

Corn Size Restriction for Post Herbicides

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Applying postemergence herbicides to corn may be an absolute necessity. You must follow the size or height restrictions on the herbicide label to avoid corn injury.

Remember, taller corn is generally more sensitive to potential herbicide injury, especially when nozzles are applying the herbicide directly into the whorl of the corn plant. When possible herbicides should be applied directed postemergence if corn exceeds 12 inches tall to improve coverage of weeds and reduce exposure to corn. Be particularly careful about tank mixing herbicides. Follow the most restrictive herbicide label. In table 1, for example, 20" is corn height and V6 is 6 fully expanded leaves.

Table 1. Application Restrictions for postemergence herbicides

Product	Size Restriction	
	Broadcast	Directed
Accent	20" or V6	20-36" or V10
Aim	V8	V14
Atrazine (all products)	12"	
Banvel/Clarity/dicamba	8" or V5 (1pt) or 8-36" (0.5pt)	
Basis	6" or V2	
Buctril/bromxynil	Pretassel	
Callisto	30" or V8	
Distinct	10" (6 oz.) or 24" (4oz.)	36"
Equip	V4	
Glyphosate	30" or V8	48"
Halex GT	30" or V8	
Harmony GT	16" or V5	
Hornet	20" or V6	36"
Impact	No size restriction (45 days before harvest)	
Liberty	24" or V7	36"
Marksman	8" or V5	
Option	V6	V8
Require Q	20" or V7	
Resolve Q	20" or V7	
Status	36" or V10	
Steadfast	20" or V6	
2,4-D's (all)	8"	Tasseling