Technical Update

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Use on peas 2016



Biscaya® is approved for the control of pea aphids and the reduction of pea midge damage.

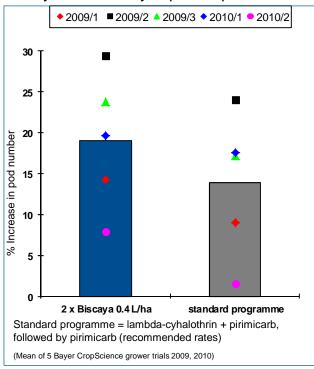
Key points

- Well timed applications of Biscaya can give useful control of pea midge and improvement in pod numbers
- No risk to bees when applied according to the label and can be applied to flowering crops
- In 5 trials carried out in 2009 and 2010, Biscaya averaged an extra 6% increase in pod number compared with a standard treatment

What to do

- Apply Biscaya at a rate of 0.4 L/ha in a water volume of 200-400 L/ha as a medium quality spray
- For pea midge, inspect plants at early flowering (flower buds enclosed) and apply the first spray if adult midges are found or according to local warnings. A follow-up spray may be needed 7-10 days later if pest pressure remains high or local conditions indicate
- Pea aphids: apply as they start to build up in the crop. A second application may be applied if aphid pressure remains high
- Invert the container repeatedly and shake well before use to disperse the OD formulation

Biscaya consistently improves pod number



Product profile

Active substance	Thiacloprid 240g/L
Formulation	Oil dispersion (OD)
Crops	Combining and vining peas
Pack size	5 L
Maximum individual dose	0.4 L/ha
Maximum number of applications	2
Latest time of application	7 days before harvest
LERAP	None
MAPP	15014

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