# Rhyme<sup>®</sup> Fungicide



## **PRODUCT INFORMATION:**

Rhyme<sup>®</sup> fungicide is a proven product to prevent disease and protect your melon, squash, pumpkin and cucumber yields. Rhyme fungicide leverages one of the most systemic triazoles on the market to protect your cucurbits all season long.

Plant tissues rapidly absorb the active ingredient, flutriafol. The power of Rhyme fungicide translocates quickly to protect the whole vine from tough diseases like powdery mildew, gummy stem blight, target spot and charcoal rot. Quick penetration into plant tissues allows for rapid movement to the sites of established infections, taking down tough diseases to protect your yields.

Rhyme fungicide is labeled for use in chemigation systems, giving you the convenience of application and confidence of knowing your cucurbits are always protected.

# **QUICK FACTS:**

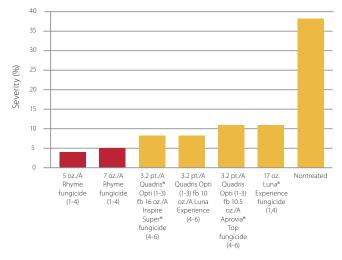
- Preventative and arrestant activity against powdery mildew, gummy stem blight, target spot and charcoal rot.
- One of the most systemic triazoles on the market.
- Translocates to protect the whole plant from disease.
- Rainfast within two hours.
- Can be tank mixed with most fungicides, insecticides and surfactants for additional control.



#### Gummy Stem Blight (Didymella bryoniae) Severity

After Foliar Fungicide Applications to Watermelons

5 days after application #4



Data Source: Gary Vallad, UFL, Wimauma, FL 2016.

#### **Application Instructions:**

Thorough spray coverage is critical to maximize efficacy of Rhyme fungicide.

Minimum spray volumes: 10 GPA by ground; 10 GPA by air.

May be tank mixed with insecticides, herbicides, fungicides and adjuvants.

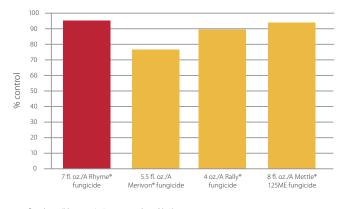
#### Label:

Active Ingredient: Flutriafol

FRAC Group 3

**Mode of Action:** Demethylation inhibitors; blocks the synthesis of ergosterol in sensitive species of fungi.

## Comparison of Fungicides for Powdery Mildew Control in Melons



Powdery mildew severity in nontreated was 30-40 percent. Data Source: T. Turini – UC Farm Advisor, San Joaquin Valley, CA. 2016.

#### **Application Guidelines:**

#### Re-Entry Interval: 12 hours

Pre-Harvest Interval: Zero days

**Re-Treatment Interval:** Seven days for foliar diseases; 30 days for charcoal rot.

Product Use Rate: 7 fl. oz./A

**Maximum amount of Rhyme fungicide per season:** Do not apply more than four applications per year or 28 fl. oz./A per year.

**Drip Irrigation:** Use Rhyme fungicide for control of soilborne and foliar diseases. See label for specific use rates and timing.

## Drip Irrigation and Micro-Sprinkler Chemigation Use Guidelines:

For control of foliar powdery mildew, use Rhyme fungicide in two consecutive drip or micro-sprinkler applications as part of a standard foliar spray program.

Apply preventatively or when conditions are favorable for disease development.

Apply the second application seven to 14 days following the first application.

Apply in sufficient irrigation water to wet the rooting profile of the cucurbits or to 12 inches of soil.

Delay subsequent irrigation for 24 hours following a drip application or micro-sprinkler application for the best results.

## To learn more about Rhyme fungicide, contact your FMC authorized retailer or visit FMCcrop.com.

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