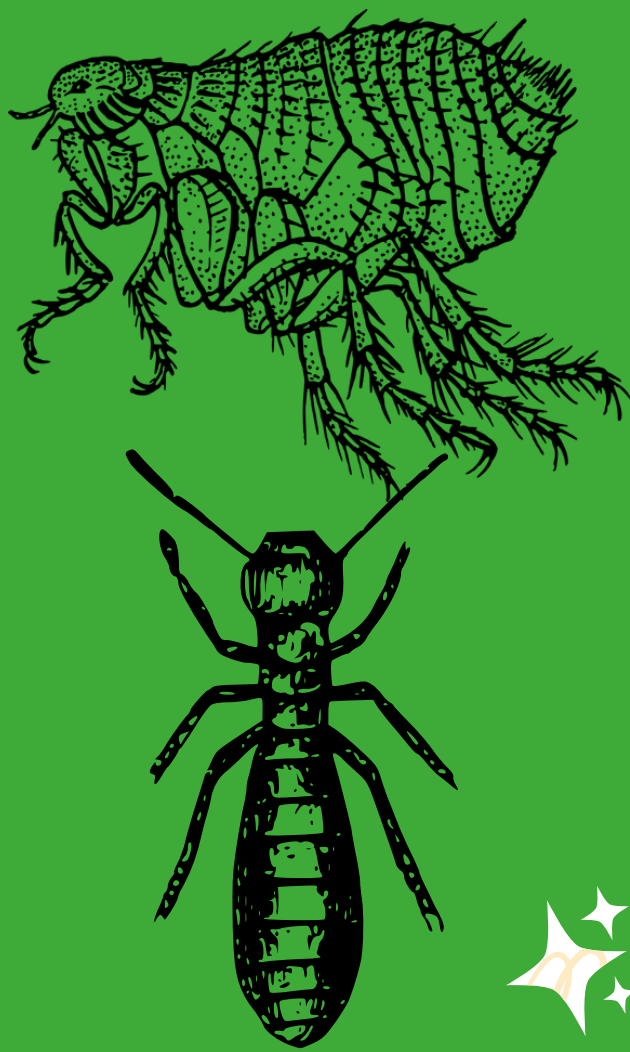


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# FACTS TO KNOW ABOUT GMO

## 1. NO INCREASED YIELD

GMO's have failed to produce the exceptional yields as promised by the manufacturers.



## 2. SUPER PESTS

Some pests have developed resistance to the BT toxin, so stronger toxic pesticides must be developed. The cost of removing these super pests can be too much for small scale farmers.

## 3. LOSS OF BIODIVERSITY

Agriculture that is growing one crop only leads to the loss of biodiversity because it leads to the loss of different varieties of crops which are needed for human nutrition. The crops also get more valuable to climate change, pests, and diseases.

## 4. SUPER WEEDS

Super weeds have developed resistance to one or more herbicides. Glyphosate-resistant weeds have been increasing with force during the last two decades, requiring even deadlier chemicals to be used.

## 5. CONTAMINATION

Contamination endangers the existence of traditional seeds and the livelihood of organic farmers in general.

## 6. EFFECT ON HEALTH

GMOs are linked to allergic and toxic reactions in people, sterile livestock, and to damages in basically every organ studied in lab animals.

