

Training Report:

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ZAMBIA Training Report

1. Name of course:
2. **PROJECT PROFIT : WEED CONTROL FOR SMALL SCALE FARMERS (2-days) AND WORKSHOP (1-day)**

3. Hosting Institution:

Project Profit (USAID) & CropLife Zambia

4. Location:

Lusaka, Zambia

5. Dates:

7/6/2011 - 10/6/2011

6. **Weed control for small scale farmers course content:**

1	Introduction to plant science and soil types
2	Crop management practices and healthy crops
3	Define a weed, the characteristics and different types of weeds
4	Soil types, identification and their role in chemical weed management
5	Different types of weed management and comparison between them
6 - 13	Chemical weed management: Classification, principles, selection, equipment, preparation, application and why herbicides fail
14	Health & Safety when working with herbicides
15	Integrated Weed Management

7. **Workshop content:**

1	Technical aspects of calibration and calculations
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2	Review and critiques weed control course
3	The Next Step

8. List of participants:

No.	Full Names	Company
1	Peter Malisawa	Croppack Agric Services
2	Chibesa Maulu	Amiran Zambia Limited
3	Namakau Manzi	Amiran Zambia Limited
4	James Luhana	PROFIT/USAID
5	Tuesday Mulenga	Mana Agrochemicals Limited
6	Ananias Tembo	Mana Agrochemicals Limited
7	Mate Kashumba	Amiran Zambia Limited
8	Erick Kumwenda	MRI Agro
9	Terrence L. Nondo	ATS Agrochemicals
10	Kutty Pacheeri Narayanan	Agrichem Z. Limited
11	Frazer Kalela	Croppack Agric Services
12	Josephine M. Simwanza	Agrifocus Zambia Limited
13	Elias Mulenga	Hort-Care Initiatives Limited

9. Detail of participant's assessment:

Small work groups

Group assignments

Re-cap session every morning

10. Results of participant's assessment:

13 training certificates issued

11. General feedback:

This was the pilot of the training program developed to be included as part of the SSP overall training. The purpose was to evaluate the course and to adjust the content where necessary.

In the overall the objectives of the course were met and exceeded.

Group picture:





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