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How much can the methyl bromide rate be reduced when applied under metalized mulch?

Trial ID: Veg38-06

Study Dir.: Russ Hamilin

Location: Coggins (McLeon)

Investigator: Stanley Culpepper

Reps: 3

Plots: 15 by 300 feet

Spray vol: 14.8 gal/ac

Mix size: 1 liters (min 17.363)

Trt No.	Treatment Name	Form Conc	Form Unit	Form Type	Form Rate	Rate Unit	Grow Stg	Appl Code	Amt to Measure	Plot No. By Rep		
										1	2	3
1	MB 400 lb									101	203	302
	LDPE 1.25 mil black/black											
2	MB 300 lb									102	201	304
	LDPE 1.25 mil black/black											
3	MB 300 lb									103	202	303
	Metalized strip 1.3 mil											
4	MB 200 lb									104	204	301
	Metalized strip 1.3 mil											

Sort Order: Treatment

Product quantities required for listed treatments and applications in one trial:

Amount*	Unit	Treatment Name	Form Conc	Form Type	Lot Code
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* 'Per area' calculations based on spray volume= 14.8 gal/ac, mix size= 1 liters (mix size basis).

* Product amount calculations increased 25 % for overage adjustment.

Trial Comments

OBJECTIVE: Compare weed response and crop growth to MB applied under LDPE or metalized mulch.

NUTSEDGE RESPONSE:

1. MB at 400 lb/A broadcast was 40% more effective than 300 lb/A on LDPE mulch.
2. MB at 300 lb/A applied under metalized mulch was more effective than 400 lb/A under LDPE.
3. MB at 200 lb/A applied under metalized mulch was less effective than 400 lb/A under LDPE and similarly effective to 300 lb/A applied under LDPE.

PEPPER HEIGHTS

1. In April, 40 pepper plants per plot were measured.
2. Pepper planted on metalized mulch were 7 to 14% shorter than pepper planted on LDPE mulch.

GENERAL COMMENTS:

1. MB was applied with the super bedder plastic layer injecting the fumigant 8 inches deep with 3 knives on a 32 inch bedtop.

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Weed Code	CYPZZ	CYPZZ	plant 1	plant 2	plant 3	plant 4	plant 5	
Rating Data Type	ct	ct	ht	ht	ht	ht	ht	
Rating Unit	#/plot	#/plot	cm	cm	cm	cm	cm	
Rating Date	Mar-29-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	
Trt-Eval Interval	55 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	
ARM Action Codes								
Trt Treatment	Rate							
No. Name	Rate Unit	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1 MB 400 lb LDPE 1.25 mil black/black		9 bc	3 bc	26 a	26 a	26 a	24 ab	24 a
2 MB 300 lb LDPE 1.25 mil black/black		23 a	16 ab	24 a	25 a	25 a	25 a	25 a
3 MB 300 lb Metalized strip 1.3 mil		0 c	0 c	24 a	22 a	22 a	24 ab	24 a
4 MB 200 lb Metalized strip 1.3 mil		19 ab	19 a	22 a	23 a	22 a	22 b	22 a
LSD (P=.05)		10.6	14.5	5.2	5.1	5.6	2.3	3.9
Standard Deviation		5.3	7.2	2.6	2.5	2.8	1.2	1.9
CV		41.6	74.92	10.83	10.58	11.83	4.91	8.18
Bartlett's X2		0.352	9.806	8.297	4.103	6.187	2.335	4.243
P(Bartlett's X2)		0.839	0.02*	0.04*	0.251	0.103	0.506	0.236

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Weed Code	plant 6	plant 7	plant 8	plant 9	plant 10	plant 11	plant 12			
Rating Data Type	ht	ht	ht	ht	ht	ht	ht			
Rating Unit	cm	cm	cm	cm	cm	cm	cm			
Rating Date	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06			
Trt-Eval Interval	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A			
ARM Action Codes										
Trt No.	Treatment Name	Rate	Unit	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
1	MB 400 lb LDPE 1.25 mil black/black	25	a	25	26	26	25	25	25	24
2	MB 300 lb LDPE 1.25 mil black/black	25	a	25	25	27	24	25	26	24
3	MB 300 lb Metalized strip 1.3 mil	24	a	23	23	26	24	26	25	23
4	MB 200 lb Metalized strip 1.3 mil	18	b	23	23	19	23	22	20	22
LSD (P=.05)		3.9		3.6		2.1		4.5		5.2
Standard Deviation		1.9		1.8		1.1		2.3		2.6
CV		8.51		7.32		4.37		9.48		11.05
Bartlett's X2		1.928		0.776		2.5		1.563		3.374
P(Bartlett's X2)		0.587		0.855		0.475		0.668		0.337

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Weed Code	plant 13	plant 14	plant 15	plant 16	plant 17	plant 18	plant 19								
Rating Data Type	ht	ht	ht	ht	ht	ht	ht								
Rating Unit	cm	cm	cm	cm	cm	cm	cm								
Rating Date	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06								
Trt-Eval Interval	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A								
ARM Action Codes															
Trt No.	Treatment Name	Rate	Unit	15	16	17	18	19	20	21					
1	MB 400 lb LDPE 1.25 mil black/black	25	ab	25	a	26	a	26	a	27	a	26	a		
2	MB 300 lb LDPE 1.25 mil black/black	27	a	25	a	25	a	25	a	23	a	24	a	24	a
3	MB 300 lb Metalized strip 1.3 mil	24	bc	26	a	25	a	27	a	25	a	20	a	25	a
4	MB 200 lb Metalized strip 1.3 mil	23	c	23	a	21	b	20	b	21	a	21	a	22	b
LSD (P=.05)		2.1		5.5		3.6		4.8		5.1		9.3		1.9	
Standard Deviation		1.1		2.8		1.8		2.4		2.6		4.6		0.9	
CV		4.33		11.17		7.5		9.89		10.82		20.19		3.9	
Bartlett's X2		0.9		3.15		2.045		5.171		5.266		3.104		2.43	
P(Bartlett's X2)		0.638		0.369		0.563		0.16		0.153		0.376		0.297	

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Weed Code	plant 20	plant 21	plant 22	plant 23	plant 24	plant 25	plant 26			
Rating Data Type	ht	ht	ht	ht	ht	ht	ht			
Rating Unit	cm	cm	cm	cm	cm	cm	cm			
Rating Date	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06			
Trt-Eval Interval	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A			
ARM Action Codes										
Trt No.	Treatment Name	Rate	Unit	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
1	MB 400 lb LDPE 1.25 mil black/black			26 a	27 a	28 a	28 a	26 a	25 a	27 a
2	MB 300 lb LDPE 1.25 mil black/black			25 a	29 a	26 a	26 a	24 a	22 a	28 a
3	MB 300 lb Metalized strip 1.3 mil			27 a	24 ab	23 a	25 a	23 a	23 a	24 ab
4	MB 200 lb Metalized strip 1.3 mil			25 a	16 b	22 a	25 a	23 a	22 a	21 b
LSD (P=.05)				2.6	7.9	6.3	2.7	4.8	6.3	3.6
Standard Deviation				1.3	4.0	3.1	1.3	2.4	3.2	1.8
CV				4.97	16.59	12.61	5.15	10.0	13.66	7.27
Bartlett's X2				4.609	2.714	9.302	2.738	2.006	3.113	2.039
P(Bartlett's X2)				0.203	0.438	0.026*	0.434	0.571	0.375	0.361

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Weed Code	plant 27	plant 28	plant 29	plant 30	plant 31	plant 32	plant 33			
Rating Data Type	ht	ht	ht	ht	ht	ht	ht			
Rating Unit	cm	cm	cm	cm	cm	cm	cm			
Rating Date	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06			
Trt-Eval Interval	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A			
ARM Action Codes										
Trt No.	Treatment Name	Rate	Unit	29	30	31	32	33	34	35
1	MB 400 lb LDPE 1.25 mil black/black			27 a	25 a	25 a	25 a	27 a	25 ab	26 a
2	MB 300 lb LDPE 1.25 mil black/black			24 a	23 a	26 a	26 a	25 a	24 ab	25 a
3	MB 300 lb Metalized strip 1.3 mil			25 a	24 a	24 a	24 a	22 b	20 b	24 a
4	MB 200 lb Metalized strip 1.3 mil			23 a	24 a	23 a	24 a	24 ab	26 a	21 a
LSD (P=.05)				7.8	5.5	3.3	5.5	2.6	5.0	5.7
Standard Deviation				3.9	2.8	1.7	2.7	1.3	2.5	2.9
CV				15.81	11.52	6.85	11.04	5.22	10.54	11.95
Bartlett's X2				5.199	2.824	4.355	4.29	7.131	1.011	3.046
P(Bartlett's X2)				0.158	0.244	0.113	0.232	0.068	0.799	0.385

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Weed Code	plant 34	plant 35	plant 36	plant 37	plant 38	plant 39	plant 40								
Rating Data Type	ht	ht	ht	ht	ht	ht	ht								
Rating Unit	cm	cm	cm	cm	cm	cm	cm								
Rating Date	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06	Apr-25-06								
Trt-Eval Interval	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A	82 DA-A								
ARM Action Codes															
Trt No.	Treatment Name	Rate	Unit	36	37	38	39	40	41	42					
1	MB 400 lb LDPE 1.25 mil black/black	27	a	26	a	27	a	25	ab	29	a	27	a	19	a
2	MB 300 lb LDPE 1.25 mil black/black	25	ab	24	ab	27	a	27	a	27	a	28	a	23	a
3	MB 300 lb Metalized strip 1.3 mil	19	b	22	bc	24	b	23	bc	19	a	23	a	25	a
4	MB 200 lb Metalized strip 1.3 mil	23	ab	20	c	23	b	21	c	21	a	24	a	21	a
LSD (P=.05)		7.7		3.0		2.2		2.9		10.2		4.6		9.0	
Standard Deviation		3.8		1.5		1.1		1.4		5.1		2.3		4.5	
CV		16.4		6.39		4.38		5.97		21.5		9.03		20.36	
Bartlett's X2		5.069		3.268		2.539		4.926		11.057		1.215		3.593	
P(Bartlett's X2)		0.167		0.195		0.468		0.177		0.011*		0.749		0.309	

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Weed Code	Avg40pla	
Rating Data Type	ht	
Rating Unit	cm	
Rating Date	Apr-25-06	
Trt-Eval Interval	82 DA-A	
ARM Action Codes	T1	
Trt No.	Treatment Name	Rate Unit
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1	MB 400 lb LDPE 1.25 mil black/black	26 a
2	MB 300 lb LDPE 1.25 mil black/black	25 a
3	MB 300 lb Metalized strip 1.3 mil	24 b
4	MB 200 lb Metalized strip 1.3 mil	22 c
LSD (P=.05)	1.3	
Standard Deviation	0.6	
CV	2.6	
Bartlett's X2	6.607	
P(Bartlett's X2)	0.086	

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Column 43: T1 = @AVG([C3].[C42])

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GENERAL TRIAL INFORMATION

Study Director: Russ Hamilin **Title:** Coggins Farms
Affiliation: Coggins Farms
Postal Code: _____
Investigator: Stanley Culpepper **Title:** Ext. Weed Science
Affiliation: Univ. of Georgia
Postal Code: _____

TRIAL LOCATION

City: Echols Co. **Trial Status:** completed
State/Prov.: GA **Trial Reliability:** good
Postal Code: _____ **Initiation Date:** Feb-02-06
Country: USA **Planned Completion Date:** _____
E-Longitude of LL Corner °: _____ **N-Latitude of LL Corner °:** _____
Altitude of LL Corner: _____ **Unit:** _____ **Angle y-axis to North °:** _____
Directions:

COOPERATOR/LANDOWNER

Cooperator: _____ **Country:** _____
Org: _____ **Phone No:** _____
Address 1: _____ **Fax No:** _____
Address 2: _____
City: _____
State/Prov: _____
Postal Code: _____

Conducted Under GLP (Y/N): N **Conducted Under GEP (Y/N):** N
Guidelines: _____ **Guideline Description:** _____

Objective:

Conclusions:

CROP AND WEED DESCRIPTION

Weed	Code	Common Name	Scientific Name
1.	CYPZZ	nutsedge species	

Crop 1: CPSAN bell pepper **Variety:** Heritage
Planting Date: Mar-01-06 **Planting Method:** conventional
Rate: 1 ft **Depth:** 1 in **Perennial Age:** _____
Row Spacing: 5 ft **Spacing Within Row:** 12 inch **Seed Bed:** raised/mulch
Soil Temperature: _____ **Soil Moisture:** drip **Emergence Date:** _____

SITE AND DESIGN

Plot Width, Unit: 15 FT **Plot Length, Unit:** 300 FT **Reps:** 3
Site Type: On farm
Tillage Type: conventional **Study Design:** RANDOMIZED COMPLETE BLOCK

Trial Initiation Comments:

	Previous Crops	Previous Pesticides	Year
1.			

MAINTENANCE

Field Prep./Maintenance:

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No.	Date	Maintenance Treatment Name	Form Conc	Form Unit	Form Type	Rate	Rate Unit
1.							

SOIL DESCRIPTION

% Sand: _____ % OM: 0. Texture: _____
 % Silt: _____ pH: 0. Soil Name: _____
 % Clay: _____ CEC: _____ Fert. Level: _____

ADDITIONAL MEASURED ELEMENTS

Element	Quantity	Unit

MOISTURE CONDITIONS

No.	Date	Time	Amount	Unit	Type	Interval	Unit
1.							

Overall Moisture Conditions: .

Closest Weather Station: _____ Distance: _____ Unit: ____

APPLICATION DESCRIPTION

	A
Application Date:	Feb-02-06
Time of Day:	all day
Application Method:	in bed
Application Timing:	preplant
Applic. Placement:	in bed
Air Temp., Unit:	60 F
% Relative Humidity:	48
Wind Velocity, Unit:	3 mph
Dew Presence (Y/N):	n
Water Hardness:	
Soil Temp., Unit:	58 F
Soil Moisture:	moist
% Cloud Cover:	25

CROP STAGE AT EACH APPLICATION

	A
Crop 1 Code, Stage:	CPSAN preplant
Stage Scale:	not up
Height, Unit:	0 inch

WEED STAGE AT EACH APPLICATION

	A
Weed 1 Code, Stage:	CYPZZ preplant
Stage Scale:	not up
Density, Unit:	. .

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APPLICATION EQUIPMENT

	A
Appl. Equipment:	see
Operating Pressure:	comment
Nozzle Type:	section
Nozzle Size:	
Nozzle Spacing, Unit:	
Nozzles/Row:	
Band Width, Unit:	
Boom Length, Unit:	
Boom Height, Unit:	
Ground Speed, Unit:	
Incorporation Equip.:	
Hours to Incorp.:	
Incorp. Depth, Unit:	
Carrier:	
Spray Volume, Unit:	
Spray pH:	
Propellant:	
Tank Mix (Y/N):	

Trt No	Treatment Application Comment