Herbicide performance in soybeans at Waseca, MN in 1998. Hoverstad, Thomas R., Jeffrey L. Gunsolus and Jodie K Getting. The objective of this trial was to evaluate several new herbicide options and mechanical weed control methods in soybeans for south central Minnesota. The research site was a Webster clay loam soil containing 6.7% organic matter with a pH of 7.4 and soil test P and K levels of 24 and 197 ppm, respectively. The previous crop was oats that had been fall moldboard plowed. The entire area was field cultivated once in the spring prior to herbicide application. Following preplant incorporated treatments the entire area was field cultivated twice to a depth of 3 to 4 inches to incorporate herbicides and prepare a seedbed. Asgrow '2101' soybeans were planted on May 5, 1998 in 30-inch rows. All treatments were applied with a tractor mounted sprayer delivering 20 gpa at 40 psi using 8002 flat-fan nozzle tips. Application dates, environmental conditions, crop and weed stages are listed below.

Date	May 5	May 6	May 29	May 29 June 2		
Treatment	PPI	Pre	Post I Post II		Post III	
air temp °F	75	76	83 70		79	
soil temp (4-inch)	64	74	69 63		72	
Relative humidity (%)	21	10	20 47		45	
Wind	W 5	S 6	N 7	SW 15	W 5	
Soil moisture	dry	moist	moist	moist moist		
Soybeans						
Stage			V1	V2	V4	
height (inch)			3-4	4	7	
Giant foxtail						
leaf no.			2-4	4	1-3*	
height (inch)			2-5	4-5	1-2*	
Common ragweed						
leaf no.			2-6	2-6	2-4*	
height (inch)			2-3	2-3	1-2*	
Common lambsquarters						
leaf no.			4-8	4-8 4-8		
height (inch)			2-3	2-3	1-2*	
Velvetleaf						
leaf no.			2-4	3-4	2-4*	
height (inch)			2-3	3	1-2*	
Redroot Pigweed						
leaf no.			4-8	4-8	2-4*	
height (inch)			2-3	2-3	1-2*	
Rainfall after applicatio	on (inch)					
week 1	0.83	0.83	0.67	0.44	0.39	
week 2	1.53	1.53	0.61	0.55	2.68	
week 3	1.40	1.40	0.37	0.39	1.25	

* refers to regrowth

The dominant weed species in this trial were giant foxtail and common ragweed. Soil applied treatments followed with postemergence sequential treatments resulted in poor grass control wherever the postemergence portion of this treatment provided additions grass control to control giant foxtail that had escaped soil applied treatments. The trifuralin+NAF-75 soil applied treatment however, provided adequate season long giant foxtail control. Following soil applied trifluralin with postemergence NAF-75 resulted in poorer grass control than when the two were tank mioxed soil applied. Two applications of glyphosate provided better control of some broadlaef weeds and resulted in slightly higher soybean yields. Cultivation enhanced weed control and soybean yields with sequential treatments of trifluralin and imazethapyr or [bentazon & acifluorfen] by improving control of escaped weeds and improved soybean yields by 3 to 15 bu/A.

Table. Herbicide performance in soybeans at	Waseca, MN in 1998 (Hoverstad, Gunse	olus and (Getting)				
Treatment	Rate	Gift	Corw Vele Colq Rrp			Rrpw	Yield
Preplant incorporate 2X	(Ib/A or %)		(% control)				(bu/A) ⁵
[Imep&Pend]	[0.063&0.84]	92	71	99	99	99	48.7
Trif+NAF-75	0.75+0.03	86	88	99	99	99	54.1
Preplant incorporate 2X/POST II (4-inch weed	<u>s)</u>						
Trif/Imep+COC+28%N	0.75/0.031+1.25%+1.25%	99	68	99	99	99	52.5
Trif/Imep+COC+28%N	0.75/0.063+1.25%+1.25%	99	87	99	99	99	56.6
Trif/[Bent&Acif]+28%N	0.75/[0.75&0.17]+2.5%	51	84	99	99	99	31.9
Trif/Imep+Lact+COC+28%N	0.75/0.047+0.063+0.625%+2.0%	98	98	99	87	99	55.0
Clom ¹ /Imep+COC+28%N	0.75/0.031+1.25%+1.25%	99	81	99	96	99	57.7
Trif/NAF-75+Thif+NIS+28%N	0.75/0.016+0.002+0.125%+2.5%	50	99	96	99	99	38.8
Trif/AC 299,263+COC+28%N	0.75/0.03+1.25%+1.25%	99	81	99	99	99	55.7
Trif/Imep+NAF-75+COC+28%N	0.75/0.031+0.016+1.25%+2.5%	99	99	99	99	99	53.0
Trif/Imep+Fome+NIS+28%N	0.75/0.031+0.176+0.625%+1.25%	97	99	97	98	99	56.2
Weedy check	-	0	0	0	0	0	10.9
Preplant incorporate 2X/POST III (4-inch regro	wth)						
[Imep&Pend]/Glvt+NIS+AMS	[0.063&0.84]/0.375+0.25%+2.5	99	99	99	99	99	58.0
Trif/Glvt	0.75/0.56	99	99	97	99	99	57.8
Preplant incorporate 2X/POST II (4-inch weed	s)/cultivate (37 DAP)		00	0.	00	00	0110
Trif/Imen+COC+28%N/	0 75/0 031+1 25%+1 25%	99	94	99	97	99	55.7
Cultivate	0.10/0.00111.20/011.20/0	00	01	00	01	00	00.1
Trif/Imen+COC+28%N/	0 75/0 063+1 25%+1 25%	99	96	99	99	99	58.9
Cultivate	0.10/0.00011.20/011.20/0	00	00	00	00	00	00.0
Trif/[Bent&Acif]+28%N/	0 75/[0 75&0 17]+2 5%	80	91	99	99	97	48 5
Cultivate	0.10/[0.1040.11]12.070	00	01	00	00	07	10.0
Hand-weeded	_	100	100	100	100	100	60.3
Preemergence/POST II (4-inch weeds)		100	100	100	100	100	00.0
SAN-582H/Seth	1 5/0 28	02	88	96	82	83	53 3
+[Bent&Acif]+COC+28%N	+[0 75&0 17]+0 625%+1 25%	52	00	30	02	00	55.5
CGA 77102/Metr	1 91/0 32	76	96	aa	aa	96	47 3
+CGA 277476+NIS+28%N	+0.094+0.25%+1.25%	10	50	55	55	50	11.0
[Meto&Elms]/Glvt	[2 34&0 063]/0 56	08	95	90	00	00	58.6
Clom ² /Glvt	0.75/0.56	00	96	00	08	03	50.0
E 6285/Ght+Clim	0.25/0.56+0.005	07	02	04	00	00	53.5
	0.23/0.30+0.003	97	92	94	99 05	99	57.0
	0.3/0.56	90	91	09	95	90	50.5
Finis/Giyl	0.04/0.56	90	69	99	99	99	58.9
	-	0	0	0	0	0	11.0
POST II (4-inch weeds)							= 0 /
Imep+NAF-75+COC+28%N	0.063+0.016+1.25%+2.5%	98	99	99	75	99	58.1
NAF-75+Glyt+NIS+AMS	0.016+0.56+0.125%+2	98	99	96	90	87	59.3
[Flfp&Fenx]+Fome	[0.156&0.044]+0.24	97	99	99	92	99	56.8
+Thit+COC+28%N	+0.002+1%+4%						
AC 299,263+COC+28%N	0.04+1.25%+1.25%	99	75	98	99	99	56.6
Seth+[Bent&Acif]+NAF-75	0.28+[0.75&0.17]+0.01	98	90	96	79	81	57.4
+COC+28%N	+0.625%+1.25%						
CGA 277476+Glyt	0.094+0.56	98	92	83	99	97	58.0
Glyt+Clim	0.56+0.005	95	89	90	95	99	57.6
Glyt	0.75	98	84	92	99	84	56.9
POST I (3 to 4-inch weeds)/POST III (4-inch re	egrowth)						
Glyt/Glyt	0.56/0.375	99	99	99	99	99	59.2
POST I (3 to 4-inch weeds)/POST II (4-inch we	eeds)						
Qufp+COC/[Thif&Clim]	0.063+1%/[0.0028&0.005]	97	66	75	97	99	51.9
+NIS+28%N	+0.25%+2.5%						
Qufp+COC/[Thif&Clim]	0.063+1%/[0.0028&0.005]	96	94	78	82	99	56.4
+Fome+NIS+28%N	+0.24+0.25%+2.5%						
Hand-weeded check	-	100	100	100	100	100	59.1
POST II (4-inch weeds)							
Seth+Bent+Fome+COC+28%N	0.2+1.0+0.18+0.625%+1.25%	96	99	99	93	97	56.9
Imep+COC+28%N	0.063+1.25%+1.25%	99	79	96	86	99	56.9
POST II (4-inch weeds)/cultivate (37 DAP)							
Seth+Bent+Fome	0.2+1.0+0.18	98	99	99	99	99	57.2
+COC+28%N/cultivate	+0.625%+1.25%						0
Imep+COC+28%N/cultivate	0.063+1.25%+1.25%	99	98	99	96	99	57.0
	LSD (0.10)	8	9	7	7	6	3.9

LSD (0.10) 8 9 7 7 6 3.9 ^a AC 299,263 = Raptor 1L; Bent = Basagran 4L; [Bent&Acif] = Galaxy 3.67E; CGA 277476 = Expert 75WG; CGA 77102 = Dual II Magnum 7.64E; Clim = Classic 25DF; Clom¹ = Command 4E; Clom² = Command 3ME; [Flfp&Fenx] = Fusion 2.56F; Flms = Python 80DF; Fome = Flexstar 1.88L; F-6285 = Authority 75DF; Glyt = Roundup Ultra 3L; Imep = Pursuit 2AS; [Imep&Pend] = Pursuit Plus 2.9E; Lact = Cobra 2E; [Meto&Flms] = Dual & Broadstrike 7.67L; Metr = Sencor 75DF; NAF-75 = FirstRate 84WG; Qufp = Assure II 0.8E; SAN-582H = Frontier 6E; Seth = Poast 1.5E; Thif = Pinnacle 25DF; [Thif&Clim] = Reliance 25DF; Trif = Treflan 4E; COC = crop oil concentrate, Class Additive 17%; NIS = nonionic surfactant, Class Preference; 28%N = an aqueous solution of urea and ammonium nitrate; AMS = spray grade ammonium sulfate. ^b Yield adjusted to 13% moisture.