

# Tips to Implement Integrated Weed Management on Crop Land in Delaware



*Integrated Weed Management (IWM) is an approach to managing weeds using multiple control tactics. The purpose of IWM is to include many methods in a growing season to allow producers the best chance to control troublesome weeds. Here are some tips for implementing IWM in farm crops.*

- Use a combination of preventive, cultural, mechanical and chemical practices.
- Incorporate different methods of weed management into a combined effort to control weeds.
- Use non-herbicide approaches in combination with multiple, effective sites of action for long-term success.

Some options that are easier to implement include: equipment cleaning, timely scouting, altering herbicide tank mixes; while more extensive options include: changing crop rotation, cover cropping, changing tillage practices, and harvest time weed seed control.



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