

BioProtection Portal



Discover the world's natural pest control solutions

What is the CABI BioProtection Portal?

A free, web-based tool that enables users to discover information about registered biocontrol and biopesticide products around the world. Available online, with an offline version coming soon, the CABI BioProtection Portal helps growers and agricultural advisors to **identify, source and correctly apply biocontrol and biopesticide products** against problematic pests in their crops. The portal can be accessed on multiple devices, thereby putting this valuable information at the fingertips of anyone who needs it.



How does the CABI BioProtection Portal work?

1. Users enter their country and crop-pest query.
2. The search generates a list of biocontrol and biopesticide products, together with their active ingredient and manufacturer, that are registered for the specified crop-pest problem in the selected country. This information is sourced
3. Further guidance on correct storage and application is also provided for products that belong to partner biocontrol manufacturers, together with links to product labels and distributor details.

Who is the CABI BioProtection Portal for?

- Growers and advisors who need current and reliable information on-demand regarding the availability and correct use of effective, lower toxicity products that meet market requirements
- National authorities responsible for the regulation of plant protection products
- Private sector decision-makers, e.g. out-grower schemes, cooperatives, organisations operating voluntary certification schemes
- Biocontrol manufacturers who are looking to promote wider uptake of their products

The CABI BioProtection Portal roadmap

The portal launched in Kenya in February 2020 and more countries are being added throughout the year, including Spain, Brazil, Canada, the Netherlands, Chile, Bangladesh, India, China and Uganda.

Partners and Donors

The CABI BioProtection Portal is brought to you by CABI in collaboration with its network of partner biocontrol manufacturers and donors who provide invaluable support in the form of technical inputs, strategic guidance and funding.



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Interested?

CABI is looking for partners to help ensure the success of the BioProtection Portal. Please contact us if you have any feedback or would like to find out more: Ulrich Kuhlmann, Executive Director, Global Operations u.kuhlmann@cabi.org

About CABI

CABI is a not-for-profit intergovernmental organisation, established by a United Nations-level agreement. We are owned by 49 member countries which have an equal role in the organisation's governance, policies and strategic direction. We have over 400 staff working from more than 20 locations.

CABI is internationally known for its expertise in providing information and improving access to agricultural and scientific knowledge. We address issues of global concern such as food security and food safety, through international development, research and communication.

CABI is also a major publisher of scientific information – we publish books, e-books, full text electronic resources, compendia and online information resources.

CABI's work on biocontrol and biopesticides

- CABI conducts research on biocontrol strategies and biopesticides and supports the uptake of biopesticides on the ground through field studies, market surveys, the production of extension materials, database development, knowledge transfer activities, capacity building of national partners / stakeholders, etc.
- CABI has a long track record of collaborating with organisations who have an interest in the adoption of biopesticides and biocontrol strategies. These partners include biopesticide manufacturers, private sector companies, certification schemes, agricultural advisers, farmer organisations, researchers and national pesticide regulation and registration authorities.

For more information, **visit www.cabi.org**

The launch of the CABI BioProtection Portal comes as CABI and its partners mark the inaugural International Year of Plant Health 2020 which aims to raise awareness of the importance and impacts of plant health in addressing world hunger, poverty, threats to the environment and economic development.



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