## Boost your clethoding esults with RACER Improved control of hard to kill ARG Safe to all grain legume crops **Group A DIM herbicide** Rapid knockdown Improved control of Annual ryegrass with RACER ■ Clethodim 500 mL/ha ■ Racer 180 g/ha + Clethodim 500 mL/ha Data source - Mean of 3 replicated trials Percentage weed control based on reduction in ARG flowering spikes /m2 in spring. All treatments applied with a recommended adjuvant such as In2™, Uptake™, Hasten™ or Glisarin™ CONQUEST **R&Wagencles Crop Protection You Can Trust**

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## A RACER-gainst time **YP AG**

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WITH the continued increase of annual ryegrass resistance to Group A herbicides there is no time for complacency, according to YP AG's Darryn Schilling.

The use of an integrated weed-management strategy using herbicides like RACER can form an important part of this.

RACER is an alternative Group A DIM herbicide, containing the active butroxydim.

The golden rule of any resistance-management strategy has not changed with each application, ensure you get the highest level of weed control possible.

From research from 2013 onwards by YP AG and Conquest Crop Protection, there is another option growers can adopt RACER plus NITRO (Clethodim) plus the correct rate of recommended adjuvant.

"RACER (250g/kg butroxydim) is a unique, newly-developed WG formulation that now has superior dispersion qualities," Darrvn said.

"Although RACER acts in controlling weeds in a similar way to clethodim and is a 'dim' herbicide, researchers have identified subtle differences and have demonstrated butroxydim can improve the clethodim control of resistant annual ryegrass when applied in a tank mix.



■ RYEGRASS CONTROL... YP AG's Darryn Schilling performs an early ryegrass count in some local lentils.

"Butroxydim tank mixes have become an alternate choice for growers who have higher-than-average annual ryegrass resistance levels.

"Most areas that have annual ryegrass issues have some level of resistance, and relying on just clethodim for control increases the risk of allowing escapes.

"Long-term reliance on increasing use rates of clethodim have amplified the issue.'

Darryn recommends RACER can be used at 180 g/ha with 500 ml/ha clethodim to improve the control of resistant annual ryegrass.

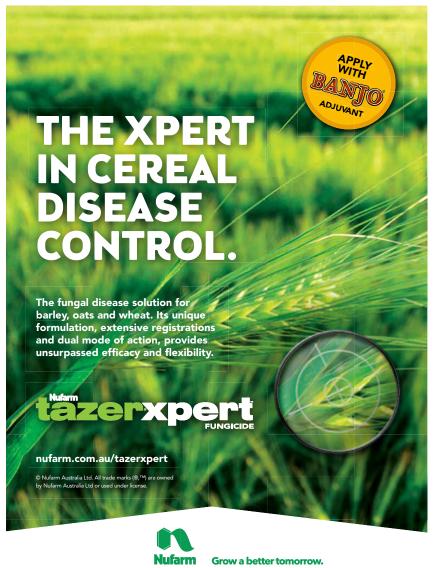
YP AG tested RACER at

Arthurton in 2013 in legumes and it was shown to perform exceptionally well.

It has a high level of crop safety in all grain legumes, but canola is very sensitive.

Darryn suggested using RACER tank mixes, combined with an integrated weed-management approach like windrow burning or harvest weed seed destroyers, would provide the best long-term solution.

For more information about how RACER can control more of your resistant ryegrass, or how the RACER plus clethodim mix increases the control even further, contact your local YP AG branch.



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"Nufarm says trial work displays the future potential for Tazer

"Eyespot has become prevalent

## There is a new Xpert in wheat disease control

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THIS season Nufarm has Tazer Xpert available again to YP growers, a uniquely formulated cereal foliar fungicide as a suspension concentrate.

It contains azoxystrobin and epoxiconazole with maximised active loads to optimise disease control which delivers plant health benefits including green canopy management and yield increases.

With registrations in barley, wheat and oats, this formulation was made possible after extensive trial work including xtensive user reliability tr under Australian conditions over many seasons.

"Tazer Xpert enables growers the flexibility to use just one cereal foliar fungicide product for all key fungal pathogens in wheat across the growing season," YP AG agronomist Dom Meaney said.

"Trials have shown an application of 500ml/ha with Banjo adjuvant has provided excellent control of key disease pathogens including leaf rust, stem rust, stripe rust, septoria nodorum and tritici, yellow leaf spot and powdery mildew.

"As a result of the lower rate range, growers can have a cost-effective disease control solution whilst not compromising product performance when mixed with Banjo.

Xpert to control eyespot in wheat.

springs, and is now a key disease of wheat on YP, particularly where growers are concentrating on close wheat rotations like wheat-lentil-wheat, or wheat on

Tazer Xpert is also uniquely registered in oat crops to control septoria blotch.

in the past few years with wet

coming years.

wheat."

Extensive biological and physical compatibilities of key insecticides, herbicides and UAN have been tested during the development of Tazer Xpert,

allowing growers and advisors flexible tank-mix options.

■ DISEASE CONTROL... YP AG Maitland's Dom Meaney looks

forward to more fungicide options to combat eyespot in the

Harvest withholding period is not required with Tazer Xpert, ensuring peace of mind in later applications.

Tazer Xpert provides growers the flexibility to carry just one cereal foliar fungicide for all key fungal pathogens across the entire season.

For more information, contact your local YP AG agronomist at Kadina, Maitland, Curramulka or Yorketown.