ballad Plus set forth in this recommendation.

Application Rates of Ballad Plus for Use on Corn When Tank-mixed with Registered Strobilurin or Triazole Fungicides			
Crops	Diseases	Ballad Plus qts./A	Application Instructions
Cereal Grains Corn	Powdery Mildew <i>Erysiphe graminis</i> Rust <i>Puccinia</i> spp. Sheath Spot and Blight <i>Thanatephorus cucumeris</i> (Anamorph: <i>Rhizoctonia solani</i>) Bacterial Blight and Streak <i>Xanthomonas</i> spp. Brown Rot, Leaf Spots and Smuts <i>Cercospora</i> spp.	0.5 – 2	Begin applications when environmental conditions and plant stage are conducive to disease development. Repeat on 7 to 14 day intervals or as needed. Use higher rates and shorter application intervals under heavy disease pressure.
Sweet Corn (Includes crop for seed production)	Common Rust <i>Puccinia sorghi</i> Northern Leaf Blight <i>Exserohilum turcicum</i> <i>Helminthosporium turcium</i> Southern Leaf Blight <i>Bipolaris maydis</i> <i>Helminthosporium maydi</i> <i>Cochliobolus heterostrophus</i>	0.5 – 2	Begin applications when environmental conditions are conducive to disease development. Continue applications on 7 to 14 day intervals or as needed. Use higher rates and shorter application intervals under heavy disease pressure.

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