

## Berry Crop Protection Update

These lists include new products and product changes for the 2026 season. Check out the [Crop Protection Hub](#) or the [label \(PMRA label search\)](#) for information on rate, preharvest interval, restricted entry interval, efficacy, and comments.

Click the link in the ‘**Crop**’ column to see the product in the Crop Protection Hub.

### Label expansions & new products in 2025-2026

Product, a.i., Group, PCP	Crop	Pests	Comments
<b>Insecticides &amp; Miticides</b>			
<b>Magister</b> <i>Fenazaquin</i> Group 21 (34544)	<a href="#">Raspberry</a>	Two-spotted spider mite	Rate: 1.75-2.34 L/ha. Apply in at least 500 L/ha. Do not apply when bees are active.
	<a href="#">Blueberry</a>	Blueberry bud mite	Rate: 1.75 L/ha. Apply in at least 500 L/ha. This pest has not been detected in Ontario. Do not apply when bees are active.
<b>Spear T</b> <i>GS-omega/kappa-Hxtx-Hv1a</i> Group 32 (34679)	<a href="#">Raspberry</a> <a href="#">Blueberry</a>	Spotted wing drosophila <b>(suppression only)</b>	Rate is 9.4-28 L/ha. Use with a spreader/sticker or non-ionic surfactant at 0.125% where permitted.
<b>Fungicides</b>			
<b>Orondis Gold</b> <i>Metalaxyl-M and S-isomer + oxathiapiprolin</i> Group 4 + 49 (33508)	<a href="#">Strawberry</a>	Phytophthora crown rot <b>(suppression only)</b> ; Red Stele	Apply in a minimum of 2,000 L water/ha.
	<a href="#">Raspberry</a> <a href="#">Blueberry</a>	Phytophthora root rot	Apply in a minimum of 2,000 L water/ha.

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<b>EcoSwing</b> <i>Swinglea glutinosa</i> extract Group BM1 (35206)	<a href="#">Blueberry</a>	Botrytis grey mould <b>(Partial suppression only)</b> ; Mummy berry	0 day PHI
	<a href="#">Raspberry</a> <a href="#">Gooseberry</a> <a href="#">Strawberry</a> <a href="#">Currants</a>	Botrytis grey mould <b>(Partial suppression only)</b>	
<b>LifeGard WG</b> <i>Bacillus mycooides</i> Group P6 (32526)	<a href="#">Blueberry</a>	Botrytis grey mould <b>(Suppression only)</b> ; Anthracnose; Mummy berry	This product works by activating the plant's defense mechanism and is most effective when it is applied before infection occurs.
	<a href="#">Strawberry</a>	Anthracnose; Botrytis grey mould <b>(suppression only)</b> ; powdery mildew <b>(suppression only)</b> ; common leaf spot <b>(suppression only)</b>	
	<a href="#">Raspberry</a> <a href="#">Blackberry</a> <a href="#">Currants</a> <a href="#">Gooseberries</a>	Botrytis grey mould <b>(suppression only)</b>	
<b>Buran</b> Garlic powder Group NC (30601)	<a href="#">Blackberry</a> <a href="#">Raspberry</a>	Fire blight	Rate: 1.4% v/v. For increased coverage, use with a registered non-ionic surfactant.
<b>Cyclone Plus</b> Citric and lactic acid Group NC (34762)	<a href="#">Blueberry</a>	Anthracnose fruit rot	Use a spray volume of 350 – 1000 L/ha.
<b>Salibro</b> <i>Fluazaindolizine</i> Group NC (34182)	<a href="#">Strawberry</a>	Root-knot nematode <b>(suppression only)</b>	Application methods include pre-plant incorporated, chemigation (pre-plant, at-plant, or post-plant), and soil drench (pre-plant, at-plant, or post-plant).

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<b>Tivano Plus</b> Citric and lactic acid Group NC (34763)	<a href="#">Strawberry</a>	Angular leaf spot, powdery mildew ( <b>suppression only</b> )	Do not use silicone-based surfactant if angular leaf spot disease is active.
<b>Gatten</b> <i>Flutianil</i> Group U13 (34297)	<a href="#">Strawberry</a>	Powdery mildew	Apply in 470-1870 L water/ha. The registrant recommends the addition of a registered surfactant to improve coverage. Contact <a href="#">Cohort Wholesale</a> for more information.
Herbicides			
<b>Lontrel XC</b> <i>Clopyralid</i> Group 4 (32795)	<a href="#">Raspberry</a> <a href="#">Blackberry</a>	Suppression or control of Labelled Weeds	Apply Lontrel as a banded application. 30 day PHI.
<b>Eragon</b> <i>Saflufenacil</i> Group 14 (31469)	<a href="#">Blueberry</a>	Post-emerge spot or band application.	Add Merge Adjuvant at a rate of 1 L/ha. Use as a directed spray. Do not allow spray drift to contact dormant canes as severe crop injury will result.

#### Recent Re-evaluation Decisions for Berry Growers

Registration cancellations		
Product (PCP #)	Crop (Pest)	Decision
<b>Fenbuconazole:</b> Indar (27294)	Blueberry (mummy berry)	Fenbuconazole discontinued. Last date of use was <b>December 31, 2025.</b>

Additionally, production and sale of **Poast Ultra is discontinued** for all use patterns. **Betamix registration has been cancelled**- the last date of use was December 31, 2025. Botector and Apollo are no longer available and have been removed from the Berry sections of the Hub.