



Trade Advice Notice on fenhexamid for use on cherries

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Dear Sir/Madam,

RE: CHERRY GROWERS AUSTRALIA RESPONSE TO FENHEXAMID TRADE ADVICE NOTICE Minor use permit PER88787 to treat grey mould (Botrytis cinerea) in cherries

The use of fenhexamid on cherries is currently allowed under emergency permit PER88787, however is permitted only in Tasmania until 30 November 2022¹. The proposed minor use permit is for all states of Australia for a period of 5 years.

Cherry Growers Australia concurs with all the information presented in the Trade Advice Notice. Specifically, that extending the permit nationally for Fenhexamid will not prejudice trade.

The cherry industry has no registered or permitted Botryicides other than in Tasmania under the minor use permit discussed in the TAN. Having access to a Fenhexamid for mainland Australia will provide an option for control and be especially important during La Nina years.

Yours sincerely,

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¹ permits.apvma.gov.au/PER88787.PDF