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HORTICULTURAL CROPS PRODUCTION LEVEL 4

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Produce Herbs and Spices

July/August 2025



**TVET CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT, ASSESSMENT AND CERTIFICATION
COUNCIL (TVET CDACC)**

PRACTICE ASSESSMENT

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE ASSESSOR

1. You are required to mark the practical as the candidate performs the tasks.
2. You are required to take video clips at critical points.
3. Ensure the candidate has an identification tag pinned at the back and front near the shoulders showing Candidate's name and registration code.

OBSERVATION CHECKLIST

Candidate's name & Registration No.			
Assessor's name & Reg. code			
Venue of Assessment			
Date of assessment			
Items to be evaluated: <i>Please award marks as appropriate. Give a brief comment on your observation.</i>	Marks available	Marks obtained	Comments
TASK 1: PREPARE A RAISED NURSERY BED			
1. Wore PPEs • Overall. • Safety boots. • Gloves. <i>(Award 1 mark for each PPE donned)</i>	3		
2. Assembled tools and materials for the practical. <i>(Award 3 marks or zero for the activity performed)</i>			
3. Demarcated the nursery bed. • Measured nursery bed 1m x 2m • Pegged the demarcated area <i>(Award 1 marks or zero for each activity performed)</i>	2		
4. Prepared land according to the agronomic requirements of the garlic seeds. • Cleared the land <i>(Award 2 marks or zero for the activity performed)</i>	2		

5. Tilled and raised the nursery bed to a fine tilth. • Tilled. • Raised. <i>(Award 3 marks for each activity performed)</i>	6		
6. Mixed the soil with manure and DAP. • Mixed 3 kg of manure. • Mixed 200g of DAP. <i>(Award 3 marks for each activity performed)</i>	6		
SUB TOTAL	22		
TASK 2: PLANT GARLIC SEEDS			
7. Prepared planting drills. • 10cm to 20cm apart. • Shallow depth (2 cm) <i>(Award 2 marks or zero for each activity performed)</i>	4		
8. Planted garlic seeds. • Sprinkled the seeds along the drills. • Lightly covered the drills. <i>(Award 3 marks for each activity performed)</i>	6		
9. Mulched and watered the nursery bed. • Mulched using the mulching materials provided. • Watered adequately using the watering can. <i>(Award 2 marks for each activity performed)</i>	4		

10. Assembled and cleaned the tools as per the procedures. - Assembled tools - Cleaned tools <i>(Award 1 marks or zero for each activity performed)</i>	2		
11. Disposed and managed waste. <i>(Award 2 marks or zero for the activity performed)</i>	2		
SUB TOTAL	18		
GRAND TOTAL	40		

ASSESSMENT OUTCOME

The candidate was found to be:

Competent ☐ N ☐ petent ☐

(Please tick as appropriate)

(The candidate is competent if s/he gets 50%)

Feedback to candidate:

Feedback from candidate:

Candidate's Signature	Date
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Assessor's Signature	Date
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