

**NATURAL RESOURCES CONSERVATION SERVICE
OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE**

**HERBACEOUS WEED CONTROL
(acre)
CODE 315**

Participant: _____

Location: _____ Contract/Plan: _____

Operation and Maintenance Items

Operation

- Herbaceous weed control practices shall be applied using approved materials and procedures. Operations will comply with all local, state, and federal laws and ordinances.
- Success of the practice shall be determined by evaluating regrowth or reoccurrence of target species after sufficient time has passed to monitor the situation and gather reliable data. Length of evaluation periods will depend on the herbaceous weeds species being monitored, proximity of propagules (seeds, plant materials and roots) to the site, transport mode of seeds (wind or animals) and methods and materials used.

Application:



Maintenance

- Following initial application, some regrowth, resprouting, or reoccurrence of herbaceous weeds may be expected. Spot treatment of individual plants or areas needing re-treatment should be completed as needed when weed vegetation is most vulnerable to desired treatment procedures.
- Review and update the plan periodically in order to incorporate new IPM technology; response to grazing management and complex weed population changes; and avoid the development of weed resistance to herbicide chemicals.

Treatment:

