

Spray Mgt. & Use

11:00 – 11:30 a.m.

Friday March 8th, 2019

Show-Me Grape & Wine Conference

Tassel Ridge Winery
Leighton, IA 6-9-12

Hagie 5 row sprayer



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A Example Year in a MO Vineyard

Approximately 150-200 hrs./ac./yr.

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|-------------|---|-----------|--|
| Feb/March | - Prune - spray cuts
- clean up & remove prunings | July | - 2x spray fungicide
- petiole testing for fertility |
| March/April | - Lime Sulfur application | | - 1x spray post herbicide |
| April | - 1x mow
- 2x spray fungicide
- 1x spray herbicide
- shoot thinning | | - 1x mow
- 1x spray insecticide
- canopy management |
| May | - 1x spray insecticide
- 2x spray fungicide
- 2x mow - 1x foliar fertilizer | August | - 2x spray fungicide
- 1x spray insecticide
- Brix/TA/pH tests |
| June | - 1x spray insecticide
- 3x spray fungicide
- 2x mow
- canopy manage
- leaf pulling | | - Begin Harvest
- 1x mow |
| | | September | - continue harvesting
- Brix/TA/pH testing
- clean & maintain vineyard equipment |



Commercial Guide

**Apple, Pear, Cherry,
Peach, Plum, Grape,
Blueberry, Raspberry,**

**Fungicide, Insecticide,
Herbicide, Miticide and
Growth Regulator
recommendations.**

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<https://store.extension.iastate.edu/Product/14488>

Grape Spray Schedule

Note on Disease Control Recommendations

The following information is intended to provide general guidelines for use in developing a fungicide spray program for grapes in the Midwest. This spray schedule presents various fungicide options that growers can consider.

The major grape diseases that generally require at least some fungicide application for control on an annual basis include black rot, powdery mildew, downy mildew, and Phomopsis cane and leaf spot. Several recommendations in this guide include tank mixes of different fungicides that are intended to provide a program that will control all of these diseases simultaneously. In some cases, recommendations for a single disease alone are provided as well.

Growers who wish to make a fungicide application intended to control only one specific disease, can refer to Table 1, Effectiveness of Fungicides for the Control of Grape Diseases on page 33 of this guide.

Please pay special attention to the notes and comments.

Dormant			
Apply before buds swell.			
Pest/Problem	Material	Rate/Acre	Comments
Anthracnose	Fungicide Resistance Alert: See note on page 32 on fungicide resistance development in powdery and downy mildew.		
	Lime sulfur solution <i>or</i>	10 gal	This dormant application is aimed at reducing overwintering inoculum on canes. See pages 28-29 for more information on anthracnose.
	Sulforix	1 gal	

Bud Swell			
Apply just before buds show green.			
Pest/Problem	Material	Rate/Acre	Comments
European red mite and/or scale insects	Superior oil (70-sec.)	4 gal	
Grape scale	Lorsban Advanced	1 qt	
Flea beetle adults	Scout at least weekly as bud swell occurs.		
	Baythroid XL (1EC)	2.4-3.2 fl oz	
	Danitol 2.4EC	5.3-10.7 fl oz	
	Renounce 20WP	3-4 oz	
	Scorpion 35SL	2-5 fl oz; 9-10.5 fl oz	Use the low rate for foliar application; use the high rate for soil application.
	Sevin XLR Plus (4F)	2 qt	Other formulations may be available.
Climbing cutworms	Scout at least weekly as bud swell occurs.		
	Same as for flea beetles above, or		
	Altacor 35WDG	3-4.5 oz	
	Baythroid XL 1EC	2.4-3.2 fl oz	
	Belt 4SC	3-4 fl oz	
	Danitol 2.4EC	10.7-21.3 fl oz	
	Delegate 25WG	3-5 oz	
	Lorsban 4E or Lorsban Advanced	1 qt	Apply as a spray drench ground application. Do not use now if Lorsban will be used later for root borer.

Based on Plant Growth Stages

- Dormant
- Bud Swell
- Bud Break to Bloom
- 10" Inch Shoots
- Pre-Bloom
- Bloom
- Shatter
- First Cover to Veraison
- Veraison to Harvest
- Post Harvest

Pest Material Rate/Ac Comments

52\ Fungicides
47 Insecticides
23 Herbicides
Pre-harvest Interval
Re-Entry Interval
Toxicity
Mode of Action
Resistance Mgt.
Respray Interval
Tank Mixing
Brand Name
Chemical Name
Manufacturer
EPA Number
\$/ Acre
Rates / Acre
Efficacy / Pest
Min. Gallons / Acre
Personal Protective
Equipment (PPE)



2019/20 Guide is \$39, New Guides are \$64

Vineyard Restricted Use Pesticides

Fungicides: None

Herbicides: Kerb, Gramoxone (paraquat)

Insecticides: Agri-mek, Baythroid, Brigade, Danitol,
Lorsban EC, Mustang Maxx, Vendex

General Use Pesticides

Everything Else

Missouri Private Pesticide Applicator License



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<https://agriculture.mo.gov/plants/pesticides/>

 Division of Plant Sciences
University of Missouri

Pesticide Applicator Training

<http://pat.missouri.edu/>

Private Pesticide Applicator Reference Manual, 135 pp \$12

<https://extension2.missouri.edu/MP731>

Worker Protection Standard (WPS)

Worker Pesticide Safety Training

Central Pesticide Information, Application and Safety Posted Area

Decontamination Sites within $\frac{1}{4}$ mile of the site
(water, soap and towels)

Pesticide Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)
(Label - Agriculture Use Requirements)

Ability to Provide Timely Emergency Assistance

Pesticide Application Signs posted 24 hours Prior to Application and up
Until 3 Days After the Restricted Entry Interval (REI) at Field Entry Areas

**Vineyard Owners and Their Immediate Families are
Exempt from Most of these rules.**

EPA WPS Resources

EPA WPS Manual:

<https://www.epa.gov/pesticide-worker-safety/pesticide-worker-protection-standard-how-comply-manual>

MO Dept Worker Protection

<https://agriculture.mo.gov/plants/pesticides/workerprotect.php>

National Online Train the Trainer WPS Course required prior to training workers. \$35

<http://pesticideresources.org/wps/ttt/course/index.html>

Online Worker & Handler Pesticide Training Video FREE

<https://vimeo.com/215241678>

Pesticide Signal Words

<u>Signal Word</u>	<u>Toxicity</u>	<u>Oral Lethal Dose (150 lb person)</u>
Danger	High	Few drops to a teaspoon
Warning	Moderate	teaspoon to a tablespoon
Caution	Low	1 oz. to a pint

Table 8. Fungicide Harvest Restrictions and Restricted-Entry Intervals (REI)

Trade name	Common name	Harvest restrictions: Days before harvest and limitations (Maximum amount/ acre/season)*				REI*	FRAC* Code
		Grape	Blueberry	Brambles	Strawberry		
Abound	azoxystrobin	14*	0	0	0	12 hr	11
Aliette	fosetyl-AL	15*	0*	60	0 (30 lb)	12 hr	33
Basic copper sulfate	copper sulfate	0	—	0	0	24 hr	M
Bayleton	triadimefon	14 (18 oz)	—	—	—	12 hr	3
Cabrio	pyraclostrobin	—	0 (56 oz)	0 (56 oz)	0 (56 oz)	24 hr	11
Captan	captan	0 (24 lb)	0 (70 lb)	3*	0 (48 lb)	see note*	M
CaptEvate	captan plus fenhexamid	—	0 (21 lb)	0 (21 lb)	0 (21 lb)	24/72 hr*	M 17
Dithane M-45, others	mancozeb	66*	—	—	—	24 hr	M
Elevate	fenhexamid	0*	0	0	0*	12 hr	17
Elite	tebuconazole	14	—	—	—	12 hr	3
Endura	boscalid	14*	—	—	—	12 hr	7
Ferbam	carbamate	7	—	—	—	24 hr	M
Flint	trifloxystrobin	14*	—	—	—	12 hr	11

**PHI = Pre-Harvest
Interval
&**

**REI = Re-Entry
Interval**

Table 9. Insecticide and Miticide Harvest Restrictions and Restricted-Entry Intervals

Consult product label for complete restrictions and limitations.

Trade Name	Common name	Harvest Restrictions: Days before harvest and limitations				REI*	IRAC*
		Grape	Blueberry	Brambles	Strawberry		
Acramite	bifenazate	14	—	—	1	12hr/5days	25
Actara	thiamethoxam	—	3	—	3	12 hr	4A
Admire	imidacloprid	—	7	—	14	12 hr	4A
Agri-mak (RUP)	abamectin	28	—	—	3	12 hr	6
Appland	buprofezin	30	—	—	—	12 hr	16
Azana (RUP)	acetamiprid	—	14	7	—	12 hr	3
Assail	acetamiprid	7	—	—	—	12 hr	4A
Baythroid	cyfluthrin	3	—	—	—	12 hr	3
Brigade (RUP)	bifenthrin	—	—	3	0	12 hr	3
Capture (RUP)	bifenthrin	30	—	3	—	12 hr	3
Confirmer	tebufenozide	—	14	14	—	4 hr	18A
Danitol (RUP)	fenpropathrin	21	3	—	2	24 hr	3
Deadline	metaldehyde	0	0	0	0	12 hr	-
Diazinon (RUP)	diazinon	28	7	—	5*	24 hr	1B
Dibrom	naled	3	—	—	1	48/72 hr	1B

Pesticide Resistance Management

- a. Avoiding repetitive use or sole use of one chemical.
- b. Tank mix with different modes of action.
(Example FRAC mode of action #'s)
- c. Alternate applications with products of different modes of action.
- d. Limit the number of treatments – apply only when necessary.
- e. Integrate with non-chemical fungicide methods.
- f. Apply labeled rates.

Pesticide Resistance Action Groups:

http://www.clemson.edu/extension/pest_ed/issues/resistan.html

Integrated Pest Management

Integrated practices involving the entire crop management system utilized to keep pest damage below the economic threshold level and keep adverse impacts to humans, wildlife, and the environment to a minimum.

Examples are:

- biological control**
- proper crop scouting**
- spot applications vs broadcast applications**
- sanitary vineyard practices**

Know Your Weeds

Summer Annual – germinate in spring and produce seed before fall.

Winter Annual – germinate in late summer or fall and produce seed the next spring or early summer.

Biennial – germinates in fall or spring, vegetative stage first years and reproductive stage 2nd year.

Simple Perennial – Survives several years and reproduces primarily from seed.

Creeping Perennial – Survives several years and reproduces by underground roots or stems and by seed.

Know Your Insects



Grape Berry Moth



Source: <http://news.cahnrs.wsu.edu/>

Climbing Cutworm



Grape Flea Beetle

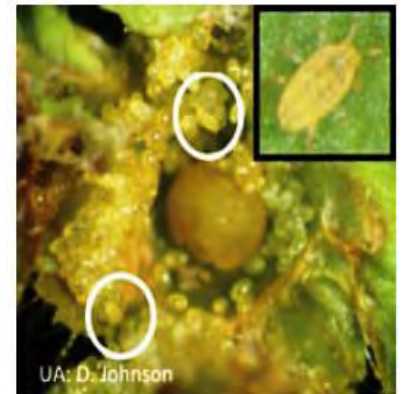


Japanese Beetles



Multicolored Asian Lady Beetles

Phylloxera



Know Your Diseases



Anthracnose



Downy Mildew



Black Rot



Powdery Mildew



Phomopsis

Know Your Spray Adjuvants

Spreader/Sticker, ie.... Non-ionic surfactant.

Spreader/Sticker/Penetrant, ie Crop oil concentrate or methylated seed oil.

Fertilizer Spray Enhancer, ie... liquid 28% nitrogen or dry ammonium sulfate crystals. Softens the water.

Drift Inhibitors: ie...acrylic or silicone polymer that reduces spray drift by increasing viscosity and droplet size.

Compatibility Agents, ie..."Unite", "Dawn dishwashing detergent" helps incompatible products mix together.

Anti-Foaming Agent – eliminates foam buildup in the tank

Compendium of Herbicide Adjuvants, Southern IL Univ.:

<http://www.herbicide-adjuvants.com/>

Pesticide Mixing Order

Follow this mixing order if not listed on label.

Fill tank $\frac{1}{4}$ with water and begin agitation.

Add compatibility agent if needed then follow this order:

1st	WDG	Wettable Dry Granules and/or packets
2nd	DF	Dry Flowable
3rd	WP	Wettable Powder
4th	AS	Aqueous Suspension
5th	F	Flowable
6th	EC or E	Emulsifiable Concentrate
7th	SP	Soluble Powder
8th	S	Solutions
10th	Surfactants	

Keep agitated and do not let stand overnight.

Types of Herbicides

Soil Applied – root and or shoot uptake

Pre-emergence – apply before seeds germinate

Pre-plant Incorporated (PPI) – soil incorporated

Post Emergence – foliage sprays

Contact – need good coverage over leaf surface

Systemic – translocation within plant. Can be soil or post applied to foliage

Know Your Herbicides

Relative Effectiveness of Herbicides for Small Fruit Crops¹

Herbicide	Grasses					Annual Broadleaves															Perennial Weeds						
	barnyardgrass	crabgrass	fox tails	goosegrass	panicum, fall	chickweed	cocklebur	groundsel, common	henbit	lambquarters	mares tail	morningglory, annual	mustards	nightsades	palmer amaranth	pigweed	purslane	ragweed	shepherdspurse	smartweeds	velvetleaf	waterhemp	dandelion	johnsongrass	nutsedge, yellow	thistle, Canada	woodsorrel, yellow
Pre-emergence																											
Alion	G	G	G	G	G	G	N	G	F	F	G	F	G	N	N	G	G	F	G	G	G	N	G	N	N	N	F
Callisto	N	N	N	N	N	G	G	N	N	G	F	F	N	G	F	G	N	G	N	G	G	G	N	N	F	N	N
Casoron	N	G	G	G	G	G	F	G	G	G	F	N	G	N	N	G	G	G	G	G	G	N	G	N	N	G	G
Chateau	N	N	N	N	N	F	F	N	N	G	G	F	N	G	F	G	G	F	G	F	F	F	N	N	N	N	N
Post-emergence																											
2,4-D	N	N	N	N	N	F	F	G	N	F	G	G	G	F	F	N	G	G	F	F	F	F	G	N	N	F	N
Aim	N	N	N	N	N	N	F	G	F	G	N	G	G	F	G	G	F	F	F	G	F	N	N	N	F	N	
Chateau	N	N	N	N	N	G	N	N	N	G	G	F	N	F	F	F	G	F	G	F	G	F	N	N	N	N	N
Fusilade	G	G	G	G	G	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	F ²	N	N	N
Goal	N	F	F	F	N	N	F	G	G	G	F	F	G	G	N	G	F	N	F	F	F	F	N	N	N	N	F
Gramoxone	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	G	N	G	G	G	N	F	N	N	N
Mission	N	G	G	N	N	G	N	G	G	G	G	N	G	N	N	G	G	G	G	N	N	N	F	N	G	G	N

PHENOXY Drift



2,4-D & dicamba (Banvel)



Register Your Commercial Site on Driftwatch



Map My Specialty Crops

Click here to sign up as a commercial crop producer.



Map My Apiaries

Click here to sign up if you only keep bees.



Applicator Registration

Click here to sign up if you are a licensed applicator.



<https://driftwatch.org>

Windsock for Wind Direction & Speed

All kinds: Approx. \$15 to \$120



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Flyrite Windsock Sizes in metres

	1.0 m	1.4 m	2.0 m	2.5 m	3.6 m
90°	12/14/22	15/17/28	18/21/33	20/23/37	27/31/50
80°	8/9/15	10/12/19	12/14/22	14/16/26	21/24/39
60°	6/7/11	8/9/15	10/12/19	11/13/20	16/18/30
45°	4/5/7	6/7/11	8/9/15	9/10/17	12/14/22
30°	3/3.5/6	5/6/9	6/7/11	7/8/13	10/12/19
0°	0	0	0	0	0

Approximate Wind Speeds knots/mph/kph

1 knot = 1.151 mph = 1.852 kph. Wind speeds have been rounded up or down as necessary.

Fungicide Effectiveness



Effectiveness of Fungicides for Control of Grape Diseases¹ (continued)

Trade Name	Common Name	FRAC Code ²	Monopack cane and leaf spot	Leaf rot	downy mildew	powdery mildew	berry leaf rot	cluster rot	anthracnose	Grape Pre-harvest Injuries (PHI) and Limitations (maximum amount per acre per season) ³	PHI (days)
JMS Stylet Oil	oil	-	0	0	0	E	0	0	0	0	12
Kenja 400SC	isofetamid	7	0	G-E	0	F	F	0	0	16 (66 fl. oz.)	12
Luna Experience	fluspyram + tebuconazole	7+3	G	G	G	E	E	G	0	14 (34 fl. oz.)	12 / 5 days ⁴
Merivon Xenium	fluxapyroxad + pyraclostrobin	7+11	0	0	0	E	0	0	0	14 (28 fl. oz.)	12
Mettlie 125ME	tebuconazole	3	0	E	0	E ⁵	0	0	E	14 (10 oz.)	12 / 7 days ⁴
Pristine	pyraclostrobin + boscalid	11+7	T	E	E ⁵	E	G	T	E	14 (69 oz.)	12 hr / 5 days ⁴
Procuze 480SC	triflumizole	3	0	G	0	E ⁵	0	T	T	7 (32 fl. oz.)	24
Prophyt, Phostrol, Agri-Fos, Legion, Rampart	phosphorus acid	33	0	0	E	0	0	0	0	0	4
Quadris Top	difenoconazole + azoxystrobin	3+11	F	E	E	E	G	T	E	14 (56 fl. oz.)	12
Quintec	quinaziflup	13	0	0	0	E	0	0	0	21 (33 fl. oz.)	12
Rally 40WSP	myclobutanil	3	0	E	0	E ⁵	0	T	E	14 (1.5 lbs.)	24
Ranman 400SC	cyazofamid	21	0	0	E	0	0	0	0	30 (16.5 fl. oz.)	12
Rezon 500SC	fenamidone	11	G	G	E	E	T	T	T	30 (8.1 fl. oz.)	12
Revus	mandipropamid	40	0	0	E	0	0	0	0	14 (32 fl. oz.)	4
Revus Top	difenoconazole + mandipropamid	3+40	0	E	E	E	T	T	E	14* (28 fl. oz.)	12
Ridomil Gold MZ WG	metenocam + mancozeb	4+M	F	G	E	0	0	G	G	66 (10 lbs.)	48
Ridomil Gold SL	metenocam	4	F	F	E	G	F	F	0	60*	48
Ridomil Gold Copper	metenocam + copper	4+M	F	F	E	G	F	F	0	42 (8 lbs.)	48
Rowral 4 Flowable	iprodione	2	0	0	0	0	G	0	T	7*	48
Scala SC	pyrimethanil	9	0	0	0	0	G	0	T	7 (36 fl. oz.)	12
Sovran	triazolin-methyl	11	F	E	G ⁶	E ⁵	G	T	E	14* (25.6 oz.)	12
Sulforb	calcium polysulfide	M	G	0	0	0	0	0	E	0*	48
Sulfur (wettable)	sulfur	M	F	0	0	E	0	0	T	0	24
Switch 62.5 WG	cyprodinil + fludioxonil	9+12	0	0	0	0	G	T	0	7 (56 oz.)	12
Tanos	fenoxidone + cyproconazole	11+7	0	0	E	0	0	0	0	30 (72 oz.)	12
TebuStar 45 WSP	tebuconazole	3	0	E	0	E ⁵	0	T	E	14 (2 lbs.)	12
Topzin M WSB	thiophanate	1	G	F	0	E	G	G	E	7 (6 lbs.)	2 days
Tortro	cyflufenamid	16	0	0	0	E	0	0	0	3 (6.8 oz.)	4
Vanguard WG	cyprodinil	9	0	0	0	0	E	0	T	7* (30 oz.)	12
Vintage SC	fenarimol	3	0	E	0	E ⁵	0	T	E	21 (21 fl. oz.)	24
Vivando	metarfenone	18	0	0	0	E	0	0	0	14 (42.6 fl. oz.)	12
Zampro	zinebtradin + dimethomorph	45+40	0	0	E	0	0	0	0	14 (56 fl. oz.)	12
Ziram 76DF	ziram	M	G	E	G	0	0	T	G	21 (28 lbs.)	48

Fungicide Timing

GROWTH STAGE, SPRAY INTERVAL	anthracnose	phomopsis	powdery mildew	downy mildew	black rot	botrytis	bitter rot	ripe rot	sour rot
dormant			OW						
budswell to 1 leaf			X						
3 leaves			X						
5 leaves to early bloom					C				
bloom to fruit set									
BBs to berry touch									
veraison, ripening			C	C					
harvest			C	C					
postharvest			C	C					
14 - 21 days									

Insecticide Effectiveness

Table 3. Effectiveness of Pesticides for Control of Grape Insects and Mites

	Climbing cutworm	Eight spotted forester	Grape berry moth	Grape cane girdler, Grape cane gallmaker	Grape flea beetle	Grape phylloxera (foliar)	Grape root borer	Japanese beetle	Leafhoppers	Multicolored Asian lady beetle	Redbanded leafroller	Rose chafer	Spider mites	Spotted wing Drosophila, Fruitflies
Insecticides														
Actara		-	-	-	-		-	-	++	-	-	-	-	-
Admire	-	-	-	-	-	++	-	+	+++	++	-	+	-	+
Altacor	-	-	+++		-	-	-	-	-	-	+++	-	-	-
Applaud	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	++	-	-	-	-	-
Assail	-	-	-	-	-	++	-	++	+++	-	-	+++	-	+
Baythroid, Renounce (RUP)	-	-	+++	++	++	++	-	+++	++	+	-	+++	-	+++
Belay	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	+	+++	+++	-	-	-	-
Belt	-	-	+++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+++	-	-	-
Brigade (RUP)	-	-	++	-	++	++	-	++	++	-	-	++	-	+++
Danitol (RUP)	-	-	+++	-	-	+++	-	+++	++	-	-	-	++	+++
Delegate, Radiant	-	-	+++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+++	-	-	+++
Dibrom	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Entrust	-	-	++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	++	-	-	++
Imidan	-	-	++	-	+	-	-	++	++	-	++	++	-	++
Intrepid	-	-	+++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	++	-	-	-
Lorsban (RUP EC only)	-	-	-	-	-	-	++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Malathion	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	++	++	-	-	++	-	++
Movento	-	-	-	-	-	+++	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-



Insecticide Timing

TIMING & EFFICACY													COST	
GROWTH STAGE, SPRAY INTERVAL	mealybug	flea beetle	cutworm	spider mites	grape berry moth	sharpshooter	leafhopper	phylloxera	grape root borer	Jap beetle	brown marm stink bug	multi Asian lady beetle		spotted wing drosophila
dormant	Orange													RATE / ACRE
budswell to 1 leaf		Dark Blue	Dark Red	Dark Green										
3 leaves				Dark Green										
5 leaves to early bloom				Dark Green	Orange	Dark Blue	Dark Red							
bloom to fruit set				Dark Green	Orange	Dark Blue	Dark Red	Dark Green	Orange					
BBs to berry touch				Dark Green	Orange	Dark Blue	Dark Red	Dark Green	Orange	Dark Blue				
veraison, ripening				Dark Green	Orange	Dark Blue	Dark Red	Dark Green		Dark Blue				COST / ACRE
harvest				Dark Green	Orange	Dark Blue	Dark Red	Dark Green			Dark Red	Dark Green	Orange	
postharvest	Orange			Dark Green		Dark Blue	Dark Red	Dark Green						
7+ days	Grey	Dark Blue	Dark Red	Grey	Orange	Grey	Dark Red	Grey	Grey	Dark Blue	Grey	Grey	Grey	1 - 2 qt
														\$10 - 20

Control Flow (CF) Valves “Highly” recommended for hand sprayers



CF Valve™ (Constant Flow) Model 9866

98661V Yellow; 14.5 psi - 11/16" Thread Viton® Seals
98662V Red; 21.0 psi - 11/16" Thread Viton® Seals
98663 Blue; 29.0 psi - 11/16" Thread
98664 Green; 43.5 psi - 11/16" Thread

Adjustable Pressure Gauge

- Constant Flow
- Uniform Pressure
- Less Pumping
- Less Drift



1. Put 1 gallon (128 fl. oz.) of water into sprayer.
2. Pump up sprayer to desired pressure.
3. Hold nozzle level and move evenly back and forth while spraying at normal walking speed until sprayer runs out.

Small sprayer calibration



Example:

Area Sprayed = 300 sq. ft.

Water Sprayed = 1 gallon = 128 oz.

Application Rate = 128 oz. / 1,280 sq. ft. = 0.1 oz. / sq. ft.

Application Rate / Acre = 43,560 sq. ft. X 0.1 oz. = 4,356 oz. / acre

$$\frac{4,356 \text{ oz.}}{128 \text{ oz. / gal.}} = 34 \text{ gallons / acre}$$



Hydraulic Boom Sprayers

<http://www.nukeaweed.com>



No-Drip Nozzles Best

Well Calibrated Air Blast Sprayer is Needed for Winegrape Production



Overlapping Coverage

Even Coverage



Banded Coverage



View from behind sprayer

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Clockwise Spin

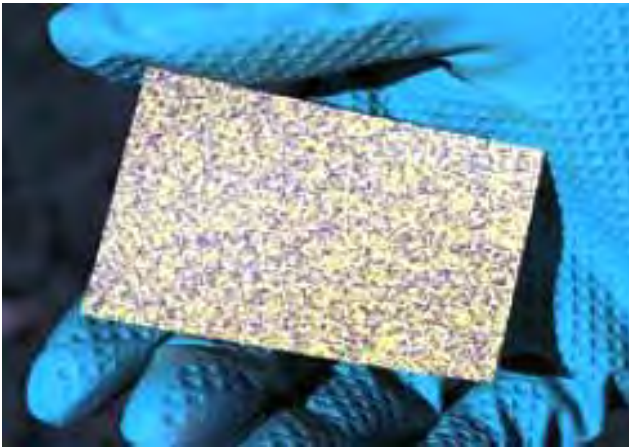


Air Misses Target on Left

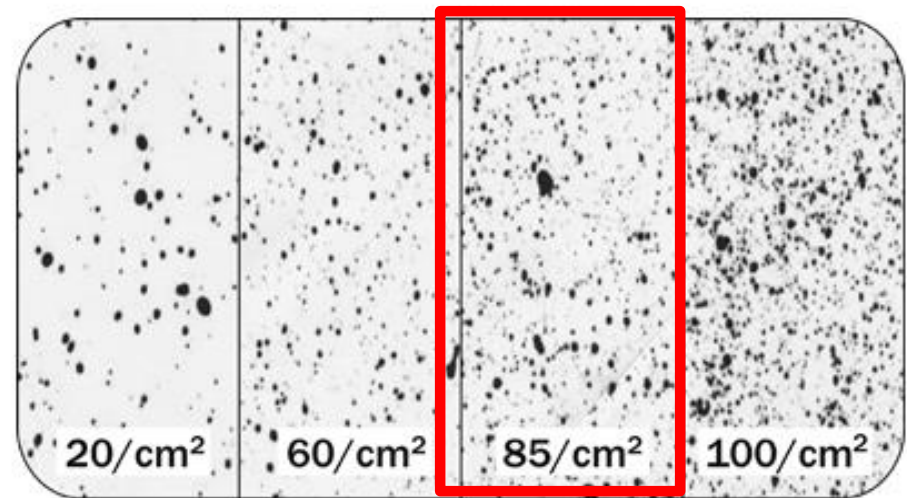
Air Hits Ground on Right

Have someone stand behind the sprayer to view overlapping coverage.

Spray Distribution Paper



80 to 90 fine to medium drops per sq. cm. is ideal for most fungicide and insecticides.



Regular note pad paper can also work with pesticide mixes with colorants

OK, my airblast sprayer is calibrated at 50 gal./ac at full canopy. How much Captan & Penncozeb do I put in my 50 gallon tank?

I want to apply 2 lbs. of Penncozeb 75DF & 2 lbs. of Captan 4L per acre.

Most labels recommend using 50 to 100 gallons of spray carrier per acre or spray to the point of runoff.



50 gallon mix for 50 gallon per acre based on full canopy in this example.

1. Fill the sprayer with 50 gallons of water.
2. Add 2 lbs. of Penncozeb 75DF & 2 lbs. of Captan 4L to the 50 gallons of water.
3. Use only the nozzles needed to cover the canopy present.
4. Your application rate per acre will be relative to the canopy present.



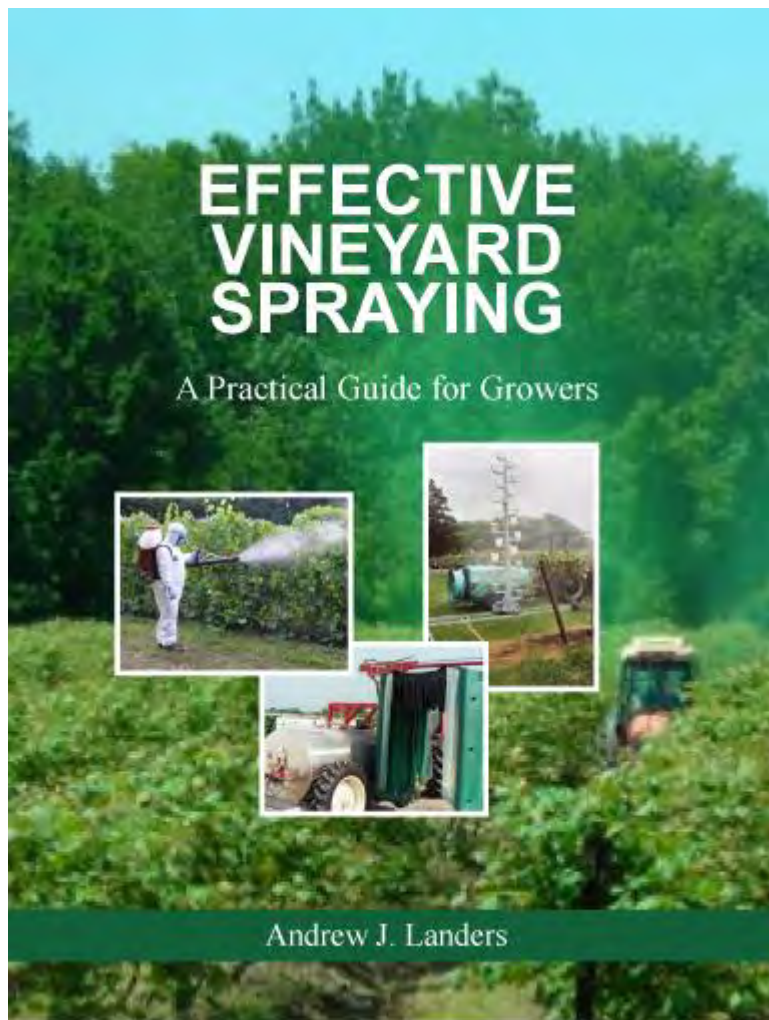
Every vs. Alternate Row Spraying

Every Row Spraying applies product to each side of the row.

Alternate Row Spraying applies product to only one side of the row.

Cornell University research shows very erratic coverage with **Alternate Row Spraying**. Especially with early season spraying where wind can affect the spray plume.

A 50 gal. / ac. Alternate Row Application can be reduced to 25 gal./ac. Every Row Application.



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Additional Resources

1. 2019 Midwest Fruit Pest Management Guide 180 pp.
<https://store.extension.iastate.edu/product/14488>
2. Midwest Small Fruit Pest Management Handbook, 210 pp:
<http://extension.missouri.edu/sare/documents/MidwestSmallFruitPestManagement2012.pdf>
3. Pesticide Resistance Action Groups:
http://www.clemson.edu/extension/pest_ed/issues/resistan.html
4. Pesticide Labels and MSDS sheets: <http://www.cdms.net/LabelsMsds/LMDefault.aspx>
5. Compendium of Herbicide Adjuvants, Southern IL Univ.: <http://www.herbicide-adjuvants.com/>
6. North Central IPM Guide: <http://www.ipmcenters.org/pmsp/pdf/NorthCentralGrapePMSP.pdf>
7. ISU Extension Pesticide Safety Program: <http://www.extension.iastate.edu/psep/>
(Pesticide training, Worker Protection Standard information)
8. Gempler's Pesticide Safety Equipment: <http://www.gemplers.com/>
9. VineSmith Pesticide Guide: <http://www.vinesmith.com/spray-guides/>
10. USDA National Organic Program: <http://www.ams.usda.gov/AMSV1.0/NOP>
11. Organic Materials Review Institute: <http://www.omri.org/>
12. Demeter Biodynamic Certification: <http://www.demeter-usa.org/>

Summary

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3. Know Your Pesticides
4. Calibrate Your Sprayer
5. Know the Regulations
6. Know When to Spray
7. Know the Weather
8. Know Pesticide Safety
9. Know Your Costs



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