

Grassmanship - Agronomy Solutions

Welcome to Nufarm's June technical bulletin in grassland.

Maximise quality grass through the season by controlling weeds in both new sown leys and established grassland.

Perennial weeds are growing strongly in the warm moist conditions of spring 2024.

Nufarm have a great range of **Forage Friendly** agronomy solutions, ideal for grass to be cut for silage or hay, grazing fields and horse paddocks. We also have **Clover Kind** solutions where the retention of white clover in established grassland and new sown leys is important.

CONTROL DOCKS AFTER CUTTING

Allow docks to re grow to leafy rosette stage after cutting and then apply the spray. Leave for at least 3 weeks before cutting again, this allows the herbicide time to translocate into the roots of the weeds.



THRUST 2.5L/ha + Tomahawk 1.0 L/ha

THRUST 2.5L/ha + Depitone Ultra 1.25 L/ha

THRUST 2.5L/ha + Agritox 2.5 L/ha

These are great mixes to tackle Docks in silage fields

Also effective on thistles, buttercup and nettles

Cut after 3 weeks or graze after 2 weeks

Over seed after 3 months

Safe to grass, forage friendly, no manure restrictions



NETTLEX 60 – a new spot treatment product for control of nettles, docks, thistles and woody weeds in established grassland

- A dedicated spot treatment product.
- Convenient 1 litre pack.
- Excellent control of Nettles, Docks and Thistles with good root kill.
- Excellent control of woody weeds such as bramble, broom, gorse and sycamore seedling



Knapsack rate of Nettlex 60 = 60ml in 10 litres water treats 500 m²

The clue is in the name!

Available now - Full details at nufarm.com/uk



Spring sown new leys:

TREAT SPRING SOWN LEYS FROM 3 LEAF STAGE OF GRASS

Competitive weeds such as Fat Hen, seedling thistles, docks and chickweed should be controlled in new sown leys whilst still at the seedling stage.



PASTUREMASTER 2.5 L/ha + Tomahawk 0.75 L/ha

- Apply in 200 litres of water to actively growing weeds.
- Safe to grass, forage friendly, no cutting restrictions



CLOVER KIND WEED CONTROL IN SPRING SOWN LEYS

Control Fat Hen, seedling docks and chickweed up to 6 leaves in new leys with white clover. Useful control of Red Deadnettle, Mayweed, Redshank, Small Nettle and many other seedling weeds.



SQUIRE ULTRA 40g/ha

- Apply from 1 trifoliate leaf stage of white clover
- Apply up to 30th June in fields intended as rotational grass or up to 15th October when reseeding permanent pasture
- Contains 75% w/w amidosulfuron
- Safe to white clover. Do not apply to red clover leys



CLOVER KIND WEED CONTROL in established grassland

Control Docks in grassland with white clover. The warm moist conditions this spring are ideal for good results from Squire Ultra.



SQUIRE ULTRA 60g/ha

- Apply when docks are at leafy rosette or leafy regrowth after cutting.



Star product profiles:

THRUST – the anchor product in grassland weed control

The powerful combination of 2,4-D and dicamba makes Thrust a “go to” product for the control of Dock, thistles, buttercup and ragwort in established grassland.

- 5 litre pack
- Can be applied by boom sprayer or knapsack
- 3.5 L/ha in 200L water boom sprayer
- 90ml in 10L water knapsack
- Controls many off label weeds such as Sycamore seedlings, Himalayan Balsam, Nettles and Burdock.
- Forage Friendly – no cutting or manure restrictions



TOMAHAWK – a versatile mixer herbicide for grassland and new sown leys

Contains 200g/l fluroxypyr with excellent activity on docks and chickweed

Emulsifiable concentrate formulation, making a great mixing partner with phenoxy herbicides to pep up control of difficult weeds.

Application rate is 0.75 L/ha in new sown leys and up to 2.0 L/ha in established grassland.

7 day grazing interval

3 weeks cutting interval – to allow full effect on weeds

5 weeks overseeding interval (grass and clover)

Pack size = 5 litres

Can be applied by knapsack (30 ml in 10 litres water treats 330 sq m)



Agritox contains 500g/l MCPA
 Depitone Ultra contains 600g/l 2,4-D Ester
 Tomahawk contains 200g/l fluroxypyr
 PastureMaster contains 360 g/l 2,4-D + 315 g/l MCPA
 Squire Ultra contains 75%w/w amidosulfuron
 Thrust contains 344 g/l 2,4-D + 120g/l dicamba
 Nettle 60 contains 240g/l triclopyr + 60g/l clopyralid
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Details of application rates and timings are given in Nufarm labels and product literature; both of which can be accessed from our website www.nufarm.com/uk. Alternatively, ring the Nufarm helpline on 01274 694714, Monday to Friday 9.00 - 17.00

Use plant protection products safely. Always read the label and product information before use. For label and safety information, refer to the Nufarm website www.nufarm.com/uk. Nufarm UK Ltd, Wyke Lane, Wyke, Bradford, BD12 9EJ.