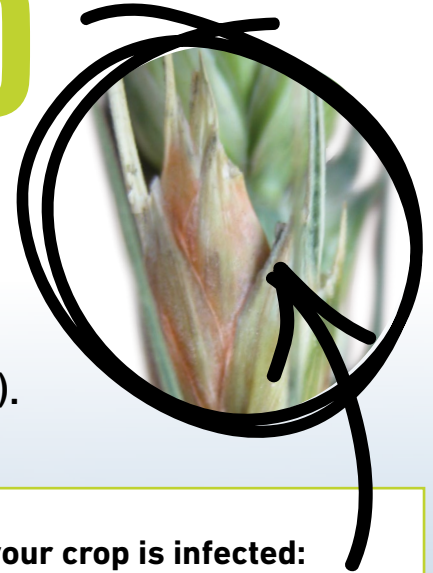


# MANAGE FUSARIUM HEAD BLIGHT TO KEEP IT CLEAN



Fusarium head blight (FHB) is a fungal disease of cereal crops that can produce the mycotoxin deoxynivalenol (DON).

The presence of DON can limit the end-use of the grain and impact:



the **quality** of wheat, barley and oats

the **marketability** of your harvested grain



your **bottom** line

Canada's **reputation** as a trusted supplier



Flowering + hot, humid weather = high risk. To stay ahead of FHB:

plant **FHB-resistant** varieties



use **seed-treatment** in **high-risk** areas

**monitor** risk maps



scout for stage; **assess risk**

**apply fungicide** to suppress infection



If your crop is infected:

**test samples** for DON



**talk** to your grain buyer

use a **higher** combine **wind speed**



**clean equipment** before moving to uninfected field

**rotate away from cereals** for 1-2 years



Employ as many FHB management practices as possible to keep your wheat, barley and oats ready for market.

Learn more at [keepingitclean.ca/cereals/fusarium](http://keepingitclean.ca/cereals/fusarium)

