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Grain Storage Hygiene



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All-over clean: Clean silos, including the silo wall, with air or water to provide a residue-free surface to apply structural treatments.

When it comes to controlling pests in stored grain — prevention is better than cure. Grain residues in storages or older grain stocks held over from last season provide ideal breeding sites. Meticulous grain hygiene combined with structural treatments, such as diatomaceous earth (DE) for example, Permaguard, can play a key role in reducing the number of stored grain pests.

[Click here](#) for more information or speak to your local North West Ag store.

Puma Air Wonder Gun Kits

AA-5005
Air wonder gun kit



North West Ag have Puma Air Wonder Gun kits in store which is the ideal tool to use when applying Permaguard dry to your sheds and silos.

The Air Wonder Gun can be used as a vacuum or a blower by simply reversing the venturi valve inside the gun. Ask in store for one today.

Pre-harvest Chemical Use



DESICCATION AND CROPTOPPING

If you are considering crop-topping and desiccation of crops pre-harvest there are some important obligations to ensure chemicals are used within prescribed guidelines. To avoid any violations of maximum residue limits remember to always adhere to the label.

Following are some links & attachments to some relevant Alerts and Fact Sheets.

<http://www.graincorp.com.au/investors-and-media/media/harvest-bulletins>

<https://grdc.com.au/Resources/Factsheets/2014/07/Grain-marketing-and-pesticide-residues>

<https://grdc.com.au/Resources/Factsheets/2015/12/PreHarvest-Herbicide-Use-fact-sheet>

http://www.australianoilseeds.com/_data/assets/pdf_file/0018/10872/20161005_-_PA-AOF_desiccant.pdf

Summer crop could win you a family holiday



The recent rainfall events may have produced an opportunity to look at summer forage crops.

If you purchase Pioneer Forage Sorghum or SSS this season you can go into the draw to win a family holiday. [Click here](#) or ask at your local North West Ag store for details.

PolyPromos for October and November

Believe it or not, summer will be here soon enough, and despite the recent flood waters in many areas, you may soon be needing troughs and tanks! We recommend you take this opportunity to stock up on troughs while they are on promo and to beat the longer lead times in summer.

The October-November PolyPromos brings you tanks for all applications, from household tanks to pipeline tanks and a range of troughs. [Click here](#) or ask in store for more information.