

Root Identification Worksheet

Name: _____

Investigate each plant example with the hand lens, draw your observation, measure the length of the roots, and write a sentence describing what you see. Answer the last question to determine the type of root system.

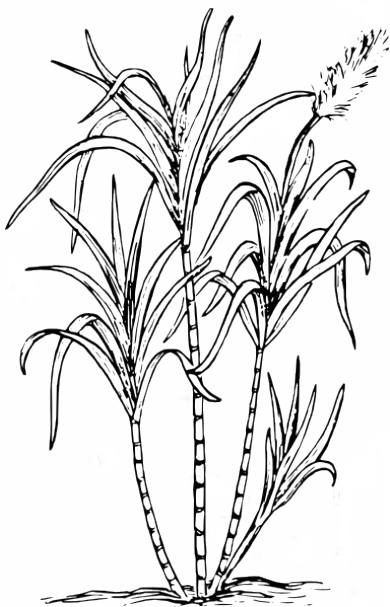
Carrot Plant

Drawing:

Length of Roots:

Root Description:

Does the carrot plant have a fibrous root or an edible tap root system?



Grass Plant

Drawing:

Length of Roots:

Description:

Does the grass plant have a fibrous root or an edible tap root system?