

Table 3C.1 Reliance of 2,4-D Use on Corn: Total National Acres Planted
(see notes at end of table)

Year	Total Acres Planted	Percent Acres Treated	Rate of Application (lbs/acre)	Number of Applications	Rate per Crop Year (lbs/acre)	Pounds Applied
2016*	94,004,000	12.3	0.550	1.07	0.589	6,797,737
2015	88,019,000	10.1	0.562	1.07	0.598	5,334,594
2014*	90,597,000	8.0	0.574	1.06	0.607	4,398,484
2013	95,365,000	8.3	0.520	1.08	0.557	4,422,630
2012	97,291,000	8.7	0.467	1.09	0.507	4,267,732
2011	91,936,000	9.0	0.414	1.10	0.458	3,780,338
2010*	88,192,000	9.3	0.360	1.12	0.408	3,346,085
2009	86,382,000	8.9	0.359	1.11	0.400	3,091,439
2008	85,982,000	8.6	0.358	1.10	0.392	2,895,592
2007	93,527,000	8.2	0.356	1.10	0.384	2,957,548
2006	78,327,000	7.9	0.355	1.09	0.377	2,326,317
2005*	81,779,000	7.5	0.353	1.08	0.369	2,268,258
2004	80,929,000	6.8	0.386	1.04	0.393	2,166,881
2003*	78,603,000	6.1	0.418	1.00	0.418	2,005,656
2002*	78,894,000	4.5	0.443	1.00	0.443	1,572,092
2001*	75,702,000	10.1	0.403	1.00	0.420	3,213,484
2000*	79,551,000	8.0	0.390	1.00	0.400	2,545,632
1999*	77,386,000	8.0	0.430	1.00	0.470	2,909,714
1998*	80,165,000	12.0	0.390	1.00	0.420	4,040,316
1997*	79,537,000	9.0	0.350	1.00	0.370	2,648,582
1996*	79,229,000	11.0	0.390	1.00	0.400	3,486,076
1995*	71,479,000	13.0	0.430	1.10	0.450	4,181,522
1994*	78,921,000	14.0	0.390	1.10	0.430	4,751,044
1993*	73,239,000	12.0	0.420	1.00	0.440	3,867,019
1992*	79,311,000	10.0	0.400	1.00	0.420	3,331,062
1991*	75,957,000	8.0	0.490	1.00	0.510	3,099,046
1990*	74,166,000	11.7	0.440	1.04	0.460	3,991,614

- Notes:**
1. 2,4-D is sold in more than one chemical form, and surveyed separately by the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS). Data on percent acres treated, number of acres treated, and pounds applied are the sum across all forms of the chemical. Rates of application and number of applications are averages across each form of the pesticide, weighted by shares of total acres treated.
 2. For years not surveyed by NASS, values are interpolated between the nearest two years with reported values. An asterisk denotes which years were surveyed by NASS.
 3. Each year when NASS surveys a crop, the agency strives to include 85% to 90% of acres planted. NASS surveyed acres at the national level are lower than total acres planted. The above data is indicative of pesticides applied to total acres planted.