## Headline® Fungicide in Corn Plant Health Research Summary



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Headline<sup>®</sup> Fungicide

- Backed by extensive research
- Proven Plant Health benefits

#### Plant Health Benefits

- Excellent, broad spectrum disease control
- Improved plant efficiency
- Improved tolerance to stress
- Improved tolerance to abiotic diseases
- Grower Benefits
  - Improved harvest efficiency
  - Improved crop quality and yields



#### Columbia County, WI – October 28, 2010

Wind speeds of 30-40 MPH, with gusts in excess of 50 MPH, were common across the Midwest earlier this week. The field shown in the following photos was planted following corn and approximately 60% of it was treated with Headline<sup>®</sup> at VT. Current lodging scores for the treated and untreated areas are 17% and 79%, respectively!



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Untreated

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4.13 mph

#### Untreated 2.73 mph

Harvest Speed Advantage + 1.40 mph



- Headline AMP<sup>TM</sup> Fungicide is the **Plant Health fungicide that combines** the proven power of Headline and a unique triazole.
- The proven Plant Health benefits of **Headline:** 
  - Increased growth efficiency

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- Improved tolerance to stress
- Improved standability and harvestability
- Unique, "Best-in-Class" triazole: Metconazole.
- Delivers Maximum Protection.





### Headline AMP<sup>™</sup> Fungicide 2007-10 Independent Research – Corn



34 University & Seed Company small-plot replicated trials

### **Competitive Triazole Comparisons** Inbred Corn, 5 weeks after application





## Headline AMPTM Fungicide Northern Corn Leaf Blight control on Sweet Corn 2010



2010 Replicated trial at U of FL, 5 applications on 7 day intervals starting at 8-9 leaf stage



Grower : Rahe Farms	Estimated Volume (Drv)	Moisture
Field : 3A4A AcrossCreek	(bu/ac)	
Year : 2010	230.00 - 400.00( 1.84 ac)	
Crop / Product : CORN	210.00 - 230.00(23.09 ac) 200.00 - 210.00(17.58 ac)	
Avg. Yield : 200.87 bu/ac	190.00 - 200.00(12.90 ac)	
Avg. Moisture : 16.86 %	180.00 - 190.00(7.35 ac)	and the state of the
Area : 69.24 ac	170.00 - 180.00(3.39  ac) 160.00 - 170.00(1.31  ac)	The second second
Total Dry Bushels : 13,994 bu	150.00 - 160.00( 0.63 ac)	
Start Date : 9/16/2010	100.00 - 150.00( 0.92 ac)	
End Date : 10/5/2010	5.00 - 100.00( 0.24 ac)	

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#### Northeast Iowa - 2010

This grower treated a portion of his field with Headline AMP<sup>™</sup> fungicide, leaving an untreated check for comparison at harvest. He also had the aerial applicator spray a swath across the rows to see what kind of response he could get from a 2X rate of Headline AMP<sup>™</sup>. The response was not only visual in the photo taken just prior to harvest, but was also very visual on the yield map!

## **Corn Yield from Headline<sup>®</sup> by Stage**

(Investigating application timing benefits since 2004)



Headline most researched corn fungicide

#### **2010 On-Farm Results**



Headline Early

N= 74

5.8

Headline Tassel N= 89 AMP Tassel Sequential HL fb AMP N= 50 N= 16

14.5



16.2

## Optimum Application Timing in Corn 2011 Recommendations to Maximize Results

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\*VT stage begins when the last branch of the tassel is completely visible outside of the whorl.



