

**MINIMUM MONITORING FREQUENCY FOR CONFINED  
RESEARCH FIELD TRIALS**

<b>Crop</b>	<b>Monitoring Frequency</b>	
	<b>Trial Period</b>	<b>Post-Harvest Period</b>
<i>Agrostis palustris</i> Huds. (creeping bentgrass)	weekly, daily and every third day*	every two weeks
<i>Beta vulgaris</i> L. (sugar beet)	weekly	every two weeks
<i>Brassica carinata</i> A. Braun (Ethiopian mustard)	weekly	every two weeks
<i>Brassica juncea</i> L. (brown mustard)	weekly	every two weeks
<i>Brassica napus</i> L. (argentine rape canola)	weekly	every two weeks
<i>Brassica rapa</i> L. (polish rape canola)	weekly	every two weeks
<i>Capsicum annuum</i> L. (pepper)	every two weeks	every two weeks
<i>Carthamus tinctorius</i> L. (safflower)	weekly	every two weeks
<i>Cucurbita pepo</i> L. (squash)	weekly	every two weeks
<i>Glycine max</i> (L.) Merr. (soybean)	every two weeks	every two weeks
<i>Helianthus annuus</i> L. (sunflower)	weekly	every two weeks
<i>Hordeum vulgare</i> L. (barley)	every two weeks	every two weeks
<i>Lens culinaris</i> Medik. (lentil)	every two weeks	every two weeks
<i>Linum usitatissimum</i> L. (flax)	weekly	weekly
<i>Lolium perenne</i> L. (perennial ryegrass)	weekly, daily and every third day*	every two weeks
<i>Lycopersicon esculentum</i> Mill. (tomato)	weekly	every two weeks

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<i>Medicago sativa</i> L. (alfalfa)	weekly, daily and every third day*	every two weeks
<i>Phalaris canariensis</i> L. (canary seed)	every two weeks	every two weeks
<i>Picea spp.</i> (spruce)	monthly, twice a week during cone formation	monthly
<i>Pisum sativum</i> L. (pea)	every two weeks	every two weeks
<i>Populus spp.</i> (poplar)	monthly, twice a week during flowering and budburst	monthly
<i>Sinapis alba</i> L. (white mustard)	weekly	every two weeks
<i>Solanum tuberosum</i> L. (potato)	weekly	every two weeks
<i>Trifolium repens</i> L. (white clover)	weekly, daily and every third day*	every two weeks
<i>Triticum aestivum</i> L. (wheat)	every two weeks	every two weeks
<i>Vitis spp.</i> (grapevine)	monthly, weekly at pollen shed	monthly
<i>Zea mays</i> L. (corn)	weekly	every two weeks

\* These frequencies correspond to monitoring during the growing season prior to budding, at the onset of budding and after budding, respectively.