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FMC Appoints UAP Canada to Distribute Ranman[®] 400 SC Fungicide

DORCHESTER, ON – A new fungicide to prevent late blight on potatoes is available to the Canadian market, according to an announcement by FMC and UAP Canada today. As part of that announcement FMC will work with UAP Canada to handle distribution of **Ranman[®] 400 SC** fungicide in Canada. **Ranman[®] 400 SC** fungicide contains the active ingredient cyazofamid and is the only fungicide in the FRAC Class 21 of cyanoimidazoles. It inhibits the mitochondrial respiration cytochrome bc 1 site. It has low water solubility and soil mobility. It is non-volatile and offers excellent rain fastness. In potatoes, **Ranman[®] 400 SC** provides excellent protection against late blight and Phytophthora blight. It has excellent activity on oomycetes and plasmidiophormycete plant pathogens. While non-systemic, it does provide some limited translaminar movement.

“**Ranman[®] 400 SC** provides a new, unique mode of action to prevent late blight in potatoes” says Adam Prestegord, FMC product manager. “Ranman will provide growers another option for resistance management and help maximize marketable yields.” Prestegord also notes that, “We at FMC are excited about providing yet another crop solution to growers as we expand our product offerings into Canada.” **Ranman[®] 400 SC** joins other important FMC Brands distributed in Canada including **Pounce[™] 3.2 EC** and **Command[™] 360 ME**.

United Agri Products will begin marketing **Ranman[®] 400 SC** in Canada immediately. “**Ranman[®] 400 SC** is active on all stages of the pathogen’s life cycle unlike most other registered products. It has no known cross resistance issues with other commonly used fungicides,” notes Jeff Crampton, Product Manager, UAP Canada. “It strengthens our product portfolio for the Canadian potato market including **Rimon[®] 10 EC** and **Alias[™] 240 SC** also launched in 2007.” adds Crampton.

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