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Site Preparation and Release Herbicides For Tree Production

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The purpose of these tables is to provide a listing and comparison of several forestry herbicides commonly recommended to landowners. The tables facilitate the process of identifying herbicides with the potential for solving general forest weed problems. They are not intended to provide all the information required to make a specific recommendation. Further label research is required.

Regardless of the herbicide recommended, the user should read the label before purchase and again before use. The label clearly states the legitimate uses of the product and lists the weeds controlled. The purchaser must insure that the product is appropriately labeled for the intended use. It is a violation of federal law to use a pesticide for any purpose other than that stated on the label.

These herbicide tables are not an exhaustive list of available herbicides registered for use in forestry in Michigan. Other active ingredients and other tradenames for listed active ingredients are available for use in Michigan. Small quantities for several of the active ingredients are available at hardware, and home and garden centers under various tradenames.

This listing of herbicides does not imply endorsement or discrimination by the MSU Cooperative Extension Service.

The following list identifies manufacturers for selected products:

| Active ingredient | Tradenames | Manufacturers |
|---------------------|-------------------------|----------------|
| 2,4-D | Numerous | Various |
| 2,4-DP | Numerous | Various |
| atrazine | Numerous | Various |
| dicamba | Banvel | Sandoz |
| dichlobenil | Casoron, Norosac | PBI/Gordon |
| fluazifop-butyl | Fusilade | ICI |
| fosamine ammonium | Krenite | DuPont |
| glyphosate | Roundup, Accord | Monsanto |
| hexazinone | Velpar, Pronone | DuPont |
| imazapyr | Arsenal, Chopper | Amer. Cyanamid |
| linuron | Lorox | DuPont |
| picloram | Tordon, Access, Pathway | Dow |
| sulfometuron methyl | Oust | DuPont |
| triclopyr | Garlon, Access | Dow |