

2006 Potato Leafhopper Insecticide Efficacy Trial Dickinson Co., KS. Robert J. (Jeff) Whitworth, Department of Entomology, Kansas State University Evaluation date: July 11, July 14 and August 04

Pest: Potato Leafhopper, Empoasca fabae

Crop: Alfalfa, 13 treatments Location: Dickinson Co., Kansas

Planting Date: N.A.
Plot Size: 15 ft x 20 ft

Experimental Design: Randomized Complete Block; 4 Replications

Information: Sprayed with hand sprayer delivering 20 gal/acre at 30 psi on 07/07/06.

Phytotoxicity: none noted

Evaluation: Counted number of potato leafhopper/10 sweep/ plot on 07/11/06 (4 DAT),

07/14/06 (7 DAT) and 08/04/06 (28 DAT).

DAT: Days after treatment

Special notes: Alfalfa height (6"). Pre-treatment counts on 07/07/06 was 8 potato leaf

hopper/10 sweeps

No.	Treatment	Total number potato leafhopper/10 sweep		
		July 11, 2006 (4 DAT)	July 14, 2006 (7 DAT)	August 04, 2006 (28 DAT)
1	Baythroid XL @ 1.0 oz./acre	$2.00 \pm 0.58b$	$0.00\pm0.00b$	0.50 ± 0.50 b
2	Baythroid XL @ 2.0 oz./acre	0.25 ± 0.25 b	0.50 ± 0.29 b	0.00 ± 0.00 b
3	Warrior 1CS @ 2.56 oz./acre	$0.75 \pm 0.48b$	$0.00 \pm 0.00b$	0.25 ± 0.25 b
4	Warrior 1CS @ 3.20 oz./acre	0.50 ± 0.50 b	$0.00 \pm 0.00b$	0.00 ± 0.00 b
5	Warrior 1CS @ 3.84 oz./acre	$0.00 \pm 0.00b$	0.25 ± 0.25 b	0.00 ± 0.00 b
6	Fanfare @ 3.9 oz./acre	$0.75 \pm 0.48b$	0.75 ± 0.75 b	0.00 ± 0.00 b
7	Fanfare @ 6.4 oz./acre	0.50 ± 0.50 b	$0.00 \pm 0.00b$	0.25 ± 0.25 b
8	Capture @ 3.9 oz./acre	$0.00 \pm 0.00b$	$0.75 \pm 0.48b$	0.00 ± 0.00 b
9	Capture @ 6.4 oz./acre	0.25 ± 0.25 b	$1.00 \pm 0.41b$	0.00 ± 0.00 b
10	Silencer @ 1.9 oz./acre	1.25 ± 0.95 b	0.50 ± 0.50 b	0.00 ± 0.00 b
11	Silencer @ 3.2 oz./acre	1.25 ± 0.63 b	$0.75 \pm 0.48b$	0.00 ± 0.00 b
12	Lorsban 4E @ 1.5 pt./acre	$0.75 \pm 0.48b$	0.00 ± 0.00 b	0.25 ± 0.25 b
13	Untreated	16.25 ± 2.39a	$7.00 \pm 0.71a$	3.00 ± 1.08a

Means within a column followed by the same letter are not significantly different (P > 0.05; PROC GLM; Mean comparison by LSD [SAS Institute 2003])

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