

APPENDIX 2

PROBLEMS AND SIGNIFICANCE OF WEEDS



50-75% weed coverage in the paddocks
all the taller green plants are weeds
mostly fat hen





all the dark green,
tall patches are weeds
curled dock
and
fat hen





weeds out-compete pasture
slashing reveals no competitors and bare ground within this stand of
fat hen





lots of fat hen seeds

note the mallow plants protected by dried weeds





more areas covered fat hen





fat hen forms an impenetrable barrier





most of the paddocks are covered in weeds

top curled dock

bottom fat hen



tall stands of fat hen





weed-dominant pasture

fat hen



APPENDIX 3

PROPOSED MANAGEMENT STRATEGY

**slashing at strategic
intervals**



before and after
the effects of slashing
it makes the place look better





slashing improves the aesthetic appeal



lots of seed has been produced



hand-pulling of St John s Wort is hard work



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