

# Helping customers manage weeds in early planted soybeans

**“Research and on-farm experience is showing us that earlier planting is providing opportunity for higher soybean yields,” says Jeff Moon, Market Development Specialist, Corteva Agriscience. “But a longer growing season may require tweaks to customers’ weed control programs.” When it comes to early planted soybeans, field scouting and herbicide application timing are often the keys to success. Your customers will likely need to consider additional herbicide applications and the use of layered residuals to keep weeds at bay.**

This is how the Enlist® weed control system can be very beneficial to farmers looking to take advantage of early planted soybeans. Enlist® herbicides can be applied on Enlist E3® soybeans from burndown through postemergence, and the labeled application window for Enlist herbicides is based on crop growth stage with no calendar cutoff dates. But whichever seed your customers choose to plant, Moon says, it’s important to begin the season with a good preemergence herbicide to keep the field clean. Layered residuals are also a critical component in season-long weed control programs.

“In early planted soybean fields, Kyber and Sonic are great herbicides to start with following burndown,” Moon says.

**Kyber®**

HERBICIDE

Kyber® herbicide is a preemergence soybean herbicide that boasts three effective modes of action, including a Group 15 active ingredient, to create a new level of clean. Kyber offers long-lasting residual activity to control tough weeds, widening the postemergence application window.

**Sonic®**

HERBICIDE

Sonic® herbicide delivers long-lasting residual control when applied in fall, spring or up to three days postplant before the soybean emerges. It’s also proven to perform in a variety of soil types.

**EverpreX®**

HERBICIDE

“In early planted soybeans, the clock starts ticking on the length of weed control offered by preemergence herbicides, so it’s important to scout your fields to get the proper timing on post applications,” Moon says. “EverpreX is a great tank-mix partner for a postemergence pass and as a layered residual component.”



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