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DDT and Malaria

The government of the small island of Elbonia has contracted a panel of experts on pesticides and vector control. The country is poor and looking for an economic way to stop a malaria outbreak in its countryside. They want you to report to them on if they should invest in DDT control or look for other means.

Read the article from Discover magazine and National Geographic make a pro/con table regarding DDT usage. After making your table, write up a short position statement regarding DDT usage and malaria control. Use evidence from the article and at least one outside source in your position statement.

After writing the position statement your group will meet to discuss the overall consensus with regards to what you will tell the government of Elbonia including developing an overall suggestion with viable alternatives.