

Interaction of Glyphosate with Cercospora Leaf Spot

Trial ID: DS01-08 Study Dir.: Sprague, Hanson, Kirk
 Conducted: Bean & Beet Investigator: Christy Sprague

Date Planted: 4/25/08 Row Spacing: 30 IN
 Variety: See comments No. of Reps: 4
 Population: 4.1" spacing % OM: 3.0
 Soil Type: Clay pH: 7.8
 Plot Size: 15 X 30 FT Design: RANDOMIZED COMPLETE BLOCK

Tillage: Fall Chisel Plow, Soil Finished once in the Fall, Soil Finished twice in the Spring.
 Fertilizer: 125# nitrogen (urea) applied and incorporated early spring.

Crop and Weed Description

Weed	Code	Common Name	Scientific Name
1.	CHEAL	LAMBSQUARTERS, COMMON	CHENOPODIUM ALBUM L.
Crop	Code	Common Name	
1.	BETVU	BEET, SUGAR	

Application Description

	A	B	C	D	E	F
Application Timing:	'A' STD 1	'B' 2-LF	'C' 6-LF	'D' 55 DSV	'E' +2 wk	'F' +4 wk
Date Treated:	5/15/08	5/23/08	6/4/08	7/7/08	7/25/08	8/12/08
Time Treated:	3:50 PM	11:50 AM	12:00 PM	1:00 PM	10:30 AM	11:00 AM
% Cloud Cover:	100	90	100	100	5	20
Air Temp., Unit:	65 F	60 F	65 F	83 F	83 F	72 F
% Relative Humidity:	25	47	70	61	35	34
Wind Speed/Unit/Dir:	5 mph N	4 mph NE	3 mph E	6 mph S	2 mph NW	0 mph
Soil Temp., Unit:	59 F	56 F	65 F	72 F	72 F	68 F
Soil/Leaf Surface M:	5 5	5 5	5 5	5 5	5 5	5 3
Soil Moist (1=w 5=d):	5	5	5	4	4	3

Crop Stage at Each Application

	A	B	C	D	E	F
Crop Name:	BETVU	BETVU	BETVU	BETVU	BETVU	BETVU
Height (In.):	.25-.5	.5-1	3-4.5	15-17	15-18	18-20
Stage (L):	2	2-4	4-6	14-16	18	18

Weed Stage at Each Application

	A	B	C	D	E	F
Weed 1 Name:	CHEAL	CHEAL	CHEAL	CHEAL	CHEAL	CHEAL
Height (In.):	1-1.5	.5-1.5	-	-	-	-
Stage (L):	2-4	4-8	-	-	-	-

Application Equipment

Appl	Sprayer	Speed	Nozzle	Nozzle	Nozzle	Boom	GPA	Carrier	PSI
	Type	MPH	Type	Size	Height	Spacing	Width		
A	Cub	3.8	AirMix	11003	21	20	180	19	water 28
B	Cub	3.8	AirMix	11003	21	20	180	19	water 28
C	Cub	3.8	AirMix	11003	21	20	180	19	water 28
D	Cub	3.8	AirMix	11003	28	20	180	19	water 28
E	Cub	3.8	AirMix	11003	31	20	180	19	water 28
F	Cub	3.8	AirMix	11003	31	20	180	19	water 28

Comments: Varieties planted as follows:
 Rows 1, 2, and 6 - ACH827RR

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Row 3 - Hilleshog 9027
Row 4 - Hilleshog 9028
Row 5 - Hilleshog 9029

Previous Crop- Dry Beans

INTERACTIONS OF GLYPHOSATE AND CERCOSPORA LEAF SPOT (DS01-08)

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Glyphosate applications have been reported to reduce foliar diseases. There have also been reports that glyphosate combinations with fungicides may result in synergistic responses that could reduce foliar diseases. Cercospora leaf spot is a major foliar disease that Michigan sugarbeet growers need to manage yearly. With the recent commercialization of Roundup Ready (glyphosate-resistant) sugarbeets, applications of glyphosate may help reduce the disease severity of Cercospora leaf spot in Roundup Ready sugarbeets. A field trial was initiated at the Saginaw Valley Bean and Beet Research farm in 2008 to test this hypothesis. This research was a cooperative effort between MSU Weed Science and USDA-ARS and MSU Plant Pathology. The study was designed to evaluate the response of sugarbeet variety, weed management treatment, and fungicide application. The entire study was inoculated for Cercospora leaf spot in early July. Four different Roundup Ready sugarbeet varieties, ACH 827RR, Hilleshog 9027, Hilleshog 9028, and Hilleshog 9029 were evaluated. The weed management treatments included: three applications of glyphosate, four applications of glyphosate, two standard-split herbicide applications (Betamix + Upbeet + Stinger), and a no herbicide control that was kept weed-free throughout the season by hand-weeding. Each of these weed management treatments was evaluated for Cercospora leaf spot disease severity with and without fungicide applications. The fungicide treatment included: three separate applications Headline followed by Eminent followed by Gem at 55 DSV according to BeetCAST.

There was not a 3-way interaction between sugarbeet variety, herbicide treatment, and fungicide treatment. Herbicide treatment did not have a significant effect on Cercospora disease severity or sugarbeet yield. However, the main effects of sugarbeet variety and fungicide application were significant. ACH 827RR was the most susceptible variety to Cercospora leaf spot. Fungicide applications reduced the disease severity of all varieties, ultimately leading to greater sugarbeet yields. This study will be repeated in 2009.

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Rating Unit										
Rating Date										
Trt-Eval Interval										

Trt No.	Treatment Name	Form Conc	Form Type	Rate	Rate Unit	Grow Stg	Appl Code									
	LSD (P=.10)							6.9	9.3	5.1	7.4	1.9	10.1	9.4	1.08	4.79
	Standard Deviation							5.6	7.7	4.2	6.1	1.6	8.3	7.7	0.88	3.93
	CV							8.56	10.3	5.91	8.72	33.08	13.67	10.73	5.65	15.14

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		BETVU	BETVU	BETVU	BETVU	BETVU	BETVU	BETVU	BETVU	BETVU	BETVU
		RWST	RWSA	stand count	% sugar	Ton/acre	RWST	RWSA	stand count		
		ACH827RR	ACH827RR	H-9027	H-9027	H-9027	H-9027	H-9027	H-2028		
		9/19/08	9/19/08	9/19/08	9/19/08	9/19/08	9/19/08	9/19/08	9/19/08		
		# / Ton	# / Acre	30' row	127 DA-A	127 DA-A	# / Ton	# / Acre	30' row		
Trt No.	Treatment Name	Form Conc	Form Type	Rate	Rate Unit	Grow Stg	Appl Code				
LSD (P=.10)		21.34		1149.7		13.8	0.41	2.93	8.41	594.6	13.2
Standard Deviation		17.53		944.8		11.3	0.33	2.41	6.91	488.6	10.9
CV		8.06		16.48		13.99	2.15	8.96	3.14	8.25	14.54

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Crop Code	% sugar	Ton/acre	RWST	RWSA	stand count	% sugar	Ton/acre	RWST	RWSA	
Rating Data Type	H-9028	H-9028	H-9028	H-9028	H-2029	H-9029	H-9029	H-9029	H-9029	H-9029
Rating Unit	9/19/08	9/19/08	9/19/08	9/19/08	9/19/08	9/19/08	9/19/08	9/19/08	9/19/08	9/19/08
Rating Date	127 DA-A	127 DA-A	# / Ton	# / Acre	30' row	127 DA-A	127 DA-A	# / Ton	# / Acre	
Trt-Eval Interval										

Trt No.	Treatment Name	Form Conc	Form Type	Rate	Rate Unit	Grow Stg	Appl Code						
LSD (P=.10)								0.41	3.17	7.56	661.7	9.4	0.55
Standard Deviation								0.33	2.61	6.21	543.7	7.7	0.45
CV								2.23	8.88	2.94	8.73	10.73	3.04