Nufarm Ireland Technical Update



## Are Broad Leaf Weeds coming through your Autumn Residuals?

September weather has delayed the progress of early drilling this Autumn. However, drier weather recently has allowed some planting to progress, and it is a good time to plan post-emergence weed control in winter cereals.

Have you found that your autumn residual is letting you down with control of certain BLW's? In particular **cleavers**, **chickweed**, **groundsel**, **mayweeds**, **vol**. **beans**, **vol**. **OSR**, **vol**. **vetches**, etc.

Nufarm's **Lector** provides the ideal solution to control these economic damaging broad leaf weeds.

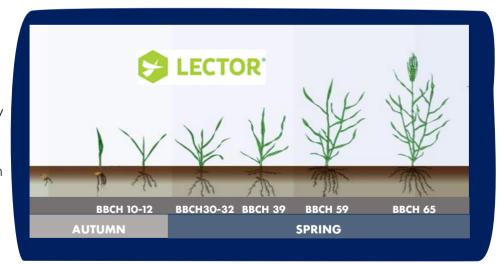
**Lector** is a selective herbicide formulation of **florasulam** which provides excellent control of the problem weeds including **volunteer beans**, **volunteer OSR.**, **cleavers**, **chickweed**, **shepherds purse**, **mayweeds**, **volunteer vetches and other broadleaved weeds** in winter cereals.

**Lector** has a number of advantages over alternatives (I.e. Tribenuron-methyl).

- Spring Top up permitted (Total dose 150 ml/ha)
- Allows named SU herbicides to be used in the spring (check label)
- Excellent weed control in cooler conditions compared to alternatives
- Excellent tank-mixability with residual herbicides, aphicides and trace elements, including manganese, copper, zinc, etc.

## **Key Facts**

- √ 50g/I florasulam
- ✓ Active in low temperatures
- ✓ Flexible and wide application window from early Autumn to Spring
- ✓ Apply up to 75 ml/ha in autumn
- ✓ Allows for further florasulam applications in spring (up to BBCH 39)
- ✓ Good rain fastness
- ✓ Excellent tank mix flexibility



## **Further Information**

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