Pest Identification Field Guide

This Pest Identification Field Guide helps growers sort out insects, weeds and diseases found in crops. Fill it in by hand and keep it with your farm records for later seasons.

Farm / unit: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

1. Note crop and growth stage
2. Describe the pest or damage seen
3. Record where on the plant it appears
4. Note field location and pattern
5. Compare with an extension photo guide
6. Collect a sample or take photos
7. Identify beneficial species nearby
8. Decide next steps with an advisor

YOUR NOTES

TIP Identify before you treat, and ask your extension office to confirm anything you cannot name.

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