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## Quadris® Fungicide label expanded via Minor Use Program for control of anthracnose (leaf curl) on celery in Canada

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The Pest Management Regulatory Agency (PMRA) recently announced the approval of an URMULE registration for **Quadris®** Fungicide for control of Anthracnose (leaf curl) on celery in Canada. **Quadris®** Fungicide was already labeled for use on a number of crops in Canada for control of diseases.

This minor use project was initiated in 2015 and submitted to PMRA by Ontario as a result of minor use priorities established by growers and extension personnel.

The following is provided as an abbreviated, general outline only. Users should be making pest management decisions within a robust IPM program and should consult the complete label before using [Quadris®](#) Fungicide.

Crop	Target	Rate (L/ha)	Applications	PHI (days)
Celery	Anthracnose (Leaf curl)	1.12	Maximum of 3	1

Quadris® Fungicide is toxic to aquatic organisms. Do not apply this product or allow drift to other crops or non-target areas. Do not contaminate off-target areas or aquatic habitats when spraying or when cleaning and rinsing spray equipment or containers. Azoxystrobin is persistent and will carryover. It is recommended that this product not be used in areas treated with azoxystrobin during the previous season. The use of this product may result in contamination of ground water, particularly in areas where soils are permeable (e.g. sandy soil) and/or the depth to the water table is shallow.

Follow all other precautions and directions for use on the Quadris® Fungicide label carefully.

For a copy of the new minor use label contact your local crop specialist, regional supply outlet or visit the [PMRA label site](#)

Note: This article is not intended to be an endorsement or recommendation for this particular product, but rather a notice of registration activity

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## COMING EVENTS

**2016 OMAFRA IPM Scout Training Workshops.** For more information, call 1-877-424-1200.

- June 1 - **Blueberry**, Simcoe
- June 17 - **Ginseng (in-field)**, St. Williams

### July 19 - Ridgetown Open House

For commercial vegetable growers and agribusiness: mark your calendar for Tuesday, July 19 for the Ridgetown Vegetable Open House, hosted by OMAFRA and Ridgetown Campus – University of Guelph

- Ridgetown area – more details to come on times and tour locations.
- Choose an afternoon or evening tour.
- No cost. No preregistration required.
- Watch for more details soon.



August 24—Mark your calendars now for the **Biennial Grape Tailgate Tour** to be held from 9:00 a.m-2:00 p.m. Watch for more details.

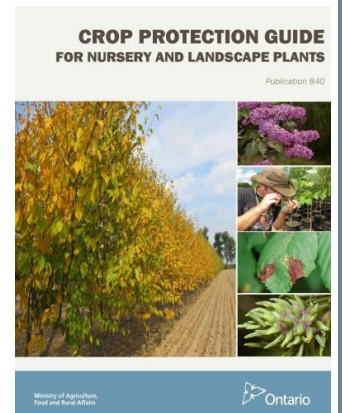


September 1-3, 2016, **4th International Pawpaw Conference**, Frankfort, Kentucky. For more information visit [the conference website](#).

## Publication 840, Crop Protection Guide for Nursery and Landscape Plants - 2016 version

For detailed management and biology for common pests of woody plants, check out the new 2016 edition of [OMAFRA publication 840](#).

It is just being edited for pdf online. In the meantime, you can email our OMAFRA Contact Centre and request a digital copy of the 2016 version at [ag.info.omafra@ontario.ca](mailto:ag.info.omafra@ontario.ca)



## Agriculture Youth Green Jobs Initiative

Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada has announced funding under the [Agriculture Youth Green Jobs Initiative](#).

The Agricultural Youth Green Jobs Initiative will help fund internships for post-secondary graduates working in the agriculture industry. These internships would include activities or projects that benefit the environment. Please note that this is not a summer employment program.

Funding is available through the following two streams:

1. [Green Farms Stream](#): Farm operators could receive up to a maximum of \$10,000 per intern to implement projects that are environmentally beneficial.
2. [Green Internships Stream](#): Employers in the agricultural sector but not directly on farm could receive up to a maximum of \$16,000 per intern to undertake environmental activities, services or research that will benefit the agriculture sector.

## Farmland agreements

Are you looking for ways to bring more sustainability into your farmland lease agreements? Whether you're a renter or a landlord, the resources at <http://farmlandagreements.ca/> can help. The site was developed by [Farm & Food Care Ontario](#) and [Ontario Farmland Trust](#), with funding from the [Great Lakes Agricultural Stewardship Initiative](#). [farmlandagreements.ca](http://farmlandagreements.ca)

## Fourth International Pawpaw Conference, Sept 1-3, 2016

If you are currently growing pawpaw or are interested in commercial pawpaw production, KSU will be hosting the [Fourth International Pawpaw Conference](#) in September. The conference runs from September 1-3, 2016 in Frankfort, Kentucky, USA. A reminder that this conference does not run every year. Click [here](#) to go to the conference website for more information and registration.



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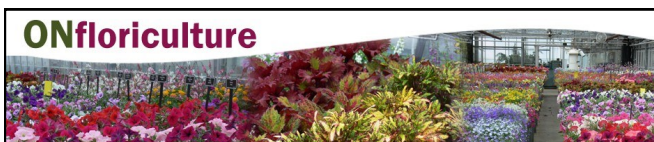
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