

Evaluation of topramezon in corn. Horky, Kevin T. and Alex R. Martin. A field study was conducted to evaluate the efficacy of weed control programs in corn. A randomized complete block design with three replications per treatment was utilized. The study was conducted on a Sharpsburg silt loam with 2.7% organic matter and a pH of 6.8. Individual plots consisted of six 30-inch rows, each 30 feet long. 'Dekalb 6019RR' corn was planted April 27 at a population of 22000 seeds per acre. Treatments were applied with a tractor-mounted sprayer at a speed of 3.0 mph. EPOST treatments were applied 20 days after planting, and POST treatments were applied 35 days after planting. Application, weed, and environmental data are presented below:

Date	May 3	May 23	June 7
Treatment	PRE	EPOST	POST
Sprayer			
gpa	15	15	15
psi	30	30	30
Temperature (°C)			
air	17	30	28
soil (4 inch)	8	20	21
Soil Moisture	adequate	adequate	adequate
Wind (mph)	2	3	2
Sky (% cloudy)	5	10	60
Relative			
humidity (%)	20	15	66
Precip. After appl. (inches)			
week 1	0.01	0.15	1.25
week 2	1.99	2.59	0.06
Corn			
stage	--	V3	V5
height (cm)	--	10	30
Velvetleaf			
height (cm)	--	5	15
infestation (m ²)	--	6	5
Common sunflower			
height (cm)	--	7	18
infestation (m ²)	--	4	5
Palmer amaranth			
height (cm)	--	3	15
infestation (m ²)	--	3	4
Green foxtail			
height (cm)	--	1	12
infestation (m ²)	--	2	3

Summary comments: Limited rainfall reduced performance of PRE treatments. PRE treatments followed by a POST treatment provided the greatest weed control and crop yield. Results of the study are summarized in the following table. (Dept. of Agronomy and Horticulture, University of Nebraska-Lincoln)

Table. Evaluation of topramezon in corn (Horky and Martin).

Treatment	Application		-----ABUTH-----		-----HELAN-----		-----AMAPA-----		-----SETVI-----		-----ZEAMX-----	
	Rate	Timing	5/31	6/21	5/31	6/21	5/31	6/21	5/31	6/21	Injury 5/31	YIELD 10/3
	(lb/a)		% Weed Control								% Chlorosis	(bu/ac)
S-metolachlor& atrazine& benoxacor/ mesotrione+ atrazine+ COC ¹ + UAN ²	0.96 1.24 0.094 0.25 1% v/v 2.5% v/v	PRE/ POST	45	99	50	99	50	99	57	99	0	125
S-metolachlor& atrazine& benoxacor	0.96 1.24 	PRE	25	40	30	30	28	35	32	33	0	70
S-metolachlor& atrazine& benoxacor/ topramezone ³ + atrazine+ MSO ⁴ + UAN	0.96 1.24 0.016 0.5 1% v/v 2.5% v/v	PRE/ POST	52	99	60	99	60	99	62	99	0	139
S-metolachlor& atrazine& benoxacor/ dicamba& diflufenzopyr+ NIS ⁵ + UAN	0.96 1.24 0.125 0.05 0.25% v/v 1.25% v/v	PRE/ POST	42	87	47	96	47	96	53	95	0	130
S-metolachlor& atrazine& benoxacor/ topramezone+ nicosulfuron& rimsulfuron+ MSO+ UAN	0.96 1.24 0.016 0.023 0.012 1% v/v 2.5% v/v	PRE/ POST	30	95	40	98	38	98	43	99	0	124
Nicosulfuron& rimsulfuron+ MSO+ UAN	0.023 0.012 1% v/v 2.5% v/v	POST	0	83	0	98	0	88	0	95	0	108
Topramezon+ nicosulfuron& rimsulfuron+ atrazine+ MSO+ UAN	0.016 0.023 0.012 0.5 1% v/v 2.5% v/v	POST	0	99	0	88	0	99	0	99	0	105

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Table. Evaluation of topramezon in corn (Horky and Martin), continued.

Treatment	Application		-----ABUTH-----		-----HELAN-----		-----AMAPA-----		-----SETVI-----		-----ZEAMX-----	
	Rate	Timing	5/31	6/21	5/31	6/21	5/31	6/21	5/31	6/21	Injury 5/31	YIELD 10/3
	(lb/a)		-----% Weed Control-----								% Chlorosis	(bu/ac)
Mesotrione+	0.094	POST	0	98	0	95	0	96	0	93	0	127
nicosulfuron&	0.023											
rimsulfuron+	0.012											
atrazine+	0.25											
COC+	1% v/v											
UAN	2.5% v/v											
Topramezon+	0.016	POST	0	95	0	93	0	96	0	99	0	127
nicosulfuron+	0.031											
atrazine+	0.5											
MSO+	1% v/v											
UAN	2.5% v/v											
Topramezon+	0.016	POST	0	96	0	98	0	98	0	94	0	113
foramsulfuron+	0.033											
atrazine+	0.5											
MSO+	1% v/v											
UAN	2.5% v/v											
Foramsulfuron+	0.033	POST	0	99	0	99	0	98	0	99	0	125
dicamba&	0.125											
diflufenzopyr+	0.05											
MSO+	1% v/v											
UAN	2.5% v/v											
Dimethenamid-P+	0.75	EPOST	99	95	99	99	99	99	99	99	1	130
topramezone+	0.016											
atrazine+	1											
COC+	1% v/v											
UAN	2.5% v/v											
Pendimethalin+	0.75	EPOST	99	92	99	98	99	99	99	93	0	127
topramezone+	0.016											
atrazine+	1											
COC+	1% v/v											
UAN	2.5% v/v											
S-metolachlor&	1.67	EPOST	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	93	30	129
atrazine&	0.63											
mesotrione&	0.17											
benoxacor+												
COC	1% v/v											
LSD (P=.05)			11	9	17	9	13	5	12	12	1	16

¹COC = 'Prime Oil' by Agrilience²UAN = '28%N' by Agrilience³topramezon = 'Impact' by AMVAC⁴MSO = 'Destiny' by Agrilience⁵NIS = 'Preference' by Agrilience