

**Questionnaire
Capacities of the LCU**

Locust Control Capacity Information (March 2005)	
COUNTRY:	SAUDI ARABIA
I. LOCUST CONTROL SERVICE:	
HQ: City:	JEDDAH
Official Title of the Locust Control Unit:	NATIONAL CENTER FOR LOCUST CONTROL AND RESEARCH
Official Name of the Ministry:	MINISTRY OF AGRICULTRE
Human resources: (number of Officers involved in locust control activities)	Equipment:
HQ: Senior Officer (Manager): 1 Locust Control Officers: 5 Information Officers: 4 Plant Protection Technicians: 0 Master Trainers: 2 Assistant staff: 4 Scouts: 0 Drivers: 7 Others: ADMINISTRATORS 7 WORKERS 8	Vehicles (4x4): 90 Trucks: 4 Vehicle mounted ULVA mast sprayers: 46 Vehicle mounted Micronair sprayers: 20 Hand-held ULV sprayers: 30 Motorized Knapsack sprayers: 5 Other Spray equipment: 1. HOLDER 600 LITRES 1 2. GPS hand set: 69 Compass: 8 Anemometer: 8 Maps (Sets): 10 Stop-watch: 8 Hand-lens: 8 Tachometer: 10
Financial resources:	Pesticides for locust control:
Annual budget for locust operation (in USD): 2,500,000	A: ULV Formulations *) in Litres 1. MALATHION 96% 256,800 2. FIPRONIL 9,900 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. B: EC Formulations in Litres 1. FANTHOUAT 50% 50 2. 3. 4. 5. B: Dust Formulations in KG 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. *) Put concentration in %
Other Equipment:	
Fixed HF radio transceivers: 0 Mobile HF radio transceivers: 0 Fax-machines: 3 eLocust systems: 2 Satellite receiver: 0 RAMSES data base: 1 Protective clothes: 500 Camping beds: 109 Tents: 73 Field Generators: 7 Blood testing kits: 0 Field lap-top computers: 0 Digital Cameras: 1 Other: SAFETY TOOLS (MASK - 500	
Any further important information:	
II. Field Stations:	
The Field Stations (Outstations) are they under direct supervision of the Locust Control Service?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>