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SPRING WHEAT

(RW 701)

Effects of paths and blank rows - Little Hoos 1968.

Design: 4 randomised blocks of 8 plots.

Area of each plot: 0.0161. Area harvested: 0.0107.

Treatments: All combinations of:
1. Blank rows: None, 16 middle rows harvested

2 blank rows, 3 (1) 16 (1) 3 sown

4 blank rows, 2 (2) 16 (2) 2 sown

6 blank rows, 1 (3) 16 (3) 1 sown

2. N: 0.6 (N1), 1.2 (N2) cwt side placed as 'Nitro-chalk'.

Plots were of 24 rows each, 16 of which were harvested. (1) etc. indicate number and position of blank (unsown) rows.

Basal applications: 280 lb (0:14:28) broadcast in seedbed. Weedkiller: Paraquat at 0.5 lb ion in 32 gals in winter. Mecoprop/2,4-D (Methoxone Extra at 6 pints in 32 gals).

Cultivations, etc.: Ploughed: 5 - 18 Sept, 1967. Paraquat applied: 4 Dec. Seed drilled at 185 lb, 'Nitro-Chalk' side placed, basal PK applied: 8 Mar, 1968. Mecoprop/2,4-D applied: 17 May. Combine harvested: 5 Sept. Variety: Kolibri. Previous crops: Potatoes 1966, spring wheat 1967.

Standard error per plot. Grain: 0.95 or 2.8% (21 d.f.)

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SUMMARY OF RESULTS

GRAIN

| | RO | R1 | R2 | R3 | Mean |
|--------------|------|---------|------|---------|---------|
| | | (±0.47) | | ea Jarn | (±0,24) |
| Nl | 31.3 | 31.5 | 33.3 | 34.1 | 32.6 |
| N2 | 31.9 | 34.7 | 36.0 | 36.5 | 34.8 |
| Mean (±0.33) | 31.6 | 33.1 | 34.7 | 35.3 | 33.7 |

Mean D.M. %: 78.6