Weed Treatments and Available Products for Home Gardens and Landscapes^a

Herbicide ingredient	Examples of brand names	Timing ^b and application notes	lawn/turf	ornamental shrubs/trees	annual flower beds	perennial flower beds	home vegetable gardens	home orchards (tree fruit/ nut)	home small fruit/berry	pasture, borders, and non-crop
2,4-D (+ triclopyr) ^c	Crossbow	Selective, POST	x	х						х
acetic acid	Weed Pharm	Nonselective, POST		х	х	х	х	х	х	
clove or citrus oils	Burnout II	Nonselective, POST		х	х	х	х	х	х	
dicamba (+2,4-D) ^c	875 Brush Killer	Selective, POST	х							х
dichlobenil	Image, Noxall, Casoron	Nonselective, PRE		х				х	х	
dithiopyr ^d	Crabgrass Preventer 24-0-6	Selective, POST	х							
glyphosate	RoundUp, Pronto	Nonselective, POST		х	х	х	х	х	х	
oryzalind	Weed Impede	Selective, PRE		х	x	х		х	x	
pendimethalin ^d	Landscape Weed Preventer	Nonselective, PRE	х	х				х		х
prodiamined	Crabgrass Preventer 24-0-8	Selective, PRE		х	х	х		х		
quincloracc	Trimec	Selective, POST	х							х
sethoxydim	Grass beater II	Selective, POST		х	х	х	x	х	х	
sulfentrazone ^c	Sedge Ender	Selective, PRE, POST	х	х		х		х	х	
triclopyr ^c	Image	Selective, POST		х						х
trifluralin ^{c, d}	Easy Weeder Flower & Garden Weed Preventer	Selective, PRE		х	х	х	х	х	х	

^a Consult labels to ensure that products are registered for specific use areas (landscape, lawn, garden, etc.).

Resources

General Information

The Oregon State University Extension Gardening website contains links to the OSU Master Gardener program, "Growing Your Own" – an extension publication (EM 9027) covering many aspects of home gardens and landscape design, a calendar of events, and other resources specific to the PNW: https://catalog.extension.oregonstate.edu/em8742

Weed Identification

Hortsense (WSU Extension) has a weeds menu on the left of the page that will direct you to pictures and management strategies for more than 60 species common in the PNW: http://hortsense.cahnrs.wsu.edu/Home/HortsenseHome.aspx

Information about how to identify plant parts of grassy versus broadleaf weeds is available from the University of California: http://ipm.ucanr.edu/PMG/weeds_intro.html

Washington State University provides a weed identification service where your specimens may be identified by a professional taxonomist or weed science Extension specialist: http://css.wsu.edu/extension/weed-identification/

^b See text in this article for explanations of selective vs. nonselective herbicides, applied pre- or postemergence (PRE or POST).

^c Nearly always found in premixes with other products.

^d often premixed with lawn fertilizer