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Rothamsted LONG TERM LIMING

Spring Beans

SAWYERS I

2nd year 1963. 18

		TREATMENTS per acre							
		V, L, M, H				None, 2, 4, 8 tons CaCO <sub>3</sub> as ground chalk.			
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Chalk P	5.0	V	L	H	L	V	M	L	H
pH	5.0	K	-	4	2	1	3	2	4
	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
	M	V	L	L	M	H	M		
	3	1	2	2	3	4	3		
	6.8	5.0	6.2	6.0	7.0	7.1	7.3	7.0	
	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	
	M	M	M	V	M	L	V	L	
	3	3	3	1	3	2	1	2	
	K	PK	PK	P	P	K	PK	P	
pH	7.0	7.2	7.1	5.0	7.0	6.0	5.1	6.4	
	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	
	L	V	H	V	L	H	H		
	2	1	K	4	2	4	4		
	PK	-	PK	K	-	PK	-		
	6.3	5.2	7.3	7.1	5.0	6.0	7.1	7.2	

**TREATMENTS** per acre  
 V, L, M, H      None, 2, 4, 8 tons CaCO<sub>3</sub> as ground chalk.  
 (Lime applied at 1, 2, 4, 6 tons per acre in 1962. An extra 2 tons p.a. to "H" in 1963)  
 pH of soils after 1962 harvest  
 0.5 cwt P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> as superphosphate  
 1.0 cwt K<sub>2</sub>O as muriate of potash.

**Basal manuring:** None. On Apr. 18.  
 Crop sprayed with simazine, 1lb a.i. in 40 gal.

**Variety:** Cartons 30B

Sown: April 8.

**Design:** 2 blocks of 16 plots each.  
 (Analysis to include co-variance with pH.)

**Symbols:** V. Very low pH. L. Low pH.  
 M. Medium, H. High pH.

**Plot area:** 21'0" x 60'0" = 0.0289 acre &  
 Harvested: 5 rows @ 21" x 60'0"  
 = 0.0121 acre.

168'0"

60'0"

21'0"