

Perennial and Biennial Broadleaf Weed Control in Conservation Reserve Program (CRP)

Two powerful new products for use on CRP land



Milestone™ herbicide: Contains 2 lb ae/gallon of aminopyralid (TIPA) formulation

Recommended rate for CRP: 5 to 7 fl oz/acre

ForeFront™ herbicide: Contains 0.33 lb ae aminopyralid + 2.67 lbs ae 2,4-D per gallon

Recommended rate for CRP: 2.0 to 2.6 pt/acre



Note: Apply only to established grasses.

Advantages of both products:

- Superior long term Canada thistle control – see graph
- Excellent control of other noxious weeds including biennial thistles, absinth wormwood, knapweeds, sowthistle, oxeye daisy, hawkweeds, and many more (see label for rates and application timing)
- Non-restricted use – no special license required¹
- No grazing restrictions²
- Essentially non-volatile
- Wide application window – spring, summer or fall



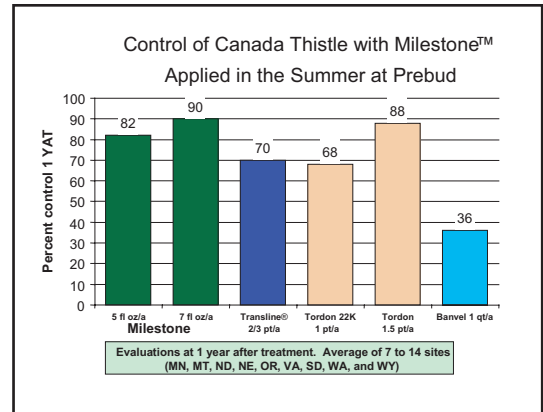
Which product to use?

Use **Milestone** for targeted control of Canada thistle and other noxious weeds.

There will be some selectivity (some injury but not death) to certain forbs such as goldenrod, milkweed, vervain, and others

(research is ongoing to determine species selectivity of aminopyralid)

Use **ForeFront** for broader spectrum weed control – many broadleaf species will be controlled or suppressed



What are my rotational options after using Milestone when coming out of CRP?

Grasses can be planted the fall after a spring treatment. Further research is being conducted to evaluate different intervals between application and planting.

12 months after treatment: corn can be planted only after a treatment the previous spring.

2 YAT: Canola

3 YAT: Alfalfa: A bioassay should be conducted but it is likely that alfalfa can be planted.

For other sensitive crops such as potatoes, lentils, soybeans, and peas, a soil bioassay should be conducted before planting (see label for directions). Depending on environmental conditions, 3 YAT may be adequate for most crops.

¹ Some states require an individual be licensed if involved in the recommendation, handling or application of any pesticide. Consult your local extension office for information regarding licensing requirements.

² Restrictions do apply to the transfer of grazing animals to sites intended to grow sensitive crops. Refer to the label for a complete list of transfer restrictions.