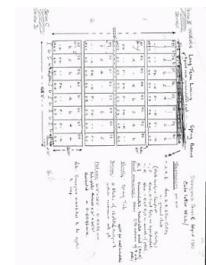


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WOBURN LONG-TERM LIMING Potatoes 13th year

STOCKYARD Series C 1974 212
Sponsor: J. B. Bolton

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	34	35	36	37	38	39	40		
Mg →	Mg	Mg	-	Mg	Mg	-	-	Mg	
Lime →	O	L	H	L	M	O	H		
P ₂ O ₅ →	P ₂ O ₅								
K ₂ O →	K ₂ O								
H	4.2	5.6	7.2	5.4	6.5	4.5	5.8	7.2	
41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48		
Mg	-	-	Mg	-	Mg	Mg	-		
O	PK	M	O	H	L	M	H		
PK	-	Mg	PK	PK	PK	-	Mg		
2	4.6	6.4	4.9	6.6	7.2	5.6	6.8	7.3	
49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56		
L	-	-	Mg	-	Mg	-	Mg		
K	PK	L	PK	O	H	O	L		
2	5.9	6.0	6.5	4.4	4.5	7.2	4.6	5.7	
57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64		
Mg	-	-	-	Mg	Mg	-	Mg		
H	PK	H	O	M	H	M	M		
K	-	Mg	PK	-	PK	-	K		
2	7.2	5.9	7.4	5.0	6.7	7.3	7.0	6.9	

TREATMENTS per acre (hectare)

Whole Plots

O, L, M, H None, 2, 4 3/4, 7 1/2 tons (None, 5, 12, 19 tonnes) CaCO₃ applied as ground chalk (1962-63)

pH pH of soil samples taken Oct 1975 Applied 1.0 cwt (12.6 kg) P₂O₅ as superphosphate. 1.0 cwt (12.6 kg) K₂O as muriate of potash broadcast or seabird

Half Plots

-, Mg None, 100lb (112kg) Mg as sulphate of magnesia (10% Mg)

BASAL MANURING per acre (hectare)
900lb (1000kg) 'Nitro-chalk' 25' broadcast before planting

VARIETY : Portland Crown

Planted: 17 Apr

DESIGN : 2 blocks of 16 plots, split into 2.

PLOT AREA: 21' x 59' = 0.0284 acre (0.0115ha)

Harvested: 4 rows

9'4" x 27' = 0.0058 acre (0.0023ha)

Previous cropping:
1962-64 Spring beans, 1965-67 barley, 1968 potatoes,
1969 fallow, 1970-73 barley.

168'

72 rows

252'

9 rows @ 28"

6"