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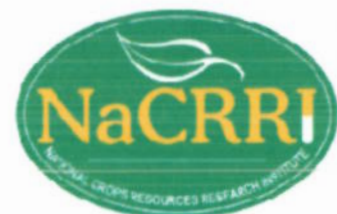


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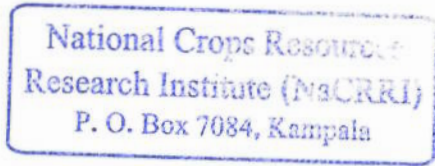
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NaCRRI- National Crops Resources Research Institute

DCP-Diploma in Crop Production and Management

NARO-National Agricultural Research Organization.

TEL. -Telephone number

REG.No. Registration number



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## ABSTRACT

This industrial training report contains the details of practical activities taken during the industrial training at NaCRRI. This was carried out in six programs: Administration, Farm workshop, Horticulture & Oil palm, Cereals, Legumes and Root crops programs. Activities per program was conducted in one study planed week. In some programs especially in Horticulture & Oil palm, Cereals, Legumes and Root crops programs two weeks was undertaken. These activities in program were taken under a specific program supervisor.

In administration program, induction and orientation throughout the other research programs was taken for a week. farm workshop involved identification and operation of farm tools like tractor, tractor engines and many as described in chapter 2. horticulture and oil palm and cereals most work was basically the agronomical practices of planting oil palm, cabbages, and Tomatoes and rice and maize in cereals, however in Legumes and root crops, different departments like agronomy, Entomology, pathology and breeding were covered.

## CHAPTER ONE

### INTRODUCTION

#### 1.1.1 Historical background

National Crop resource research institute (NaCRRI) formerly Namulonge Agricultural and Animal production research institute is one of the research institute under the policy guidance of the National agricultural research organization (NARO).

Was established in 1949 by the Empire cotton organization of Britain. It was solely established to investigate problems related to cotton production within the countries of British Empire.

It served the Sudan, Kenya, Tanzania, Zambia, Malawi, Swaziland, Nigeria, Uganda and some extent Ghana and Yemen.

Uganda was chosen to be the centre because it was centrally located and with exception of India, Uganda was the largest producer of cotton in the common wealth.

The cotton research cooperation handed over Namulonge to the Ugandan government in 1972. the institute continue as a cotton research station until 1989 when research on other commodity crops and animal production was introduced. The crops introduced included; Maize, Cassava, sweet potatoes, Rice, Soybean, Sunflower, Groundnuts, Sinsim and wheat in addition to cotton.

Agro forestry was also introduced to the institute at the time in addition Namulonge supervised the collection of weather data processing and transformation of information to the department of meteorology and agriculture. This information was further processed into advisories on weather to farmers by both the department of meteorology and agriculture.

#### 1.1.2 Present mandate of NaCRRI

With the reorganization of agricultural research and the creation of the National Agriculture Research Organization (NARO).

Namulonge became one of the research institute of NARO with the following Programs;

- Legumes (bean and soybean)