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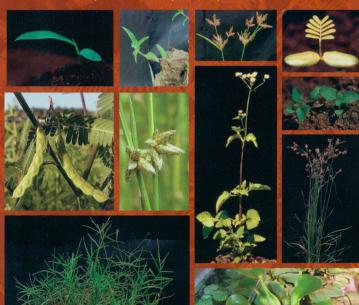




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Foreword

Weed infestations are a concern for every farmer. Depending on the type of rice production system, farmers across Asia often contend with the same or similar weed species. This group of species is relatively small, but of great importance, and includes many of the "world's worst weeds."

In this guide, we have tried to collect practical information about some of the most common weeds of rice in Asia. The guide contains information about the botany, ecology, herbicide resistance, and cultural control of these species in a short text that should be easy to use in the field. In addition, it includes pictures to aid in early and accurate species identification.

Our goal is to give farmers, extension agents, researchers, and others a practical in-field means of assessing weed control problems and, when possible, to provide strategies for improving integrated weed management in rice systems. We especially hope the guide will help farmers better understand the relationships among land preparation, rice establishment methods, and early-season water management practices that often strongly influence the particular weed species that infest their rice fields.

In this second edition, we have revised some of the text, added or changed more than 50 plates, and added reference to five additional species. We welcome comments from practitioners on how this can be improved in the future.

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Terms and definitions

Apical (bud) dominance—growth of lateral buds is inhibited until the terminal bud stops growing

Ascending—curving upward

Creeping—a plant that often spreads horizontally using stolons or rhizomes

Erect—stems or branches growing vertically

Hypocotyl—the part of the stem below the first true leaf or leaves (seed leaf/cotyledons)

Inflorescence—a structure with flowers

Leaf blade—the extended portion of the leaf

Node—a place on the stem that may bear leaves

Propagule—a reproductive structure, for example, a seed or tuber

Rhizome—underground stem

Runner—a long, aboveground stem that roots at nodes to form new plants; longer than stolons

Sheath—basal part of leaf extending around stem

Stolon—a short, aboveground stem that roots at nodes to form new plants

Tuber—underground food-storing organ from which stems and roots may grow

Tufted—growing in clumps

Key to species listings

Scientific name: genus and species, family name.

Common name(s): Bayer code.

Found in: upland or lowland fields: upland = dryland, either occasionally or never flooded; lowland = wetland, often bunded and regularly flooded during rice season.

Establishment method: methods of rice establishment after which species may commonly occur. DS = dryseeded, WS = wet-seeded, TP = transplanted. ">" indicates more than and ">>" much more than, e.g., DS > TP means that the species is likely to occur more in direct-seeded than in transplanted rice.

Growth habit: general appearance of growing plant.

Moisture: range of soil moisture, from dry to moist to wet (saturated) to flooded. The first listed is preferred.

Emergence time: approximate time of emergence, usually relative to rice germination rather than rice planting.

Competitiveness: potential of a species to reduce rice yields at high weed densities; low = 20% or less yield loss, moderate = 20% to 50% loss, high = greater than 50% loss, very high = up to 100% loss.

Seed contaminant: either reported or the possibility of contamination of rice seeds.

Cultural control: nonchemical methods that may help control a species.

Reported resistance (to herbicides): reported cases worldwide by herbicide type (weedscience.org, 2009). See country codes.

Life cycle: annual, lives for only one season; perennial, may live for two or more seasons.

Seed wt: measured or reported seed mass or weight (wt), in mg.

Method(s) of reproduction: main types of propagules produced by the species.

Flowering/maturity time: days till flowering begins or maturity is reached. All times are approximate.

Dormancy: whether propagules can germinate immediately after shedding or not. If so, seed banks are likely to be transient.

Flower: general description.

Elevation: maximum reported elevation.

Light: preference for radiation intensity.

Notes: other information that may be of interest.

Reported in: countries where the species has been found.

Country codes: AUS = Australia, BAN = Bangladesh,
BHU = Bhutan, BRA = Brazil, BOL = Bolivia, BUL

Bulgaria, CAM = Cambodia, CAN = Canada, CHN

China, COL = Colombia, COS = Costa Rica, CZE =
Czech Republic, SLV = El Salvador, FRA = France, GRC

Greece, GTM = Guatemala, HND = Honduras, IDO =
Indonesia, IND = India, IRN = Iran, ITA = Italy, JAP =
Japan, KOR = Korea, LAO = Lao PDR, MAL = Malaysia,
MYA = Myanmar, NEP = Nepal, NIC = Nicaragua, PAK

Pakistan, PAN = Panama, PHI = Philippines, POL =
Poland, ESP = Spain, SRI = Sri Lanka, THA = Thailand,
USA = United States of America, VEN = Venezuela,
VIF = Vietnam.

Note: The absence of a listing indicates that no information was found.

SOLA PITH PLANT, AESAS, dicot

Found in: lowland rice

Establishment method: DS > WS

Growth habit: ascending or erect, much-branched; up

to 2 m

Moisture: aquatic, wet to moist Competitiveness: unreported Seed contaminant: unknown

Cultural control: tillage, split applications of fertilizer

Reported resistance: none

Life cycle: perennial **Seed wt:** 36

Method(s) of reproduction: seeds

Dormancy: short

Flower: pale yellow to yellow; small

Elevation: up to 1,500 m

Light: sunny

Notes: C₃ plant; often larger than *A. indica*; prefers fertile soils; pith is used as insulation for several products in India; useful as green manure or cover crop

Reported in: BAN, CAM, IDO, IND, MYA, NEP, PHI, SRI,

THA, VIE













INDIAN JOINT-VETCH, AESIN, dicot

Found in: lowland, upland

Establishment method: DS > WS

Growth habit: erect, branched; up to 1.2 m

Moisture: wet to moist Competitiveness: moderate Seed contaminant: yes

Cultural control: high fertility; early removal by hand

weeding or cultivation

Reported resistance: none

Life cycle: perennial Seed wt: 7.3

Method(s) of reproduction: seeds

Dormancy: yes, pronounced

Flower: yellow, often suffused with purple

Elevation: up to 1,000 m

Light: sunny

Notes: seedpod is distinctive of leguminous plants; red

light inhibits germination; useful as fodder

Reported in: BAN, CAM, CHN, IDO, IND, JPN, KOR, LAO,

MAL, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE

TROPIC AGERATUM, GOAT WEED, AGECO, dicot

Found in: upland

Establishment method: DS

Growth habit: erect, often decumbent herb; up to 1.2 m

Moisture: moist to dry Competitiveness: moderate Seed contaminant: unknown

Cultural control: early cutting or hand weeding and

shallow cultivation

Reported resistance: none

Life cycle: annual Seed wt: 0.1 Method(s) of reproduction: seeds

Maturity time: quick flowering and short-lived, as little

as 2 months

Dormancy: 50% of seeds can germinate immediately; light

required for germination

Flower: white to pale purple/blue

Elevation: up to 3,000 m **Light:** shade-tolerant

Notes: very plastic growth habit; may emerge throughout the entire season; responds to fertilizer; prefers higher

elevations; toxic to livestock

Reported in: BAN, BHU, CHN, IDO, IND, LAO, MAL, MYA,

NEP, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE

Similar species

Ageratum houstonianum Miller (plate 10)

Leaves squarer at the base; flower heads larger, florets about 6 mm long with blue styles exserted 2-3 mm.

(7) Seedling, (8) inflorescence, (9) mature plant, (10) Ageratum houstonianum











Alternanthera sessilis (L.) R. Br. ex DC.

Amaranthaceae

SESSILE JOYWEED, ALRSE, dicot

Found in: lowland, upland

Establishment method: DS > WS

Growth habit: prostrate, creeping or ascending; many

suberect branches, up to 1 m

Moisture: wet to moist; more terrestrial than aquatic

Competitiveness: moderate Seed contaminant: unknown

Cultural control: flooding, hand weeding or tillage

Reported resistance: none

Life cycle: perennial **Seed wt:** 0.5

Method(s) of reproduction: seeds, stolons, stem frag-

ment

Dormancy: unknown

Flower: white or pinkish, very small

Elevation: up to 2,650 m

Light: sunny

Notes: C_3 plant; sometimes consumed by humans

Reported in: BAN, BHU, CAM, CHN, IDO, IND, LAO, MAL,

MYA, NEP, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE

Similar species

Alternanthera philoxeroides (Mart.) Griseb. (plate 14) Flower heads axillary and on peduncles 10-45 mm long.

(11) Seedling, (12) inflorescence, (13) mature plant, (14) Alternanthera philoxeroides inflorescence

SPINY AMARANTH, AMASP, dicot

Found in: upland

Establishment method: DS

Growth habit: erect, much-branched; sharp axillary spines;

up to 1 m

Moisture: moist

Competitiveness: moderate to high

Seed contaminant: unknown

Cultural control: early hand weeding (before thorns grow)

or cultivation; flooding suppresses growth

Reported resistance: none

Life cycle: annual Seed wt: 0.2 Method(s) of reproduction: seeds

Dormancy: variable, none to 4 mo; long viability; no light

requirement for germination

Flower: pale green-purple tinge

Elevation: up to 1,800 m

Light: sunny; shade-sensitive

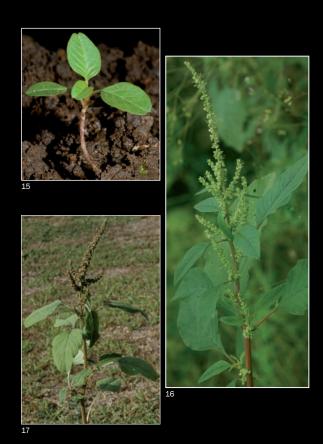
Notes: one of the world's worst weeds; C₄ plant; prefers fertile soils and higher temperatures; sometimes consumed by humans; young plants poisonous to livestock

Reported in: BAN, BHU, CHN, IDO, IND, LAO, MAL, MYA, NEP. PAK. PHI, SRI, THA, VIE

Similar species

Amaranthus viridis L. (plate 17) Erect, 0.8 m tall, without spines. Leaves used as vegetable.

(15) Seedling, (16) A. spinosus, (17) A. viridis









TROPICAL SPIDERWORT, COMBE, monocot

Found in: upland, lowland

Establishment method: DS >> WS

Growth habit: herb; up to 1 m; prostrate or ascending

Moisture: moist to wet; drier than C. diffusa

Emergence time: 10 to 12 d Seed contaminant: unknown Competitiveness: moderate

Cultural control: flooding; hand and mechanical weeding

may as stem pieces re-root **Reported resistance:** none

Life cycle: perennial Seed wt: 2.0 Method(s) of reproduction: seeds, stolons

Maturity time: aerial flowers in 35 d; rhizomes with

underground flowers in 42 d **Dormancy:** yes, innate

Flower: purple or blue; those from underground stems

are whitish

Elevation: up to 2,000 m

Light: sunny to slightly shaded

Notes: germinates best in full light; somewhat tolerant of herbicides; annual in temperate zones; prefers high fertility; single plant can cover a large area; useful forage and human food

Reported in: BAN, BHU, IDO, IND, JAP, KOR, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE

Commelina diffusa Burm. f.

Commelinaceae

Spreading dayflower, COMDI, monocot

Found in: upland

Establishment method: DS > WS

Growth habit: creeping or ascending; up to 1 m

Moisture: wet, not flooded

Competitiveness: at least moderate

Seed contaminant: yes

Cultural control: early continuous flooding; hand and mechanical weeding difficult because pieces may re-root

Reported resistance: synthetic auxins (USA)

Life cycle: perennial Seed wt: 11.5
Method(s) of reproduction: stolons and by seeds

Flowering time: earlier than rice

Dormancy: innate and induced by high temperatures

Flower: blue

Elevation: up to 2,000 m

Light: shaded

Notes: more common than *C. benghalensis* in rice; somewhat tolerant of herbicides; very persistent in fields

Reported in: BAN, BHU, CHN, IDO, IND, KOR, LAO, MAL,

MYA, NEP, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE









(19) Young plant, (20) flower, (21) mature plant

Eclipta prostrata (L.) L.

Asteraceae

FALSE DAISY, ECLAL, dicot

Found in: lowland, upland

Establishment method: DS > WS

Growth habit: herb; prostrate to erect, much-branched;

up to 1.0 m

Moisture: wet to moist

Competitiveness: low to moderate

Seed contaminant: yes

Cultural control: cultivation and hand weeding; early

removal or cutting; high fertility **Reported resistance:** none

Life cycle: annual Seed wt: 0.4 Method(s) of reproduction: seeds

Maturity time: 42 d

Dormancy: none; light required for germination

Flower: white or cream **Elevation:** up to 2,000 m

Light: sunny

Notes: no emergence from depth; C₃ plant; saline-tolerant; often in field margins; somewhat tolerant of butachlor

Reported in: BAN, BHU, CAM, CHN, IDO, IND, JPN, KOR, LAO, MAL, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE

Eichhornia crassipes (Mart.) Solms Pontederiaceae

WATER HYACINTH, EICCR, monocot

Found in: lowland

Establishment method: TP > WS

Growth habit: floating, rooted in shallow water; up to

0.3 m

Moisture: aquatic—flooded to wet

Competitiveness: low to moderate; greater early, and

greater than many other aquatics

Seed contaminant: unknown

Cultural control: drainage and physical removal possible

with small infestations
Reported resistance: none

Life cycle: perennial **Seed wt:** 0.1

Method(s) of reproduction: stolons, plant fragments,

plantlets developing from seeds

Dormancy: variable—none to many years

Flower: blue to violet **Elevation:** up to 1,600 m

Light: sunny

Notes: one of the world's worst weeds; seeds viable for up to 15 years; causes increased water loss through evapotranspiration

Reported in: BAN, BHU, CAM, CHN, IDO, IND, JPN, LAO, MAL, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE











WATER SPINACH, SWAMP MORNINGGLORY, IPOAQ, dicot

Found in: lowland

Establishment method: TP > WS

Growth habit: vine, widely spreading and much-branched

Moisture: aquatic—flooded to wet Competitiveness: low; greater early

Seed contaminant: yes

Cultural control: physical removal though readily re-roots

from nodes

Reported resistance: none

Life cycle: perennial Seed wt: 36 Method(s) of reproduction: seeds, runners

Flowering time: 45-60 d

Dormancy: yes; may require seed coat to be broken

Flower: white to cream or purple

Elevation: up to 1,200 m

Light: sunny

Notes: consumed by humans; known widely in many

Southeast Asian nations as kangkong

Reported in: BAN, CAM, CHN, IDO, IND, JPN, KOR, LAO,

MAL, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE

CREEPING WATER PRIMROSE, LUDAC, dicot

Found in: lowland

Establishment method: TP > WS

Growth habit: herb; floating or rooted and creeping; up

to 0.5 m

Moisture: aquatic—flooded or wet

Competitiveness: low

Seed contaminant: unknown Cultural control: hand weeding Reported resistance: none

Life cycle: perennial

Method(s) of reproduction: seeds, plant fragments,

stolons

Dormancy: unknown Flower: white to yellow Elevation: up to 1,600 m Light: partial shade to sunny

Notes: restricts waterways; reduces oxygen content in

water; dangerous to cattle

Reported in: BAN, CAM, CHN, IDO, IND, JPN, LAO, MAL,

MYA, NEP, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE















Longfruited PRIMROSE-WILLOW, LUDOC, dicot

Found in: lowland

Establishment method: WS, TP

Growth habit: erect, much-branched and robust herb;

up to 1.5 m

Moisture: wet to damp; drier than L. adscendens

Competitiveness: high Seed contaminant: yes

Cultural control: early flooding or hand weeding

Reported resistance: none

Life cycle: perennial

Method(s) of reproduction: seeds and plant fragments **Dormancy:** low or none; light requirement for germination

Flower: yellow, 4 petals each about 10 mm long

Elevation: up to 1,500 m **Light:** partial shade to sunny

Notes: responsive to fertilizers; red hypocotyl, entire

seedling often reddish

Reported in: BAN, CAM, IDO, IND, JPN, LAO, MAL, MYA,

NEP, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE

Similar species

Ludwigia hyssopifolia (G. Don) Exell

Flowers with 4 petals each 3–5 mm long; widespread in Asia.

WATER CLOVER, MARMI, monocot

Found in: lowland

Establishment method: WS, TP

Growth habit: fern; creeping hairy rhizomes, erect or

leaves floating

Moisture: aquatic—flooded to wet

Emergence time: first 10 days after transplanting

Competitiveness: moderate, but can be severe early;

strong competitor for nutrients
Seed contaminant: unlikely

Cultural control: minimize wet tillage; dry tillage after

harvest to desiccate rhizomes **Reported resistance:** none

Life cycle: perennial

Method(s) of reproduction: spores, rhizomes, and frag-

ments of rhizomes

Light: sunny

Notes: four-leaf clover appearance is distinctive; rhizomes establish best from surface; height responds plastically to water depth

Reported in: BAN, BHU, CAM, CHN, IDO, IND, KOR, LAO,

MAL, MYA, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE









Mimosa diplotricha C. Wright ex Sauvalle

Fabaceae

GIANT SENSITIVE PLANT, MIMIN, dicot

Found in: upland

Establishment method: DS

Growth habit: prostrate to erect, many-branched shrub;

up to 2 m

Moisture: dry to wet

Competitiveness: moderate Seed contaminant: unknown

Cultural control: cutting or burning or hand weeding of

seedlings; probably early flooding

Reported resistance: none

Life cycle: perennial Seed wt: 6
Method(s) of reproduction: seeds

Dormancy: yes, long; also long viability because of hard

seeds; broken by heat

Flower: reddish purple to white Elevation: up to 2,000 m Light: sunny to partly shaded

Notes: improves soil fertility (legume); high early growth rate; a single plant can cover a large area; dangerous to cattle

Reported in: CAM, CHN, IDO, IND, LAO, MAL, MYA, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE

Monochoria vaginalis (Burm. f.) C. Presl.

Pontederiaceae

Monochoria, MOOVA, monocot

Found in: lowland

Establishment method: TP > WS

Growth habit: herb; erect, hairless and fleshy; up to 0.5 m

Moisture: aquatic—wet to flooded

Competitiveness: moderate with great densities early

Seed contaminant: yes

Cultural control: stale seedbed with wet tillage, hand

weeding

Reported resistance: ALS inhibitors (KOR)

Life cycle: perennial **Seed wt:** 0.07

Method(s) of reproduction: seeds, perhaps stolons

Flowering time: within 60 d

Dormancy: may need long anaerobic period to germinate

Flower: pale to dark blue **Elevation:** up to 1,550 m

Light: sunny

Notes: germinates best in full light; often an annual in

rice; consumed by humans

Reported in: BAN, BHU, CAM, CHN, IDO, IND, JPN, KOR,

LAO, MAL, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE









WATERLETTUCE, PIIST, monocot

Found in: lowland

Establishment method: TP > WS

Growth habit: floating stoloniferous herb, sometimes

rooting; about 0.1 m

Moisture: aquatic—flooded to moist Competitiveness: probably low Seed contaminant: unlikely

Cultural control: drainage; physical removal

Reported resistance: none

Life cycle: perennial

Method(s) of reproduction: plantlets and seeds

Maturity time: stolons by 5- to 6-leaf stage; maturity

at 120 d

Dormancy: yes, seems to require long submergence period

Elevation: up to 1,000 m

Light: sunny

Notes: seeds germinate while submerged; survives extended periods in unflooded conditions; cold-sensitive, so not usually found in temperate regions

Reported in: BAN, CAM, CHN, IDO, IND, LAO, MAL, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE

Marsh-pepper smartweed, water pepper, POLHY, dicot

Found in: lowland

Establishment method: DS, WS, TP

Growth habit: herb; erect or ascending; branched; up

to 0.6 m

Moisture: flooded to damp; may require saturation for

establishment

Competitiveness: probably low Seed contaminant: unknown

Cultural control: completely uproot by hand or tillage as cut stems may resprout; control before flowering

Reported resistance: photosystem II inhibitor (FRA)

Life cycle: annual

 $\textbf{Method(s)} \ \ \textbf{of reproduction:} \ \ \textbf{seeds, sometimes rooted}$

stems

Maturity time: flowering by 90 d

Dormancy: variable, but usually an after-ripening period;

light requirement for germination **Flower:** greenish yellow, pinkish

Light: partial shade

Notes: acid-tolerant; leaves have hot taste; cultivated as spice for sashimi, raw fish

Reported in: BAN, BHU, CHN, IDO, IND, JPN, KOR, MAL, NEP, THA











Portulaca oleracea L.

Portulacaceae

Purslane, POROL, dicot

Found in: upland

Establishment method: DS >> WS

Growth habit: succulent branched spreading herb; up

to 0.5 m

Moisture: dry to moist

Competitiveness: low to moderate

Seed contaminant: unknown

Cultural control: flooding; repeated shallow cultivation

though re-roots readily

Reported resistance: multiple to photosystem II inhibitor

+ ureas/amides (USA)

Life cycle: annual Seed wt: 0.07

Method(s) of reproduction: seeds > stem fragments **Maturity time:** flowers in 1 mo, maturity in 2 to 4 mo

Dormancy: low or none

Flower: yellow

Elevation: up to 2,700 m **Light:** sunny to partly shaded

Notes: one of the world's worst weeds; prefers fertile soils; growth is slow until about 14 d; pig fodder and consumed by humans

Reported in: BAN, BHU, CHN, IDO, IND, JPN, KOR, MAL, MYA, PAK, PHI, THA, VIE

Gooseweed, SPDZE, dicot

Found in: lowland

Establishment method: DS, WS > TP

Growth habit: erect, branched herb with hollow stems;

up to 1.5 m

Moisture: aquatic—flooded to wet; prefers stagnant water

Competitiveness: moderate Seed contaminant: unknown

Cultural control: closed crop canopy limits weed growth **Reported resistance:** synthetic auxins (PHI, MAL, THA)

Life cycle: annual Seed wt: 0.01 Method(s) of reproduction: seeds

Dormancy: yes; light requirement for germination

Flower: small and white Elevation: up to 300 m Light: partial shade to sunny

Notes: height is very plastic; usually not a weed of other crops

Reported in: BAN, CAM, IDO, IND, LAO, MAL, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE













Horse purslane, giant pigweed, TRTPO, dicot

Found in: lowland, upland

Establishment method: DS > WS

Growth habit: prostrate to ascending, much branched,

with fleshy leaves; up to 0.5 m

Moisture: dry to moist
Emergence time: with rice
Competitiveness: moderate
Seed contaminant: unknown

Cultural control: flooding; tillage often ineffective because of stem regrowth; do not allow to mature; remove

fruiting plants from field to stop shedding

Reported resistance: none

Life cycle: annual Seed wt: 1.3 Method(s) of reproduction: seeds

Maturity time: flowers in 20-30 d; maturity about 20 d

after pollination

Dormancy: secondary; long viability because of hard seed

Flower: white to pale pink Elevation: up to 800 m Light: partial shade

Notes: green (most competitive) and red (most reproductive) biotypes in India; solar-tracking leaves; may produce 3 to 4 flushes in one season

Reported in: CAM, IDO, IND, LAO, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI. THA. VIE

(54) Seedling, (55) flower, (56) mature plant

BERMUDA GRASS, CYNDA, monocot

Found in: upland, lowland Establishment method: DS

Growth habit: prostrate to ascending; up to 0.4 m

Moisture: dry to moist, drained

Emergence time: 14 d Competitiveness: moderate Seed contaminant: unknown

Cultural control: stale seedbed; tillage and removal; dry

tillage to desiccate rhizomes; soil solarization

Reported resistance: none

Life cycle: perennial **Seed wt:** 0.3

Method(s) of reproduction: rhizomes and stolons, seeds Maturity time: tillers at 25 to 30 d; maturity at 120 d Dormancy: no; seeds survive 50 d of submergence

Flower: white or pinkish, very small

Elevation: up to 2,300 m **Light:** sunny, partial shade

Notes: one of the world's worst weeds; C_4 plant; alkalineand acid-tolerant; flood- and drought-tolerant; numerous biotypes

Reported in: BAN, BHU, CAM, CHN, IDO, IND, JPN, KOR, LAO, MAL, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE

(57) Shoots from rhizome, (58) inflorescence, (59) mature plant

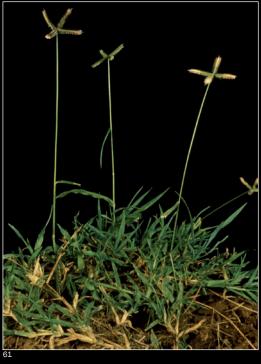












Crowfoot grass, DTTAE, monocot

Found in: upland, lowland Establishment method: DS

Growth habit: creeping with ascending culms; up to 0.6 m

Moisture: moist

Emergence time: shortly after rainfall **Competitiveness:** moderate to high

Seed contaminant: yes

Cultural control: stale seedbed; flooding; early removal

by hand

Reported resistance: none

Life cycle: annual Seed wt: 0.3
Method(s) of reproduction: seeds
Maturity time: 28 d; senescence in 4 mo

Dormancy: unknown **Elevation:** up to 1,000 m **Light:** sunny, partial shade

Notes: C_4 plant; seed viability is long; fodder, but some reports of poor nutrition, and may be toxic to livestock during hot weather

Reported in: BAN, CHN, IDO, IND, KOR, LAO, MAL, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE

Digitaria ciliaris (Retz.) Koel.

Poaceae

CRAB GRASS, DIGSP, monocot

Found in: upland

Establishment method: DS

Growth habit: creeping, tufted with prostrate to erect

culms; up to 0.6 m

Moisture: dry to moist

Competitiveness: moderate to high

Seed contaminant: yes

Cultural control: flooding, early removal by hand **Reported resistance:** ACCase inhibitors (BRA)

Life cycle: annual Seed wt: 0.6
Method(s) of reproduction: seeds
Dormancy: variable, up to 7 mo
Elevation: up to 2,000 m

Light: sunny; shade-sensitive

Notes: tolerates defoliation; very responsive to nutrients; C₄ plant; useful forage

Reported in: BAN, BHU, CAM, CHN, IDO, IND, KOR, LAO, MAL, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE







JUNGLE-RICE, ECHCO, monocot

Found in: lowland, upland

Establishment method: DS > WS

Growth habit: tufted and erect; up to 0.6 m

Moisture: dry to wet Competitiveness: high Seed contaminant: yes

Cultural control: early cultivation; early flooding; hand

weeding

Reported resistance: ACCase inhibitors (BOL, COS, NIC), ALS inhibitors (BOL, COS), glycines (AUS), photosystem II inhibitors (AUS, IRN), ureas and amides (COL, COS, GTM, HND, PAN, SLV, VEN), multiple resistance (COS)

Life cycle: perennial Seed wt: 1.0 Method(s) of reproduction: seeds, stolons

Flowering time: 30 to 45 d

Dormancy: low or none; light requirement for germination

Elevation: up to 2,000 m **Light:** sunny, partial shade

Notes: one of the world's worst weeds; soil saturation strongly reduces emergence of buried seeds; responsive to nutrients; profuse root production; good forage; C₄ plant; encouraged by zero tillage

Reported in: BAN, CAM, CHN, IDO, IND, JPN, KOR, LAO, MAL, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE













BARNYARDGRASS, ECHCG, monocot

Found in: lowland, upland

Establishment method: DS > WS > TP **Growth habit:** erect, tufting up to 2 m

Moisture: wet to moist Competitiveness: very high Seed contaminant: yes

Cultural control: thorough land preparation; early, deep

flooding; rotation

Reported resistance: ACCase inhibitors (CHN, THA, USA), chloroacetamides (CHN, PHI, THA), dinitroanilines (BUL), photosystem II inhibitors (CAN, CZE, FRA, POL, ESP, USA), synthetic auxins (BRA, USA), thiocarbamates (CHN, USA), ureas and amides (GRC, PHI, THA, USA), multiple resistance (BRA, PHI, THA, USA)

Life cycle: annual Seed wt: 3 Method(s) of reproduction: seeds

Flowering time: 42 to 63 d Dormancy: variable, up to 4 mo Elevation: up to 2,500 m

Light: sunny; shade-sensitive

Notes: one of the world's worst weeds; ${\rm C_4}$ plant; phenotypically variable; responds to nitrogen, potassium, and phosphorus

Reported in: BAN, BHU, CAM, CHN, IDO, IND, JPN, KOR, LAO, MAL, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE

Echinochloa glabrescens Munro ex Hook. f. Poaceae

ECHGL, monocot

Found in: lowland

Establishment method: DS, WS, TP **Growth habit:** tufted, erect; up to 1 m

Moisture: wet

Competitiveness: high Emergence time: within 7 d Seed contaminant: yes

Cultural control: thorough land preparation; early flood-

ing to 30 mm depth

Reported resistance: none

Life cycle: annual Seed wt: 2 Method(s) of reproduction: seeds

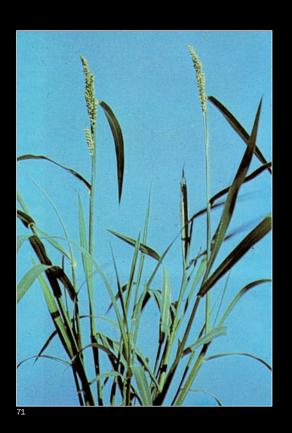
Flowering time: 30 to 35 d

Dormancy: unknown **Elevation:** unknown

Light: sunny

Reported in: BAN, BHU, CAM, IDO, IND, KOR, LAO, MAL,

NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE







Goosegrass, ELEIN, monocot

Found in: upland

Establishment method: DS

Growth habit: stems erect or ascending, branched; up

to 0.6 m

Moisture: moist to wet
Competitiveness: high
Seed contaminant: unknown

Cultural control: early continuous flooding; hand weeding **Reported resistance:** ACCase inhibitor (BOL, BRA, MAL), ALS inhibitor (COS), bipyridiliums (MAL, USA), dinitroanilines (USA), multiple: ACCase inhibitor + glycines (MAL)

Life cycle: annual Seed wt: 0.4 Method(s) of reproduction: seeds

Maturity time: flowering in 30 d; maturity in 4 to 6 mo

Dormancy: some, but usually short

Elevation: up to 2,000 m **Light:** sunny; shade-sensitive

Notes: one of the world's worst weeds; C_4 plant; multiple generations in one season; can emerge from soil depths of up to 0.08 m

Reported in: BAN, BHU, CAM, CHN, IDO, IND, JPN, KOR, LAO, MAL, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE

COGON GRASS, IMPCY, monocot

Found in: upland

Establishment method: DS

Growth habit: erect, tufted, and unbranched; scaly rhi-

zomes; up to 2 m

Moisture: moist to dry; well-drained

Competitiveness: high Seed contaminant: unknown

Cultural control: legume cover crops; repeated tillage to

desiccate rhizomes; flooding; rotation

Reported resistance: none

Life cycle: perennial Seed wt: 1
Method(s) of reproduction: seeds, rhizomes

Dormancy: none in seeds, but lateral buds are dormant;

seeds viable for up to 1 year **Elevation:** up to 3,000 m **Light:** sunny; shade-sensitive

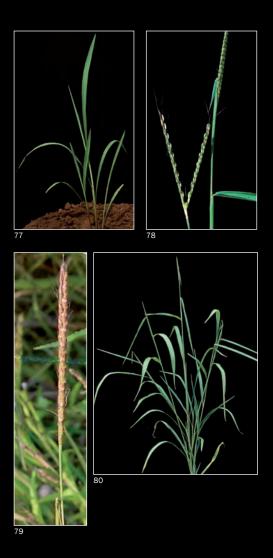
Notes: one of the world's worst weeds; C₄ plant; acidand alkaline-tolerant; prefers light-textured soils; many infested fields are abandoned; burning does not injure rhizomes

Reported in: BAN, BHU, CHN, IDO, IND, JPN, KOR, LAO, MAL, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE









WRINKLED GRASS, SARAMOLLAGRASS, ISCRU, monocot

Found in: lowland, upland

Establishment method: DS >> WS, TP

Growth habit: tufted, ascending to erect, and much-

branched; up to 1.0 m

Emergence time: within 7 d

Moisture: aquatic—flooded to wet

Competitiveness: high
Seed contaminant: unknown

Cultural control: early continuous flooding; early removal **Reported resistance:** ACCase inhibitor (COL), bipyridili-

ums (MAL)

Life cycle: perennial Seed wt: 4
Method(s) of reproduction: seeds, rhizomes

Maturity time: 130 d

Dormancy: yes; light required for germination

Elevation: up to 2,400 m **Light:** sunny; shade-tolerant

Notes: red leaf sheaths at the base; new seedling cohorts emerge after drainage from up to 0.05 m soil depth; responsive to fertilizer; acid-tolerant; good forage if young; germinates on surface of saturated soil; C_4 plant

Reported in: BAN, CAM, IDO, IND, KOR, LAO, MAL, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE

(77) Young plant, (78) inflorescence showing paired racemes, (79) inflorescence, (80) mature plant

Southern cutgrass, LERHE, monocot

Found in: lowland

Establishment method: WS, TP > DS

Growth habit: creeping to ascending, tufted, and erect;

up to 1.2 m

Moisture: aquatic—flooded to wet Competitiveness: moderate to high

Seed contaminant: yes

Cultural control: stale seedbed; rotavating/puddling in

wet or dry conditions

Reported resistance: none

Life cycle: perennial Seed wt: 0.8

Method(s) of reproduction: rhizomes, seeds

Dormancy: unknown **Elevation:** up to 2,200 m **Light:** partial shade to sunny

Notes: stem fragments will root at nodes

Reported in: BAN, CAM, CHN, IDO, IND, KOR, LAO, MAL,

MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE









CHINESE SPRANGLETOP, RED SPRANGLETOP, LEFCH, monocot

Found in: lowland

Establishment method: DS > WS > TP

Growth habit: tufted, erect, and slender; sometimes with

reclining stems; up to 1.2 m

Moisture: aquatic—wet to flooded

Competitiveness: high Seed contaminant: yes

Cultural control: thorough land preparation and hand

weeding; permanent flood within 1 week
Reported resistance: ACCase inhibitor (THA)

Life cycle: perennial **Seed wt:** 0.1

Method(s) of reproduction: seeds, plant fragments

Dormancy: low or none **Elevation:** up to 1,400 m

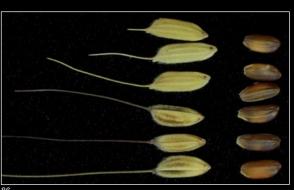
Light: sunny

Notes: C, plant; good fodder

Reported in: BAN, CAM, CHN, IDO, IND, JPN, KOR, LAO,

MAL, MYA, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE





WEEDY RICE, RED RICE, ORYSA, monocot

Found in: lowland

Establishment method: WS, DS **Moisture:** moist to flooded

Emergence time: with sown crop or soon after

Competitiveness: high Seed contaminant: yes

Cultural control: stale seedbed, early flooding, hand

weeding, water seeding, transplanting rice

Reported resistance: none

Life cycle: annual Seed wt: 20-30

Method(s) of reproduction: seeds

Elevation: as for rice crop **Light:** as for rice crop

Notes: introduced to fields as seeds in irrigation water, contaminated tillage and harvesting equipment, and contaminated seed supplies. Originates as result of hybridization between *O. rufipogon* or *O. nivara* and *O. sativa* cultivars, or between cultivars, through selection of weedy traits or through segregation from landraces. Key weedy traits are early grain shattering and variable dormancy.

Reported in: BAN, BOL, BRA, CAM, CHN, COL, COS, IDO, IND, MAL, KOR, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, USA, VEN, VIE

Panicum repens L.

Poaceae

TORPEDO GRASS, PANRE, monocot

Found in: lowland

Establishment method: DS

Growth habit: creeping; erect and branching stems; up

to 1.0 m

Moisture: dry to moist; drought-tolerant **Competitiveness:** perhaps moderate

Seed contaminant: yes

Cultural control: flooding; tillage or cutting

Reported resistance: none

Life cycle: perennial Seed wt: 0.67
Method(s) of reproduction: rhizomes, seeds

Maturity time: rhizomes in 30 d; flowers in 50 to 60 d

Dormancy: unknown **Elevation:** up to 2,000 m **Light:** sunny; shade-tolerant

Notes: prefers sandy soils; acid- and salt-tolerant; deep plowing increases rate of spread; after establishment can survive moderate drought; fodder

Reported in: BAN, CAM, CHN, IDO, IND, KOR, LAO, MAL, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE

(87) Shoots from rhizomes, (88) inflorescence, (89) mature plants









KNOTGRASS, PASDS, monocot

Found in: lowland, upland

Establishment method: DS > WS, TP

Growth habit: creeping branched stolons, erect stems;

up to 0.6 m

Moisture: moist to wet Competitiveness: high Seed contaminant: yes

Cultural control: thorough land preparation; early continuous flooding; tillage during dry season to desiccate

rhizomes

Reported resistance: none

Life cycle: perennial

Method(s) of reproduction: stolons > seeds and rhizomes

Maturity time: 82 d

Dormancy: yes, perhaps requires cold to germinate; apical

and bud dominance in new stems

Elevation: up to 1,500 m **Light:** sunny; shade-sensitive

Notes: detached stolons easily regenerate; increases under zero tillage; similar to *Panicum repens* but more slender

Reported in: BAN, BHU, CHN, IDO, IND, JPN, KOR, LAO,

MAL, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE

KODO MILLET, PASSC, monocot

Found in: lowland, upland

Establishment method: DS > WS

Growth habit: erect, tufted, and rooting at lower nodes;

up to 1 m

Moisture: flooded to moist Competitiveness: low Seed contaminant: yes

Cultural control: tillage; deep flooding; hand weeding

Reported resistance: none

Life cycle: perennial

Method(s) of reproduction: seeds, rooted stem fragments

Maturity time: 90 d
Dormancy: undetected
Elevation: up to 3,000 m
Light: sunny; shade-sensitive

Notes: responsive to nutrients; very heterogeneous; good forage; grown as cereal grain in some places, but also reported toxic in some cases

Reported in: BAN, CAM, CHN, IDO, IND, JPN, KOR, LAO, MAL, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE









Rottboellia cochinchinensis (Lour.) W.D. Clayton

Poaceae

ITCHGRASS, ROOEX, monocot

Found in: upland

Establishment method: DS

Growth habit: tufted, erect, and branching; rooting at

nodes; up to 3 m

Moisture: dry to moist; well-drained

Competitiveness: very high Seed contaminant: yes

Cultural control: clean seed and implements; flooding;

rotate to broadleaf crops; control in nearby areas **Reported resistance:** ACCase inhibitors (USA)

Life cycle: annual Seed wt: 15
Method(s) of reproduction: seeds

Dormancy: 1 to 4 mo; after-ripening requirement

Elevation: up to 1,500 m **Light:** sunny; shade-sensitive

Notes: one of the world's worst weeds; emerges from up to 0.15-m depth, but relatively low seed viability

to 0.15-iii deptil, but letatively tow seed viability

Reported in: CHN, IDO, IND, KOR, LAO, MAL, MYA, NEP,

PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE

SALTMARSH BULRUSH, SCPMA, monocot

Found in: lowland

Establishment method: WS, TP > DS

Growth habit: erect and slender stem arising from tuber-

ous base; up to 1.5 m
Moisture: wet to flooded

Emergence time: within 7 d of last tillage

Competitiveness: high Seed contaminant: yes

Cultural control: rotation; deep tillage may bury tubers; alternately, long drainage periods and zero tillage

Reported resistance: ALS inhibitor (KOR)

Life cycle: perennial **Seed wt:** 5.6

Method(s) of reproduction: tubers > stolons > seeds

Dormancy: yes, in tubers **Elevation:** up to 3,000 m **Light:** sunny; shade-sensitive

Notes: saline-tolerant; seed production may increase with water depth, helping its persistence through wet/dry cycles

Reported in: BAN, CAM, CHN, IDO, IND, KOR, LAO, MAL, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE













SMALLFLOWER UMBRELLA SEDGE, CYPDI, monocot

Found in: lowland

Establishment method: WS > TP > DS

Growth habit: tufted and erect; up to 1.0 m

Moisture: wet to moist

Emergence time: within 7 d; continual throughout season

Competitiveness: moderate Seed contaminant: yes

Cultural control: early continuous flooding, hand weed-

ing, tillage

Reported resistance: ALS inhibitors (AUS, BRA, ITA,

KOR, ESP, USA)

Life cycle: annual Seed wt: 0.01

Method(s) of reproduction: seeds Maturity time: as little as 30 d

Dormancy: none

Elevation: up to 1,400 m

Light: sunny

Notes: germinates best in full light

Reported in: BAN, BHU, CAM, CHN, IDO, IND, LAO, JPN,

KOR, MAL, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE

RICE FLAT SEDGE, CYPIR, monocot

Found in: lowland, upland

Establishment method: DS, WS >> TP **Growth habit:** erect; tufted up to 0.8 m

Emergence time: within 7 d
Moisture: moist to wet

Competitiveness: moderate
Seed contaminant: ves

Cultural control: early flooding; hand weeding

Reported resistance: none

Life cycle: annual Seed wt: 0.1
Method(s) of reproduction: seeds
Maturity time: as little as 30 d

Dormancy: yes; can germinate about 75 d after shedding

Elevation: up to 1,200 m

Light: sunny

Notes: germinates best in full light; C₄ plant; may have multiple generations in one season; prefers lower elevations; used as forage and in mat-making

Reported in: BAN, BHU, CAM, CHN, IDO, IND, JPN, KOR, LAO, MAL, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE





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Purple nutsedge, CYPRO, monocot

Found in: upland

Establishment method: DS

Growth habit: erect; tubers in chains on rhizomes; up

to 0.7 m

Emergence time: simultaneous with rice

Moisture: dry to moist

Competitiveness: moderate to low, but competitive early

Seed contaminant: yes

Cultural control: stale seedbed; suppressive crop with narrow rows; high plant density; flooding suppresses growth but does not kill tubers; interrow cultivation

Reported resistance: none

Life cycle: perennial Seed wt: 0.1

Method(s) of reproduction: tubers, rhizomes

Maturity time: from 21 to 56 d

Dormancy: yes, apical dominance in tubers

Elevation: up to 1,800 m **Light:** sunny; shade-sensitive

Notes: the world's worst weed; C₄ plant; saline-sensitive; tubers may be viable for several years; tubers consumed by humans; forage

Reported in: BAN, BHU, CHN, IDO, IND, JPN, KOR, LAO, MAL, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE

(105) Shoots from tubers, (106) inflorescence, (107) mature plant

FORKED FRINGE-RUSH, FIMDI, monocot

Found in: upland, lowland Establishment method: DS, WS

Growth habit: erect; variable in habit and inflorescence

size, up to 0.7 m

Moisture: dry to wet

Competitiveness: moderate Seed contaminant: yes

Cultural control: early flooding; hand weeding, tillage

Reported resistance: none

Life cycle: perennial Seed wt: 0.1
Method(s) of reproduction: seeds, rhizomes

Dormancy: unknown **Elevation:** up to 2,500 m

Light: sunny

Notes: very heterogeneous species; saline-tolerant; C₄ plant; better adapted to drier soils; useful for mat-making

Reported in: BAN, CHN, IDO, IND, KOR, LAO, MAL, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE







GLOBE FRINGE-RUSH, FIMMI, monocot

Found in: lowland, upland

Establishment method: DS > WS > TP

Growth habit: erect and strongly tillering; up to 0.6 m

Moisture: moist to wet **Emergence time:** within 7 d

Competitiveness: moderate; strong root competition

Seed contaminant: yes

Cultural control: early flooding; hand weeding

Reported resistance: ALS inhibitors (BRA); synthetic

auxins (MAL)

Life cycle: perennial Seed wt: 0.02

Method(s) of reproduction: seeds

Flowering time: 30 d

Dormancy: none; light requirement for germination

Elevation: up to 1,000 m

Light: sunny

Notes: saline-tolerant; may emerge throughout season; may produce multiple generations in one season; C₄ plant; useful in mat-making

Reported in: BAN, BHU, CAM, CHN, IDO, IND, KOR, LAO, MAL, MYA, NEP, PAK, PHI, SRI, THA, VIE

BULRUSH, SCPJO, monocot

Found in: lowland

Establishment method: TP

Growth habit: erect and strongly tillering; up to 0.75 m

Moisture: wet

Competitiveness: low to moderate

Seed contaminant: yes

Cultural control: wet or dry cultivation; early flooding;

dry field to stop regrowth after rice harvest **Reported resistance:** ALS inhibitors (JAP, KOR)

Life cycle: annual Seed wt: 0.2 Method(s) of reproduction: seeds

Dormancy: 2 to 3 mo **Elevation:** up to 2,000 m

Light: sunny

Notes: burial or submergence favors germination; germinates best at less than full light; fodder for cattle







Weed	Synonym(s)
Aeschynomene aspera	Hedysarum lagenarium
A. indica	A. virginica
Ageratum conyzoides	A. hirsutum
Alternanthera sessilis	A. repens
	A. triandra
	Gomphrena sessilis
Bolboschoenus maritimus	Scirpus maritimus
Commelina benghalensis	C. prostrata
C. diffusa	C. agraria
	C. aquatica
	C. communis
	C. nodiflora
Cynodon dactylon	C. arcuatus
	C. parviglumis
Cyperus rotundus	C. odoratus
	C. tetrastachyos
	C. tuberosus
	Schoenus tuberosus
Dactyloctenium aegyptium	D. meridionale
	Cynosurus aegyptius
	Eleusine aegyptiaca
	E. mucronata
Digitaria ciliaris	D. adscendens
	D. biformis
	D. marginata
	Panicum adscendens
	P. ciliare
	Syntherisma ciliaris
Echinochloa colona	E. colonum
	Panicum colonum
E. crus-galli	E. spiralis
	Panicum crus-gall
Eclipta prostrata	E. alba
	E. erecta
Eichhornia crassipes	E. cordifolia
	E. crassicaulis
	E. speciosa
	Eichhorniae azureae
	Pontederia crassipes
Eleusine indica	Cynodon indicus
	Cynosurus indicus
Fimbristylis dichotoma	Eleusine japonica
	F. annua
	F. communis
	F. diphylla
	F. lara

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Appendix B. Common names of weeds in Bangladesh

Weed Common name(s)

Ageratum conyzoides Alternanthera sessilis

Amaranthus spinosus Commelina benghalensis C. diffusa Cynodon dactylon Cyperus difformis

C. iria C. rotundus

Dactyloctenium aegyptium Echinochloa colona E. crus-galli

E. glabrescens Eclipta prostrata Eichhornia crassipes Eleusine indica

Fimbristylis dichotoma F. miliacea

Imperata cylindrica Ischaemum rugosum Leersia hexandra Leptochloa chinensis Ludwigia adscendens L. octovalvis Marsilea minuta Monochoria vaginalis Panicum repens Paspalum scrobiculatum Pistia stratiotes

Polygonum hydropiper Portulaca oleracea Scirpus juncoides Fulkuri, ochunti, shialmuti Phul haicha, chanchi, malcha, sachi shak

Katanata, kata notey Dholpata, kanaibashi, kanchira Kanainala, manaina Doorba (durba), dubla, durbaghas Behua. alighasha. matichaise.

chotochaise, moishnoom Barachucha

Badhail, bedalle, dila, motha, nagarmuta, sadakufi Kachita ghas

Alighasha, khudhey shayma, shymaghas Barashymaghas, dalghas, gobra, jatghasha. shama

Shyma Keshuti Kachuripana

Binna challa, chapra, gaicha, malangakuri, malankuri Joina chaise

Bara javani, bara pukkera, chatki ghash, joina, murighash

Ulu Mona, moraro Arali

Fulka Hulmuri? Maricha

Sushni sak, angta ghash, hamai lotti Kosturi, kochoripana, panee kachu Baranda, chera

Topapana, takapana, barapana, phena tokapana Bishkatali, pakurmal, panimarich

Bara laniya, bara nunia, ghee kalam, nunia Chisra

Appendix C. Common names of weeds in Cambodia

Weed	Common name(s)
Alternanthera sessilis	Chaeung bang kang
Amaranthus spinosus	Phti banla
Cynodon dactylon	Smao anchien
Cyperus iria	Kak kangkep
C. rotundus	Smao kravanh chrouk
Eichhornia crassipes	Kam-plauk
Eleusine indica	Smao choeung tukke
Imperata cylindrica	Sbauv
Ipomoea aquatica	Trakuon
Ischaemum rugosum	Smao srauv
Mimosa invisa	Banla saet (sael)
Mimosa diplotricha	Banla saet
Monochoria vaginalis	Chrach
Panicum repens	Chhlong
Pistia stratiotes	Chak thom
Portulaca oleracea	Kbet choun

Appendix D. Common names of weeds in China

Weed	Common name(s)
Aeschynomene indica	田皂角,合萌
Ageratum conyzoides	胜红蓟,鱼香蓟
Alternanthera sessilis	莲子草,虾钳草
Amaranthus spinosus	刺草
Commelina diffusa	竹节菜
Cynodon dactylon	狗芽根, 绊根草
Cyperus difformis	异型莎草
C. iria	碎米莎草
C. rotundus	香附子,莎草
Digitaria ciliaris	毛马唐
Echinochloa colona	芒稷
E. crus-galli	长芒野稗
Eclipta prostrata	鳢肠,旱莲草,墨草
Eichhornia crassipes	凤眼莲
Eleusine indica	牛筋草
Fimbristylis dichotoma	两岐飘拂草
F. miliacea	水虱草,日照飘拂草
Imperata cylindrica	白茅,茅草
Leersia hexandra	李氏禾,游草
Leptochloa chinensis	千金子
Ludwigia adscendens	水龙, 过江藤
Marsilea minuta	蘋,四叶蘋,田字草
Monochoria vaginalis	鸭舌草
Paspalum distichum	双穗雀草
P. scrobiculatum	皱稃雀稗, 鸭也母 草
Pistia stratiotes	大薸, 水浮莲
Polygonum hydropiper	水蓼,辣蓼
Portulaca oleracea	马齿苋,马齿菜
Scirpus juncoides	萤蔺

Appendix E. Common names of weeds in India

Weed	Common name(s)
Aeschynomene aspera	Sola
Ageratum conyzoides	Bhurbhurwa, gundhaubon, mahakua
Amaranthus spinosus	Bajra, chauli, katemath, kantili chaulai
Commelina benghalensis	Kanchura, kanasiri, kanchara, kankaua, kena
Cynodon dactylon	Dub, hariyali
Cyperus spp.	Motha
C. iria	Morphula
Dactyloctenium aegyptium	Madana, makra, makara, makari
Digitaria ciliaris	Nargorwa, suruwari, takri
Echinochloa colona	Sanwa
E. crus-galli	Kayada, sanwak
Eclipta prostrata	Bhangra, bhringraj, ghuzi
Eichhornia crassipes	Falkhumbi, jalkhumbi, kulavali
Eleusine indica	Jangali marua, jhingari, kodai
Imperata cylindrica	Dab, siru, chero, dharba, modewa gaddi
Ipomoea aquatica	Kalmua, Kalmi, Kalmi sag, Patuasag
Ludwigia adscendens Mimosa diplotricha	keshandam, keshara Anathottayadi
Panicum repens	Injipilla, karigaddi
Paspalum scrobiculatum	Kodo, kodra
Pistia stratiotes	Jalakumbi, kumbi, takapana
Polygonum hydropiper	Bishkatal, packurmul
Portulaca oleracea	Ghol, jangali palak, jowar, kufa, kulfa
Rottboellia cochinchinensis	Barsali, bura, swooate,
	dholu, konda panookoo
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Trianthema portulacastrum

Patharchatta

Appendix F. Common names of weeds in Indonesia*

Weed	Common name(s
Aeschynomene indica	Dinding, Gĕdèyân, Kâtisân
	Lorotis (Jav.
Ageratum conyzoides	Bândotân, berokar
Alternanthera sessilis	Krĕmâh, tolo
Amaranthus spinosus	Bâyâm duri, bayam eri, bayam cikror
	senggang cucu
Commelina spp.	Brâmbângân, gèwo
Cynodon dactylon	Grintingâ
Cyperus difformis	Jěungân, Jukut pendu
oyperus un en me	Râmon brèndèlân (Jav.
C. iria	Rumput měnděrong, Dekeng wangir
o. ma	Djekeng, Nyur-nyurar
	Rumput jekeng kunyit, Umbun
C. rotundus	Těki, Těki berumb
Dactyloctenium aegyptium	Sukĕt dringoân, Sukĕt kâtèlâr
Dactylocteriidiii aegyptidiii	Suket dilligoali, Suket katelal Suket kârtut (Jav.), Sapabang bab
Digitaria siliaria	Jâlâmpârân, Sukĕt câkârâyân
Digitaria ciliaris	
Echinochloa colona	Rumput kusâ-kus
E. crus-galli	Pâdi burun
Eclipta prostrata	Orâng-âring, Urâng-ârin
Eichhornia crassipes	Ecèn
Eleusine indica	Rumput belulân
Fimbristylis dichotoma	Bulu (jukut) mâtâ munding (Sund
F. miliacea	Âdâs-âdâsân, Riwit, Sunduk welut
	Tumbârân (Jav
mperata cylindrica	Âlâng-âlân
lschaemum rugosum	Blěmběm (Jav.
Leersia hexandra	Bènta
Leptochloa chinensis	Timunân (Jav.
Ludwigia adscendens	Pângèo
L. octovalvis	Lâkum âi
Mimosa diplotricha	Pis koetjing, Rèmbètè (Jav.
Monochoria vaginalis	Ècèng pâc
Oryza sativa (weedy rice)	Pâdi hânt
Panicum repens	Kĕrunong pâdi, Lâmpuyângân
	Rumput jâè-jâ
Paspalum distichum	Âsinâı
P. scrobiculatum	Jâringân, Rumput kĕtih bĕlâlân
Pistia stratiotes	Kiâmbâng, Âpu-âpi
Portulaca oleracea	Gelâng, Kroko
Rottboellia cochinchinensis	Brânjângân, Bludru bâyung (Jav.
Scirpus juncoides	Kâmbo mâncil
Sphenoclea zeylanica	Gund
Trianthema portulacastrum	Subang-subang

^{*}Most weeds present were listed in Soerjani et al (1986). Pronunciation as in that text. Except where noted, only common names for the Indonesian language are given. Jav. = Javanese; Sund. = Sundanese. Some names were from Galinato et al (1999).

Appendix G. Common names of weeds in Korea

Weed	Common name(s)
Cyperus difformis	Albang dong sani
C. iria	Chambang-donsani
F. miliacea	Barambaneulgiji
Monochoria vaginalis	Mooldalgebi

Appendix H. Common names of weeds in Laos

Weed	Common name(s)
Ageratum conyzoides	Nya khiu
Alternanthera sessilis	Nea kon ta sarng
Amaranthus spinosus	Pak hom nahm
Commelina benghalensis	Nya kabpi hyai
C. diffusa	Nya kabpi noy
Cynodon dactylon	Nya pong
C. iria	Nya khompao
C. rotundus	Nya heomu
Dactyloctenium aegyptium	Nya pak kuei
Digitaria ciliaris	Nya tinnok
Echinochloa spp.	Nya khao nôk
Eclipta prostrata	Nya hom keo
Eleusine indica	Nya phak koie
Fimbristylis dichotoma	Nya nuet meo
F. miliacea	Nya khai khiad
Imperata cylindrica	Nya kha
Ipomoea aquatica	Phak bung
Ischaemum rugosum	Nya kabthoon
Portulaca oleracea	Nya en eyan, nya tha kong

Weed	Common name(s
Aeschynomene indica	
Ageratum conyzoides	Rumput tahi-ayum, tombok jantan, sianggi
Alternanthera sessilis	Keremak, akar rumput, bayam pasii
	bayam tana, kelama hijau, kerak-kerak paya
	kerumak bukit paya
Amaranthus spinosus	Bayam dui
Commelina diffusa	Rumput aur, Pulau aur, Rumput kukupu
	tapak et
Cynodon dactylon	Rumput minyak, crintinga
Cyperus iria	Rumput menderon
C. rotundus	Rumput haliya hitan, Rumput cina la
Digitaria ciliaris	Rumput jejari berbulu, cakar ayan
Echinochloa colona	Padi burung, Rumput kusa-kus
E. crus-galli	Rumput samba
Eclipta prostrata	Aring-arin
Eichhornia crassipes	Keladi bunting, bunga jamba
Eleusine indica	Rumput kekuasa, godong ula
	rumput sambai
F. miliacea	Rumput kuran, rumput tahi kerabau
lanca a contra accidental	rumput kelac
Imperata cylindrica	Lalan
Ipomoea aquatica	Kangkon
Ischaemum rugosum	Rumput ekor cawi, Rumput colok chine Rumput kemara
Leersia hexandra	Rumput lidah rimau, Rumput benta
Leersia nexanura Leptochloa chinensis	Rumput ekor tebi
Ludwigia adscendens	Tinggir bangan, tinggir bangau
Luuwigia auscenuens	inai pasir, katang-katang
	telinga banga
Marsilea minuta	Tapak itek, semangg
Monochoria vaginalis	Rumput air, kelayar, chacha laya
Worlden a vaginans	keladi agas, encheng pad
Oryza sativa	Padi angi
Panicum repens	Kerunung padi, telur ikan
	Rumput kerbai
Paspalum scrobiculatum	Rumput tulong sentadok, Rumpu
,	hijau, Rumput patah siki
Pistia stratiotes	Kiambang besa
Portulaca oleracea	Gelang pasir, segai
Scirpus juncoides	Kambmantjik, rumput bulat
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Sphenoclea zeylanica

rumput purun tikus

Cempedak air

Appendix J. Common names of weeds in Myanmar*

Weed	Common name(s)
Ageratum conyzoides	ခွေးသေးပန်း၊ ကရင်မပန်းဖူ
Alternanthera sessilis	ပုဇွန်စာ
Amaranthus spinosus	ဟင်းနုနွယ်ဆူးပေါက်
Commelina benghalensis	ဝက်ကျွတ်
C. diffusa	မျှစ်ချ
Cynodon dactylon	မြေဇာမြက်၊ မြင်းစာမြက်
Cyperus difformis	မြက်မုံညှင်းအစိမ်း
C. iria	<u></u> မြက်မုံညင်းအဝါ
C. rotundus	<u></u> မြက်မုံညှင်းဥနတ်
Dactyloctenium aegyptium	လေးခွမြက် ပန်းတော်နီ၊ ပန်းတော်ညို၊
Digitaria ciliaris	အင်တိုင်းမြက်ခါး လက်သဲခွမြက်
Echinochloa colona	ဝမ်းဘဲစွာမြက်
E. crus-galli	ဘဲစာမြက်၊ မြက်ဘီ။ မြက်ဉို
Eclipta prostrata	ကြိတ်မှန်
Eichhornia crassipes	පෙය්
Eleusine indica	ဆင်ငိုမြက်
Fimbristylis dichotoma	မြက်ကွမ်းဘီးကြီး
F. miliacea	မြက်ကွမ်းဘီးလေး
Imperata cylindrica	ဘက်ကယ်
Ipomoea aquatica	ရေကန်ဖွန်း
Leersia hexandra	ဘမန်းမြက်
Leptochloa chinensis	<u>ခေါင်းမြီးပုံ</u>
Ludwigia adscendens	ရေကည့ှတ်
Marsilea minuta	မှိုနတို
Mimosa diplotricha	ထိကရုံကြီး
Monochoria vaginalis	ဆတ်
Panicum repens	<u></u> ලින් <u></u> ලින්
Pistia stratiotes	၊ရေဆလပ်
Portulaca oleracea	ဘဲပုရစ်၊ မြေပုရစ်၊ မြေ
R. cochinchinensis	မြက်ယားငယ်
Scirpus juncoides	မြက်ကလုံး၊ တလုံင်းခေါင်း
Sphenoclea zeylanica	လယ်ပဒူ
T. portulacastrum	လိပ်ရင်ဘတ်

^{*}Weeds present were listed in Morris and Waterhouse (2001) or Myanma Agriculture Service (1996).

Appendix K. Common names of weeds in Nepal

Weed	Common name(s)
Aeschynomene indica	armale, Sola, shola, शोला
Ageratum conyzoides	ganne, elamey
Alternanthera sessilis	Bhirungi, भिरुन्गी
Amaranthus spinosus	ludey jhar kadey
Commelina spp.	Kane, kane jhar, को
Cynodon dactylon	dubo
Cyperus spp.	chhatre, Motha मोठा, Chow,
	Guchen, Ochumani
Digitaria ciliaris	chittrey banso
Echinochloa colona	Saamaa ghans, सामा घन्स
E. crus-galli	Tunde saamaa, टुन्दे सामा
Eclipta prostrata	Bhangraiyo
Eichhornia crassipes	Jal kumbhi, जल कुम्भी
Eleusine indica	Kode banso, कोदे बन्सो
Fimbristylis miliacea	Zhiruwa, चीरुव
Imperata cylindrica	khar, sirru
Ipomoea aquatica	Karaiya, क्रैय
Ischaemum rugosum	mandilo
Monochoria vaginalis	milo jaluke, pirulay, मिलो जलुके
Paspalum dilitatum	Banso, बन्सो
P. distichum	Ghunde banso, घुन्दे बन्सो
P. scrobiculatum Pistia stratiotes	kodu, kondo, केंदु
	Khumbhika, खुम्मीक
Polygonum hydropiper Portulaca oleracea	Pire, पिरे
	phagpa jakpo swirey
Scirpus juncoides	Swirey

Appendix L. Common names of weeds in Pakistan

Weed	Common name(s)
Cynodon dactylon	Khabbal, talla
Cyperus iria	Khana
C. rotundus	Notha
Eichhornia crassipes	gulbakauli, kalali
Panicum repens	Chimacara, surpurrcharela
Portulaca oleracea	kulfa, lunak

Weed Common name(s)

Aeschynomene indica Makahiyang lalaki Ageratum conyzoides Bulak-manok, damong mabaho, damong-pallas Alternanthera sessilis Bonga-bonga, tagtagu Amaranthus spinosus Bayambang, kulitis, oray, uray Commelina benghalensis Alikbangon, likbangan, ulikbangon C. diffusa Tari-tari Cynodon dactylon Kawad-kawad, kawad-kawaran, kotati, malit

kotati, malit
Cyperus difformis Ballayang, ubod-ubod
C. iria Payung-payung, taga-taga
C. rotundus Mutha
Dactyloctenium aegyptium Damong balang, krus-krusan
Digitaria ciliaris Baludgangan, halos
Echinochloa colona Bulang, gutad, pulang-pwet, tiribuhan
E. crus-galli Bayakibok
E. glabrescens Daua. daua-dauahan

Fimbristylis dichotoma
F. miliacea
Imperata cylindrica
Ipomoea aquatica
Ischaemum rugosum
Leersia hexandra
Leptochloa chinensis
Ludwigia adscendens
L. octovalvis
Marsilea minuta
Mimosa diplotricha

Eclipta prostrata

Eleusine indica

P. scrobiculatum
Pistia stratiotes
Portulaca oleracea
Rottboellia cochinchinensis
Scirpus juncoides
S. maritimus
Sphenoclea zeylanica
Trianthema portulacastrum

Monochoria vaginalis

Paspalum distichum

Panicum repens

Oryza sativa (weedy rice)

Mutha Damong balang, krus-krusan Baludgangan, halos Bulang, gutad, pulang-pwet, tiribuhan Bavakibok Daua, daua-dauahan Higis-manok Bakis-bakisan, kabit-kabit, parag-is, sambali Tikog-tikog (Vis) Gumi, taulat Kogon Kangkong Tiritrigo, trigo-trigohan Barit Palay-maya Kangkong dapa Balakbak, malapako Kaya-kayapuan Aroma, kamit-kabag, makahiya Biga-bigaan, gabing-uwak, kalabuwa Damong palay Luva-luvahan

Luya-luyang dagat, malit-kalabaw,

*Weeds present were listed in Moody et al (1984). Only Filipino (Tagalog) names were given, except as noted. Vis = Visayas.

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Olasiman

Bitubituinan

Agiñgay

Apulid

Toston

Kiapo

Sabung-sabungan

Dilang-butiki, silisilihan

Appendix N. Common names of weeds in Sri Lanka

Weed	Common name(s)
Commelina benghalensis	diya-meneriya
Cynodon dactylon	Aruham-pul, buha
Dactyloctenium aegyptium	Puta tana
Digitaria ciliaris	Arisi pul, guru tana
Echinochloa colona	Adipul, gira-tana
E. crus-galli	Kutirai-val-pul, martu
Eichhornia crassipes	Diya manel, diya kehel, habara,
	habarala, sabara, yapura
F. miliacea	muduhalpan
Imperata cylindrica	lluk, inanka-pilu
Ipomoea aquatica	Kankun
Ischaemum rugosum	Kudukedu
Panicum repens	Etora

Appendix O. Common names of weeds in Thailand*

Weed	Common name(s)
Aeschynomene aspera	โสนคางคก
A. indica	โสนหางไก่
Ageratum conyzoides	สาบแรงัสาบกา
Alternanthera sessilis	ผักเปิดนา้
Amaranthus spinosus	ผักโขมหนาม
Commelina benghalensis	ผักปราบ
C. diffusa	ผักปราบใบเรียว
Cynodon dactylon	หญ้าแพรก
Cyperus difformis	กกขนาก
C. iria	กกทราย
C. rotundus	แห้วหม
Dactyloctenium aegyptium	หญ้าปากควาย
Digitaria ciliaris	หญ้าตื่นนก
Echinochloa colona	หญ้านกสีขมพ
E. crus-galli	หญ้าข้าวนก
Echinochloa glabrescens	หญ้าปล้องละมาน
Eclipta prostrata	กะเม็ง
Eichhornia crassipes	ผักตบชวา
Eleusine indica	หญ้าตีนกา
Fimbristylis dichotoma	หญ้านิ้วหน
F. miliacea	หญ้าหนวดปลาคก
Imperata cylindrica	หญ้าคา
Ipomoea aquatica	ผักบ้ง
Ischaemum rugosum	หญ้าแด้ง
Leersia hexandra	หญ้าไข
Leptochloa chinensis	หญ้าดอกขาว
Ludwigia adscendens	เทียนนา
L. octovalvis	เทียนน้ำ
Marsilea spp.	ผักแว่น
Mimosa diplotricha	ไมยราบเลื้อย
Monochoria vaginalis	ขาเขียด
Panicum repens	หญ้าชันกาด
Paspalum distichum	หญ้าชะกาดน้ำเค็ม
P. scrobiculatum	หญ้าปล้องหิน
Pistia stratiotes	จอก
Polygonum hydropiper	ผักไผ่น้ำ
Portulaca oleracea	ผักเบี้ยใหญ
Rottboellia cochinchinensis	หญ้าถอดปล้อง, หญ้าใชย่ง
Scirpus juncoides	แห้วทรงกระเทียมเล็ก
Sphenoclea zeylanica	ผักปอดนา
Trianthema portulacastrum	ผักเบี้ยหิน

^{*}Weeds present were listed in Radanachaless and Maxwell (1992).

Appendix P. Common names of weeds in Vietnam*

Weed	Common name(s)
Aeschynomene aspera	Đi ề n ma nhám
A. indica	Đi ề n ma án, R ứ t n ướ c
Ageratum conyzoides	C ổ c ứ t heo
Alternanthera sessilis	Di ế c không cu ố ng
Amaranthus spinosus	D ề n gai
Commelina benghalensis	Đ ầ u ri ề u, Trai an
C. diffusa	Rau trai, Thài lài tr ắ ng
Cynodon dactylon	Cổ chỉ, Cổ ông, Cổ ga
Cyperus difformis	Cổ cháo, Cổ tò ty
C. iria	Lác r ậ n, Cú r ậ n
C. rotundus	Cổ cu, Hương phụ, Cổ gau
Dactyloctenium aegyptium	Cổ chân gà, Cổ chân vịt
Digitaria ciliaris	Túc hình rìa, Túc hình nho,
Digitaria ciliaris	
	Túc hình leo
Echinochloa colona	Cổ lồng vực cạn, Cổ nước mặn
E. crus-galli	Cổ lồng vực, Cổ gạo, Cổ mỹ,
	gai-hao-muong, l ồ ng-v ự c
Eclipta prostrata	C ó m ự c
Eichhornia crassipes	Lục bình, Bèo tây
Eleusine indica	M ầ n tr ầ u, Ng ư u càn
Fimbristylis dichotoma	Mao th ư l ướ ng phân,
	C ổ quăng lông
F. miliacea	Cổ chác, Cổ tò te, Cổ chat
Imperata cylindrica	Cổ tranh, Bặch mao
Ipomoea aquatica	Rau mu õ ng
Ischaemum rugosum	Cổ mom, Cổ mo van
Leersia hexandra	Cổ noi, Cổ bac
Leptochloa chinensis	Đuôi ph U ng, M ả nh hòa Trung qu ố c
Ludwigia adscendens	Rau d ừ a n ướ c
L. octovalvis	Rau m ươ ng đ ứ ng
Marsilea minuta	Rau bo nho
Mimosa diplotricha	Trinh nữ móc
Monochoria vaginalis	Rau mác bao, Cui dia,
merreerrerra ragiriane	Rac mác lá thon
Panicum repens	Cổ cua-ga, Cổ ong
Paspalum distichum	San n ướ c
P. scrobiculatum	Cổ dang, san tron, trung ech
Pistia stratiotes	Bèo cái, Bèo tai t ướ ng
	Nghể răm
Polygonum hydropiper	
Portulaca oleracea	Rau sam, Sam
Rottboellia cochinchinensis	Cổ day xanh, Cổ mia,
	myet-yar
Scirpus juncoides	Hoan-thao hen
Sphenoclea zeylanica	Ç 0 xà bông
Trianthema portulacastrum	C ỏ tam khoi

^{*}Most weeds present were listed in Koo et al (2000).

Appendix Q. Weed species (by Bayer code) reported in Asian nations.

AESAS					!													
AFOIN.	•		•		•	•					•	•		•	•	•	•	10
AFOIL	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	16
AGECO	•	•	•	•	•	•			•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	14
ALRSE	•	•	•	•	•	•			•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	14
AMASP	•	•	•	•	•	•			•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	15
COMBE	•	•			•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	14
COMDI	•	•		•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	14
CYNDA	•	•	•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	16
CYPDI	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	17
CYPIR	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	17
CYPRO	•	•	•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	16
DTTAE	•				•	•			•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	12
DIGSP	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	16
ECHCO	•	•	•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	16
ECHCG	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	17
ECHGL	•	•	•		•	•			•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	13
ECLAL	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	17
EICCR	•	•	•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	16
ELEIN	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	17
FIMDI	•			•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	14
FIMMI	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	16

Appendix Q continued.

Bayer code	BAN	BHO	CAM	CHN	00	QN	JAP	KOR	LAO	MAL	MYA	NEP	PAK	표	SRI	THA	VIE	Sum
				-														
IMPCY	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	17
IPOAO	•		•	•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	15
ISCRÜ	•		•	•	•	•			•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	14
LERHE	•		•	•	•	•			•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	14
LEFCH	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	•	15
LUDAD	•		•	•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	14
LUDOC	•		•		•	•	•		•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	13
MARMI	•	•	•		•	•			•	•	•		•	•	•	•	•	13
MIMIN					•				•	•	•			•		•	•	7
MOOVA	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	17
ORYSA	•		•	•	•	•		•		•		•	•	•	•	•	•	13
PANRE	•		•	•	•	•			•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	14
PASDS		•		•	•	•	•			•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	13
PASSC	•		•	•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	15
PIIST	•		•	•	•	•			•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	14
POLHY	•	•		•	•	•	•	•		•		•				•		10
POROL	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		•	•		•	•	15
ROOEX					•	•			•	•	•	•	•	•		•	•	10
SCPJO	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	17
SCPMA	•		•		•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	14
SPDZE	•		•		•	•			•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	13
TRTPO			•		•	•					•	•	•	•	•	•	•	10

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