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## Kansas Insect Newsletter

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## 2005 Kansas Restricted Use Pesticide Publication Available:

The latest version of the Kansas Restricted Use Pesticides is currently available. On the web it can be viewed at: <http://www.oznet.ksu.edu/library/entml2/mf710.pdf>

The publication can also be ordered by calling the distribution center at 785-532-5830. For further information or to ask questions, please contact Sharon Dobesh, Pesticide Coordinator, at 785-532-4748 or [sdobesh@oznet.ksu.edu](mailto:sdobesh@oznet.ksu.edu)

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## Stored Grain:

It is time to get the grain bins cleaned and treated and to decide if grain going into storage is going to need to be treated with an insecticide. To help make those decisions there we have revised the publication Stored Grain Insects, Part III: Structural sprays, pest strips, protectants and surface sprays. This publication is now available on the web at: <http://www.oznet.ksu.edu/library/entml2/MF917.PDF> .

Over the past few years there have been many changes in products that are labeled to treat grain and grain storage areas. Some of the newer products include: Tempo Ultra (empty structural sprays only), Diacon II, and Storcide II. Make sure that the products you purchase are labeled for the intended use.

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## Cotton Insect Management:

We have added a new publication to our list of management guides for Kansas field crops: Cotton Insect Management 2005. This publication provides information how to manage the three main pests of cotton in Kansas; thrips, cotton fleahopper and bollworm. Currently thrips are probably the main concern for cotton. Thrips develop in wheat and begin to move out of the wheat fields as they begin to mature. Heavy numbers of thrips on newly emerging cotton plants can lead to problems. For more information link to the above mentioned document at: <http://www.oznet.ksu.edu/library/entml2/mf2674.pdf>

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