

<b>Title</b>	<b>Choose a pest plant control method</b>		
<b>Level</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>7</b>

<b>Purpose</b>	People credited with this unit standard are able to demonstrate knowledge of pest plant control methods, and choose a pest plant control method.
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<b>Classification</b>	Compliance and Law Enforcement > Compliance and Regulatory Control
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<b>Available grade</b>	Achieved
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### Guidance Information

Legislation relevant to this unit standard includes but is not limited to: Biosecurity Act 1993, Local Government Act 1974, Local Government Act 2002, Resource Management Act 1991, Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Act 1996.

### Outcomes and performance criteria

#### Outcome 1

Demonstrate knowledge of pest plant control methods.

#### Performance criteria

- 1.1 Pest plant control methods and their relative advantages and disadvantages are described.
- Range methods – biological, cultural, chemical;  
evidence is required of two examples for each method.
- 1.2 Effect of pest plant control stated for each pest plant stage.
- Range methods – biological, cultural, chemical;  
evidence is required of two examples for each method.
- 1.3 A description matches the means of application with each pest plant control method and identifies the situations in which each one would be used.

#### Outcome 2

Choose a pest plant control method.

**Performance criteria**

- 2.1 Pest plant control method chosen matches the type of pest plant, physical environment, weather conditions, and the cost of method application.
- 2.2 Pest plant control method chosen complies with the Regional Pest Plant Management Strategy.

**This unit standard is expiring. Assessment against the standard must take place by the last date for assessment set out below.**

**Status information and last date for assessment for superseded versions**

Process	Version	Date	Last Date for Assessment
Registration	1	19 August 1998	31 December 2023
Revision	2	17 July 2002	31 December 2023
Revision	3	19 May 2004	31 December 2023
Review	4	25 July 2007	31 December 2023
Review	5	23 May 2019	31 December 2023

<b>Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) reference</b>	0046
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