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BARLEY

(69/R/B/3 and 69/W/B/3)

Deeply drilled urea and 'Nitro-Chalk' Rothamsted (R) Pastures and Woburn (W) Stackyard Al, 1969.

Design: 4 blocks of 8 plots (randomisation restricted) plus 1 nil plot per block.

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

Treatments: No nitrogen (NO) and all combinations of:

 Form of nitrogen: 'Nitro-Chalk' (C), urea (U).
Method of application: Injected by 'Tume' drill 3-4 inches deep in rows 5.5 inches apart (I), broadcast (B).

3. Nitrogen: 0.5 (N1), 1.0 (N2) cwt N.

Basal applications: 265 lb (0:20:20) combine drilled. Weedkillers:-

> Pastures (R): Paraquat at 0.5 lb ion in 25 gals 2,4-D at 8 oz and dichlorprop at 32 oz in 20 gals.

Stackyard Al (W): Ioxynil octanoate, bromoxynil octanoate and the iso-octyl ester of dichlorprop ('Oxytril P' at 1 pint in 25 gals).

Cultivations, etc.:

Pastures (R): Paraquat applied: 11 Oct, 1968. Ploughed: 13 Nov. Urea and 'Nitro-Chalk' injected by 'Tume' drill: 28 Mar, 1969. Seed drilled at 145 lb, urea and 'Nitro-Chalk' broadcast: 29 Mar. 2,4-D/dichlorprop applied: 13 May. Combine harvested: 18 Aug. Variety: Zephyr. Previous crops: Potatoes 1967, barley 1968.

Stackyard Al (W): Ploughed: 14 Aug, 1968. Ploughed second time: 15 Nov. Treatments applied, seed drilled at 145 lb: 3 Apr. Weedkiller applied: 16 May. Combine harvested: 8 Aug. Variety: Zephyr. Previous crops: Fallow 1967, 1968.

NOTES: (1) The 'Tume' drill was used on all plots to prepare the seedbed, it being drawn idle through the B and NO plots. (2) Percentage of N in grain was determined.

Standard errors per plot: Grain, cwt: Pastures (R): 2.04 or 4.3% (21 d.f.) Stackyard Al (W): 4.53 or 13.7% (21 d.f.)

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SUMMARY OF RESULTS

GRAIN, CWT

	I	В	Nl	N2	Mean
1.8 (19)		PASTURE	es (R)		
	(±0,72)				
C U	48.0 47.9	46.3 47.4	47.5 48.8	46.8 46.6	47.1 47.7
		(±0.72)			(±0.51)
	Emma 23	I B	48.6 47.6	47.3 46.1	48.0 46.8
Mean (±0.51)			48.1	46.7	47.4

NO 36.4 General mean: 46.2

STACKYARD AL (W)

	(±1,60)				(±1.13)
U 34.0 32.7		32.4 32.8	30.6 31.9	35.9 33.6	33.2 32.7
	1	to diagnost	(±1.60)		(±1.13)
	7	I B	32.4 30.1	34.3 35.1	33.4 32.6
Mean (±1.13)			31.3	34.7	33.0

NO 10.0 General mean: 30.9

Mean D.M. %: Pastures (R): 79.6 Stackyard Al (W): 88.3