Weed Control Research Update in Western Kansas

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Research Topics Outline

- Update on herbicide-resistant Palmer amaranth and Kochia
- Herbicide strategies for Palmer control in corn, Enlist E3 soybean, sorghum, sunflower and wheat stubble
- Integrated weed management in western KS
 - Cover crops
 - Agronomic practices



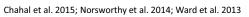
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Palmer amaranth

- Dioecious summer annual,
 emerge from late-spring through
 late-summer
- Aggressive growth (1 to 2 inch per day) & highly competitive
- Obligate outcrossing enhances genetic diversity and rapid adaptation
- Prolific seed producer
 (> 0.6 million seeds plant⁻¹)

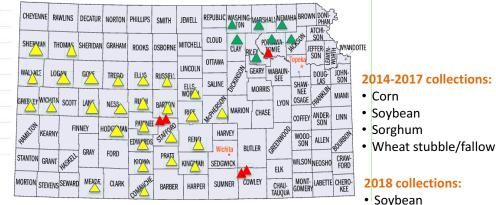








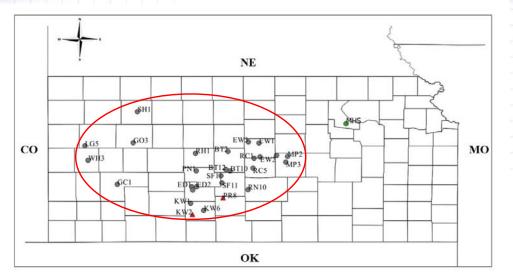
Palmer amaranth Survey in Kansas



- ▲ = Glyphosate-Resistant Palmer amaranth in 2011
- \triangle = Samples collected in 2014-2017
- = Samples collected in 2018



Herbicide Screening of Selected Palmer populations



Objective

❖ Determine the sensitivity of selected Palmer amaranth populations to commonly used herbicides

Roundup, Glean, 2,4-D, Clarity, Atrazine and Callisto











Discriminate-Dose Experiments

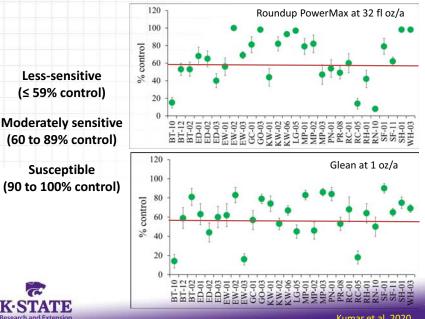
- 28 populations
- Grown in 4-by-4-in pots
- Sprayed 3 to 4-in tall plants in a spray chamber

Herbicide [*]	1X rate (oz/a)
Roundup	32
Glean	1
Weedone	18
Clarity	16
AAtrex	32
Callisto	3

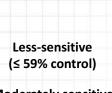


Palmer amaranth seedlings grown in greenhouse at Hays, KS

Response to Roundup and Glean at 21 DAT

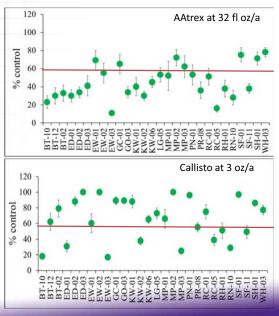


Response to AAtrex and Callisto at 21 DAT

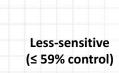


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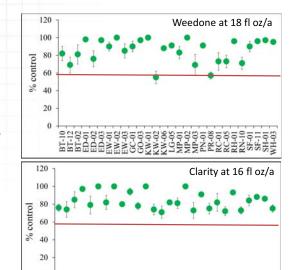


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Response to Weedone and Clarity at 21 DAT



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Multiple Resistant Palmer amaranth in KS

A single Palmer amaranth population from central Kansas recently confirmed with multiple resistance to five herbicide site(s) of action:

- ✓ 2,4-D (3.2-fold)
- Roundup (12-fold)
- Glean (5-fold)

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- AAtrex (14-fold)
- Callisto (13-fold)

Reduced sensitivity to PPO inhibitors



2,4-D survived Palmer amaranth plant producing seeds in greenhouse





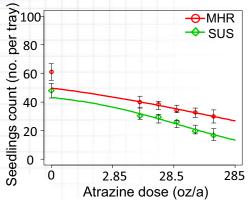
PRE Atrazine and Mesotrione Dose-Response

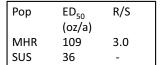
- MHR and SUS population
- Germination trays filled with field soil
- 150 seeds from each population per tray
- Design: RCBD and 4 reps

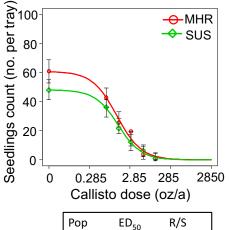
Herbicide*	1X rate (oz/a)	Doses
AAtrex	32	0, 0.25, 0.5, 1,
Mesotrione	3	and 2 X



PRE Atrazine and Mesotrione Dose-Response







Рор	ED ₅₀	R/S
	(oz/a)	
MHR	1.4	1.07
SUS	1.3	-



*Herbicides were applied with COC at 1% v/v

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Response of MHR and SUS to PRE Atrazine





Overlapping Residuals for Controlling MHR Palmer in Corn

Trt	Herbicide Programs 1,2,3	Rate (oz/A)	Timing
1	Nontreated		
2	Clarity + Corvus + Aatrex	8 + 5.6 + 24	PRE
3	Clarity + Acuron	8 + 96	PRE
4	Clarity + Acuron + Aatrex fb Acuron + Aatrex	8 + 48 + 8 fb 48 + 8	PRE fb EPOST
5	Clarity + Acuron + Aatrex + Dual II Magnum + Callisto fb Acuron + Aatrex + Dual II Magnum + Callisto	8+ 48 + 8 + 8 + 1 <i>fb</i> 48 + 8 + 8 + 1	PRE fb EPOST
6	Clarity + Acuron + Callisto fb Acuron + Callisto	8 + 64 + 1 <i>fb</i> 32 + 1	PRE fb EPOST
7	Clarity + Acuron + Dual II Magnum fb Acuron + Dual II Magnum	8 + 64 + 8 fb 32 + 8	PRE fb EPOST
8	Clarity + Acuron + Aatrex fb Acuron+ Aatrex	8 + 64 + 8 fb 32 + 8	PRE fb EPOST
9	Clarity + Acuron + Sharpen fb Acuron	8 + 64 + 2.5 fb 32	PRE fb EPOST
10	Clarity + Acuron + Sencor fb Acuron	8 + 48 + 3 fb 48	PRE fb EPOST
11	Clarity + Acuron fb Acuron + Status	8 + 48 <i>fb</i> 48 + 2.5	PRE fb LPOST
12	Clarity + Acuron fb Acuron + Liberty	8 + 48 fb 48 + 22	PRE fb LPOST

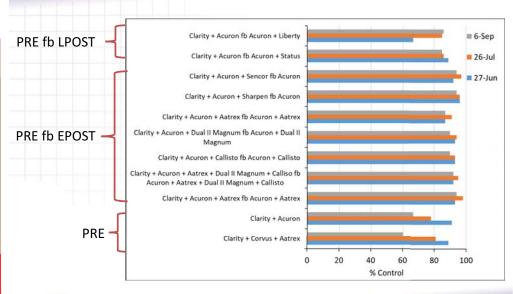


¹All PRE and POST treatments were applied with Roundup at 27 oz/a

²PRE treatments were applied on June 6; EPOST on June 27 and LPOST on July 11

Knowledge ^{for}Life ³Herbicide treatments were applied with adjuvants as dictated by each label

MHR Palmer Amaranth Control in Corn







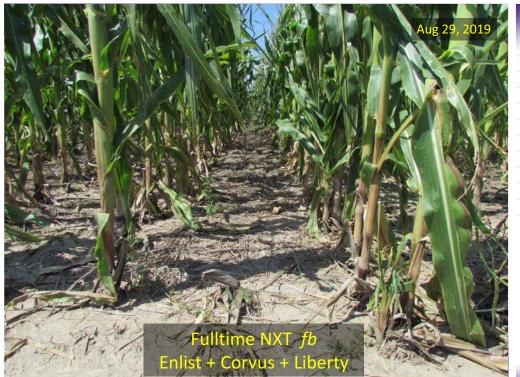


fb Acuron + Aatrex

MHR Palmer amaranth Control in Enlist Corn

Herbicide ^{1, 2, 3}	Rate, oz/A	Jun 26	Jul 29	Aug 29	Yield (bu/a)	
Surestart + Atrazine 4L fb Enlist One + Realm Q + Liberty	64 + 32 <i>fb</i> 32 + 4 + 32	95 bcd	95 bcd	91 bc	104 a	
Resicore + Atrazine 4L fb Enlist + Dual Magnum + Liberty	40 + 32 <i>fb</i> 32 + 16 + 32	96 abc	98 ab	97 ab	106 a	
Fulltime NXT <i>fb</i> Enlist + Corvus + Liberty	80 <i>fb</i> 32 + 5.6 + 32	99 a	100 ab	100 a	103 a	
Anthem Maxx + Atrazine 4L fb Enlist + Corvus + Liberty	4 + 32 <i>fb</i> 32 + 64 + 32	98 ab	96 abc	95 abc	107 a	
Acuron fb Enlist + Liberty	80 fb 32 + 32	96 abc	97 abc	94 abc	105 a	
Harness Max fb Enlist + Liberty	40 fb 32 + 32	93 cde	91 de	91 bcd	104 a	
Keystone NXT fb Enlist + Liberty	56 fb 32 + 32	96 abc	96 abc	93 abc	104 a	
Harness Xtra fb Enlist + Liberty	56 fb 32 + 32	96 abc	95 bcd	93 abc	104 a	
Armezon PRO + Atrazine 4L fb Enlist + Liberty	20 + 32 fb 32 + 32	91 de	92 cd	90 cd	104 a	
Enlist + Liberty fb Enlist + Liberty	32 + 32 fb 32 + 32	90 e	87 e	85 d	100 a	
¹ All PRE fb POST programs included Roundup PowerMax at 32 fl oz/a						

²PRE treatments were applied on May 17 and POST were applied on June 13



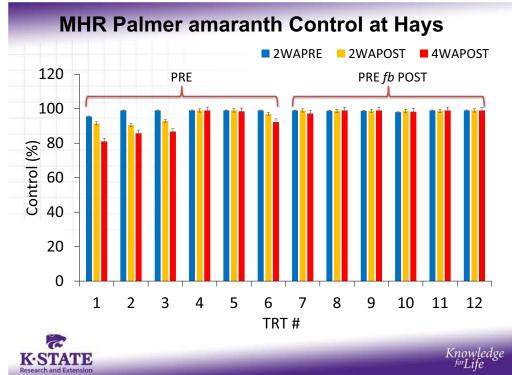


MHR Palmer amaranth Control in Enlist Soybean

Trt	Herbicide ^{1, 2}	Rate, oz/A	Timing
1	Sonic	5	PRE
2	Trivence	8	PRE
3	Authority Supreme	10	PRE
4	Authority MTZ	14	PRE
5	Panther PRO	12	PRE
6	Fierce XLT	3.75	PRE
7	Sonic fb Enlist + Durango + Liberty	5 fb 32+32+32	PRE fb POST
8	Trivence fb Enlist + Durango + Liberty	8 fb 32+32+32	PRE fb POST
9	Authority Supreme fb Enlist + Durango + Liberty	10 fb 32+32+32	PRE fb POST
10	Authority MTZ fb Enlist + Durango + Liberty	14 fb 32+32+32	PRE fb POST
11	Panther PRO fb Enlist + Durango + Liberty	12 fb 32+32+32	PRE fb POST
12	Fierce XLT fb Enlist + Durango + Liberty	3.75 fb 32+32+32	PRE fb POST



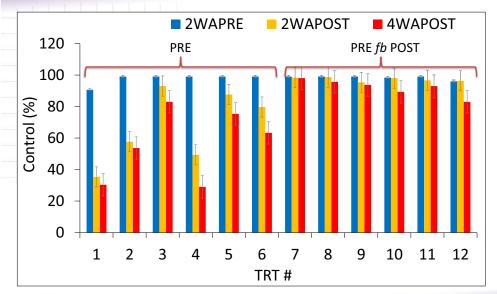
 $^1\mathrm{PRE}$ treatments were applied on June 5 and POST were applied on July 3 $^2\mathrm{Appropriate}$ adjuvants were included as dictated by each herbicide label







MHR Palmer amaranth Control near Great Bend









Managing Palmer amaranth in Sorghum



POST Options in Grain Sorghum

Trt	Herbicide ^{1,2,3}	Rate, oz/A	Timing(s)
1	Coyote + Atrazine fb Weedar 64	64 + 24 <i>fb</i> 8	PRE fb EPOST
2	Lumax EZ fb Weedar 64	86 fb 8	PRE fb EPOST
3	Degree Xtra	72	PRE
4	Dual Magnum fb Dual Magnum	24 fb 16	PRE fb LPOST
5	Atrazine	32	EPOST
6	Atrazine + Clarity	32 + 2	EPOST
7	Atrazine + Clarity	32 + 4	EPOST
8	Clarity	8	EPOST
9	Huskie	13	EPOST
10	Huskie + Clarity	13 + 4	EPOST
11	Huskie + Atrazine	13 + 16	EPOST
12	Huskie + Atrazine	13 + 16	LPOST
13	Moxy + Atrazine + Clarity	16 + 16 + 2	LPOST



 $^{^{\}mathrm{1}}$ PRE treatments were applied on June 13

 $^{^{2}}$ EPOST treatments were applied on July 10

³ LPOST treatments were applied on July 23

POST Options in Grain Sorghum 120 100 80 Coyote + Lumax EZ Degree Atrazine + Weedar Xtra + Weedar 64 Dual Atrazine Atrazine Atrazine Clarity + Clarity - Clarity

Magnum





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Herbicide Options in Wheat Stubble

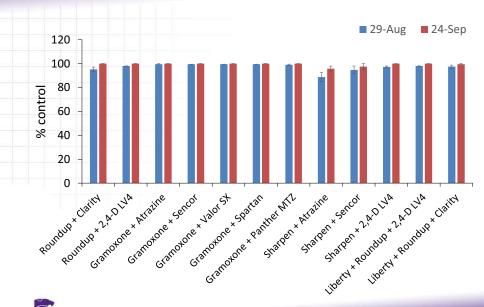
F	Trt	Herbicide *	Rate, oz/A
ĺ	1	Roundup PowerMax + Clarity	32 + 16 + 2% AMS
	2	Roundup PowerMax + 2,4-D LV4	32 + 32 + 2% AMS
	3	Gramoxone + Atrazine	48 + 16 + 1% COC
	4	Gramoxone + Sencor	48 + 5 + 1% COC
	5	Gramoxone + Valor SX	48 + 2 + 1% COC
	6	Gramoxone + Spartan	48 + 4 + 1% COC
	7	Gramoxone + Panther MTZ	48 + 15 + 1% COC
	8	Sharpen + Atrazine	2 + 16 + 1% MSO + 2% AMS
	9	Sharpen + Sencor	2 + 5 +1% MSO + 2% AMS
	10	Sharpen + 2,4-D LV4	2 + 32 + 1% MSO + 2% AMS
	11	Liberty + Roundup PowerMax + 2,4-D LV4	36 + 32 + 32 + 1.5 lbs/a AMS
	12	Liberty + Roundup PowerMax + Clarity	36 + 32 + 16 + 1.5 lbs/a AMS



 * All treatments were applied on Aug 2 (Palmer plants were 2 to 3 feet tall and had initiated flowering)

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Palmer amaranth Control in Wheat Stubble











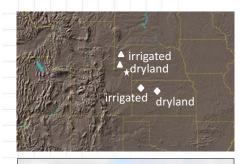
Efficacy of PRE Herbicides followed by Zidua POST for Controlling Glyphosate-Resistant Weeds in Sunflower

Vipan Kumar and Jeanne Falk Jones



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Palmer Control in Sunflower



- Locations: Hays, Colby, Scottsbluff, Sidney, Julesburg
- Years: 2018 and 2019
- Planting: mid June to early July
- Variety: locally adapted
- Seeding rates: 18,000 to 22,000 seeds/ac
- **Design:** RCBD with 4 reps



Herbicide Programs Investigated

Trt	Herbicide ^{1, 2}	Rate, oz/A	Timing
1	Prowl H ₂ O	32	PRE
2	Prowl H ₂ O <i>fb</i> Zidua	32 fb 1.5	PRE fb EPOST
3	Prowl H ₂ O <i>fb</i> Zidua	32 fb 1.5	PRE fb MPOST
4	Prowl H ₂ O <i>fb</i> Zidua	32 fb 1.5	PRE fb LPOST
5	Broadaxe	19-25	PRE
6	Broadaxe fb Zidua	19-25 fb 1.5	PRE fb EPOST
7	Broadaxe fb Zidua	19-25 fb 1.5	PRE fb MPOST
8	Broadaxe fb Zidua	19-25 fb 1.5	PRE fb LPOST
9	Spartan Charge	3 to 5	PRE
10	Spartan Charge fb Zidua	3 to 5 fb 1.5	PRE fb EPOST
11	Spartan Charge fb Zidua	3 to 5 fb 1.5	PRE fb MPOST
12	Spartan Charge fb Zidua	3 to 5 fb 1.5	PRE fb LPOST
13	Hand weeded check	-	-
14	Nontreated weedy check	-	-



¹ Abbreviations: *fb*, followed by; PRE, pre-crop emergence; EPOST, early postemergence; MPOST, mid postemergence; LPOST, late postemergence

² All treatments included glyphosate or gramoxone as PRE burndown

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									Densit	:y
Herbicide (s)	Timing	Rate (oz/a)	Jul	/-12	Aug	-16	Sep-10	0	(plants per 30	0 ft row)
			Palmer amaranth	Kochia	Palmer amaranth	Kochia	Palmer amaranth	Kochia	Palmer amaranth	Kochia
Prowl H ₂ O	PRE	32	94 ab	96 a	93 ab	94 a	92 ab	94 a	4	1
Prowl H ₂ O fb Zidua	PRE fb EPOST	32 fb 1.5	98 a	94 a	98 a	92 ab	96 a	91 ab	2	1
Prowl H₂O fb Zidua	PRE fb MPOST	32 fb 1.5	92 ab	95 a	92 ab	94 a	92 ab	93 ab	1	1
Prowl H ₂ O fb Zidua	PRE fb LPOST	32 fb 1.5	94 ab	92 ab	94 a	91 ab	93 ab	91 ab	3	2
Broadaxe	PRE	25	98 a	98 a	99 a	99 a	99 a	99 a	0	0
Broadaxe fb Zidua	PRE fb EPOST	25 fb 1.5	96 a	99 a	98 a	99 a	99 a	98 a	0	0
Broadaxe fb Zidua	PRE fb MPOST	25 fb 1.5	97 a	98 a	99 a	98 a	99 a	99 a	0	0
Broadaxe fb Zidua	PRE fb LPOST	25 fb 1.5	96 a	99 a	99 a	98 a	99 a	98 a	0	0
Spartan Charge	PRE	5	87 b	89 b	85 b	86 b	85 b	82 b	5	2
Spartan Charge fb Zidua	PRE fb EPOST	5 fb 1.5	89 b	91 b	88 b	88 b	87 b	86 b	4	2
Spartan Charge fb Zidua	PRE fb MPOST	5 fb 1.5	86 b	88 b	85 b	85 b	84 b	83 b	6	3
Spartan Charge fb Zidua	PRE fb LPOST	5 fb 1.5	83 b	86 b	82 b	84 b	82 b	82 b	5	3
Hand weeded	-	-	100 a	100 a	100 a	100 a	100 a	100 a	0	0
Nontreated check	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	7







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Integrating Cover Crops and Herbicides for Weed Control in **Xtend Soybeans**

Isaac Effertz & Vipan Kumar



Experimental Setup



• Location: Hays & Great Bend (GB)

Cover crops:
 Wheat (Hays) & cereal rye (GB)

CC termination timings:
 April 15, May 1, and May 17

Soybean planting: June 06, 2019

• Herbicides: 7 programs

• **Design:** split-plot with 4 reps





Herbicide Programs Investigated

Herbicide (s)	Rate (oz/a)	Timing
Roundup PowerMax (RuPM)	32	Preplant
RuPM + Authority Supreme	32 + 8	Preplant
RuPM + Panther MTZ	32 + 20	Preplant
RuPM + Fierce XLT	32 + 3.75	Preplant
RuPM + Authority Supreme fb RuPM + Xtendimax	32 + 8 <i>fb</i> 32 + 22	Preplant fb POST
RuPM + Panther MTZ fb RuPM + Xtendimax	32 + 20 fb 32 + 22	Preplant fb POST
RuPM + Fierce XLT fb RuPM + Xtendimax	32 + 3.75 fb 32 + 22	Preplant fb POST



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Cover Crop Biomass at Each Termination

Cereal Rye at Great Bend

Cover Crop Termination	Biomass (lbs/ac)
First termination (April 15)	889
Second termination (May 1)	2070
Third termination (May 17)	2204

Winter Wheat at Hays

Cover Crop Termination	Biomass (lbs/ac)
First termination (April 15)	880
Second termination (May 1)	1040
Third termination (May 17)	1796







Cereal Rye growth at second termination

Effect of Herbicide Programs on Palmer density, Biomass and Soybean Yield at Great Bend

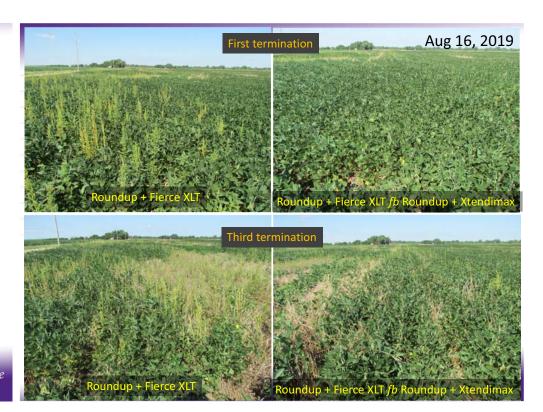
	Palmer	Palmer	Grain
	density	biomass	yield
Herbicide	(no. m ⁻²)	(g m ⁻²)	(bu ac ⁻¹)
Roundup PowerMax (RuPM)	36 a	133 a	38 c
RuPM + Authority Supreme	34 ab	103 ab	52 ab
RuPM + Panther MTZ	35 a	105 ab	48 b
RuPM + Fierce XLT	31 b	118 a	52 ab
RuPM + Authority Supreme fb RuPM + Xtendimax	9 c	41 c	55 ab
RuPM + Panther MTZ fb RuPM + Xtendimax	11 c	66 bc	54 ab
RuPM + Fierce XLT fb RuPM + Xtendimax	10 c	29 c	58 a



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Effect of Herbicide Programs on Total Weed Biomass and Soybean Yield at Hays

Herbicide	Total weed biomass	Grain yield
nerbicide	(g m ⁻²)	(bu ac ⁻¹)
Roundup PowerMax (RuPM)	147 a	11 e
RuPM + Authority Supreme	98 b	14 cd
RuPM + Panther MTZ	91 b	12 de
RuPM + Fierce XLT	83 b	16 c
RuPM + Authority Supreme fb RuPM + Xtendimax	4 c	21 a
RuPM + Panther MTZ fb RuPM + Xtendimax	14 c	17 bc
RuPM + Fierce XLT fb RuPM + Xtendimax	2 c	20 ab

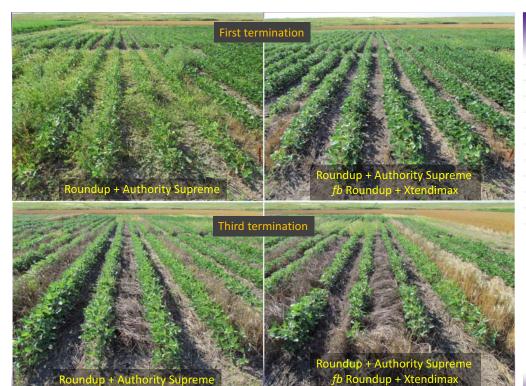


Effect of Wheat Termination Timing on Total Weed Biomass and Soybean Yield at Hays

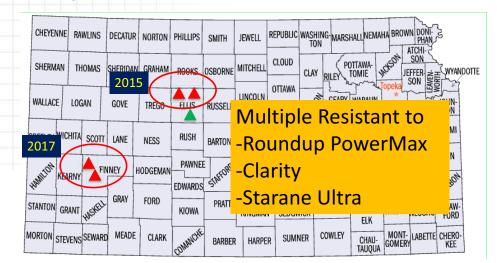
	Total weed biomass	Grain vield
CC Termination	(g m ⁻²)	(bu ac ⁻¹)
First termination	93 a	14 b
Second termination	54 b	17 a
Third termination	41 b	17 a







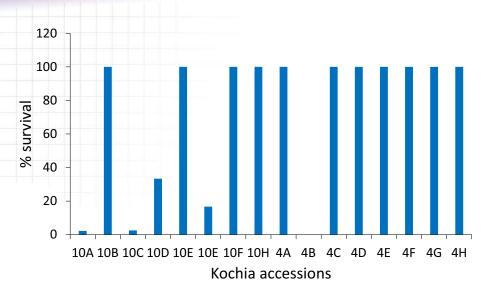
Multiple Herbicide-Resistant Kochia in KS





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Response of Aux-Resistant Kochia to POST Atrazine





Response to POST Atrazine (32 oz) at 21 DAT



Response to PRE Atrazine (32 oz) at 30 DAT

















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Efficacy of Alternative POST Herbicides

Herbicide (s)*	Rate (fl oz/a)	KS-SUS	4H	
		% Injury		
Huskie	15	96 a	98 a	
Kochiavore	16	94 b	84 b	
Scorch	32	83 c	79 bc	
Starane NXT	14	85 c	87 b	
Liberty	36	99 a	85 b	
Tallinor	18	100 a	99 a	
Sharpen	2	100 a	100 a	
Sharpen + 2,4-D LV6	2 + 18	99 a	100 a	
Gramoxone	48	100 a	100 a	

*Herbicides were applied with appropriate adjuvants as dictated by each label



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PRE Options and Timing for Kochia Control

			5	13	17
Herbicide (s)*	Rate (oz/a)	Timing	WASPRE	WASPRE	WASPRE
			% control		
Aatrex + Clarity	24 + 16	Fall	92	74	73
Aatrex + Clarity + Zidua	24 + 8 + 2.5	Fall	98	87	83
Aatrex + Clarity + Sharpen	24 + 8 + 2	Fall	96	70	65
Aatrex + Clarity + Corvus	24 + 8 + 3.3	Fall	98	85	79
Aatrex + Sharpen	24 + 2	Fall	94	68	65
Authority MTZ	12	Fall	96	79	76
Aatrex + Clarity	24 + 16	Spring	98	95	91
Aatrex + Clarity + Zidua	24 + 8 + 2.5	Spring	99	96	95
Aatrex + Clarity + Sharpen	24 + 8 + 2	Spring	99	95	93
Aatrex + Clarity + Corvus	24 + 8 + 3.3	Spring	98	95	91
Aatrex + Sharpen	24 + 2	Spring	96	86	81
Authority MTZ	12	Spring	94	87	85
LSD			2	6	7



² Abbreviation: WASPRE, weeks after spring-applied PRE herbicides



Credit: Drs. Currie and Thompson

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Feral rye (Secale cereale L.)

- Problematic winter annual grass weed in wheat producing regions
- Germinates in fall or spring with soil temperatures 55 to 60 °F
- Contaminant in wheat grain: reduce milling, baking characteristics of wheat flour
- Cause winter wheat yield reduction up to 80%
- Single plant can produce up to 800 seeds that remain dormant and viable in soil for several yrs





Managing Feral rye in Winter

			Feral rye		
Herbicide	Rate	Timing ^c	4/18/19	5/2/19	6/6/19
	(oz/a)		(% control)		
Aggressor + NIS ^a	10	FP	89 ab	94 ab	96 a
Aggressor + MSO b	10	FP	89 ab	94 ab	96 a
Aggressor + MSO b	10	SP	75 c	94 ab	96 a
Aggressor + MSO b	12	SP	80 bc	93 ab	94 a
Aggressor + NIS a/	8 (FP) + 8	FP/SP	93 a	96 a	98 a
Aggressor + MSO b	(SP)				

^a Nonionic surfactant (NIS) at 0.25% v/v was included.





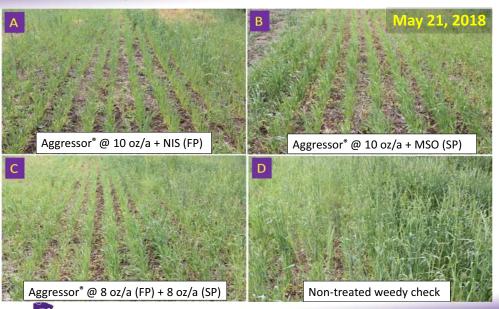


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b Methylated seed oil (MSO) at 1% v/v was included.

^c Fall Post (FP) was applied on Dec 19, 2018, Spring Post (SP) was applied on April 4, 2019.

Feral rye Control in CoAXium™ Wheat









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