Dry Bulb and Green Bunching Onion, Garlic, and Leek

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Spacing

**Onion**: Raised beds with two double rows or wide rows spaced 14 inches apart on top of the bed with 12 seeds per foot within the wide (2 inches) row. Seed: 4 pounds per acre. Or transplant 4 inches apart in rows.

**Garlic**: Rows 12 to 36 inches apart with cloves 3 to 6 inches apart in the row. Plant bulbs 3 to 4 inches deep, with top of clove twice the depth of the clove height. For mechanical cultivation, plant flat side of clove perpendicular to the length of the row; for hand cultivation in dense plantings, plant angled side of clove parallel to the length of the row. Plant in fall 6 to 8 weeks before ground freezes.

**Leek**: Rows 14 to 18 inches apart with transplants 3 to 4 inches apart in the row.

Fertilizing

**Onion, Garlic and Leek**

**Lime**: Mineral soils: to maintain a soil pH of 6.0 to 6.8. Organic soils: lime if pH is less than 5.2.

**Harvesting**

**Green onion**: Harvest by pulling from soil after bulb base is thicker than a pencil but before bulbing. Optional undercutting can be used to make pulling easier. Remove dirty outer layer from bulb area. Trip roots. Trim tops as needed if allowed by state regulations. Green onions are usually sold in bunches. Harvest knob onions by pulling from soil when bulb has reached desired stage of development. Follow practices for green onions.

**Dry bulb onion**: Harvest dry bulb onions after tops have naturally fallen over. If a sprout inhibitor is used on storage onions, time application according to label instructions. Undercutting several days before harvest can improve keeping quality of storage onions. Dig from soil and dry in field or indoors at 75°F to 80°F and 70 percent to 80 percent relative humidity. Cut tops about 1 inch from bulb at harvest or after drying, or braid tops and hang onions to dry. Clean dry onions by gently brushing.

**Leek**: Harvest when stalk is 1 inch or more in diameter. Undercut plants, pull from soil, trim, and bunch.

**Garlic**: Harvest when tops have fallen over and partially dried. Lift from soil and dry protected from sun and rain. After drying, trim roots and remove tops, or leave tops on for braiding.

Onion and Leek

**Preplant**: N: for mineral soils, 70 pounds N per acre broadcast or applied to bed before planting for transplanted crops, or half broadcast preplant and half applied as a band 2 inches below the seed for direct seeded crops; for organic soils, 100 pounds N per acre broadcast and disked in. P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>: 25 to 250 pounds per acre. K<sub>2</sub>O: 0 to 250 pounds per acre. Adjust according to soil type, previous management, and soil test results for your state. At seeding, spray directly on the seed a solution of 2-6-0 at 1 pint per 100 feet of linear row. A 2-6-0 solution is equivalent to a 1:5 dilution of 10-34-0 liquid fertilizer with water. On muck soils with a pH greater than 6.0, add 1 pound of MnSO<sub>4</sub> per 1,000 feet of row at seeding, or use foliar Mn at the rate of 0.3 pound/100 gallons. Apply 2 to 3 times during the season starting 3 weeks after emergence.

**Sidedress N**: Mineral soils: 60 pounds N per acre to either side of the row at the 4- to 5-week stage of growth or by June 1. Muck soils: No sidedress N needed unless heavy rain occurs.

**Garlic**

N: 70 to 125 pounds N per acre total. Adjust according to soil organic matter content and cropping history.
Broadcast and incorporate 0 to 20 pounds N per acre before planting in the fall. Apply half the remainder when garlic begins to grow in the spring, and the rest in 1 to 2 sidedressings at 3-week intervals, ending 4 to 6 weeks before harvest. P$_2$O$_5$, 25 to 250 pounds per acre. K$_2$O: 0 to 250 pounds per acre. Adjust according to soil type, previous management and soil test results for your state. Broadcast and incorporate before planting in the fall.

**Disease Control**

**Alternaria Purple Blotch and Botrytis**

**Leaf Blight (all onion types)**

Practice 3-4 year crop rotation. Rotation out of onions or related vegetables reduces the threat of these diseases in future onion crops.

**Recommended Products**

- **Aliette**® at 2-3 lbs. per acre. *Purple blotch and dry bulb only*. 7-day PHI.
- **Bravo**, **Echo**, and **Equus**® are labeled for use at various rates. *Dry bulb only*. 7-day PHI.
- **Cabrio EG20**® at the following rates:  
  - *Purple blotch*: 8-12 oz. per acre.  
  - *Botrytis*: 12 fl. oz. per acre (suppression only).  
  7-day PHI.
- **Dithane**, **Manzate**, **Manex II**, and **Penncozeb**® are labeled at various formulations. *Dry bulb only*. 7-day PHI.
- **Endura**® 6.8 fl. oz. per acre. 7-day PHI.
- **Fontelis**® at 16-24 fl. oz. per acre. 3-day PHI.
- **Merivon**® at the following rates:  
  - *Botrytis leaf blight*: 8-11 fl. oz. per acre.  
  - *Purple blotch*: 4-11 fl. oz. per acre. 7-day PHI.
- **Omega 500**® at 1 pt. per acre. 7-day PHI.
- **Pristine 38WG**® at the following rates:  
  - *Botrytis leaf blight*: 14.5-18.5 oz. per acre.  
  - *Purple blotch*: 10.5-18.5 oz. per acre.  
  7-day PHI.
- **Rovral 4F**® at 1.5 pts. per acre. *Dry bulb only*. 7-Day PHI.
- **Quadris 2.08SC**® at the following rates:  
  - *Purple blotch*: 6-12 fl. oz. per acre.  
  - *Botrytis leaf blotch*: 9.0-15.5 fl. oz. per acre.  
  0-day PHI.
- **Quadris Opti**® at 1.6-3.2 pts. per acre. *Green bunching only*. 14-day PHI.

**Reason**® at 5.5 fl. oz. per acre. *Purple blotch only*. 7-day PHI.

**Scala**® at 18 fl. oz. per acre (9 oz. per acre in tank mixes). 7-day PHI.

**Satori**® at the following rates:  
  - *Botrytis leaf blight*: 9-15.5 fl. oz. per acre.  
  - *Purple blotch*: 6-12 fl. oz. per acre.  
  0-day PHI.

**Switch 62.5WG**® at 11-14 oz. per acre. 7-day PHI.

**Vanguard WG**® at 10 fl. oz. per acre. 7-Day PHI.

**Bacterial Diseases (bacterial blight, slippery skin, sour rot, and bulb rot)**

Use healthy seed. Rotate onion crops with crops from different families. Avoid overhead irrigation that might spread these diseases. Over fertilization with nitrogen can make the crop more susceptible. Applications of fixed copper products may reduce the spread of these diseases.

Annuals (emerged) — treatment applied before planting or crop emergence.

**Botrytis Neck Rot (all types)**

Windrow plants until neck tissues are dry before topping and storage. Cure rapidly and properly.

Artificial drying may be necessary (forced heated air at 93-95°F for 5 days).

**Recommended Products**

- **Bravo**, **Echo**, and **Equus**® are labeled for use at various rates. *Suppression only*. *Dry bulb only*. 7-day PHI.
- **Botran 75W**® at 1.67-3.3 lbs. per acre. *Dry bulb only*. 14-day PHI.
- **Omega 500**® at 1 pt. per acre. 7-day PHI.

**Downy Mildew**

Cool wet conditions favor the development of this disease.

**Recommended Products**

- **Agri-Fos**® at 2 qts. per acre. 0-day PHI.
- **Aliette**® at 2-3 lbs. per acre. *Dry bulb only*. 7-day PHI.
- **Bravo**, **Echo**, and **Equus**® are labeled for use at various rates. *Suppression only*. 14-day PHI for green onion. 7-day PHI for dry bulb.
- **Cabrio EG20**® at 12 oz. per acre. *Suppression only*. 7-Day PHI.
Dithane®, Manzate®, and Penncozeb® are labeled for dry bulb. 7-day PHI.

Forum® at 6 oz. per acre. 0-day PHI.

Merivon® at 8-11 fl. oz. per acre. 7-day PHI.

Merivon SC2.09® at 8-11 fl. oz. per acre. Suppression only. Must have supplemental label. 7-day PHI.

Phostrol® at 2.5-3.75 pts. per acre. Dry bulb only. 0-day PHI

Presidio® at 3-4 fl. oz. per acre. 2-day PHI.

Quadris 2.08SC® flowable at 9.0-15.5 fl. oz. per acre. 0-day PHI.

Quadris Opti® at 2.4-3.6 pts. per acre. 7-day PHI for dry bulb. 14-day PHI for green onion.

Reason® at 5.5 fl. oz. per acre. 7-day PHI.

Revus 2.09SC® at 8 fl. oz. per acre. 7-day PHI.

Ridomil Gold Bravo SC® at 2.5 pts. per acre. 7-day PHI for dry bulb. 14-day PHI for green onion.

Zampro® at 14 fl. oz. per acre. 0-day PHI.

Fusarium Basal Rot
Use Fusarium-resistant varieties such as Elba Globe, Spartan Banner, and Harvestmore. Consult seed catalogues for varietal characteristics.

Smut
Recommended Products
Dithane®, Manzate®, and Penncozeb® at 3 lbs. per acre for dry formulations, or at 2.4 qts. per acre for flowable formulations.

White Rot (Sclerotium)
Recommended Products
Botran 75W® at 3-5.3 lbs. per acre. Dry bulb only.

Topsin M 70DF® at 2 lbs. per acre, or flowable formulations at 40 fl. oz. per acre.

Weed Control for Garlic and Dry Bulb Onion
Onions and related crops pose challenges for weed control because the narrow leaves of the crop provide little shade to suppress weed growth, and, except for green onions, the crops grow for several months. Designing bed and row spacing to fit equipment available for mechanical control will make weed management more efficient. When herbicides are used, multiple applications are often made. Other tools include careful cultivation and hoeing, the use of plastic mulch for transplants, organic mulches, and flame weeding. A flamer can be used to control weeds that emerge after seeding and before the crop emerges. Some growers also use flaming successfully over the top of young onions or garlic, or directed toward the bases of larger plants — even though some crop injury is likely with postemergent flaming.

For specific weeds controlled by each herbicide, check Table 26 on page 61.

Rates provided in the recommendations below are given for overall coverage. For band treatment, reduce amounts according to the portion of acre treated.

Burndown or Directed/Shielded Applications Broadleaves and Grasses
Recommended Products
Gramoxone Inteon 2L® at 2.5-4 pts. per acre. Not for transplanted onions. Use 1 qt. of COC or 4-8 fl. oz. of NIS per 25 gals. of spray solution. Apply before planting or after planting but before crop emergence. Do not exceed 4 pts. of Gramoxone Inteon 2L® or 2 pts. of Gramoxone Max 3L® per acre. RUP.

Glyphosate products at 0.75-3.75 lbs. acid equivalent (ae) per acre. Use formulations containing 3 lbs. ae per gal. (4 lbs. isopropylamine salt per gal.) at 1-5 qts. per acre, or formulations containing 4.5 lbs. ae per gal. (5 lbs. potassium salt per gal) at 0.66-3.3 qts. per acre. Broadcast before planting, after planting but before crop emergence, or apply between crop rows with hooded or shielded sprayers. Use low rate for annuals and higher rates for perennials. See label for suggested application volume and adjuvants. 14-day PHI.

Postemergence Directed/Shielded Applications Broadleaves
Recommended Products
Aim EC® at 0.5-2 fl. oz. per acre. Apply with hooded sprayers as a directed application between crop rows. Use COC or NIS. Weeds must be actively growing and less than 4 inches tall. Do not allow spray to contact crop. Do not exceed 6.1 fl. oz. per acre per season.

Preemergence Broadleaves and Grasses
Recommended Products
Dual Magnum® at 0.67-1.3 pts. per acre. Indiana and Ohio only. Apply postemergence starting when the crop has 2 true leaves. For dry bulb onions, a second application may be applied 21 or more days after the first. Garlic: Do not exceed one application and 1.3 pts. per acre per season. 21-day PHI. Dry bulb onions: Do not exceed 1.3 pts. per acre per...
application and 2.6 pts. per acre per crop and two applications per crop. 60-day PHI.

**Nortron SC** at 16-32 fl. oz. per acre. *Dry bulb onions only. Not for garlic.* Apply preemergence or soon after seeding before weeds germinate. May also be used postemergence, see below. Use on mineral soils only. Do not exceed 48 fl. oz. per acre per season on coarse soils and 96 fl. oz. per acre per season on medium and fine soils.

**Outlook** at 12-21 fl. oz. per acre. Apply after crop plants have 2 true leaves. For transplants, apply after transplanting when soil has settled around plants. May be tank-mixed with other herbicides, see label. 30-day PHI.

**Pendimethalin** products. Use 3.3EC formulations at 1.2-3.6 pts. per acre, or Prowl H2O® at 1.5-3 pts. per acre. *Garlic:* apply after planting before crop and weeds emerge, and/or apply when garlic has 1-5 true leaves. *Dry bulb onions:* apply when onions have 2-9 true leaves. *Onions on muck soils only:* apply 3.3EC formulations at up to 4.8 pts. per acre, or Prowl H2O® at 4 pts. per acre after seeding and before crop emerges, after onions have 2 leaves, and if needed at 6-9 leaves. Do not exceed 14.4 pts. per acre of 3.3EC formulations or 12.5 pts. per acre of Prowl H2O® on muck soils. Use low rates on coarse soils. 45-day PHI.

**Trifluralin** products at 0.375-0.625 lb. a.i. per acre. Use 4EC formulations at 0.75-1.25 pts. per acre. *Dry bulb onions only. Not for garlic.* Use the lowest rate on coarse soils. Apply at layby as directed spray between onion rows and incorporate. Mineral soils only. 60-day PHI.

**Preemergence Broadleaves**

**Recommended Products**

**Chateau WDG** at the following rates:

*Garlic:* 6 oz. per acre. Apply within 3 days after planting and before garlic emerges. Do not exceed 6 oz. per acre growing season.

*Dry bulb onions:* 2 oz. per acre. Apply to transplanted onions between the 2- and 6-leaf stage or to direct-seeded onions between the 3- and 6-leaf stage. Will not control emerged weeds. Wait at least 14 days between applications.

Do not exceed 2 oz. per acre per application, or 3 oz. per acre per growing season. 45-day PHI for dry bulb onions.

**Preemergence Grasses**

**Recommended Products**

**Dacthal W-75®** at 6-14 lbs. per acre, or **Dacthal Flowable®** at 6-14 pts. per acre. *Onions only. Apply at seeding, transplanting, and/or layby. Preplant incorporation not recommended. May be sprayed over transplants.*

**Prefar 4E®** at 5-6 qts. per acre. Use low rate on soils with less than 1% organic matter. Apply and incorporate before planting. Or apply after seeding, before crop emerges and irrigate within 24 hours. Mineral soils only.

**Postemergence Broadleaves**

**Recommended Products**

**Buctril®** products at the following rates:

*Garlic:* **Buctril 2EC®** at 1.5-2 pts. per acre, or **Buctril 4EC®** at 0.75-1 pt. per acre. Apply after garlic emerges and before it is 12 in. tall. 112-day PHI for garlic.

*Onions:* **Buctril 2EC®** at 1-1.5 pts. per acre, or **Buctril 4EC®** 0.5-0.75 pt. per acre for onions. Apply when onions have 2-5 true leaves, using 50-70 gals. of water per acre, or on muck soils east of the Mississippi River only, apply 3-4 days before onions emerge. To minimize onion injury apply after 2 days of sunny weather when onion leaves are dry and temperatures are 70-80°F.

**Goal 2XL®** at the following rates:

*Seeded crops:* 0.5 pt. per acre.

*Transplanted crops:* 1-2 pts. per acre. Use lower rate on coarse soils. Apply after direct-seeded crop has 2 true leaves, or prior to transplanting onions, or within 2 days after transplanting.

Do not exceed 2 pts. per acre. 45-day PHI for onions. 60-day PHI for garlic.

**Postemergence Broadleaves and Grasses**

**Recommended Products**

**Nortron SC®** at 16 fl. oz. per acre. *Dry bulb onions only. Not for garlic.* Apply postemergence up to 4 times, ending 30 days before harvest. May cause temporary leaf fusion. May injure stressed plants. Use on mineral soils only. Do not exceed 48 fl. oz. per acre per season on coarse soils and 96 fl. oz. per acre per season on medium and fine soils.

**Postemergence Grasses**

**Recommended Products**

**Clethodim** products at the following rates:

*Garlic:* **Select Max®** at 9-16 fl. oz. per acre, or **2EC formulations of clethodim products** at 6-8 fl. oz. per acre. Use Select Max® with 8 fl. oz. of NIS per 25 gals. of spray solution (0.25% v/v).

*Dry bulb onions:* **Select Max®** at 12-32 fl. oz. per acre, or **2EC formulations of clethodim products** at 6-16 fl. oz. per acre. Use 2EC formulations with 1 qt. COC per 25 gals. of spray solution (1% v/v).
Spray on actively growing grass. Wait at least 14 days between applications. Do not exceed 2 applications per season for garlic or shallots. 45-day PHI for dry bulb crops.

**Fusilade DX 2E** at 10-12 fl. oz. Use 1-2 pts. of COC or 0.5-1 pt. of NIS per 25 gals. of spray solution. Apply to small actively growing grass. Do not exceed 48 fl. oz. per acre. 45-day PHI.

**Poast 1.5E** at 1-1.5 pts. per acre. Use 1 qt. of COC per acre. Spray on actively growing grass. Use high rate on quackgrass. Do not exceed 4.5 pts. per acre per season. 30-day PHI.

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**Broadleaves and Grasses**

**Recommended Products**

**Gramoxone Inteon 2L** at 2.5-4 pts. per acre. Direct-seeded onions only. Not for transplants or sets. Use 1 qt. of COC, or 4-8 fl. oz. of NIS per 25 gals. of spray solution. Apply before planting or after planting but before crop emergence. Do not exceed 4 pts. of Gramoxone Inteon 2L or 2 pts. of Gramoxone Max 3L per acre. RUP.

**Glyphosate** products at 0.75-3.75 lbs. acid equivalent (ae) per acre. Use formulations containing 3 lbs. ae per gal. (4 lbs. isopropylamine salt per gal.) at 1-5 qts. per acre, or formulations containing 4.5 lbs. ae per gal. (5 lbs. potassium salt per gal) at 0.66-3.3 qts. per acre. Broadcast before planting, after seeding but before crop emergence, or apply between crop rows with hooded or shielded sprayers. Use low rate for annuals and higher rates for perennials. See label for suggested application volume and adjuvants. 14-day PHI.

**Premergence Broadleaves and Grasses**

**Recommended Products**

**Dual Magnum** at 0.67-1.3 pts. per acre. Green onions in Indiana and Ohio only. Not for leeks. Apply postemergence starting when the crop has 2 true leaves. Do not exceed one application and 1.3 pts. per acre per season. 21-day PHI.

**Outlook** at 12-21 fl. oz. per acre. Apply after crop plants have 2 true leaves. For transplants, apply after transplanting when soil has settled around plants. May be tank-mixed with other herbicides, see label. 30-day PHI.

**Prowl H2O** at 2 pts. per acre. Use only on muck soils (organic matter greater than 20%) or on mineral soils with greater than 3% organic matter. Apply after seeding before crop emerges, or apply when crop has 2 to 3 true leaves. If both pre and post applications are used, wait 30 days after preemergence application before applying postemergence. Do not exceed 2 pts. per acre per application or 4 pts. per acre per season. 30-day PHI.

**Postemergence Broadleaves**

**Recommended Products**

**Aim EC** at 0.5-2 fl. oz. per acre. Apply with hooded sprayers as a directed application between crop rows. Use COC or NIS. Weeds must be actively growing and less than 4 inches tall. Do not allow spray to contact crop. Do not exceed 6.1 fl. oz. per acre per season.

**Buctril 2EC** at 1-1.5 pts. per acre, or **Buctril 4EC** at 0.5-0.75 pt. per acre. Onions only. Not for leeks. Apply when onions have 2-5 true leaves, using 50-70 gals. of water per acre, or on muck soils east of the Mississippi River only, apply 3-4 days before onions emerge. To minimize onion injury apply after 2 days of sunny weather when onion leaves are dry and temperatures are 70-80°F.
### Postemergence Grasses

#### Recommended Products

2EC formulations of clethodim products at 6-8 fl. oz. per acre. Use with 1 qt. COC per 25 gals. of spray solution (1% v/v). Spray on actively growing grass. Wait at least 14 days between applications. 14-day PHI.

Poast 1.5E® at 1-1.5 pts. per acre. Use 1 qt. of COC per acre. Spray on actively growing grass. Use high rate on quackgrass. Do not exceed 4.5 pts. per acre per season. 30-day PHI.

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\(^1\)For effectiveness against specific weeds, see Table 26 on page 61, and read label. This table does not include all label information. Be sure to read and follow all instructions and precautions on the herbicide label. Herbicides can cause serious crop injury and yield loss if not used properly.

\(^2\)X=permitted for at least one crop.

\(^3\)X=may be used for that crop. \(^*\)=Direct-seeded crops only.
Insect Control

Onion Maggots (dry bulb)
Recommended Products
FarMore FI500® commercial seed treatment.

Sepresto® commercial seed treatment is part of the CAPS treatment, which is available only on Nunhems varieties.

Lorsban 4E® at 1.1 fl. oz. per 1,000 linear ft. of row, or Lorsban 75WG® at 0.73 oz. per 1,000 linear ft. of row as an in-furrow drench. For furrow treatment at planting. Use a minimum of 40 gals. of total drench per acre. Limit of 1 application per year.

Onion Maggots (dry bulb and green bunching)
Recommended Products
Ambush 25W® at 6.4-19.2 fl. oz. per acre. Adult control. Do not exceed 8 lbs. per acre per season. 1-day PHI. RU P.

Diazinon AG500® at 2-4 qts. per acre, or Diazinon 50W® at 4-8 lbs. per acre. Broadcast just before planting and mix into the top 3-4 inches of soil. Apply in sufficient water to drench seed furrow planting. Do not exceed 3 foliar applications per season. 14-day PHI. RU P.

Mustang MAX® at 2.24-4.0 fl. oz. per acre. Adult control. Do not exceed 20 fl. oz. per acre per season. Add COC at 16 fl. oz. per acre. 7-day PHI. RU P.

Pounce 25WP® at 6.4-19.2 fl. oz. per acre. Adult control. Do not exceed 8 lbs. per acre per season. 1-day PHI. RU P.

Warrior® at 1.92-3.2 fl. oz. per acre. Adult control. Do not exceed 1.92 pts. per acre per season. 14-day PHI. RU P.

This is a reduced-risk pesticide. See page 34 for details.

Onion Thrips
(dry bulb, green bunching, garlic, and leeks)
Field site selection. Onion thrips build to high levels in small grains and move to onions when small grains dry down or are harvested. Avoid planting next to small grains.

Plant resistant/tolerant varieties. Tolerant varieties include White Keeper, El Charro, Snow White, Vega, X201, and Zapotec.

Recommended Products
Assail 30SG® at 5-8 oz. per acre. Do not exceed 4 applications per season. 7-day PHI.

Entrust® at 1.25-2.5 oz. per acre. 1-day PHI.

Exirel® at 13.5-20.5 fl. oz. per acre. 1-day PHI.

Movento® at 5 fl. oz. per acre. Do not exceed 2 applications per year. 3-day PHI.

Mustang MAX® at 2.88-4.0 fl. oz. per acre. Do not exceed 20 fl. oz. per acre per season. Add COC at 16 fl. oz. per acre. 7-day PHI. RU P.

Radiant SC® at 6-10 fl. oz. per acre. Do not exceed 30 fl. oz. per acre per season. 1-day PHI.

Onion Thrips (dry bulb and garlic)
Recommended Products
Ambush 25W® at 9.6-19.2 oz. per acre. Use when thrips first appear. Not for rescue treatments. Do not exceed 8 lbs. per acre per season. 1-day PHI. RU P.

Pounce 25WP® at 9.6-19.2 oz. per acre.

Warrior® at 2.56-3.84 fl. oz. per acre. Do not exceed 1.92 pts. per acre per season. 14-day PHI. RU P.

Onion Thrips (dry bulb and green bunching)
Recommended Products
Lannate SP® at 1 lb. per acre. Green onion: Do not exceed 6 lbs. per acre. Dry bulb: Do not exceed 4 lbs. per acre. 7-day PHI. RU P.