





Rush Control Best Practice

- **1.** Spray rushes when actively growing ideally around 24cm if rushes are strong top first and spray regrowth.
- Using a sticker such as 'Torpedo II' at 100ml per 100 litres of water will increase the efficacy of the chemical.
- **3.** Aim to have 48 hours dry after spraying to ensure good uptake (do not spray when rain is forecast).
- 4. Top rushes approximately 4 weeks after spraying to allow grass to thicken.
- Refer to the Drinagh Sprays Brochure for recommended products and usage rates

Sustainable Use of Pesticides Directive (SUD)

- Since November 2015, only a registered professional user can apply pesticides authorised for professional use only.
- Individuals who are not registered as a professional user can buy pesticides authorised for professional use but these pesticides must be applied by a registered professional user.

There is a requirement to keep appropriate records with details of the registered professional user who applied the pesticides.

Sprayer Testing Service

- Under EU Legislation, all sprayers with a boom greater than 3 meters must be tested by a registered Inspector of Pesticide Application Equipment.
- The interval between inspections must not exceed 3 years.
- New equipment must be inspected at least once within a period of five years after purchase. Sprayer testing can be carried out in Drinagh by our Department of Agriculture registered technician. Contact James Walsh on 028-30800 to arrange a test.

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GRASSLAND WEED CONTROL GUIDE



PRODUCT	Doxstar Pro	Dockleen	Desire	Envy	Pastor Trio	Forefront T	Hurler	Eagle	ProClova	Agroxone 50	Lupo	D-50	Thistlex	Scrubkiller Ultra	Grazon Pro	Gallup	Roundup	Roundup Flex	
Active Ingredients	150g Fluroxypyr 150g Triclopyr	150g Fluroxypyr 150g Triclopyr	100g Fluroxypyr 2.5g Florasu- lam	100g Fluroxypyr 2.5g Florasulam	100g Fluroxypyr 2.5g Florasulam 80g Clopyralid	30g Aminopyralid 240g Triclopyr	200g Fluroxypyr	75% Amidosulfuron	36og Amidosulfuron 75.5g Florpyrauxifen - benzyl	500g MCPA	345g 2,4-D 345g MCPA	500g 2,4 D	200g Clopyralid 200g Tricolpyr	60g Clopyralid 240g Triclopyr	60g Clopyralid 240g Triclopyr	360g Glyphosate	360g Glyphosate	480g Glyphosate	
Established Grassland	2.0 l/ha	2.0I/Ha	2.0I/Ha	2.0 l/ha	2.0 l/ha	2.0 l/ha	2.0 l/ha	40-60 g/ha	125g/Ha + 250ml/Ha XL	2.7 l/ha	4.0 l/ha	3.3 l/ha	10. l/ha	Spot Teatment. 60ml per 10 litres of water	Spot – Teatment. 60ml per – 10 litres of water –	5 l/ha	5 l/ha	4.5 l/ha	
Reseeding Post Emergence	N/A	N/A	1.5I/Ha	1.5 l/ha	1.0 l/ha	N/A	0.75 l/ha	40 g/ha	85g/Ha + 165ml/ Ha XL	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			N/A	N/A	N/A	
Clover Safe	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	No			No	No	No	
Water Rate	200-400 I/ha	200-400 l/ha	200-400 I/ha	200-400 I/ha	200-400 l/ha	200-400 I/ha	200-400 l/ha	300-400 Ilha	200-400 l/ha	200-400 I/ha	200-400 I/ha	200-400 I/ha	200-400 I/ha			200-400 l/ha	200-400 I/ha	150-250 l/ha	
Stock Withholding Period	7 days	7 days	7 days	7 days	7 days	7 days	3 days	7 days	7 days	14 days	14 days	14 days	7 days	7 days	7 days	7 days	7 days	5 days	
Cutting Interval	28 days	28 days	28 days	28 days	28 days		28 days	21 days	14-21 days	14 days	14 days	14 days	28 days	28 days	28 days	7 days	7 days	5 days	
Key weeds	Key weeds															Burning Off/Grassland Destruction			
Bramble	MS	MS	MS	MS	MS	S	R	R	-	_	_	_	R	S	S	S	S	S	
Broadleaved Dock	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	-	MS	MS	MR	S	S	S	S	S	
Chickweed	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	R	s	R	-	MR	MS	S	S	S	S	S	
Common Nettle	MS	MS	MS	MS	MR	S	MS	R	R	-	MS	MS	MS	S	S	S	S	S	
Creeping Buttercup	MR	MR	S	S	S	S	R	R	S	MS	MR	MR	-	MR	MR	S	S	S	
Creeping Thistle	_	-	R	R	S	S	-	R	R	MS	MS	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Curled Dock	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	MS	-	MS	MS	MR	S	S	S	S	S	
Daisy	S	S	S	S	S	MS	R	R	S	MS	-	MS	-	MS	MS	S	S	S	
Dandelion	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	R	S	MR	-	MS	MR	MS	MS	S	S	S	
Gorse	MS	MS	R	R	R	-	R	R	-	-	-	-	-	S	S	MS	MS	MS	
Mouse Ear Chickweed	-	-	-	S	-	-	-	R	MS	MR	-	MR	-	-	-	S	S	S	
Plantain	MS	MS	S	S	S	MS	R	R	S	S	-	S	-	MS	MS	S	S	S	
Ragwort	R	R	R	R	R	S	-	R	R	MS	MS	MS	R	MR	MR	S	S	S	
Soft Rush	R	R	R	R	R	R	-	R	R	MS	-	MS	R	R	R	S	S	S	
Sow Thistle	_	-	R	R	S	S	-	R	R	MR	-	MR	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Spear Thistle	-	-	R	R	S	S	-	R	R	MS	-	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Willow Herb	S	S	-	-	-	S	-	R	S	MR	-	-	-	S	S	S	S	S	
Yellow Iris (Fellastrum)	-	-	-	-	-	S	-	R	-	-	MS	-	-	S	S	S	S	S	