

# Lumisena<sup>®</sup>

FUNGICIDE SEED TREATMENT

**"I'm going for  
the best start."**



# OVERVIEW

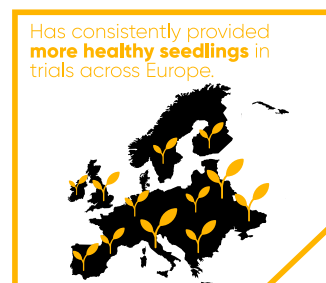
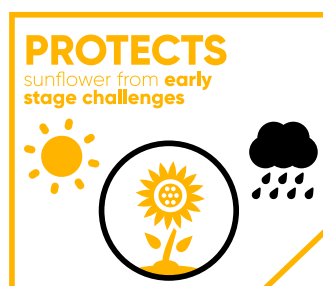
Protect your sunflowers from day one and take the lead in the battle against downy mildew. Lumisena™ is the new cutting-edge seed treatment, proven to deliver next-level protection, even in the toughest conditions.



## Lumisena™ at a glance

Target crop	Sunflower
Target disease	<i>Plasmopara halstedii</i> ; downy mildew
Active ingredient	Oxathiapiprolin Chemical class: Piperidinyl thiazole isoxazoline
Dose Rate	18.75 mg ai/1000 seeds, 14.1 ml/unit 150K
Formulation	200 g/l Flowable Concentrate for Seed Treatment (FS)
IRAC Group	49
Mode of Action	Binds to oxysterol-binding protein (OSBP)

## Key advantages



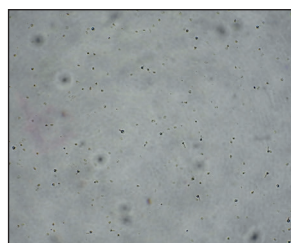
## Mode of Action

Lumisena™ controls downy mildew before it has a chance to damage sunflower plants.

Oxathiapiprolin, the active ingredient in Lumisena™, is active at every stage of the fungal life cycle, resulting in healthier plants. It has preventative activity that inhibits zoospore release and prevents zoospore germination at very low concentrations as is evidenced to the right. This protects from infection via the roots, enabling healthy emergence.

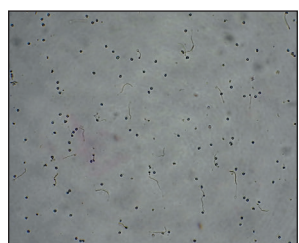
### Ungerminated spores

Oxathiapiprolin 0.1 ppm



### Germinated spores

Untreated control



Photos taken 4 hours after addition of *Plasmopara halstedii* zoospores to the solution at 20°C. Initial zoospore concentration was identical in both solutions.



## Downy mildew. Devastating to sunflowers. Costly to growers.

Downy mildew is considered a major disease in all sunflower producing countries in Europe. Downy mildew can cause significant crop damage by killing or stunting of infected plants, reducing crop stands and causing yield loss.

Despite the widespread distribution, downy mildew is listed as a quarantine organism in Europe. Even low disease levels can have severe implications for sunflower production and export of seeds.

Downy mildew is a soil borne disease that is caused by *Plasmopara halstedii*, an oomycete pathogen. Fungicide seed treatment and genetic resistance are effective management tools for downy mildew.



## Lumisena™ – A step change in downy mildew control.

In external research trials with leading university experts, sunflower seed treated with Lumisena™ showed a significantly lower incidence of downy mildew in comparison to existing fungicide seed treatments. In 29 research trials in fields across Europe, **Lumisena™ showed 84% fewer downy mildew infected plants compared to untreated plots – with no cross resistance to existing fungicides.**



# SUSTAINABLE USE

## Resistance management

The active ingredient oxathiapiprolin is classified as a FRAC group 49 fungicide. Oxathiapiprolin is not crossresistant with other classes of fungicides used against oomycete pathogens. To reduce the risk of resistance development, Lumisena™ should be used in mixture with a different mode of action fungicide active on the target oomycete disease.

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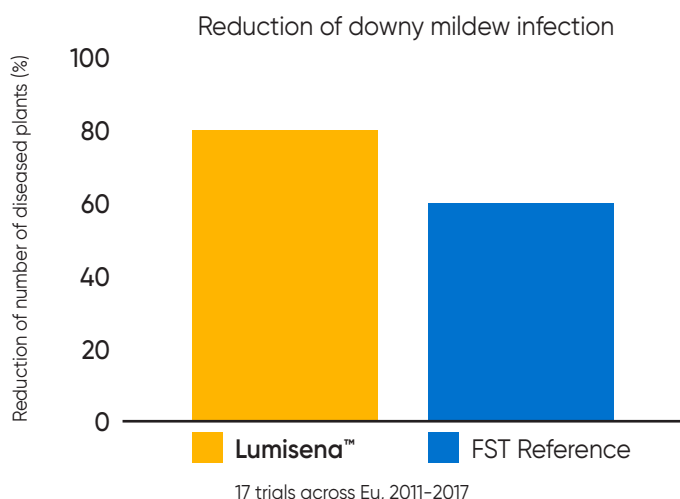
## Environmental profile



Lumisena™ has a favourable environmental profile if applied according to label recommendations. It is very effective on target organisms at extremely low use rates and has very low toxicity to non-target organisms. Mammalian oral, neurological, developmental and dermal toxicity is low, as is avian and bee toxicity.

## Best in class

Compared to the current reference in the market, Lumisena™ provides a stronger and more consistent protection against downy mildew.



## Field trials demonstrate:

- Effective control against oomycete pathogens that cause downy mildew
- Significantly lower incidence of downy mildew versus existing commercial seed applied fungicides
- Increased emergence and healthier stand establishment to help secure yields.
- Highly effective at very low active ingredient use rates
- New mode of action with no cross resistance to any existing fungicide
- Favourable environmental profile

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**Lumisena -  
A cutting-edge seed treatment**



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Follow the label when applying plant protection products.