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|  | weed pressure before grain harvest on an scale of 1-10, 10 being the weediest | weed pressure before brassica harvest on an scale of 1-10, 10 being the weediest |  |  |  |
| Plot 1 oats/kale same sowing time  | 8 | 10 |  |  |  |
| Plot 2 oats/kale delayed  | 8 | 10 |  |  |  |
| Plot 3 oats/ forage turnips same sowing time  | 4 | 4 |  |  |  |
| Plot 4 oats/ forage turnips delayed  | 5 | 5 |  |  |  |
| Plot 5 wheat/ kale same sowing time  | 9 | 10 |  |  |  |
| Plot 6 wheat/ kale delayed  | 8 | 10 |  |  |  |
| Plot 7 wheat/ forage turnips same sowing time  | 3 | 3 |  |  |  |
| Plot 8 wheat/ forage turnips delayed  | 4 | 4 |  |  |  |

The plots sown to kale were significantly weedier than the plots sown to forage turnips. At the time of the second measurement, 100% of the ground beneath to crop residue was covered in weeds in the plots where kale was planted.