

SUGGESTED STUDY MATERIAL SOURCE LIST

Studying the suggested study material can make the difference between passing and failing the appropriate examinations. The examinations are based on the study materials listed below. Purchasing the study material is optional as they might be available for loan from public or college libraries. In addition to the sources listed below, some UC Extension/Farm Advisor offices might offer the material for sale. For instructions on prices and ordering the publications see page 6.

Laws, Regulations, and Basic Principles

Study Material	How to Obtain Study Materials
<u>Laws and Regulations Study Guide.</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Online: http://www.cdpr.ca.gov/docs/license/lcpubs.htm • See Source 2 on page 6.
<u>The Safe and Effective Use of Pesticides</u> , Second Edition. Patrick J. O'Connor-Marer, 2000.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on page 6.

Residential, Industrial, and Institutional (Category A)

Study Material	How to Obtain Study Materials
<u>Residential, Industrial, and Institutional Pest Control</u> , Second Edition. 2006.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on page 6.
<u>The Safe and Effective Use of Pesticides</u> , Second Edition. Patrick J. O'Connor-Marer, 2000.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on page 6.
<u>Excerpts from USDA Treatment Manual 2002-04.</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Online: http://www.cdpr.ca.gov/docs/license/lcpubs.htm • See Source 2 on page 6.

Landscape Maintenance (Category B)

Study Material	How to Obtain Study Materials
<u>Landscape Maintenance Pest Control.</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on page 6.
<u>The Safe and Effective Use of Pesticides</u> , Second Edition. Patrick J. O'Connor-Marer, 2000.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on page 6.
Knowledge Expectations: Landscape Maintenance Pest Control (Category B)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Online: http://www.cdpr.ca.gov/docs/license/knwldg_expcttns_cat_b.pdf

Right-of-Way (Category C)

Study Material	How to Obtain Study Materials
<u>Forest and Right-of-Way Pest Control.</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on page 6.
<u>The Safe and Effective Use of Pesticides</u> , Second Edition. Patrick J. O'Connor-Marer, 2000.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on page 6.

Plant Agriculture (Category D)

Study Material	How to Obtain Study Materials
<u>Excerpts from USDA Treatment Manual 2002-04.</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review Online: http://www.cdpr.ca.gov/docs/license/lcpubs.htm See Source 2 on page 6.
<u>The Safe and Effective Use of Pesticides</u> , Second Edition. Patrick J. O'Connor-Marer, 2000.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> See Source 1 on page 6.

Forest (Category E)

Study Material	How to Obtain Study Materials
<u>Forest and Right-of-Way Pest Control.</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> See Source 1 on page 6.
<u>The Safe and Effective Use of Pesticides</u> , Second Edition. Patrick J. O'Connor-Marer, 2000.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> See Source 1 on page 6.

Aquatic (Category F)

Study Material	How to Obtain Study Materials
<u>Aquatic Pest Control.</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> See Source 1 on page 6.
<u>The Safe and Effective Use of Pesticides</u> , Second Edition. Patrick J. O'Connor-Marer, 2000.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> See Source 1 on page 6.

Regulatory (Category G)

Study Material	How to Obtain Study Materials
<u>The Safe and Effective Use of Pesticides</u> , Second Edition. Patrick J. O'Connor-Marer, 2000.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> See Source 1 on page 6.
<u>Plant Industry Food and Agricultural Code Extracts.</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review F&A Code Sections online: http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/cgi-bin/calawquery?codesection=fac&codebody=&hits=20 See Division 6 and 7
<u>Excerpts from USDA Treatment Manual 2002-04.</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Order Online: http://www.cdpr.ca.gov/docs/license/lcpubs.htm See Source 2 on page 6.
<u>Quarantine Commissioner's Circular and Plant Quarantine Manual.</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> County Agricultural Commissioner's office
<u>Commissioner-Department Memoranda of Understanding on Control of Injurious Field Rodents.</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> California Department of Food and Agriculture, Integrated Pest Control Plant Health and Pest Prevention Services, 1220 N Street, Room A357, Sacramento, California 95814.

Seed Treatment (Category H)

Study Material	How to Obtain Study Materials
<u>Seed Treatment.</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> See Source 1 on page 6.
<u>The Safe and Effective Use of Pesticides</u> , Second Edition. Patrick J. O'Connor-Marer, 2000.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> See Source 1 on page 6.

Animal Agriculture (Category I)

Study Material	How to Obtain Study Materials
<u>Prevention and Control of Wildlife Damage</u> . Scott E. Hygnstrom, Robert M. Timm, and Gary E. Larson. University of Nebraska Cooperative Extension. 1994.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review Online: http://wildlifedamage.unl.edu/
<u>The Safe and Effective Use of Pesticides</u> , Second Edition. Patrick J. O'Connor-Marer, 2000.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on page 6.
<u>Common Parasites and Pest of Livestock and Poultry in California</u> . Edmond C. Loomis.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 2 on page 6.

Demonstration and Research (Category J)

Study Material	How to Obtain Study Materials
<u>Demonstration and Research Uses of Pesticides</u> . A downloadable electronic publication.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on page 6.
<u>The Safe and Effective Use of Pesticides</u> , Second Edition. Patrick J. O'Connor-Marer, 2000.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on page 6.

Health Related (Category K)

Study Material	How to Obtain Study Materials
<u>Residential, Industrial, and Institutional Pest Control</u> . Second Edition. 2006.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on page 6.
<u>The Safe and Effective Use of Pesticides</u> , Second Edition. Patrick J. O'Connor-Marer, 2000.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on page 6.
<u>Any textbook dealing with community pests and related vector control</u> .	N/A

Wood Preservation (Subcategory L)

Study Material	How to Obtain Study Materials
<u>Wood Preservation</u> .	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on page 6.
<u>The Safe and Effective Use of Pesticides</u> , Second Edition. Patrick J. O'Connor-Marer, 2000.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on page 6.

Antifouling Paints or Coatings Containing Tributyltin (Subcategory M)

Study Material	How to Obtain Study Materials
<u>Tributyltin (TBT)</u> . Title 3, Code of Regulations chapter 6, subchapter 2, group 4, article 1.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 2 on page 6.
<u>Certification Training for Safe Handling and Use of Antifouling Paints Containing TBT</u> .	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 2 on page 6.

Sewer Line Root Control (Subcategory N)

Study Material	How to Obtain Study Materials
<u>Sewer Line Root Control</u> .	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 2 on page 6.

Field Fumigation (Subcategory O)

Study Material	How to Obtain Study Materials
<u>Field Fumigation Study Guide</u> (Pesticide Compendium 9)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Order Online: http://anrcatalog.ucdavis.edu/Items/9005.aspx See Source 1 on page 6.
<u>Addendum to the Field Fumigation Study Guide, 2011.</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review Online: http://www.cdpr.ca.gov/docs/license/pubs/fieldfum_studyguide_addendum.pdf
Knowledge Expectations: Field Fumigation Pest Control (Subcategory O)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review Online: http://www.cdpr.ca.gov/docs/license/knwldg_expcttns_subcat_o.pdf

Microbial Pest Control (Subcategory P)

Study Material	How to Obtain Study Materials
<u>The Safe and Effective Use of Pesticides</u> , Second Edition. Patrick J. O'Connor-Marer, 2000.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> See Source 1 on page 6.
Microbial Pest Control Study Guide, 2011.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review Online: http://www.cdpr.ca.gov/docs/license/lcpubs.htm See Source 2 on page 6.

SUPPLEMENTAL STUDY MATERIAL

Although the examinations are constructed using information primarily from the sources cited above, the publications listed below may provide supplemental information for persons preparing to take the QAL examinations.

Study Material	How to Obtain Study Materials
Pest Control Category Descriptions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review Online: www.cdpr.ca.gov/docs/license/qal.htm
Commercial Applicator Federal Standards for Certification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review Online: http://www.cdpr.ca.gov/docs/license/fedstds_qac-qal.pdf
California Food and Agricultural Code (Divisions 6, 7, and 13)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review Online www.cdpr.ca.gov/docs/legbills/opramenu.htm
California Code of Regulations (Title 3)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review Online: www.cdpr.ca.gov/docs/inhouse/calcode/chapter_.htm
General Standards for Certification of Commercial Applicators	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review Online: www.cdpr.ca.gov/docs/license/ccomaplgnrstnim.htm

<u>Harvest Aid Materials and Practices for California Cotton.</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on page 6.
Study Material	How to Obtain Study Materials
Herbicide Handbook of the Weed Science, Society of America (7 th Edition). Authored and Published by the Weed Science Society of America.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Order Online: www.amazon.com • Public Library
<u>IPM in Practice, Principles and Methods of Integrated Pest Management.</u> M.L. Flint and P. Gouveia, 2001.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on last page 6.
<u>Landscape Pest Identification Cards.</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on last page 6.
<u>Natural Enemies Handbook. The Illustrated Guide to Biological Control.</u> 1998.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on last page 6.
<u>Pests of Landscape Trees and Shrubs.</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on last page 6.
<u>Plant Growth Regulators.</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on last page 6.
<u>Plants Indoors. Their Care and Feeding.</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on last page 6.
<u>Weeds of California and Other Western States.</u> Joseph M. DiTomaso and Evelyn A. Healy, 2007.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on last page 6.
<u>Principles of Weed Control.</u> Third Edition. 2002.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on last page 6.
<u>Turfgrass Pest Management Guidelines.</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Order online: www.ipm.ucdavis.edu/PMG/selectnewpest.turfgrass.html • See Source 1 on last page 6.
<u>Weeds of the West.</u> 2000.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on last page 6.
<u>Wildlife Pest Control Around Gardens and Homes,</u> Second Edition. 2006.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on last page 6.
<u>Pests of Landscape Trees and Shrubs.</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Source 1 on last page 6.

HOW TO OBTAIN STUDY MATERIALS

SOURCE 1 – STUDY MATERIAL AVAILABLE AT UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

1. Write to: Communication Services
Publications, Agriculture & Natural Resources
University of California
6701 San Pablo Ave, 2nd Floor
Oakland, CA 94608-1239
2. Call: (800) 994-8849 or (510) 642-2431
3. Order Online: www.anrcatalog.ucdavis.edu
4. Visit your local County Farm Advisor's office (University of California Cooperative Extension).

SOURCE 2 – STUDY MATERIAL AVAILABLE AT DPR

1. Write to:
Department of Pesticide Regulation
Attn: Publications
P.O. Box 4015
Sacramento, CA 95812-4015
2. The Video/Publication Order Form and publication prices can be found at
<http://www.cdpr.ca.gov/docs/dept/dpr003.pdf>.

Please make your check or money order payable to: Cashier, Department of Pesticide Regulation.