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Patent Received on Precision's Border™ Xtra 8L and 4L

Northbrook, IL, November 25, 2002 -- James D. Reiss, Director, Ag Business Unit, has announced that they have been granted a patent for their liquid formulations of HPG polymer-based activator adjuvants, Border 8L and 4L. The patent is the first granted for a liquid ammonia sulfate and HPG polymer premix and is a key component of Precision's corporate strategy for continued leadership in adjuvant technology.

The Border Xtra product line is formulated to optimize herbicide performance on a wider range of weed species and growing conditions by maximizing ammonium ion loading and spray solution retention on target leaf surfaces while reducing the risk of spray drift. Additionally, recent research has shown that both Border Xtra 8L and 4L are particularly well suited for use with unloaded glyphosate formulations, and in fact, do not require additional surfactant.

"What makes the HPG polymer technology found in Border formulations so unique," said Reiss, "is that not only has it been proven to enhance herbicide performance, but it has also been proven to provide superior drift reduction characteristic when compared to ordinary drift retardants. Plus, it is compatible with a wide range of spray nozzle technologies."

For information about the product, contact Jim Reiss at (800) 323-6280 or email at info@precisionlab.com.

Precision Laboratories' Ag Business Unit, based in Northbrook, Illinois is a manufacturer and marketer of innovative, value-added agricultural adjuvant technologies. The company's best of class product lines include a wide range of adjuvants, seed coating polymers, colorants, and marking foam technologies.

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