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WEEDS AND WEED CONTROL

1. **1998**

State four reasons why timely weed control is advisable in crop production.

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2. **2000**

Give four ways of controlling weeds in a maize field. (2 marks)

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3. **2000 PP2**

Diagram & and H show weeds.

i) Identify the weeds. (2 marks)

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ii) State the economic importance of the weed shown in diagram G (2 marks)

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iii) Why is it difficult to control weed in diagram G? (1 mark)

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4. **2001**

State six disadvantages of weeds in crop production (3 marks)

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5 2004

(i) State four factors that contribute to the competitive ability of weeds. (2 marks)

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6. 2004

The diagram below represents a weed.



i) Identify the weed (1/2 marks)

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ii) Classify the weed according to its life span. (1/2 mark)

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iii) State one harmful effect of the weed to livestock. (1 mark)

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7. 2006 Q10 P1

Name four methods used to control weeds in pastures (2 marks)

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8. 2006 Q23 P1

The diagram below shows a weed



a) Identify the weed (1 mark)

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b) State two reasons for controlling the weed. (2 marks)

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c) Name two herbicides that can be used to control the weed in a field of maize (1 mark)

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d) At what stage of growth of maize should the weed be controlled using a post emergence herbicide?

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9. 2008 Q21 P1

State four factors that contribute to the competitive ability of weeds (2 marks)

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10. 2009 Q28b P1

Describe ten safety precautions that should be taken when using herbicides to control weeds (10 marks)

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11. 2010 Q16, 17 P1

16. Name two classes of weeds on the basis of each of the following:

(1 mark)

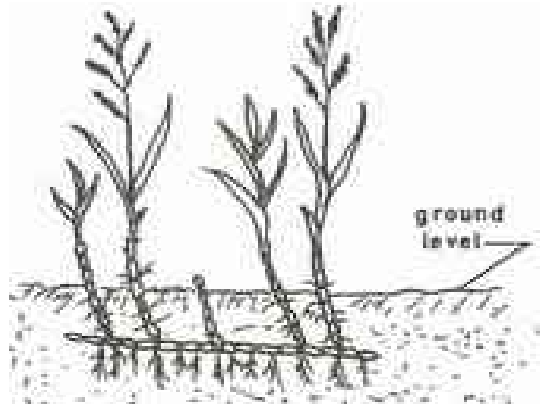
(a) growth cycle; (1 mark)

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(b) plant morphology (1 mark)

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17. Below is a diagram of a weed. Study the diagram carefully and answer the questions that follow.



(a) Identify the weed illustrated above. (1/2 mark)

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(b) Why is the weed illustrated above difficult to control? (1 marks)

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(c) State four ways in which the weed can be controlled in a field of maize. (2 marks)

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12. 2011 Q16 P1

Give a weed for each case, which has the following effect on cattle:

(a) Poisoning (1/2 mark)

(b) Tainting milk when eaten before milking (1/2 mark)

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13. 2012 Q11 P1

Give four harmful effects of weeds on crop production (1 mark)

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14. 2012 Q19 P1

The diagram below illustrates common weeds in arable land. Study them carefully and answer the questions that follow.



(a) Identify the weed labelled **D** (1 mark)

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(b) Classify the weed labeled **C** according to plant morphology (1 mark)

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(c) Give **one** reason why it is difficult to control the weed labelled **D**. (1 mark)

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