

Cross Wind Ridges

Conservation Practice Job Sheet 588

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Operation and maintenance

Cross wind ridges must be maintained after establishment through those periods wind erosion is expected to occur, or until growing crops provide enough cover to protect the soil from wind erosion.

Cross wind ridges established on bare fields for emergency tillage shall be re-established if they become ineffective during the critical wind erosion period.

Specifications

Site-specific requirements are listed on the specifications sheet. Additional provisions are illustrated on the job sketch sheet. Ridge height and spacing of cross wind ridges is determined using the current NRCS wind erosion prediction technology. Specifications included in this job sheet are prepared in accordance with the NRCS Field Office Technical Guide. See practice standard Cross Wind Ridges (588).

