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SPRING BARLEY

SOWING DATES AND INSECTS

Object: To study the effects of omethoate on insect pests and on yields of s. barley sown on two dates - Woburn White Horse.

Sponsor: G.C. Scott.

Design: 4 randomised blocks of 8 plots.

Whole plot dimensions: 8.0 x 12.0.

Treatments: All combinations of:-

- |             |                            |
|-------------|----------------------------|
| 1. SOW DATE | Dates of sowing:           |
| 9 MAR       | 9 Mar, 1984                |
| 16 APR      | 16 Apr                     |
| 2. INSEARLY | Insecticide applied early: |
| NONE        | None                       |
| OMETHO E    | Omethoate on 31 May        |
| 3. INS LATE | Insecticide applied late:  |
| NONE        | None                       |
| OMETHO L    | Omethoate on 29 June       |

NOTE: Omethoate was applied at 0.63 l in 250 l on both occasions.

Basal applications: Manures: Magnesian limestone at 7.5 t, FYM at 50 t, N at 110 kg as 'Nitro-Chalk'. Weedkiller: Mecoprop at 2.1 kg in 250 l. Fungicide: Tridemorph at 0.52 kg in 250 l.

Seed: Triumph, dressed with triadimenol plus fuberidazole, sown at 160 kg.

Cultivations, etc.:- Magnesian limestone applied: 30 Sept, 1983. FYM applied: 21-23 Nov. Ploughed: 25 Nov. N applied: 8 Mar, 1984. Spring-tine cultivated all plots, spring-tine cultivated with crumbler attached, seed sown for SOW DATE 9 MAR: 9 Mar. Spring-tine cultivated with crumbler attached, seed sown for SOW DATE 16 APR: 16 Apr. Weedkiller applied: 15 May. Fungicide applied: 31 May. Combine harvested: 15 Aug. Previous crops: Potatoes 1982, w. wheat 1983.

NOTES: (1) Aphids, thrips and stem borers were counted on several occasions during the growing season.  
(2) Barley yellow dwarf virus infection was assessed.

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GRAIN TONNES/HECTARE

\*\*\*\*\* TABLES OF MEANS \*\*\*\*\*

| INSEARLY<br>SOWDATE | NONE | OMETHO E | MEAN |
|---------------------|------|----------|------|
| 9 MAR               | 7.13 | 6.81     | 6.97 |
| 16 APR              | 5.55 | 5.99     | 5.77 |
| MEAN                | 6.34 | 6.40     | 6.37 |

| INS LATE<br>SOWDATE | NONE | OMETHO L | MEAN |
|---------------------|------|----------|------|
| 9 MAR               | 6.90 | 7.04     | 6.97 |
| 16 APR              | 5.58 | 5.97     | 5.77 |
| MEAN                | 6.24 | 6.51     | 6.37 |

| INS LATE<br>INSEARLY | NONE | OMETHO L | MEAN |
|----------------------|------|----------|------|
| NONE                 | 6.20 | 6.49     | 6.34 |
| OMETHO E             | 6.28 | 6.52     | 6.40 |
| MEAN                 | 6.24 | 6.51     | 6.37 |

| INSEARLY<br>INS LATE<br>SOWDATE | NONE | OMETHO L | OMETHO E<br>NONE | OMETHO L |
|---------------------------------|------|----------|------------------|----------|
| 9 MAR                           | 7.19 | 7.07     | 6.61             | 7.01     |
| 16 APR                          | 5.20 | 5.90     | 5.95             | 6.04     |

\*\*\*\*\* STANDARD ERRORS OF DIFFERENCES OF MEANS \*\*\*\*\*

| TABLE | SOWDATE | INSEARLY | INS LATE | SOWDATE<br>INSEARLY |
|-------|---------|----------|----------|---------------------|
| SED   | 0.265   | 0.265    | 0.265    | 0.375               |

| TABLE | SOWDATE<br>INS LATE | INSEARLY<br>INS LATE | SOWDATE<br>INSEARLY<br>INS LATE |
|-------|---------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|
| SED   | 0.375               | 0.375                | 0.531                           |

\*\*\*\*\* STRATUM STANDARD ERRORS AND COEFFICIENTS OF VARIATION \*\*\*\*\*

| STRATUM  | DF | SE    | CV%  |
|----------|----|-------|------|
| BLOCK.WP | 21 | 0.751 | 11.8 |

GRAIN MEAN DM% 87.1

PLOT AREA HARVESTED 0.00275