Control of Canola Volunteers and Testing for Multiple Herbicide Resistance. (A00-michels141427-Poster)

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Abstract:

With increasing acres of herbicide resistant canola (Brassica napus) in the U.S. and Canada, control of volunteers is a concern. The purpose of this study was (1) to evaluate the control of different growth stages of volunteer Roundup Ready (RR) canola in conventionally tilled hard red spring wheat (HRSW) (Triticum aestivum L.) and (2) to investigate multiple herbicide resistant canola developing where glyphosate, glufosinate, and imazamoxresistant varieties were planted adjacent in consecutive years. Several wheat herbicides were sprayed over HRSW plots at three different canola growth stages at Minot, ND. Treatments for volunteer control were applied at cotyledon, two-leaf, and five-leaf stage canola. Treatments applied at the 5leaf canola stage provided slightly less control, but all treatments provided acceptable results of at least 83% control. Volunteer RR canola can be controlled in wheat by common herbicide treatments. In a separate study, glyphosate, glufosinate, imazamox, were applied alone or combined to investigate possible multiple resistance in the volunteer canola. Canola seed from surviving plants will be collected and evaluated for multiple resistance.

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