Herbicide performance in soybeans at Luverne, MN in 2002. Getting, Jodie K., Jeffrey L. Gunsolus, and Thomas R. Hoverstad. The objective of this study was to evaluate soybean herbicide combinations for annual grass and annual broadleaf weed control in glyphosate-resistant soybeans. This study was conducted on a Trent silty clay loam soil containing 5.2% organic matter, pH 6.2 and soil test P and K levels of 70 and 348 lb/A, respectively. A randomized complete block design with four replications and a plot size of 10 by 25 ft was used. The site was planted to corn in 2001 and was fall chiseled. On May 22, 2002 preplant incorporated treatments were applied and tilled twice with a field cultivator set to till 3 to 4 inches deep and operated at 5 to 6 mph. The same day Asgrow 'AG 1602' glyphosate-resistant soybeans were planted in 30-inch rows at a seeding rate of 160,000 seeds/A. All treatments were applied with a tractor-mounted sprayer delivering 20 gpa at a pressure of 40 psi. The sprayer was equipped with 8002 flat-fan nozzles spaced 15 inches apart on the boom. Application dates, environmental conditions, plant sizes and rainfall data are listed below:

Date	May 22	May 23	June 18							
Treatment	PPI	PRE	POST I	POST II	POST III					
Temperature (F)										
air	58	64	82	72	85					
soil (4 inch)	54	57	76	74	84					
Relative humidity (%)	60	30	40	65	46					
Wind (mph)	SE 10	NW 10-15	SE 8-10	calm	SW 2-5					
Sky	cloudy	clear	p. cloudy	p. cloudy	clear					
Soil moisture	moist	dry	dry	dry	dry					
Soybean										
leaf no.	-	-	V2	V3	R3					
height (inch)	-	-	4	6	24					
Giant foxtail										
leaf no.	-	-	2 to 4	3 to 4	4 to 6					
height (inch)	-	-	2 to 4	5 to 8	4 to 6					
no./ft <sup>2</sup>	-	-	14	12	<1					
Common lambsquarters	<b>;</b>									
leaf no.	-	-	2 to 5	2 to 6	2 to 5					
height (inch)	-	-	2 to 3	2 to 5	2 to 3					
no./ft <sup>2</sup>	-	-	1	1	<1					
Tall waterhemp										
leaf no.	-	-	2 to 4	2 to 5	2 to 4					
height (inch)	-	-	1 to 3	2 to 4	1 to 3					
no./ft <sup>2</sup>	-	-	<1	<1	<1					
Rainfall after application (inch)										
1 week	0.90	0.90	0.41	0.00	2.43					
2 week	1.03	1.03	0.00	0.00	1.81					
3 week	0.94	0.94	0.35	1.11	0.16					

Low weed densities occurred in this trial. On June 18, prior to POST treatments, [s-metolachlor & metribuzin] provided 88% giant foxtail control. Sulfentrazone + cloransulam + [s-metolachlor & metribuzin] had 89% control. Pendimethalin obtained 86 to 91% control. All other soil applied treatments had 76% or less control. All soil applied herbicide treatments resulted in 90% or greater common lambsquarters control. Sulfentrazone + cloransulam had 83% tall waterhemp control. All other soil applied treatments had 92% or greater control. In September, sulfentrazone + cloransulam + [s-metolachlor & metribuzin] had 86% giant foxtail control. All other herbicide treatments had 96% or greater control. Flumetsulam followed by cloransulam + clethodim + lactofen + NIS + AMS and flumioxazin followed by cloransulam + lactofen + clethodim + NIS + AMS had 85% and 86% common lambsquarters control, respectively. All other treatments had 94% or greater control. Pendimethalin followed by imazamox + cloransulam + NIS + AMS had 75% tall waterhemp control. All other herbicide treatments had 93% or greater control. (Southwest Research and Outreach Center, University of Minnesota, Lamberton).

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		SETFA			CHEAL		AMATU						
Treatment <sup>a</sup>	Rate	6/18	7/3	9/13			9/13	6/18	7/3	9/13			
	(lb/A or %)				(% c	ontrol	)						
Preplant incorporate 2X/POST I (4-inch weeds)													
Pend/Immx+Acif+NIS+AMS	1.0/0.031+0.1875+0.25%+3.4	88	96	98	95	100	99	95	100	100			
Pend/Immx+Clms+NIS+AMS	1.0/0.031+0.01+0.25%+3.4	86	98	100	97	100	99	94	89	75			
Pend/[Imep&glyphosate]+NIS+AMS	1.0/[0.063&0.75]+0.13%+2.6	91	100	100	97	100	99	97	98	98			
<u>Preemergence</u>													
Sulfentrazone+Clms+[S-meto&Metr]	0.25+0.031+[0.82&0.2]	89	85	86	97	98	94	97	95	93			
Preemergence/POST I (4-inch weeds)													
Flumetsulam/Clsm+Clet+Lact	0.053/0.016+0.125+0.125	18	94	96	91	90	85	96	100	100			
+NIS+AMS	+0.25%+2.5												
Sulfentrazone+Clms/[Flfp-P&Fenx]	0.25+0.031/[0.156&0.044]	75	96	99	96	100	98	93	98	97			
+COC+AMS	+0.625%+2.5												
Flumioxazin/Clms+Lact+Clet	0.078/0.016+0.125+0.125	76	94	96	96	95	86	97	100	99			
+NIS+AMS	+0.25%+2.5												
[S-meto&Metr]/Fome	[0.82&0.2]/0.24	88	99	100	93	100	96	93	100	99			
+[Flfp-P&Fenx]+COC+AMS	+[0.125&0.035]+1.0%+2.5												
Sulfentrazone/Fome+Qufp-P	0.21/0.24+0.06	39	100	98	95	99	99	96	100	100			
+COC+AMS	+1.0%+2.5												
PreemergencePOST II (6-inch weeds)													
Sulfentrazone/glyphosate <sup>2</sup> +Clim+AMS	0.16/0.75+0.016+2.5	63	100	100	96	100	100	92	100	100			
Flumetsulam/glyphosate1+AMS	0.053/0.75+2.5	55	100	100	93	100	100	93	100	100			
Sulfentrazone+Clms/glyphosate <sup>1</sup> +AMS	0.127+0.016/0.75+2.5	58	100	100	90	100	100	83	100	100			
Flumioxazin/glyphosate <sup>2</sup> +AMS	0.0625/0.75+2.5	75	100	100	97	100	99	97	100	99			
[S-meto&Metr]/glyphosate3+AMS	[0.82&0.2]/0.75+2.5	88	100	100	93	100	100	96	100	100			
[Flufenacet&Metr]/glyphosate2+AMS	[0.15&0.23]/0.56++2.5	23	100	100	93	97	100	95	100	100			
Sulfentrazone/glyphosate <sup>2</sup> +Clim+AMS	0.19/0.75+2.5	23	100	100	96	100	100	92	100	100			
POST I (4-inch weeds)													
Fome+[Flfp-P&Fenx]	0.24+[0.156&0.044]	0	100	97	0	100	98	0	100	100			
+Thif+COC+AMS	+0.002+1.0%+2.5												
POST II (6-inch weeds)/POST III (soybean canopy)													
Glyphosate <sup>2</sup> +AMS/glyphosate <sup>2</sup> +AMS	0.75+2.5/0.75+2.5	0	99	100	0	98	100	0	100	100			
POST II (6-inch weeds)													
Glyphosate <sup>1</sup> +Carf+AMS	0.75+0.004+2.5	0	100	100	0	100	100	0	98	100			
Glyphosate1+Clsm+AMS	0.75+0.016+2.5	0	100	100	0	100	100	0	100	100			
[Imep&glyphosate]+NIS+AMS	[0.063&0.75]+0.13%+2.6	0	100	100	0	100	100	0	100	100			
Glyphosate <sup>2</sup> +AMS	0.75+2.5	0	100	100	0	100	99	0	99	100			
Weedy Check	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Weed-free check		100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100			
	LSD (0.10)	17.0	3.4	2.8	4.3	2.8	3.6	5.5	3.8	7.6			

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Acif or acifluorfen = Ultra Blazer 2L; Clet or clethodim= Select 2L; Clim or chlorimuron = Classic 75DF; Clsm or cloransulam = FirstRate 84WG; [Flfp-P&Fenx] or [fluazifop-P & fenoxaprop] = Fusion 2.56F; Flms or flumetsulam = Python 85DF; flumioxazin = Valor 50DF; [flufenacet&Metr] or [flufenacet & metribuzin] = Domain 60DF; Fome or fomesafen = Flexstar 1.88L; glyphosate¹ = Glyphomax Plus 3L; glyphosate² = Roundup Ultra Max 3.75L; glyphosate³ = Touchdown IQ 3L; [Imep&glyphosate] or [imazethapyr & glyphosate] = Extreme 2.17L; Immx or imazamox = Raptor 1L; Lact or lactofen = Phoenix 2EC; Pend or pendamethalin = Prowl H₂0 3.8; Qufp-P or quizalofop-P = Assure II 0.88E; [s-meto&metr] or [s-metolachlor & metribuzin] = Boundary 6.5EC; sulfentrazone = Authority 75DF; Thif or thifensulfuron = Harmony GT 75DF; COC = crop oil concentrate; NIS = nonionic surfactant; AMS = spray grade ammonium sulfate.