

## Soybean Seed Treatment Trial

## Trial ID: 2016-SST01 - R.M. of Ste Anne

**Objective:** Quantify the agronomic and economic impacts of a seed treatment in soybean fields. A fungicide seed treatment was compared to an untreated check strip.

TRIAL INFORMATION Treatment **EverGol Energy Rural Municipality** Ste Anne **Previous Crop** Corn **Soil Description Clayey Lacustrine** Tillage Conventional **Planting Date** May 9, 2016 Variety NSC Richer RR2Y **PRR Gene** 1c 30″ **Row Spacing Seeding Rate** 170,000 seeds/ac Plant Stand @V1 (With) 139,000 plants/ac<sup>‡</sup> Plant Stand @V1 (W/O) 121,000 plants/ac **Harvest Date** September 23, 2016



**‡** Statistically higher plant stand vs. untreated

With = Treated, W/O = Untreated, PRR = Phytophthora Root Rot

PRECIPITATION <sup>†</sup>				
	May	June	July	Aug
Rainfall	40	103	75	38
Normal	83	105	95	83

+ Growing season precipitation (mm)

OVERALL YIELD			
	Mean (bu/ac)		
EverGol Energy	57.9		
Untreated	57.9		
Yield Difference	0.0		
P-Value	1.000		
CV	1.4%		
Significance	No		



**Summary:** There was no significant yield difference between EverGol Energy seed treatment and untreated check strips. The plant stand at growth stage V1 (first trifoliate) was significantly higher by 18,000 plants/ac for soybeans treated with EverGol Energy compared to untreated soybean seed. The higher survivability for soybeans treated with EverGol Energy did not result in a yield response.

