

WHAT IS BIOWAKE PRIME™ TECHNOLOGY?

BioWake Prime[™] is an EPA registered bioinsecticide.

BioWake Prime is paired with biostimulant BioWake for Corn to ensure positive ROI regardless of corn rootworm pressure.

BioWake Prime can be used as part of an integrated pest management (IPM) program including traited corn and/or soil insecticides. AMVAC® does not recommend using BioWake Prime as the only tool for corn rootworm management.

BioWake Prime has multiple modes of action to mitigate corn rootworm damage:

- It interacts with the plant to prime the plant's immune system (ISR defenses).
- The plant produces chemicals which confuse or repel CRW larvae, making it harder for the larvae to find the corn roots.
- The second mode of action is root regrowth and recovery stimulation for when larvae reach the root and feed.

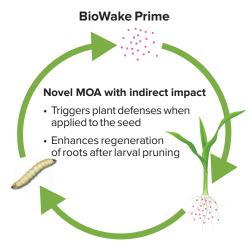
In the laboratory, corn rootworm larvae were given a choice between roots treated with BioWake Prime and roots with no treatment, 70% of them choose the roots with no treatment (shown here). When corn rootworm larvae were presented with only roots treated with BioWake Prime, 80% of them were unable to find roots to feed on.

In the corn field, AMVAC® does not recommend using BioWake Prime as the only management tool in moderate to high corn rootworm larvae infestations.

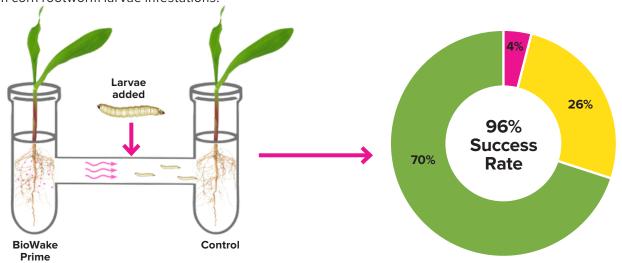
+ 8.0 bu/A WIN ADVANTAGE *

56 DATA POINTS

68% WIN RATE



Increased defenses in turn decrease larval root feeding



Assay conducted at the University of Missouri 2023: Neonate larvae of Western Corn Rootworm were introduced in the center of the assay system and given time to move to one of the roots, n = 120 larvae over 3 separate runs with 4 replicates each.

4% of larvae chose the BioWake Prime treated roots.26% of larvae remained undecided and stayed in the center.70% of larvae chose the untreated roots.



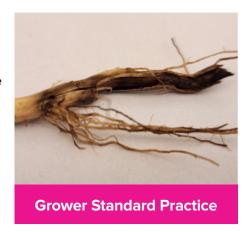




Corn

RESULTS USING BIOWAKE PRIME™: ROOT RE-GROWTH AFTER LARVAL PRUNING

BioWake Prime + BioWake for Corn treated roots under CRW pressure exhibit an increase in fine roots by 9% compared to grower standard practice (GSP). In addition, there is a 16% increase in root surface area and 10% increase in rooth depth.





Individual roots from the 5th node showing re-growth after larval pruning.

The combination of the interactions of BioWake Prime with the corn plant leads to reduced lodging, better harvestability and increased corn yields.

FEEDING PRESSURE	LOCATION	RATING	итс	INSECTICIDE	TRAIT	BIOWAKE PRIME
Moderate	Remsen, IA	Lodging % NIS (0-3)	58.9% 1.16	_	51.0 % 0.64	38.8 % 0.70
High	Boyden, IA	Lodging % NIS (0-3)	64.8% 2.66	53.7% 2.13	0.0 % 1.34	29.4 % 2.33

Source: 2020 INTENT FarmerTrials, all untreated checks and BioWake Prime treatments have base fungicide and insecticide application; trait is a CRW trait selected by the grower as most suitable for their region, 1/4 acre strips.

Sample size, n=20; UTC = Untreated Check; NIS = Nodal Injury Scale (0 - 3) 0 = no root damage, 3 = highest possible root damage.

