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Have you wormed your dog lately?



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The Advantage Family has offered specialist protection for Aussie dogs for over 40 years.

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November is a great time to give your trusty dog a little more care and attention by making sure they are worm and flea free over the summer period.

Next time you are at your local North West Ag Services store, purchasing your dog food, make sure you grab some worming chews and then the job is done for another six months.

Grain Protectants Prevent Pests



With harvest upon us, here is a timely reminder if you plan to store grain on-farm.

When it comes to controlling pests in stored grain — prevention is better than cure. Grain protectants are one of many management tools for preventing pests in stored grain and have a particular role in unsealed storage and seed storage. Pick up a copy of GRDC's Grain Storage Fact Sheet in store.

Conserve On-Farm is a grain protectant for cereal commodities available from your local North West Ag store. It is a "twin-pack" containing two products which are tank-mixed in water then applied to cereal grain as it is augered into grain storages. Part A is a 5L drum containing chlorpyrifos-methyl (500g/L) and S-methoprene (30 g/L). Part B consists of two 1 L bottles containing spinosad (120 g/L). Conserve On-Farm is approved for use on most cereal commodities – excluding maize, malting barley and rice. Be aware that grain marketers have the right to put a Pesticide Residue Free condition (PRF) on any commodity. A PRF condition precludes any grain protectant from being applied to that commodity. Dow AgroSciences suggests you check with your grain marketer whether grain protectants are accepted.

Conserve On-Farm is in tight supply this season due to widespread use in NSW and southern QLD. Please contact your local North West Ag Services branch if you intend to use Conserve On-Farm so we can aim to secure product for you.

Grain Analysis Project



North West Ag Services are conducting a wheat sampling project this harvest, with the aim to validate grain nutrient removal in new wheat varieties. In the past we have used data that relates to old varieties in conventional farming systems, and we now want to check to confirm if these values are still relevant.

If you would like to participate in the project contact your local branch manager for more information.

Need Seed? Talk to us!



Barlock Lupins

Metribuzin tolerant, early flowering, early maturity. Higher yielding and improved pod shatter resistance compared to varieties such as Mandelup.

Winteroo Oats

An old variety which is still popular for hay production - for both yield and quality. Mid season, highly adaptable, fresh seed is available.

Hurricane Lentils

Herbicide tolerance to Imazethapyr, plus tolerant to SU & imi residues. Mid flowering, mid maturity. Red lentil.

Sceptre Wheat

Mace replacement, AH, early-mid season. Improved rust package over Mace, CCN & YLS resistance equal to Mace.

'Clearfield LaTrobe Barley'

Not yet named IGB1334T. Imi tolerant, early maturity. Alternative to Scope, agronomy similar to LaTrobe. Limited supply. Currently undergoing malt accreditation.

Wharton Peas

Offering better mildew and virus resistance than other Kasper types. Early-mid flowering. Good adaptability, good pod shattering resistance.

Moby Barley

Forage barley, high winter feed production, fast growing. It's a ripper on its own or in blends with vetch, medics or peas. Will sell out.

Call into your local branch and talk to us about canola, lucerne, pasture blends and everything seed!