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Want MORE from every acre? Tom Wood Western Sales Manager



## Results May Vary, Sometimes Dramatically!



Mar 27, 2021

0.5" Year to date 6% Low

Settings

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See the difference OII-YS and Nemasan can make in your grove! South Texas - March 2021



**Field Health** 

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Overview

Scouting

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Help

we cannot solve our problems with the same thinking we used when we created them





Introducing a new product line with revolutionary technology proven to greatly increase the efficacy of fungicides, fertilizers, herbicides, insecticides, and nutritional sprays.

# Chitosan

What is it? Where does it come from? What does it do? How does it work? Why should I use it?



- Deacetylated chitin
- Shells of crustaceans, cell walls of certain fungi
- Plays a key role in transpiration (see next slide)

## Chitosan-what does it do?

- Triggers an SAR (systemic acquired response)
- Fungicide
- Bacterialcide
- Viralcide
- Insecticide
- Nematicide
- Plant Elicitor
- Microbial stimulant
- Nutrient and mineral chelator
- Increase stomatal conductance-Transpiration control
- Increases photosynthetic rate
- Increases cold tolerance
- Wetting/sticking agent, this is improved with the addition of yucca and or quillaja
- Food preservative



# Chitosan-how does it work? Fungicide

- Binds to the plant fungal receptor, thereby initiating the SAR.
- Permeates the cell structure, and accumulates at the exposed anionic plasma membrane, the damage done causes cell weeping. This membrane disruption is also thought to facilitate the uptake of many commercial fungicides, thereby increasing efficacy.
- Due to the difference in cell structure between pathogens and beneficials, not only are the beneficials left unharmed by chitosan, but chitosan becomes a food source for them and stimulates production of chitinase enzymes from the beneficials. Thus creating a two fold attack against pathogens, using both direct and secondary modes of action.
- Many of the beneficials are classed as chitinolytic. Ex. Aspergillus, Mucor, Mortierella, Trichoderma, Beauvaria Bassiana, etc.



### Chitosan-how does it work? Bacterialcide

- Triggers a SAR response.
- Works much the same as against pathogenic fungi, relying perhaps more on a electrostatic M.O.A.
- Causes morphological extra- and intracellular modifications, including cells with intracellular modifications, ie: irregularly shaped and without membranes or cell wall on one side.
- Disrupts the formation of bio films produced by pathogenic bacteria.
- Chelates certain nutrients and prevents the organism from accessing them.
- Certain molecular weights have shown high levels of efficacy against E. coli Staphylococcus, and Lactobacillus.
- Beneficial examples-Flavobacterium, Bacillus, Cytophaga, Pseudomonas, Clostridium, Streptomyces, Serratia



# Chitosan-how does it work? Viralcide

- Triggers a SAR response.
- Regulates the expression of resistance genes, in particular, induces jasmonate synthesis.
- Stimulation enhances cell wall lignification and phytoalexin synthesis.
- Works more to inoculate the plant against viral infection, rather than against the infection itself. An ounce of prevention is more effective than a pound of cure.



# Chitosan-how does it work? Nematicide/Insecticide

- Triggers a SAR response
- Stimulates production of chitinases by chitinolytic organisms, and the chitinases work to break down the chitin components of the attacker.
- Also works against the eggs of nematodes, as the cyst contains a high level of chitin.
- Works to increase Brix levels of the plant, thereby deterring predatory insects



#### Chitosan-how does it work? Plant elicitor

The cellular and molecular changes elicitated by chitosan can be summarized in: membrane depolarization, oxidative burst, influx and exit of ions such as Ca2+, activation of MAP-kinases, chromatin and DNA alteration, increase in PR gene mRNA, PR proteins synthesis, phytoalexins accumulation, lignification and callose deposition.



# Chitosan-how does it work? Nutrient and mineral chelator

- The strong cationic nature of chitosan forms bonds with molecules that are anionic in nature. This can be beneficial in a foliar nutrient spray, as well as working to prevent pathogens access to the nutrients.
- Can also assist in the absorbtion and translocation of nutrients



# Chitosan-anti transpirant

- May influence pathways containing jasmonic acid. Jasmonates exhibit some activities similar to the plant hormone abscisic acid (ABA), which plays a key role in the regulation of water use by plants. Increased levels of ABA signal stomatal closure.
- Stimulation of lignin production helps to strengthen stomatal guard cells.
- Works to counteract the side effects of ethylene application to cereal grains.
- Forms a "vapor barrier" coating on leaf surfaces.



#### Chitosan-how does it work? Freeze tolerance

- Stimulating stomatal closure helps regulate water within the cell structure.
- Aids in the movement of nutrients within the plant both xylem and phloem mobile.
- Works against pathogens that promote ice crystal formation, ie: Pseudomonas syringae

## Chitosan-how does it work? Wetting/sticking

- Chitosan naturally forms into films
- Electrostatic charge between the cationic condition of chitosan and the anionic condition of leaf surface.
- Yucca and quillaja being saponins, they naturally run and spread.



#### Chitosan-how does it work, food preservative

- Forms a film around the product that prevents pathogen entry, slows oxidation, and thus helps maintain the internal environment of the product.
- The saponin components-Yucca and Quillaja, in our formulations aids with the dispersion of the chitosan film. You consume these saponins on a regular basis already.



# Chitosan-food preservative



#### Chickpea pathogen test



#### **Regional Pulse Crop Diagnostic Laboratory**

P.O Box 173145, Bozeman, MT 59717-3145 406-994-5162, 406-994-7738; pulsediagnostics@montana.edu Laboratory Report Of Analysis

	Account No. 1428	Date Received 01/31/18	Date Completed 02/09/18	Lab Number 18-P2884			
Treasure State Seed, Inc.	Information Provided by Sender						
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Fusarium spp. (Fusarium wilt)	0.0 %		-N- %				
Sclerotina spp. (Stem Rot)	0.0	%	-N- %	-			
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# SEE why you use a chitosan-based product!

Test Plot





Wheat Roots from Tom Wood's Farm in 2017

Sugar beet side by side test





White beans side by side test



# Minimum PPE Requirement





#### **Treated vs. Untreated**

#### **OII-YS on Tomato/Leaf Curl Virus**





\*Results may vary and are not guaranteed. Test after test of various crops have shown when you use one of our adjuvants with your normal protocol of other treatments, the treated portion produces healthier plants and bigger and overall better yields.





#### **Treated vs. Untreated**



#### Consistent results on treated areas include:

- <u>Root Mass</u>: The roots are tighter, bigger, fuller and longer in all areas of the root ball.
- <u>Chlorophyll</u>: The intensity of the green color in the plants stems is extremely evident.
- Stem Diameter: In side by side tests, producers noticed significant overall diameter and fullness of the treated. It's easy to see how the treated is getting proliferation of the stems as opposed to the untreated
- Overall Yield Consistently larger and healthier than non treated areas



2018 Montana Barley Field Same Boy Same Day Treated – left Untreated - right



#### Soybean Seed and Chitosan

#### Want more information on Chitosan?

There are literally thousands of scientific studies from around the world available on the internet.

A quick google search on Chitosan and your crop will produce reports.





(a) Coated with NP

(b) CK

FIGURE 1: Contrast section photos of soybean seedling growth coated with NP and CK.



(a) Coated with NP



(b) CK

FIGURE 2: Contrast section photos of coated-seeds' and uncoated-seeds' surface membrane.

Source Hindawi Publishing Corporation, International Journal of Carbohydrate Chemistry Volume 2012, Article ID 104565, 5 pages, doi:10.1155/2012/104565 Research Article Application of Bioactive Coatings Based on Chitosan for Soybean Seed Protection.

# Testing microbial response with Microbiometer



#### **Microbial Stimulant**

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# 61% Increase with 1 treatment

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# Phytophthora Erythroseptica Aka Pink Rot

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#### June 18 Stress Event





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### June 10 Stress Event



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# Stripe rust



# Long leaf pine



Celery on the right received 1 pint p/acre of O1-YS, impregnated into the chicken litter compost prior to spreading

# New seeding grass





# CitriSan: You must lower pH to 5.0 or below!



Lowering the pH to 5.0 or below with our products is critical. We offer CitriSan, to help.

- CitriSan supplied in convenient packets (40/ pail).
- About 1 packet to every 100 gallons (check rate with your local water conditions and spray mixes).
- Readily soluble.
- Compatible with all Organisan products.
- OMRI Listed® so it can be used in certified organic and conventional agriculture.

# We look forward to helping you MAXIMIZE RESULTS!

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