

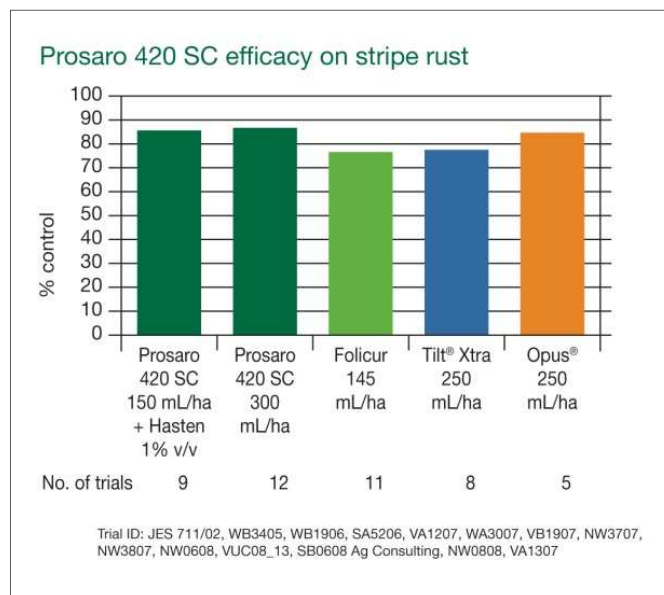


Prosaro® 420 SC Fungicide delivers outstanding performance against stripe rust

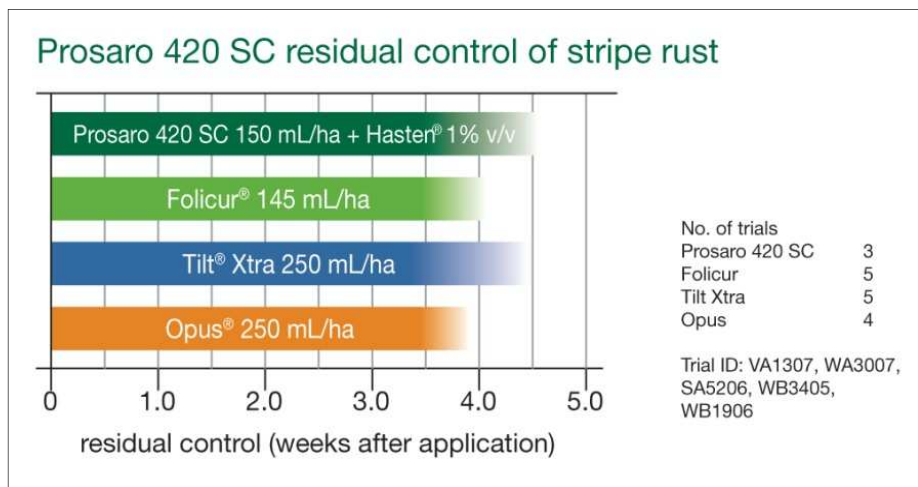
Prosaro is a modern protective and curative fungicide that is specifically designed to provide effective and long-lasting broad spectrum foliar disease control in cereals. More than 80 trials throughout Australia have shown **Prosaro** to consistently deliver long-lasting control across a wide range of barley and wheat diseases, an important product attribute in seasons like what we are currently experiencing where conditions are primed for a major cereal disease outbreak.

In the adjacent trial results, this excellent performance of **Prosaro** against stripe rust is evident. Not only did **Prosaro** provide a high level of disease control (graph 1) it also provided the longest period of residual activity (graph 2).

Graph 1



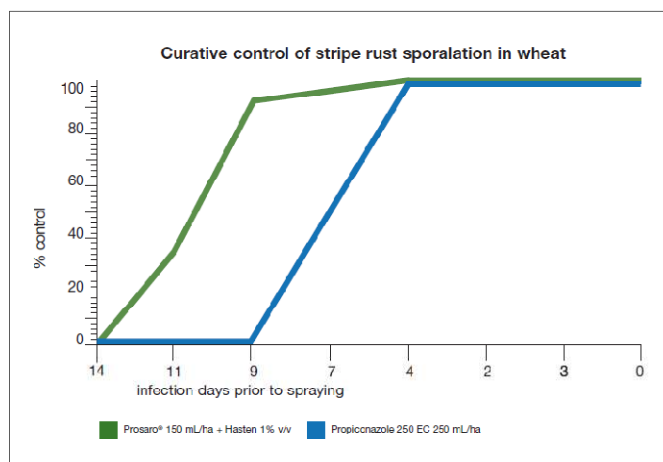
Graph 2



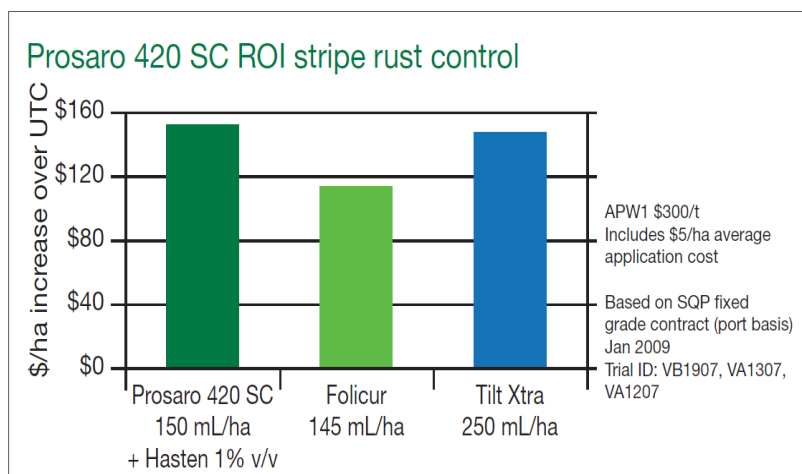


Another important attribute of **Prosaro** is its excellent curative or “kick-back” activity. That is, the ability to inhibit or stop the development of an established infection before visible symptoms appear. A specific stripe rust trial conducted by the University of Sydney’s Plant Breeding Institute on behalf of Bayer CropScience during 2010 compared the curative activity of **Prosaro** to propiconazole. In this trial (graph 3) **Prosaro** provided between 2 and 4 days longer kick-back activity than propiconazole. This extended kick-back activity when combined with the forward (residual) protection offered by **Prosaro** provides arguably the widest window of disease control greatly reducing the potential need for a second spray.

Graph 3



Graph 4



Ultimately the benefit to growers from the exceptional disease control and long-lasting performance of **Prosaro** is the potential incremental income provided through yield increase and better grain quality. The above graph (graph 4) shows the return per hectare (\$/ha) that was achieved in replicated trial work which certainly justified the management decision to use **Prosaro** for stripe rust control.

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