Hearken™ biological insecticide is a virus that focuses specifically on control of Heliothine species, such as corn earworm, tobacco budworm and the Old World bollworm, while not impacting beneficial or non-target organisms.

How does it work?

Hearken works by infecting target insects through ingestion with a virus that leads to viral infection within the insect population and mortality.

Hearken affects Heliothine species four different ways:
1. Young larva mortality following ingestion
2. Larvae that ingest Hearken can spread the virus to larvae in the field upon death
3. Weakens and reduces fitness during insect lifecycle
4. Adult insects can transmit to offspring

FOR INFECTION: Virus needs to be ingested by the larvae.

For more information on Hearken, please contact your local Corteva Agriscience territory manager or call 1-833-Corteva.