



# **Update on the War Against Weeds – 2021**

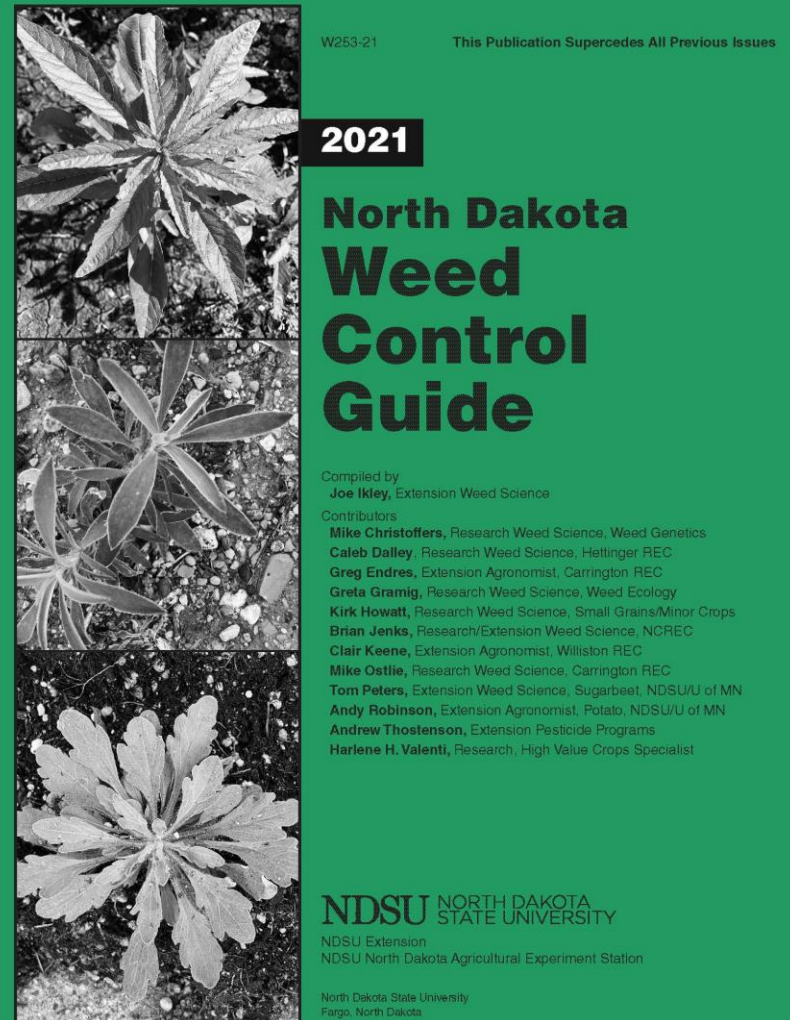
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# 2021 Weed Control Guide

- Available at AgComm Distribution Center
  - Morrill Hall Basement
  - 701-231-7883
- Available Soon at County Extension Offices



# 2021 Weed of the Year – Green Foxtail



## Green foxtail resistance to postemergence herbicides in 2016-17 and 2018-19

	2016-17	2018-19
	Green foxtail (n=63)	Green foxtail (n=27)
	% resistant	% resistant
<b>Puma<sup>1</sup></b>	51	63
<b>Axial<sup>1</sup></b>	40	44
<b>Discover<sup>1</sup></b>	55	63
<b>Everest<sup>2</sup></b>	4	33
<b>Varro<sup>2</sup></b>	12	37
<b>GoldSky<sup>2</sup></b>	14	33
<b>Raptor<sup>2</sup></b>	0	0
<b>Assure II<sup>1</sup></b>	38	48
<b>Select<sup>1</sup></b>	0	0
<b>Assure II<sup>1</sup> + Select<sup>1</sup></b>	0	0
<b>Roundup<sup>9</sup></b>	0	0

# Herbicide Resistant Traits (PS1945)

**Table 4. Soybean herbicide-resistance traits and herbicides that can be used in combination with resistant traits.**  
A checkmark indicates that soybean herbicide trait packages have resistance to various herbicide products.<sup>a</sup>

Soybean Herbicide Trait	Glyphosate	Glufosinate	2,4-D Choline <sup>b</sup>	Dicamba <sup>c</sup>	HPPD Inhibitors <sup>d</sup>
Conventional					
Glyphosate Tolerant (GT)	✓				
Roundup Ready <sup>e</sup>	✓				
Roundup Ready 2 Yield <sup>e</sup>	✓				
Roundup Ready 2 Yield Xtend <sup>e</sup>	✓			✓	
Roundup Ready 2 Yield Xtendflex <sup>f</sup>	✓	✓		✓	
LibertyLink (LL)		✓			
LLGT27 <sup>d</sup>	✓	✓			✓
Enlist	✓		✓		
Enlist E3	✓	✓	✓		
GT27	✓				✓

<sup>a</sup>Always consult herbicide labels for application requirements.

<sup>b</sup>Only approved 2,4-D choline formulations (Enlist Duo, Enlist One) are permitted for over-the top applications to Enlist and Enlist E3 soybeans.

<sup>c</sup>Only approved dicamba formulations (Engenia, FeXapan, Tavium, XtendiMax) are permitted for over-the-top application to Xtend and XtendFlex soybeans.

<sup>d</sup>GT27 and LLGT27 are resistant to isoxaflutole preemergence. No HPPD-inhibiting herbicide is approved for use in soybeans in the U.S. as of January 2020.

<sup>e</sup>Always consult herbicide label to determine if glyphosate formulation is approved for RR soybeans.

<sup>f</sup>Not approved for commercial production in the U.S. as of January 2020.



# Engenia, Xtendimax, Tavium Label Updates

- 5-year registration (ends 2025)
- Only labelled for RR Xtend/Xtendflex soybeans
- National spraying cutoff of June 30
  - Engenia – June 30
  - Xtendimax – June 30 or no applications after R1
  - Tavium – June 30 or no application after V4
- Adjuvant Requirements
  - Engenia – pH buffering adjuvant + drift-reduction agent (DRA)
  - Xtendimax/Tavium – Volatility-reducing agent (VRA) + DRA
- Buffers – 240' downwind to sensitive areas (110' with hooded sprayer)

# Palmer Amaranth



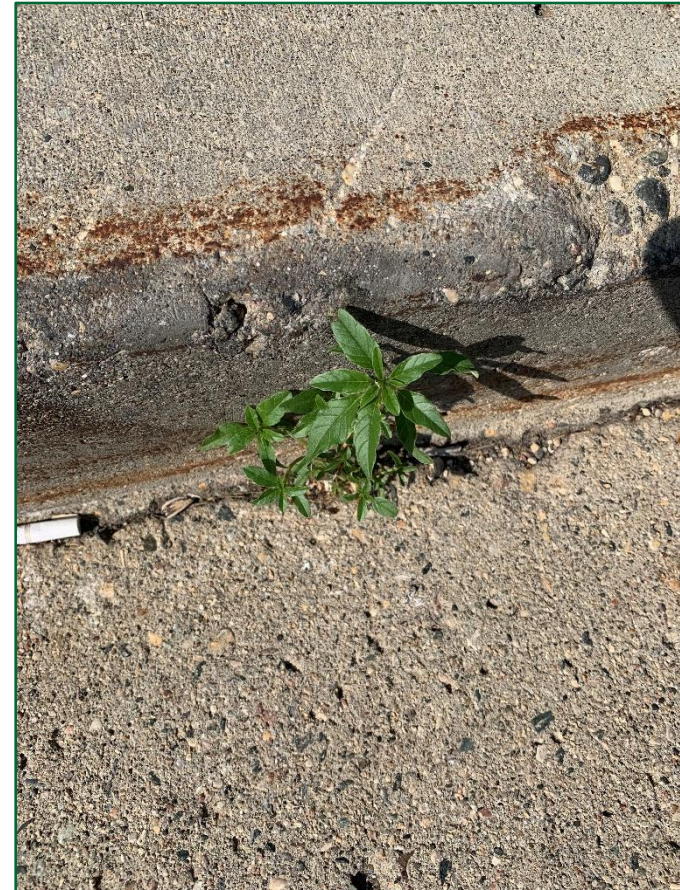
# Waterhemp



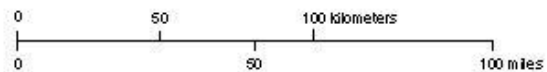
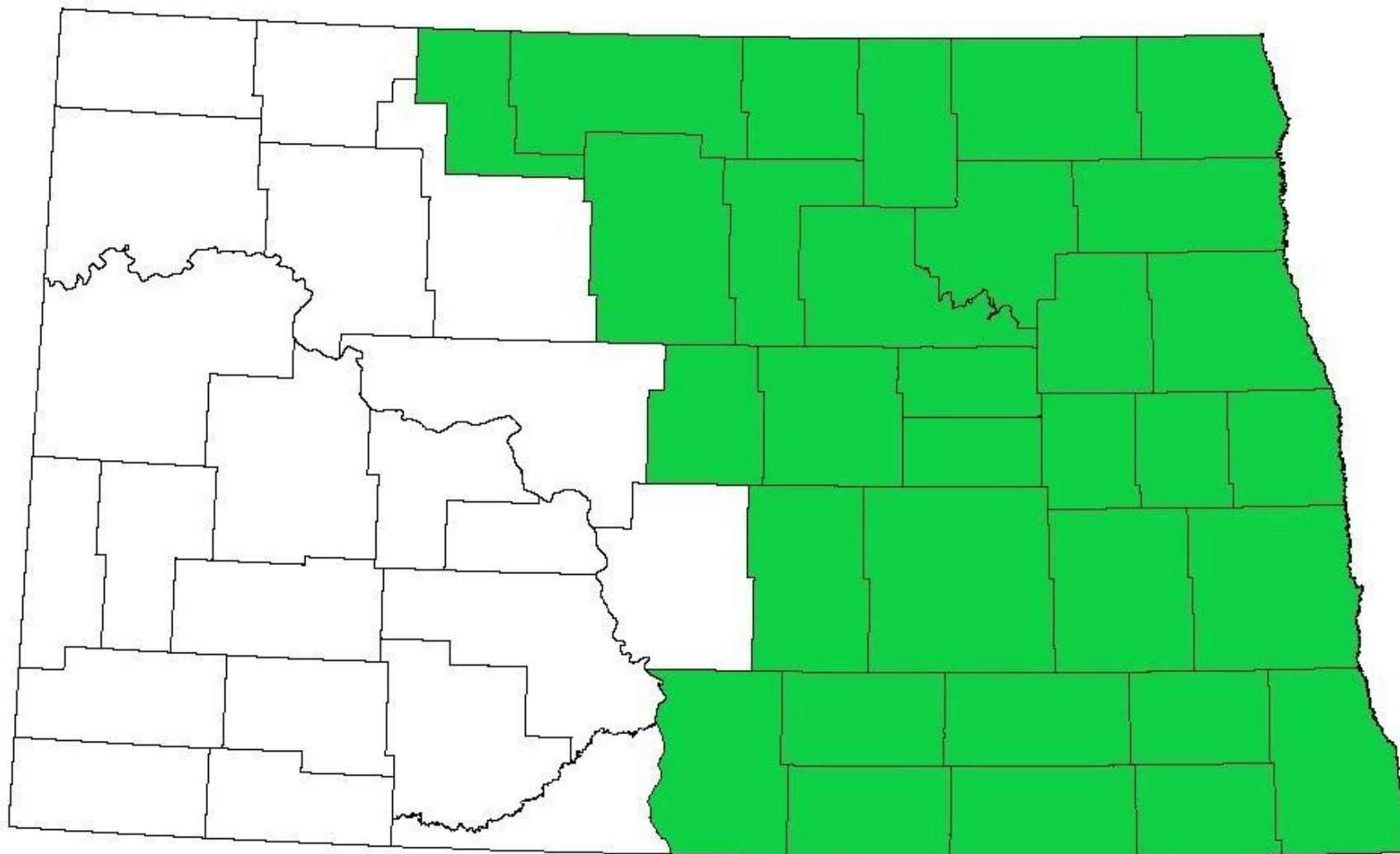


# Waterhemp Issues in 2019, 2020

- Delayed planting
- Saturated fields
- Drowned out areas
- Prevent Plant



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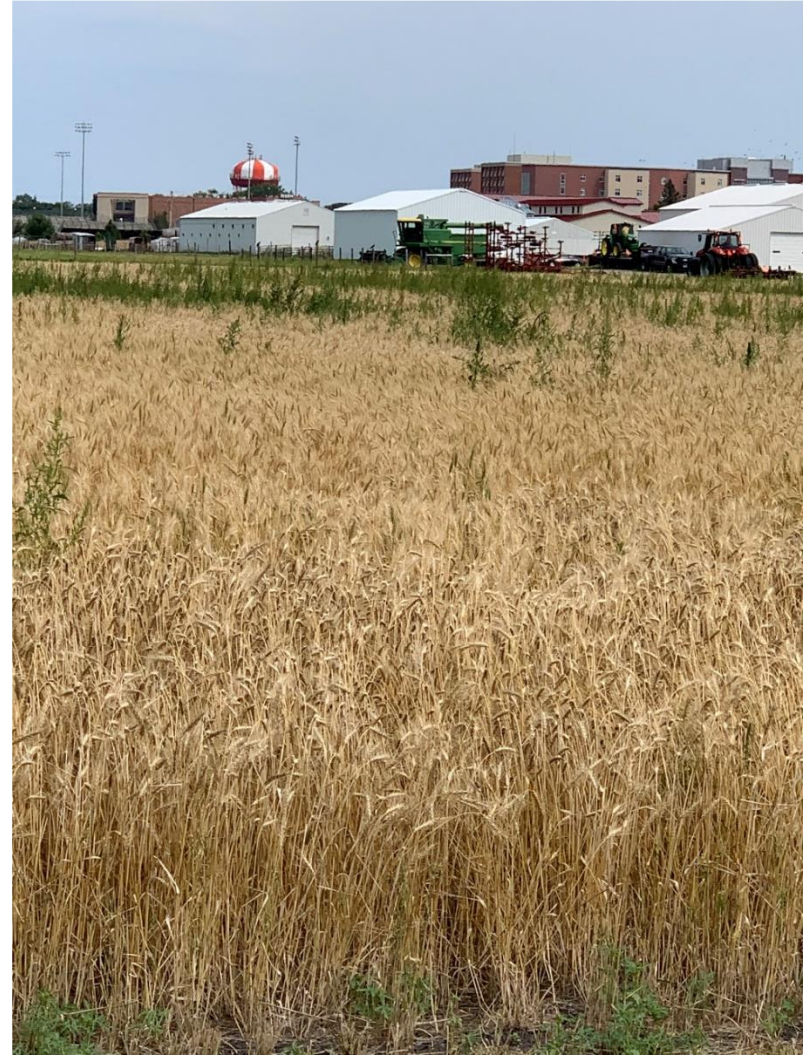
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# Waterhemp in Small Grains

- Lot of escapes in RRV in 2020
- Post Harvest Seed Production





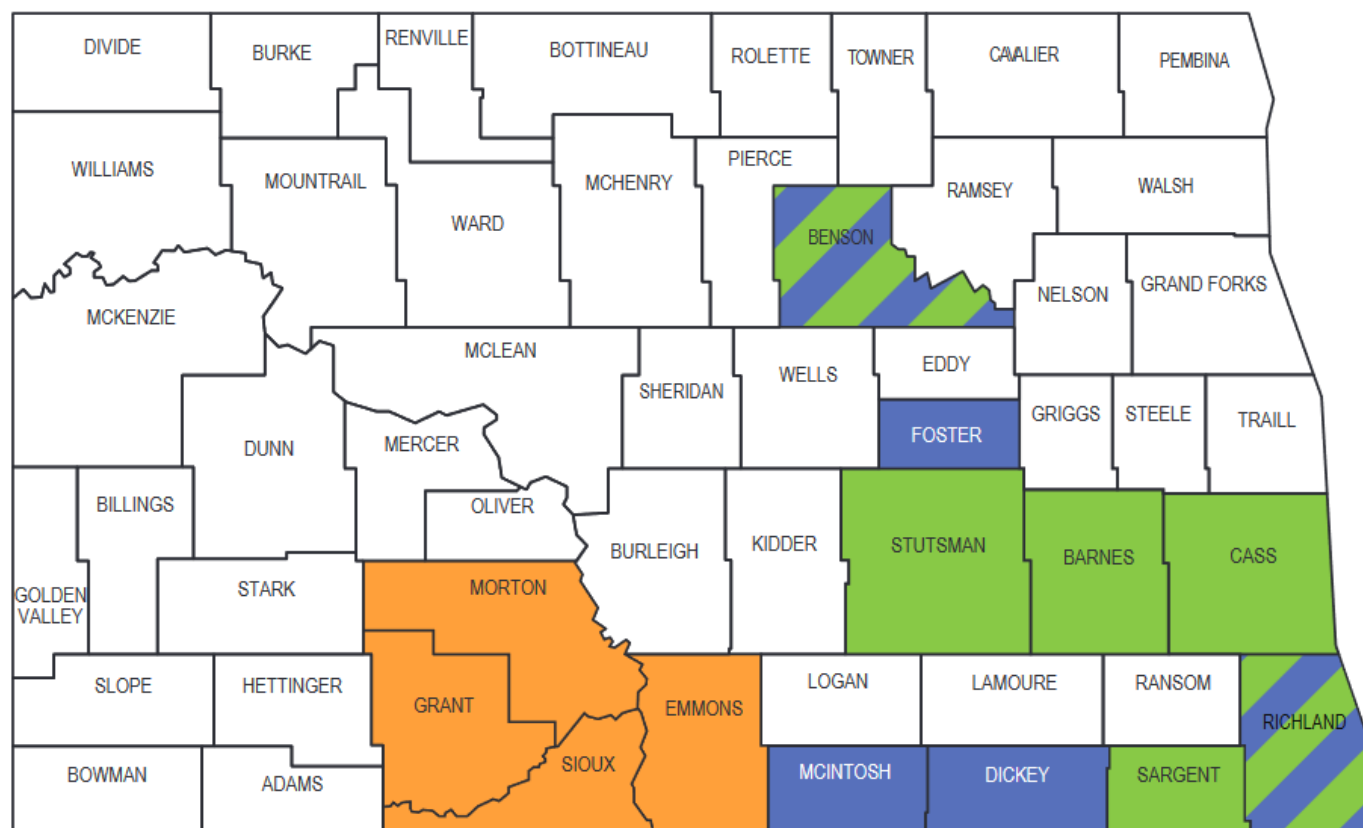
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# Palmer 2020 Update

## North Dakota Department of Agriculture Palmer Amaranth Distribution



Lab confirmed positive for Palmer amaranth

■ 2018 ■ 2020  
■ 2019

As of 11/13/2020



























# Palmer amaranth in Sunflower Screenings

- Counted out 10 lots of 100 g of screenings (~1/4 pound)
- Ranged from 208 to 376 pigweed seed per 100 g
  - 944 to 1707 per pound
- Average 282 per 100 g (1278 per pound)
- Vast majority (>90%) were Palmer amaranth
  - Redroot pigweed
  - Tumble pigweed





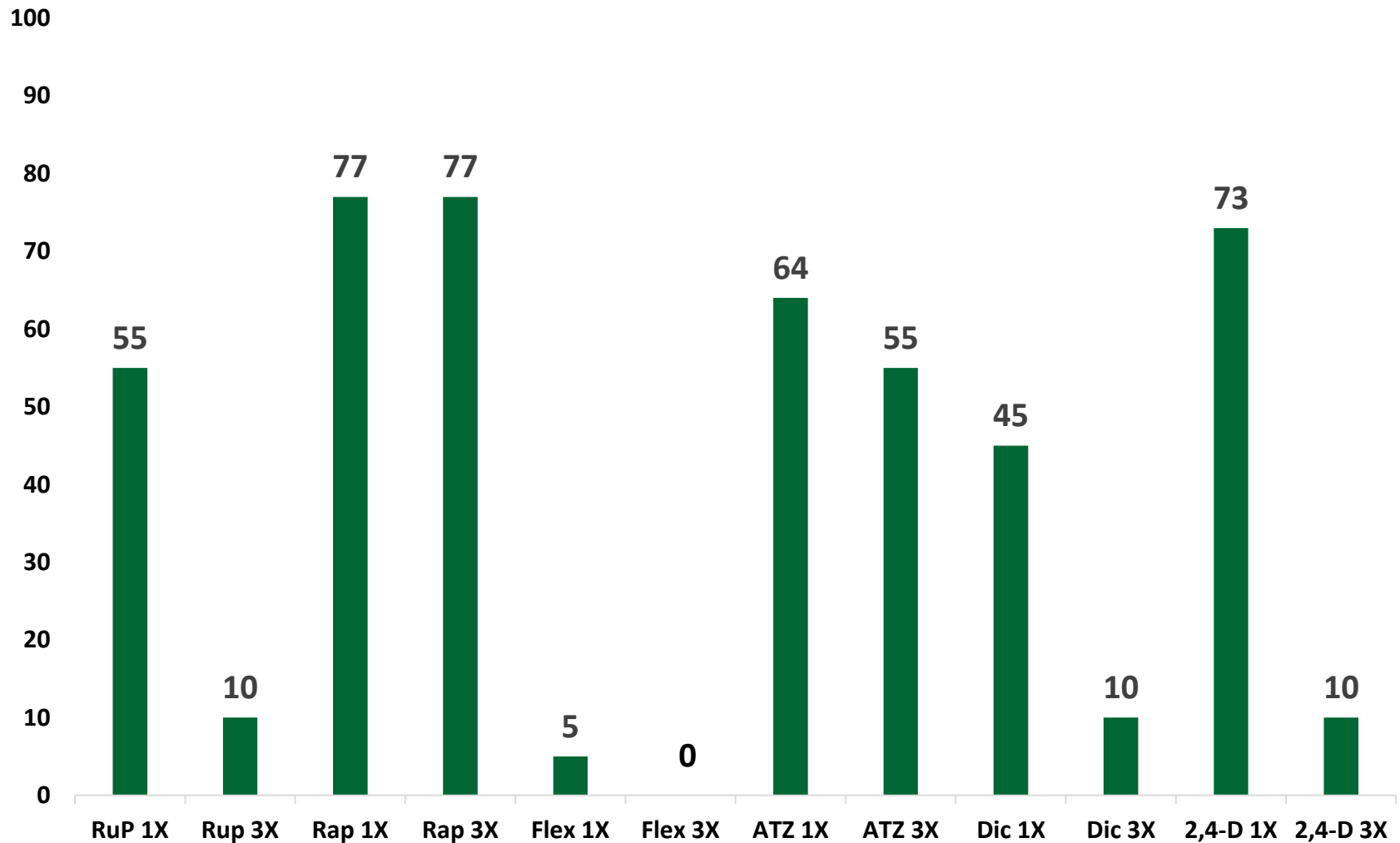


# Herbicide Screen of Palmer amaranth

- Applied 1X & 3X rates of herbicides to 3" Palmer
- Roundup Powermax – 32 & 96 fl oz (1.13 & 3.38 lb)
- Raptor – 4 & 12 fl oz (0.0313 & 0.095 lb)
- Flexstar – 0.75 & 2.25 pt (0.176 & 0.53 lb)
- Aatrex – 1 & 3 pt (0.5 & 1.5 lb)
- Engenia – 12.8 & 38.4 fl oz (0.5 & 1.5 lb)
- Enlist One – 1.05 & 3.15 pt (0.5 & 1.5 lb)



# Percent Palmer Survivors – 21 DAT





# UNTRT, Raptor 1X, Raptor 3X





# UNTRT, Dicamba 1X





# UNTRT, 2,4-D 1X





# Glyphosate Resistance Screen

- 112 Palmer plants treated with 32 fl oz Powermax (1.125 lb)
- Plant tissue sent to National Agricultural Genotyping Center for resistance testing
- 41% of plants survived 21 DAT
- 37% of plants had higher copy number of EPSPS (most common for of resistance)



# Glyphosate Resistance Screen





# ALS Resistance Screen

- 112 Palmer plants treated with 4 fl oz Raptor (0.0313 lb)
- 81% of plants survived 21 DAT



# ALS Resistance Screen





# Summary of Resistance Screen

- Palmer from sunflower screenings highly variable in response to herbicides
  - Glyphosate, ALS (group 2), and atrazine (Group 5) resistance
    - Survivors showed little symptomology
  - Dicamba and 2,4-D results concerning
  - PPO (group 14) sensitive
- Will need to compare to known sensitive populations
- Need to evaluate additional herbicides
- **No idea of number of populations imported through screenings**



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