This does not constitute a formal recommendation. When using herbicides always read the label, and when in doubt consult your farm advisor or county agent.

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## Artemisia tridentata

## Sagebrush

Family: Asteraceae (sunflower)

## **NON-CHEMICAL CONTROL**

Cultural: grazing	P	overgrazing increases populations
Cultural: prescribed burning	G	repeated burning will reduce populations
Mechanical: hand removal, weed wrench, cutting	E	does not resprout well
Mechanical: heavy equipment removal	F	chaining operations can reduce density

## **CHEMICAL CONTROL**

The following specific use information is based on published papers and reports by researchers and land managers. Other trade names may be available, and other compounds also are labeled for this weed. Directions for use may vary between brands; see label before use.

2,4-D	E	Sp, ester form
Glyphosate	G*	FOL
Hexazinone	NIA	
Imazapyr	NIA	
Picloram	P	FOL
Tebuthiuron	E	Fa
Triclopyr	G	FOL
	E	CS

= Excellent control, generally better than 95%

**G** = Good control, 80-95% **F** = Fair control, 50-80%

P = Poor control, below 50%

Possible application methods

BB = basal bark

CS = cut stump FOL = foliar

INJ = stem injection

Control includes effects within the season of treatment.

Control is followed by best timing, if known, when efficacy is  $\mathbf{E}$  or  $\mathbf{G}$ .

= Likely based on results of observations of related species

FLW = flowering

NIA = No information available

Fa = Fall Sp = Spring

Su = Summer

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