Botector® offers Canadian growers effective biological protection against botrytis and rots in berries, grapes, and a range of fruiting vegetables. With a unique mode of action, Botector works well to compliment conventional programs.

Botector®

Benefits

- Highly reliable and efficacious
- Get outstanding protection against botrytis infections
- Unique mode of action
- A resistance management tool
- NIL harvest withholding
- Protect against botrytis with no delay to your harvest program

Registered crops

- Berries
- Fruiting and leafy vegetables
- Grapes
- Herbs and spices
- Ornamentals

General usage information

- Botector should be applied as a preventative treatment within the recommended growth stages. The product competes for space and nutrients with the pathogen.
- Coverage is critical as Botector is not mobile
- Avoid apply during the hottest part of the day when temperatures exceed 25 °C

Technical information

CHEMICAL CLASS

- N/A – Biological

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS

- *Aureobasidium pullulans*

PACKAGING

- 10 x 1 kg case

RAINFAST

- Remains effective after rain; moderate rainfall even enhances active ingredient growth

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- 31248

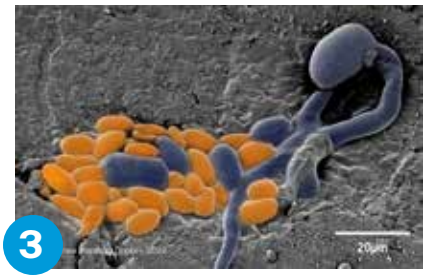
Specific crop usage information

DISEASE CONTROLLED	RATE	APPLICATION INFORMATION
STRAWBERRIES		
Grey mold (*botrytis cinerea*)	0.5–1 kg/ha in 1,000 L/ha water volume to whole canopy or 0.5–0.75 kg/ha if applying into wine grape bunch zone only	Up to 4 applications per year Apply between BBCH 68-89 * (to be applied according to the phenological development stage indicated below)
Anthracnose fruit rot (*Colletotrichum acutatum*)	1 kg/ha in 500–2,000 L of water/ha	Preventive, if climatic conditions are favorable for infection as well as at first sign of disease onset Up to 6 applications per year (repeat applications on a 7–10 day interval up to harvest)
Phomopsis leaf blight (*Phomopsis obscurans*) – partial suppression only	1 kg/ha in 500–2,000 L of water/ha	Preventive, if climatic conditions are favorable for infection as well as at first sign of disease onset

How it works

Microscratches on the plant's surface provide a natural entry point to gray mold (*Botrytis cinerea*). These scratches are colonised immediately after applying the highly effective microrganism (*Aureobasidum pullulans*).

The rapid proliferation of *Aureobasidum pullulans* consumes available nutrients and inhibits the development of Botrytis.



The microscratch is sealed by *Aureobasidum pullulans*, which acts as a natural shield and prevents *Botrytis cinerea* from infecting the plant.

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