3RIVE 3D[®] Formulation & Application System Rick Ekins

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Sunflower growers need alternatives

- Production limiting factors;
 - Increasing insect pressures from wireworms, white grubs, seedcorn maggots and flea beetles
 - Impact of soil-borne pathogens increases with insect penetration
 - Seed treatments, designed to protect the seed through germination, can be overwhelmed by pest pressures
 - Increasing external demand to reduce seed treatment use
 - But alternative management options may not provide sufficient crop protection
- What can we do?







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Fill Once, Plant All Day

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Precision Agriculture, Meet FMC

- Low volume liquid formulations include insecticides, fungicides and combinations.
- Use 90% less water than traditional liquids, and nearly half the weight of granules.
- Current labels include corn, soybeans, dry beans and peas with expansion plans into cotton, sunflowers, sugarbeets and more.
- Dust-free formulation reduces potential pollinator impact from dusting-off.
- No measuring or mixing, applicator does that work for you.
- Product doesn't mix until use, so rain delays don't require tank agitation.
- Fits most planter brands and models.
- Plant at any speed. The system won't slow you down.
- Change rates as crops and pest control needs change.
- Formulation and application systems are co-dependent.
- Application system installed on planter for at-plant application.







3RIVE 3D[®] converts traditional high volume applications to low volumes through patent-pending technologies

Self-contained 3RIVE 3D® application system

- 130 gallon water tank for <u>clean water only</u>
- 30 gallon concentrate tank for <u>3RIVE 3D formulations only</u>
- System control components
 - Concentrate and solution pumps, precision flowmeter, air compressor, associated plumbing and wiring harness





Concentrate + Water + Air

Patent pending 3RIVE 3D[®] Manifold combines water, chemical concentrate and air in precise ratios to expand the solution up to 50X and deliver to individual planter row units.

This planter weighs approximately 35,000 lbs. (empty, base model). The 3RIVE 3D applicator weighs less than 500 lbs. (empty), less than 2% of total planter weight

Real growers sharing real experiences



"There are obvious advantages to coming up with a new method of applying insecticides in order to get better coverage than you do by applying granulars. The 3RIVE 3D foam expands for excellent coverage in the planting zone." - Dr. Billy Fuller, SDSU

"The reason we went with 3RIVE 3D was the ease of the whole system. It doesn't take a lot of room on the planter. I'm able to access my planter units...and the speed of fill...just two connections. No mess."

- Bill Voorhees, Maroa, IL

"I got tired of having to load the boxes all the time. When you have a 24-row planter, loading 24, 50-pound insecticide boxes is a lot of work. This system is way easier to use and I can cover more than 300 acres with one fill." - Mike Case, Martinsville, IN



Convenient packaging and system fill

- 15-gallon returnable kegs
 - Two kegs fill the system
- Transfer pumps provided with application system
- Transfer pump and keg are configured to recirculate product prior to delivery to the application system
 - Recirculation takes less than a minute
- Closed transfer via quick-connect, dry-lock valves minimizes user exposure to product



Recirculate product in keg, then pump into applicator tank





3RIVE 3D[®] formulated products exclusively for the 3RIVE 3D[®] application system



- Use rate: 4 8 fl. oz./A, depending on pest targets
 - 16 32 acres per gallon (up to 480 acres per system fill)
- Caution signal word
- For control of CRW & broad spectrum seedling pests in corn, soybeans, dry beans and peas
- Broad spectrum pest control protects
 seeds/seedlings before damage occurs



- Use rate: 4.6 9.1 fl. oz./A, depending on pest targets
 - 14 28 acres per gallon (up to 420 acres per system fill)
- Caution signal word
- For control of CRW & broad spectrum seedling pests in corn, soybeans, dry beans and peas
- Broad spectrum disease control, including pythium, phytophthora, rhizoctonia and fusarium

Increase plant stands, increase grain production, protect yield potential

Capture[®] 3RIVE 3D[®] insecticide and Ethos[®] 3D insecticide/fungicide are Restricted Use Pesticides.

Field testing to establish sunflower crop tolerances for FMC bifenthrin brands

- Thank you NSA for your inspiration and cooperation!
- 2016 & 2017 field trials completed
- Crop residue data completed
- EPA registration has been submitted
- Anticipated timeline; PRIA 16 months = February 2020
 - Capture[®] LFR[®] insecticide
 - Capture[®] 3RIVE 3D[®] insecticide
 - Ethos[®] XB insecticide/fungicide
 - Ethos[®] 3D insecticide/fungicide





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NDSU Sunflower Field Trials

- Data indicates significant plant vigor improvement compared to check
- Data indicates no statistical separation of wireworm injury ratings in the treatments



Wireworm rating; 0 - 9 rating scale; 0 = no injury, 9 = dead plant. Vigor rating: 0 – 9 rating scale, 9 = best

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NDSU Sunflower Field Trials

- Data indicates LFR brands improve plant populations and improve final stand as compared to desired plant population
- Combination of insect and disease protection maximized plant population in this trial



Trial Mean % of Target Plant Population

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SDSU Sunflower Field Trials

 Data suggests benefits of both insect and disease protection from in-furrow application of Ethos XB provide growers a greater return on investment

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Product development projects expand testing in new crops and with new products

50+ research applicators at Universities and industry researchers for USA trials



System testing in other FMC Regions including Australia, Brazil, Canada, France



Application technologies fit the way you farm









Protect your crop from a broad spectrum of insect pests

Combine powerful insect protection with broad spectrum, long lasting disease protection



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