

Seed treatments and pest control

Key Points:

- ▶ Seed treatments provide control of a range of common pests including virus-carrying aphids, the soil pest complex and leaf miners, for up to 14 weeks post drilling (see table below);
- ▶ Consider annual risks from these pests and use seed treatments to protect crop, maintain plant population and yield potential.

Seed Treatments

	Poncho Beta	Cruiser Force
Springtails	****	****
Millipedes	****	****
Symphylids	****	****
Pygmy beetle	****	****
Wireworms	***(*)	****
Aphid vectors/ Virus yellows	****	****
Capsids	****	****
Leaf miners - first generation	****	****

Pest complex control	
Poor	*
Moderate	**
Good	***
Excellent	****



Springtail



Flat millipede



Spotted snake millipede



Symphylid



Pygmy beetle



Wireworm



Black aphid



Green aphid



Capsid



Leaf miner (Mangold fly)

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