Cover Crop Termination for Weed Control

This guide to cover crop termination for weed control walks through planning when and how to end a cover crop, so it suppresses weeds and does not hinder the cash crop.

Farm / unit: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

1. Name the cover crop and field
2. Note the cash crop to follow
3. Pick a termination method
4. Check the right crop growth stage
5. Prepare equipment for the method
6. Watch weather before terminating
7. Plan planting date after termination
8. Record weed results afterward

YOUR NOTES

TIP Ask extension about the termination stage that works for your cover crop species and region.