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Global HRAC & EHRAC Update

EPPO Resistant Panel

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Who We Are

A global leader on weed
resistance





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Challenges of Herbicide Resistance

Undermines sustainability
Hurts our customers
Limits return on investment

Challenges to Resistance Management

Technical
Economic
Societal





How Does Industry Meet These Challenges?

Technical

- Study resistant weeds to understand mechanisms
- Develop New technologies
- Evaluate integrated programs

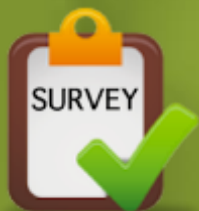
Economic and Societal

- Education
- Stewardship programs
- Incentives

Individual Company Initiatives



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Many companies have actively promoted resistance management for years

- Research
- Education
- Farmer resources
- Farmer incentives



Resistance Care
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Resistance Fighter: Herbicide Resistance Management

Win the Battle Against Resistant Weeds

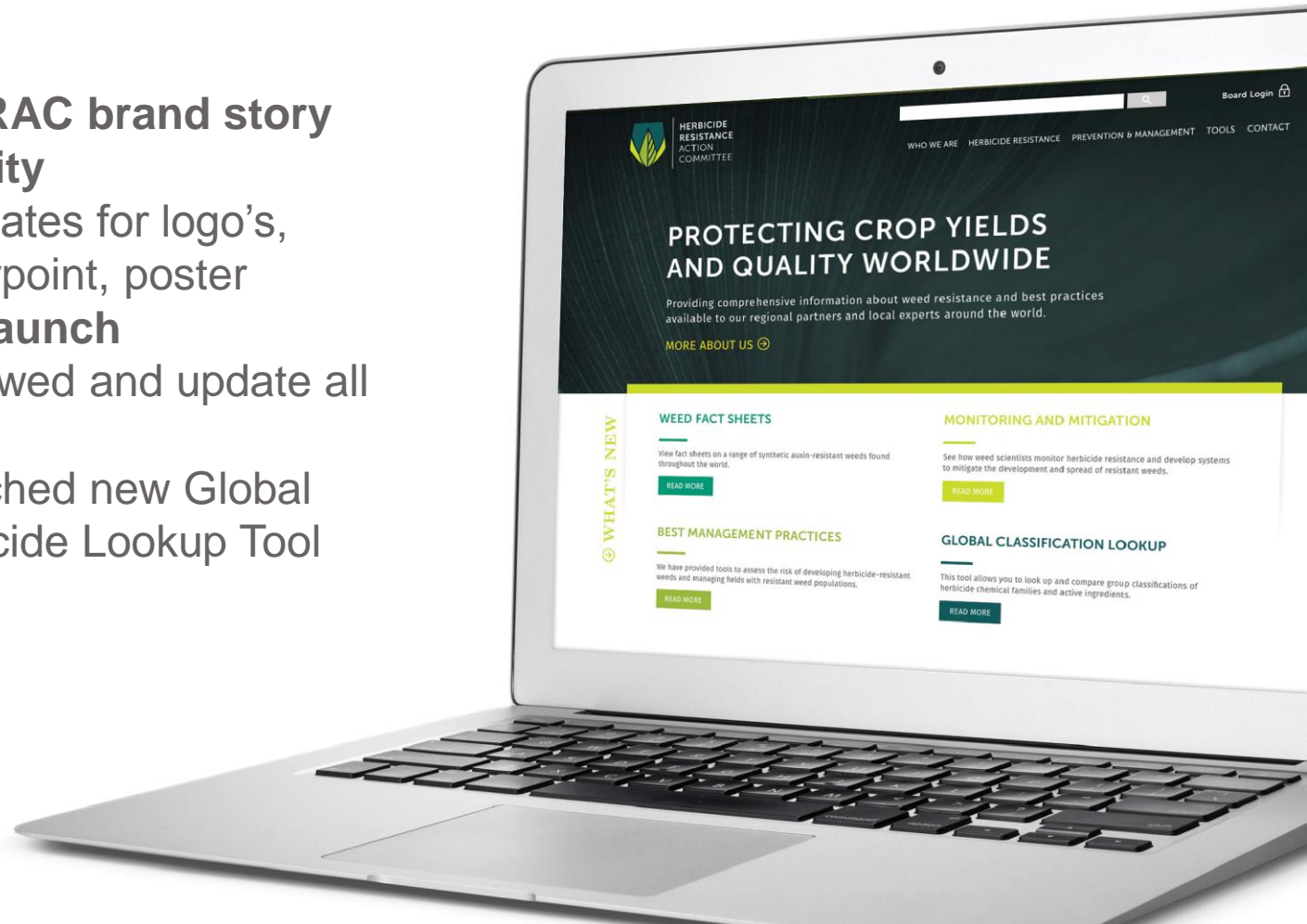
The war against resistant weeds will never end, but this season's battle can be won. Contact your local Syngenta expert for a custom attack plan.





2016 Accomplishments:

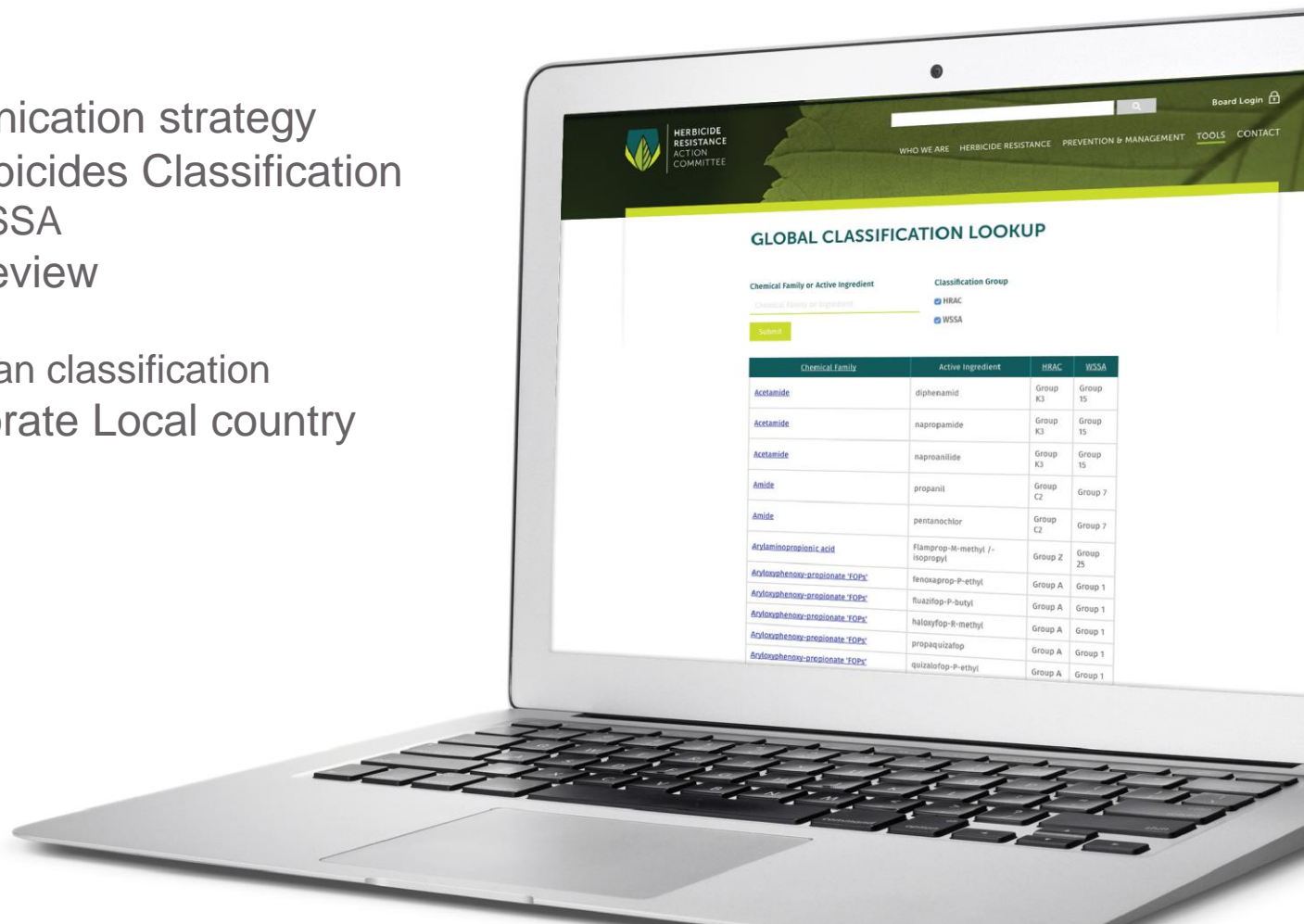
- **Global HRAC brand story and identity**
 - Templates for logo's, powerpoint, poster
- **Website launch**
 - Reviewed and update all info
 - Launched new Global Herbicide Lookup Tool





2017 – 2018 Initiatives:

- Building a communication strategy
- Request New Herbicides Classification
 - aligned with WSSA
- Website content review
 - update BMP's
 - include Australian classification
- EHRAC to incorporate Local country RAC's



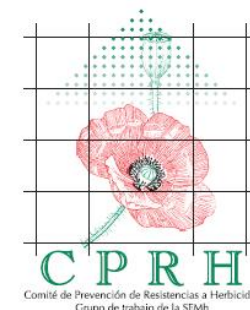
Regional/Local HRAC Objectives and Actions



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An objective of Global HRAC is to support and coordinate with regional HRACs

- Provide technical information in support of local initiatives
- Assist with organizational questions and setup
- Provide a means to share experiences, initiatives, and challenges



Our Working Groups:

Key objectives for Working Groups:

Auxin

HPPD

PPO

- Consolidate and communicate information for specific MOAs
- Monitor research
- Support intellectual dialogue
- Customize BMPs for a given MOA
- Address specific resistance topics (e.g. Monitoring)

Communications

Issues Engagement

MOA Classification

Providing current
technical information
about weed resistance
to target audiences

Evaluate resistance-
related discussions in
the public domain and
develop science-based
information

New Herbicides
Classification
aligned with WSSA
and Australian
classification

Our Working Groups:

Auxin

Facilitating the exchange of information and BMPs related to auxin-resistant weeds among technical stakeholders

The symposium, “*Weed Resistance to Synthetic Auxin Herbicides: Current State of Knowledge and Knowledge Gaps*,” on May 15, 2017, Denver (USA)

The symposium presentations :

- Overview of the current knowledge of synthetic auxin herbicide resistance;
- Description of case studies of weed species with confirmed resistance to synthetic auxin herbicides; and
- Perspectives about how to manage resistance in synthetic auxin herbicide-tolerant crops.

Synthetic Auxin Resistance in Corn Poppy

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Synthetic Auxin Resistant Corn Poppy

Corn poppy is the most important broadleaf weed of winter wheat in southern Europe. Synthetic auxins, particularly 2,4-D, have been used to control corn poppy in winter wheat for over 50 years. Synthetic auxin resistant corn poppy was first identified in Spain in 1993, and subsequently in Italy and France. Synthetic auxin resistance in corn poppy is now widespread in both of these countries.

Levels of Resistance and Cross-Resistance



herbicides used for corn poppy control. Seven mutant ALS alleles, Ala107, Arg197, His107, Leu197, Ser107, The107 and Leu574 that have been identified that confer ALS inhibitor resistance in corn poppy populations. Combinations of these mutant ALS alleles have sometimes been found in the same population, and indeed in the same plant. The different mutant ALS alleles give different patterns of cross-resistance to ALS inhibitors however all appear to confer resistance to sulfonylureas such as tribenuron. These mutations are dominant and spread rapidly throughout fields through pollen and seed dispersal.

Multiple Resistance

Synthetic Auxin Resistance in Lambsquarters

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Synthetic Auxin Resistant Common Lambsquarters

Common lambsquarters is a rapidly growing summer annual weed found in many agricultural systems. Synthetic auxins have long been used for control of common lambsquarters throughout the world. They became particularly important for control of triazine resistant common lambsquarters in the 1970's. In 2005 synthetic auxin resistant common lambsquarters was reported in maize (corn) fields in New Zealand. Growers had been using dicamba for over 10 years to control triazine-resistant common lambsquarters.

Levels of Resistance and Cross-Resistance



Mechanism of Resistance
The mechanism of synthetic auxin

Synthetic Auxin Resistance in Wild Mustard

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Synthetic Auxin Resistance in Kochia

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Our Working Groups:

HPPD-inhibitor Resistance Stewardship

The Perspective of the HRAC HPPD-inhibitor Working Group

Created January 31, 2014



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Working Group Objectives

Since 2009, waterhemp (*Amaranthus tuberculatus*) and Palmer amaranth (*Amaranthus palmeri*) have been identified with resistance to hydroxyphenylpyruvate dioxygenase (HPPD)-inhibitor chemistries used in several agronomic production systems in North America. HPPD-inhibitors can be found in multiple products (Table 1) and have become valuable tools for managing weeds resistant to other herbicides. The objectives of the HPPD-inhibitor Working Group are to develop stewardship recommendations and implement key actions to support the use of HPPD-inhibitors with the intent of prolonging their efficacy in providing weed control solutions for agricultural producers. The objectives will be accomplished by understanding the current resistance situation and providing communication and education tools, consistent stewardship recommendations to stakeholders, and guidance on potential research objectives.

Working Group Stewardship Recommendations to Stakeholders

1. In order to avoid the development of resistance, require HPPD-inhibitors applied preemergence (PRE) and postemergence (POST) to always be used in combination with other products, either in tank mixtures or pre-mixtures.
2. Make applications to small, actively growing weeds.
3. In order to reduce the development of resistance, always use full labeled rate for all applications PRE or POST.

4. Follow explicitly the recommendations for application volume(s), nozzle(s), and other application parameters.

Working Group Recommendations for Label Alignment

1. Include mode-of-action labeling on all HPPD-inhibitor containing products.
2. Strengthen and align resistance management language on HPPD-inhibitor labels.
3. Adopt recommendations made by the HPPD-inhibitor Working Group and incorporate into products labels during revision.
4. Optimize product rate and weed size recommendations on POST applied HPPD-inhibitor labels.
5. Emphasize tank mixtures or pre-mixtures with a minimum of two effective modes of action on product labels for driver weeds.

HRAC HPPD-inhibitor Working Group Members

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DuPont: William Palzoldt
Syngenta: Gordon Vall, Deepak Kaundun, Brett Miller and Les Glasgow

Table 1. Current herbicide products* containing HPPD-inhibitors

Product Name	Active Ingredients (HPPD-inhibitor in bold)	Market Segment Use	Manufacturer
Balance® Flexx	Isoxaflutole	Com	Bayer CropScience
Prequel®	Isoxaflutole plus Rimsulfuron	Com	DuPont
Convus®	Isoxaflutole plus Thienencarbazone-methyl	Com	Bayer CropScience
Callisto®	Mesotrione	Com	Syngenta
Callisto® Xtra	Mesotrione plus Atrazine	Com	Syngenta
Callisto® Ultra	Mesotrione plus Glyphosate	Com	Syngenta
Instigate™	Mesotrione plus Rimsulfuron	Com	DuPont
Realm® Q	Mesotrione plus Rimsulfuron	Com	DuPont
Zenmax®	Mesotrione plus s-Metolachlor	Com and Grain Sorghum	Syngenta
Lumax® EZ	Mesotrione plus s-Metolachlor plus Atrazine	Com and Grain Sorghum	Syngenta
Lexar® EZ	Mesotrione plus s-Metolachlor plus Atrazine	Com and Grain Sorghum	Syngenta
Halex® GT	Mesotrione plus s-Metolachlor plus Glyphosate	Com	Syngenta
Huskie®	Pyrasulfotole plus Bromoxynil	Cereals and Grain Sorghum	Bayer CropScience
Wolverine®	Pyrasulfotole plus Bromoxynil plus Fenoxyprop-p	Wheat and Barley	Bayer CropScience
Huskie® Complete	Pyrasulfotole plus Bromoxynil plus Thienencarbazone-methyl	Wheat	Bayer CropScience
Laudis®	Tembotrione	Com	Bayer CropScience
Capreno®	Tembotrione plus Thienencarbazone-methyl	Com	Bayer CropScience
Impact®	Toprarnazone	Com	AMVAC
Armezan® Herbicide	Toprarnazone	Com	BASF

*Product names registered in the United States

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Objectives:

- Prolong useful life of HPPD-inhibitor herbicides
- Understand the current resistance situation
- Provide additional communication and education tools
- Provide consistent stewardship recommendations to stakeholders – including label stewardship alignment
- Provide guidance on potential research objectives
 - HPPD-inhibitor resistance understanding
 - HPPD-inhibitor stewardship recommendations (eg. weed size)

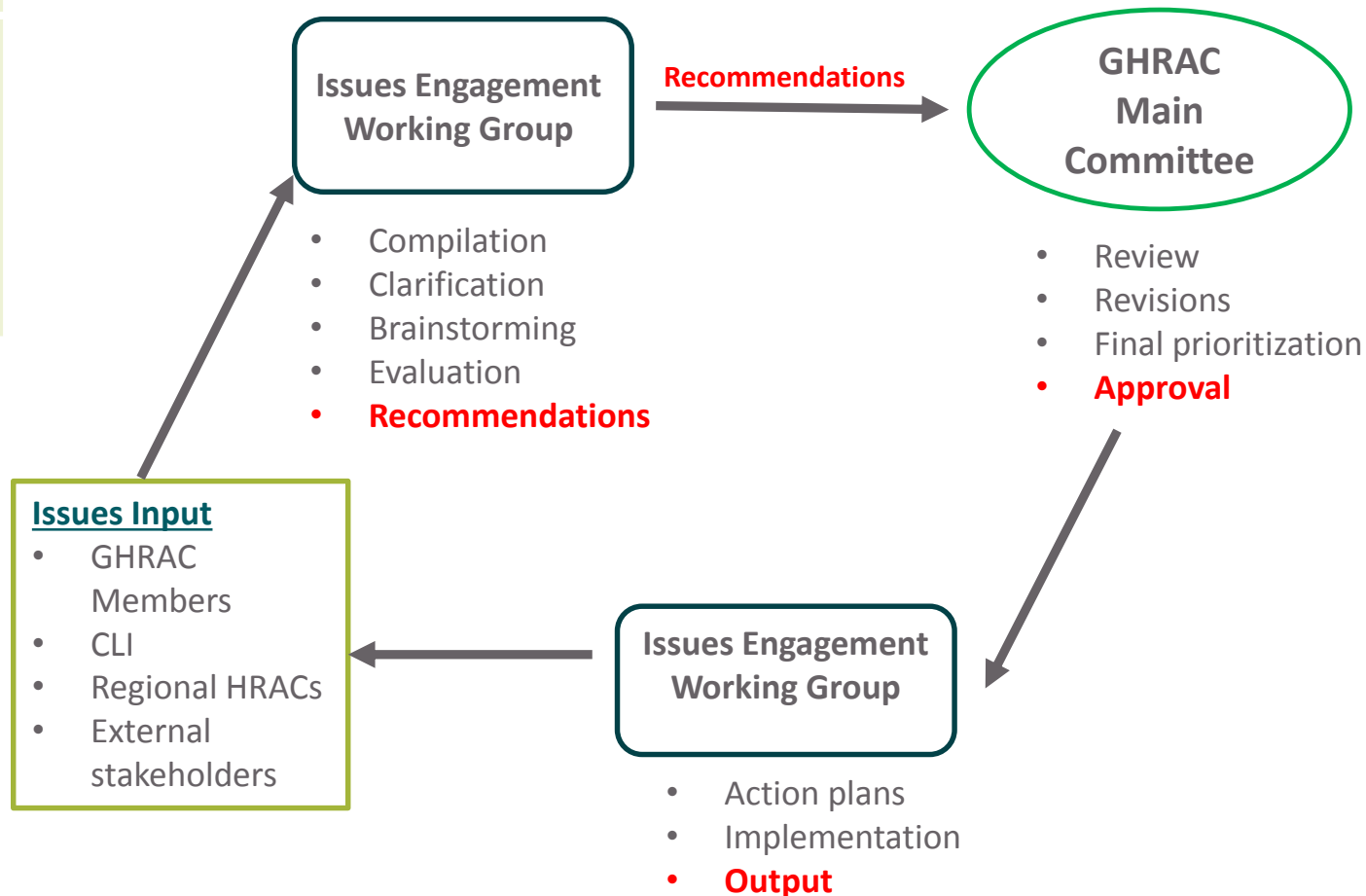
HPPD

Facilitating the exchange of information and BMPs related to HPPD-resistant weeds among technical stakeholders

Our Working Groups: Process:

Issues Engagement

Evaluate resistance-related discussions in the public domain and develop science-based information



Recent Resistant cases in EU

www.weedscience.org

Weed species	Country	year	Site of Action
<i>Apera spica-venti</i>	Denmark	2016	Multiple Resistance: 2 Sites of Action (ACCase inhibitors (A/1), ALS inhibitors (B/2))
<i>Lolium perenne</i>	Denmark	2016	Multiple Resistance: 2 Sites of Action (ACCase inhibitors (A/1), ALS inhibitors (B/2))
<i>Conyza canadensis</i>	Hungary	2016	EPSP synthase inhibitors (G/9)
<i>Stellaria media</i>	Latvia	2016	ALS inhibitors (B/2)
<i>Papaver rhoeas</i>	France	2016	Multiple Resistance: 2 Sites of Action (ALS inhibitors (B/2), Synthetic Auxins (O/4))



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