# **WiscWeeds Waterhemp Project**

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| Farmer's name:                                    | Collaborator's name:                |
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| Farmer's contact information:                     | Collaborator's contact information: |
| Field GPS coordinates & address:                  | _                                   |
| Field Soil information: OM:% , pH , Texture: Sand | _ % , Silt % , Clay %               |
| Fie   | eld History Information             |

Product:

Rate:

Date:

#### Waterhemp infestation Year Crop Tillage (YES/NO) Manure **PRE-Emergence POST-Emergence** Waterhemp distribution (YES/NO) **Herbicide Program Herbicide Program** (e.g., edges, entire field) (e.g., low, medium, high) Date(s) & type(s): 2014 Crop: Product: Product: Planting date: Rate: Rate: Harvest date: Date: Date: 2015 Crop: Date(s) & type(s): Product: Product: Planting date: Rate: Rate: Harvest date: Date: Date: 2016 Crop: Date(s) & type(s): Product: Product: Planting date: Rate: Rate: Harvest date: Date: Date: 2017 Crop: Date(s) & type(s): Product: Product: Planting date: Rate: Rate: Harvest date: Date: Date: Date(s) & type(s):

**Additional Information/Observations:** 

2018

Crop:

Planting date:

Harvest date:







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## **Seed Collection Protocol:**

- Collect seed heads from 20 mature waterhemp female plants. Collect plants as far apart as possible within the field to represent the population.
- Place all seed heads from the same field in the same paper bag (leave paper bags open until samples are dry).
- Properly ID the sample bag and fill out the "Field History Form". Crop management and herbicide information are crucial for our research. Weed distribution and density within a field will be a "polite guess". For sample ID, use county and farmer's name.
- Store the samples in a dry environment. Please mail samples to Rodrigo Werle, 1575 Linden Drive, Madison, WI 53706.
- For questions, contact Dr. Werle: <a href="mailto:rwerle@wisc.edu">rwerle@wisc.edu</a> or 608-262-7130 (<a href="www.wiscweeds.info">www.wiscweeds.info</a>).



Waterhemp plants have short petioles, no hairs on the leaves and stems, leaves are lanceolate and waxy.







