

Terrestrial Herbaceous Plants Species Assessment Group - Summary of group ratings

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Species: Musk thistle

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Ratings for Criteria - 1st round	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1. Current status and distribution	3	3	3		3	3	3	3	s) or 4 (N)						
2. Establishment potential	3	3	3		3	3	3	3	4						
3. Damage potential	3	3	3		3	3	3	3	4						
4. Prevention and control potential	3	3	3		3	3	3	3	3						
5. Socio-economic impacts	ii	2	3		3	3	3	3	4						
Totals - Initial ratings	Prohibited				Restricted				Watch				Non-restricted		
Number of votes					xxxxxxxx										

Recommended Classification : R

Comments:
 (1) Relatively easy to control with herbicide. (5) Prevention and eradication are feasible in counties where not currently present.

 (9)(6)(8)(7)(3) Recommended restricted in south, prohibited in north depending on county distribution and eradication feasibility.

Totals - 2nd round	Prohibited	Restricted	Watch	Non-restricted
Number of votes				

Final Recommended Classification : R*

Comments:
 * Recommended prohibited in north and restricted in south, specific to counties.