

USFS Gypsy Moth Suppression Project Summary 2003

Michigan Department of Agriculture (Cooperative)

Proposed Acres: 30,000 (with Btk)

Treated Acres 20,200 (with Btk)

Project Objectives:

1. Foliage protection (preserve 60% of foliage).
2. Population reduction below pre-treatment threshold

Contractor(s): Maurice's Flying Service

Aircraft: Ayers Turbine Thrush

Formulation(s): Foray 48F 0.5 gal/ac @ 24 BIU/ac

Cost/acre (including application):

Maurice's Flying Service	\$9.68 ac	Foray 48F	Bid Item #2
Maurice's Flying Service	\$8.92 ac	Foray 48F	Bid Item #1

Federal Share:

State Share:

Percent Acres Treated:	State	1
	Private	99

Percent Acres Treated Successfully:

Number of Landowners Treated: 0

Number of Communities Treated: 0

Defoliated Area: 72,085

Acres to be Retreated: