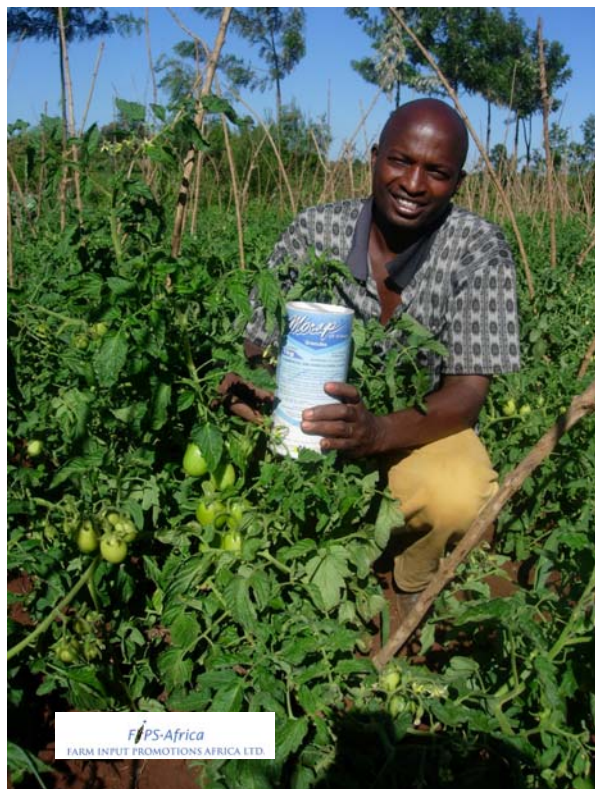


Bayer East Africa – *Mocap*



Mocap on tomatoes in Kirinyaga district

FIPS-Africa co-operates with Bayer East Africa to promote *Mocap* which is an insecticide/nematicide to control soil pests. The active ingredient of *Mocap* – ethoprophos is an organophosphate compound with a wide spectrum of activity against nematodes and soil insect pests. *Mocap* acts primarily by contact and has no fumigant action. Its activity usually lasts for 2-4 months, thus ensuring long-lasting crop protection.

Mocap gives excellent control of all nematode species and important soil insects in vegetables, bananas, potatoes, maize and other crops.

Co-operation started in October 2005, and to date Bayer East Africa has given FIPS-Africa 720 kg of product for demonstrations on tomatoes, french beans and bananas in Central Province.