



<p>Absinth Wormwood <i>Artemisia absinthium</i> Mgmt Goal: Eradication</p>	
<p><u>IDENTIFICATION</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Perennial; that dies back to the ground each year • 3-5' tall; hairy stems arise from taproot • Strong medicinal odor • Flowers late July-August • Distinguish from other sage species by leaves divided into deeply lobed leaflets; erect growth 	<p><u>CHEMICAL CONTROL</u></p> <p>CALIBRATE YOUR EQUIPMENT EVERY YEAR ALWAYS ADD NON-IONIC SURFACTANT ALWAYS FOLLOW THE HERBICIDE LABEL</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Milestone (aminopyralid) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Hand-Pump Sprayer: 1fl.oz. per 3 gal water ◦ All other sprayers: 5 to 7 oz per acre • Vanquish (dicamba) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ 4 pts per acre ◦ For use with low volume application: 6.4 fl.oz. per gallon water not to exceed 10 gallons.
<p><u>IMPACTS</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reduces available forage • Taints milk of cattle • Escaped Ornamental 	<p><u>MECHANICAL CONTROL</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mowing can reduce seed production, but will not kill root system. • Always cut and bag any seed-heads. <p>ROTO-TILLING, DISCING, AND PLOWING ARE NOT EFFECTIVE.</p>