

## Influence of Soybean Rowspacing on Weed Competition Duration.

00-21M-E120

**OBJECTIVE:** Determine the effect of 7, 15, and 30 inch soybean row spacings on weed competition and ultimately soybean yield.

**SUMMARY:** Little to no soybean injury was observed from any treatment. Roundup Ultra controlled at least 90% of giant foxtail regardless of soybean row spacing or application timing. Ivyleaf morningglory control was generally unacceptable from all herbicide treatments. Delaying Roundup Ultra applications until weeds were 8 to 12 inches in height increased control of common cocklebur in 7 and 15 inch rows. Velvetleaf control was variable.

Soybean yield was not decreased by allowing weeds to compete until they were 8 to 12 inches in height (in plots maintained weed free after application). However, allowing weeds to reinfest plots after the earliest application timing (2 to 4 inch weed height) significantly reduced yield in all row spacings.

### HERBICIDES

DUAL II MAGNUM 7.64 EC  
FIRSTRATE 84 WG  
ROUNDUP ULTRA 3 SL

### WEEDS

COCKLEBUR, COMMON  
FOXTAIL, GIANT  
MORNINGGLORY, IVYLEAF  
NUTSEDGE, YELLOW  
VELVETLEAF

### CROP

NOTE  
SOYBEAN

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Project Code: 00-21M-E120 Location: Belleville Research Center

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Weed Code	Common Name	Scientific Name
1. XANST	COCKLEBUR, COMMON	XANTHIUM STRUMARIUM L.
2. SETFA	FOXTAIL, GIANT	SETARIA FABERI HERRM.
3. CYPES	NUTSEDGE, YELLOW	CYPERUS ESCULENTUS L.
4. IPOHE	MORNINGGLORY, IVYLEAF	IPOMOEA HEDERACEA (L.) JACQ.
5. ABUTH	VELVETLEAF	ABUTILON THEOPHRASTI MEDICUS
6. AMBEL	RAGWEED, COMMON	AMBROSIA ARTEMISIIFOLIA L.
7. AMATA	WATERHEMP, COMMON	AMARANTHUS RUDIS SAUER
8. CHEAL	LAMBSQUARTERS, COMMON	CHENOPODIUM ALBUM L.
9. ZEAMX	CORN, VOLUNTEER	ZEA MAYS L.
10. POROL	PURSLANE, COMMON	PORTULACA OLERACEA L.
11. DIGSA	CRABGRASS, LARGE	DIGITARIA SANGUINALIS (L.) SCOP.
12. SIDSP	SIDA, PRICKLY	SIDA SPINOSA L.
13. AMBTR	RAGWEED, GIANT	AMBROSIA TRIFIDA L.
14. POLPY	SMARTWEED, PENNSYLVANIA	POLYGONUM PENSYLVANICUM L.

Crop 1:	GLXMA SOYBEAN	Variety:	B-T 369CR
Planting Method:	SEEDED	Planting Date:	May-5-00
Rate:	75 LB/A	Depth:	1.0 IN
Row Spacing:	SEE NOTE		

Plot Width, Unit:	10 FT	Plot Length, Unit:	27 FT	Reps:	4
Tillage Type:	REDUCED-TILL	Study Design:	SPLIT-PLOT		
Previous Crop, Year:	ZEAMX, 1999	Fertilizer applied:	N 0 LB/A,	P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> 50 LB/A,	K <sub>2</sub> O 150 LB/A

Soil Name:	EBBERT	% OM:	2.6	pH:	5.7	CEC:	14
Texture:	SILT LOAM	P <sub>1</sub> :	72 LB/A,	K:	351 LB/A		

## APPLICATION DESCRIPTION

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
Application Date:	May-5-00	May-30-00	Jun-6-00	Jun-12-00	Jun-19-00	Jun-13-00	Jun-21-00
Time of Day:	18:00	10:15	13:00	11:00	11:30		9:30
Application Method:	SPRAY	SPRAY	SPRAY	SPRAY	SPRAY	SPRAY	SPRAY
Application Timing:	PRE	2-4"W	4-6"W	6-8"W	8-12"W	IF-NEED	IF-NEED
Applic. Placement:	BROSOL	BROFOL	BROFOL	BROFOL	BROFOL	BROFOL	BROFOL
Air Temp., Unit:	80 F	75 F	62 F	82 F	78 F	F	78 F
% Relative Humidity:	96	80	24	70	80		92
Wind Velocity, Unit:	5 MPH	5-10 MPH	0-5 MPH	2-4 MPH	1-3 MPH		3-5 MPH
Soil Moisture:	DRY	WET	NORMAL	NORMAL	WET		WET
% Cloud Cover:		10	0	90	20		90

## CROP STAGE AT EACH APPLICATION

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
Crop 1 Code, Stage:	GLXMA PRE	GLXMA V1	GLXMA V2	GLXMA V3	GLXMA V4	GLXMA V3	GLXMA V4-V5
Height, Unit:	NA	5.5 IN	5.5 IN	7-9 IN	10-12 IN	7-9 IN	10-12 IN

## WEED STAGE AT EACH APPLICATION

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
Weed 1 Code:		XANST	XANST	XANST	XANST	XANST	XANST
Stage(leaves):		3-4	4-6	6-7	6-10	COTL-4	COTL-4
Height(inches):		4-5	4-8	6-9	8-18	0-3	2-6
Density:		HIGH	HIGH	HIGH	HIGH	HIGH	LOW
Weed 2 Code:		SETFA	SETFA	SETFA	SETFA	SETFA	
Stage(leaves):		3-4	4-6	6-7	6-7	2-3	
Height(inches):		4-6	4-8	6-9	10-12	0-1	
Density:		HIGH	HIGH	HIGH	HIGH	LOW	
Weed 3 Code:		CYPES	CYPES		CYPES	CYPES	CYPES
Stage(leaves):		3-4	4-6		4-6	3-6	4-6
Height(inches):		3	3-5		4-8	1-3	3-6
Density:		LOW	LOW		LOW	LOW	LOW
Weed 4 Code:		IPOHE	IPOHE	IPOHE	IPOHE	IPOHE	IPOHE
Stage(leaves):		3-5	4-6	4-6	5-10	COTL-4	COTL-3
Height(inches):		2-4	2-4	3-5	5-12	0-2	2-5
Density:		MEDIUM	MEDIUM	MEDIUM	MEDIUM	LOW	LOW
Weed 5 Code:			ABUTH		ABUTH	ABUTH	ABUTH
Stage(leaves):			4		4-6	2-3	2-4
Height(inches):			4		4-9	0-1	2-5
Density:			LOW		LOW	LOW	LOW

## APPLICATION EQUIPMENT

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
Appl. Equipment:	CO, SPRAY	CO, SPRAY	CO, SPRAY	CO, SPRAY	CO, SPRAY	CO, SPRAY	CO, SPRAY
Operating Pressure:	40 PSI	40 PSI	40 PSI	40 PSI	40 PSI	40 PSI	40 PSI
Nozzle Type:	FLAT FAN	FLAT FAN	FLAT FAN	FLAT FAN	FLAT FAN	FLAT FAN	FLAT FAN
Nozzle Size:	8003	8002	8002	8002	8002	8002	8002
Boom Length, Unit:	7.33 FT	7.33 FT	7.33 FT	7.33 FT	7.33 FT	7.33 FT	7.33 FT
Spray Volume, Unit:	20 GPA	20 GPA	20 GPA	20 GPA	20 GPA	20 GPA	20 GPA

## NOTES:

ROW SPACINGS ARE 7, 15, AND 30 INCHES, SEE TREATMENT LIST.  
Harvested Sep-19-00, (2) 30 inch row by 24 ft.

TABLE. INFLUENCE OF SOYBEAN ROWSPACING ON WEED COMPETITION DURATION. PROJECT CODE:00-21M-E120

TREATMENT	FORM.	RATE	UNIT	PROD RATE	APPL TIME	APPL CODE	YIELD	GLXMA INJURY 7 DAT	CONTROL, DAYS AFTER 8-12"W									
									SETFA		CYPES		IPOHE		ABUTH		XANST	
									30	60	30	60	30	60	30	60	30	60
1 7 INCH ROWS							8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1 NONTREATED																		
2 7 INCH ROWS							49											
2 DUAL II MAGNUM	7.64 EC	1.0	LB A/A	1.05	PT/A	PRE A												
2 FIRSTRATE	84 WG	0.024	LB A/A	0.46	OZ/A	PRE A												
2 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	2.0	PT/A	IF-NEED F-G												
2 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	IF-NEED F-G												
2 HANDWEED																		
3 7 INCH ROWS							46	0										
3 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	2-4"W B												
3 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	2-4"W B												
3 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	IF-NEED F-G												
3 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	IF-NEED F-G												
3 HANDWEED																		
4 7 INCH ROWS							47	4										
4 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	4-6"W C												
4 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	4-6"W C												
4 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	IF-NEED F-G												
4 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	IF-NEED F-G												
4 HANDWEED																		
5 7 INCH ROWS							48	1										
5 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	6-8"W D												
5 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	6-8"W D												
5 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	IF-NEED F-G												
5 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	IF-NEED F-G												
5 HANDWEED																		
6 7 INCH ROWS							46	0										
6 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	8-12"W E												
6 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	8-12"W E												
6 HANDWEED																		
7 7 INCH ROWS							34	0	91	96	87	99	50		84	99	64	66
7 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	2-4"W B												
7 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	2-4"W B												
7 REINFEST																		
8 7 INCH ROWS							39	2	94	99	65	99	45	27	82	87	86	77
8 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	4-6"W C												
8 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	4-6"W C												
8 REINFEST																		

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TREATMENT	FORM.	RATE	UNIT	PROD RATE	APPL TIME	APPL CODE	YIELD	GLXMA INJURY 7 DAT	CONTROL, DAYS AFTER 8-12"W									
									SETFA		CYPES		IPOHE		ABUTH		XANST	
									30	60	30	60	30	60	30	60	30	60
9 7 INCH ROWS							38	0	96	97	82	99	55	45	99	99	83	81
9 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	6-8"W												
9 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	6-8"W												
9 REINFEST																		
10 7 INCH ROWS							47	0	98	99	85	99	80	65	99	99	94	95
10 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	8-12"W												
10 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	8-12"W												
10 REINFEST																		
11 15 INCH ROWS							13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
11 NONTREATED																		
12 15 INCH ROWS							47											
12 DUAL II MAGNUM	7.64 EC	1.0	LB A/A	1.05	PT/A	PRE												
12 FIRSTRATE	84 WG	0.024	LB A/A	0.46	OZ/A	PRE												
12 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	2.0	PT/A	IF-NEED												
12 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	IF-NEED												
12 HANDWEED																		
13 15 INCH ROWS							47	10										
13 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	2-4"W												
13 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	2-4"W												
13 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	IF-NEED												
13 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	IF-NEED												
13 HANDWEED																		
14 15 INCH ROWS							50	2										
14 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	4-6"W												
14 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	4-6"W												
14 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	IF-NEED												
14 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	IF-NEED												
14 HANDWEED																		
15 15 INCH ROWS							50	0										
15 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	6-8"W												
15 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	6-8"W												
15 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	IF-NEED												
15 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	IF-NEED												
15 HANDWEED																		
16 15 INCH ROWS							50	0										
16 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	8-12"W												
16 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	8-12"W												
16 HANDWEED																		
17 15 INCH ROWS							34	2	97	99	99	99	77	99	99	87	73	70
17 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	2-4"W												
17 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	2-4"W												
17 REINFEST																		

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									SETFA		CYPES		IPOHE		ABUTH		XANST	
									30	60	30	60	30	60	30	60	30	60
18 15 INCH ROWS							41	1	97	99	82	99	71	60	99	77	90	95
18 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	4-6"W												
18 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	4-6"W												
18 REINFEST																		
19 15 INCH ROWS							43	0	96	99	84	99	53	42	99	99	90	99
19 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	6-8"W												
19 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	6-8"W												
19 REINFEST																		
20 15 INCH ROWS							46	0	99	99	99	99	79	99	99	99	96	99
20 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	8-12"W												
20 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	8-12"W												
20 REINFEST																		
21 30 INCH ROWS							10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
21 NONTREATED																		
22 30 INCH ROWS							44											
22 DUAL II MAGNUM	7.64 EC	1.0	LB A/A	1.05	PT/A	PRE												
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22 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	IF-NEED												
22 HANDWEED																		
23 30 INCH ROWS							46	0										
23 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	2-4"W												
23 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	2-4"W												
23 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	IF-NEED												
23 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	IF-NEED												
23 HANDWEED																		
24 30 INCH ROWS							49	3										
24 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	4-6"W												
24 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	4-6"W												
24 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	IF-NEED												
24 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	IF-NEED												
24 HANDWEED																		
25 30 INCH ROWS							50	0										
25 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	6-8"W												
25 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	6-8"W												
25 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	IF-NEED												
25 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	IF-NEED												
25 HANDWEED																		
26 30 INCH ROWS							46	0										
26 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	8-12"W												
26 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	8-12"W												
26 HANDWEED																		

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									SETFA		CYPES		IPOHE		ABUTH		XANST	
									30	60	30	60	30	60	30	60	30	60
							BU/A	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
27 30 INCH ROWS							28	0	89	94	79	99	67	23	84	99	68	59
27 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	2-4"W												
27 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	2-4"W												
27 REINFEST																		
28 30 INCH ROWS							40	2	94	97	65	99	56	50	92	87	80	85
28 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	4-6"W												
28 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	4-6"W												
28 REINFEST																		
29 30 INCH ROWS							39	1	95	97	47	99	56	20	77	99	80	86
29 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	6-8"W												
29 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	6-8"W												
29 REINFEST																		
30 30 INCH ROWS							45	0	94	98	55	99	71	76	90	99	80	94
30 ROUNDUP ULTRA	3 SL	0.75	LB AE/A	1.0	QT/A	8-12"W												
30 AMS	100 DRY	2.0	% W/W	2.0	% W/W	8-12"W												
30 REINFEST																		
LSD							8	1	5	5	37	0	23	39	22	19	13	13
P							0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	1.0	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01

1. PROTOCOL: ISPOB PROJECT - ASPECTS OF WEED COMPETITION IN SOYBEAN.

2. RATING DATES:

7 DAYS AFTER 2-4"W, 4-6"W, 6-8"W, AND 8-12"W APPLICATIONS ON JUN-6-00, JUN-13-00, JUN-19-00, AND JUN-26-00, RESPECTIVELY.

30 DAYS AFTER 8-12"W, AND 60 DAYS AFTER 8-12"W ON JUL-19-00, AND AUG-18-00, RESPECTIVELY.