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WINTER BARLEY

FACTORS LIMITING YIELD

Object: To study the effects of a range of factors on the quality and yield of winter barley - Great Knott I.

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Design: A single replicate of 2 x 2 x 2 x 2 x 2 x 2 x 2 x 2 x 2 x 3 extra plots.

Whole plot dimensions: 3.0 x 18.2.

Treatments: All combinations of the following, all sown early (20 Sept, 1988) and given cypermethrin at 0.025 kg in 220 l on 28 Oct:

1. PREVCROP Previous cropping:

DATS Potatoes 1986, w. wheat 1987, w. barley 1988 Potatoes 1986, w. wheat 1987, w. oats 1988

WINTER N Nitrogen fertilizer in winter (kg N) as urea (46% N):

0 None

NOV+FEB On 16 Nov, 1988 20 to BARLEY, 49 to OATS, on 20 Feb, 1989 25 to BARLEY and OATS

3. SPRING N Nitrogen fertilizer in spring (kg N) as 'Nitro-Chalk':

85 160

4. N TIME Timing of spring nitrogen application:

14 MAR 14 March, 1989 10 APR 10 April

5. E FUNG Early fungicides:

NONE None

TFSD Triadimenol and fuberidazole seed dressing

6. L FUNG Late fungicides:

NONE None

SPRAYS

Foliar sprays of prochloraz at 0.40 kg, carbendazim at 0.15 kg and tridemorph at 0.38 kg in 220 l on 12 Apr, 1989. Propiconazole at 0.125 kg and tridemorph at 0.22 kg in 220 l on 19 May

plus all combinations of the following, all after barley and given late fungicides and 85 kg N in spring, not given cypermethrin in the autumn:

SOWDATEV Sowing dates:

20 SEPT 20 September, 1988

17 OCT 17 October

WINTR NV Nitrogen fertilizer in winter (kg N) as urea (46 %N):

0 None

20+25 20 on 16 Nov, 1988, 25 on 20 Feb, 1989

3. E FUNGV Early fungicides:

NONE None

TFSD Triadimenol and fuberidazole seed dressing

4. N TIMEV Timing of spring nitrogen application:

14 MAR 14 March, 1989

10 APR 10 April

plus 2 extra treatments following fallow, sown 20 September and given early and late fungicides, cypermethrin, 85 kg spring nitrogen but not given winter nitrogen:

N TIMEF Timing of spring nitrogen application:

14 MAR 14 March, 1989 (duplicated) 10 APR 10 April (duplicated)

plus 1 extra treatment following barley, sown 20 September given early and late fungicides, cypermethrin, 160 kg spring nitrogen in April:

WINTER NX Extra winter nitrogen (kg N):

45+25 45 kg on 16 Nov, 1988, 25 kg on 20 Feb, 1989 (duplicated)

plus 1 extra treatment following barley, sown 20 September, and given early and late fungicides, cypermethrin but no nitrogen:

EXTRA NO

0+0+0 No nitrogen (duplicated)

Basal applications: Manure: Magnesian limestone at 5.0 t. Weedkillers: Glyphosate at 0.27 kg in 200 l. Paraquat at 0.60 kg ion in 200 l. Chlortoluron at 3.5 kg in 200 l. Metsulfuron-methyl at 6.0 g with isoproturon at 1.5 kg in 200 l. Growth regulators: 2-chloroethyl-phosphonic acid at 0.31 kg and mepiquat chloride at 0.61 kg with a wetting agent ('Citowett' at 0.08 l) in 200 l.

Seed: Magie, sown at 300 seeds per square metre.

Cultivations, etc.:- Rotary cultivated: 10 Aug, 1988. Glyphosate applied, magnesian limestone applied: 6 Sept. Paraquat applied: 19 Sept. Cultivated with rotary grubber, rotary harrowed, first sowing date plots rotary harrowed again, seed sown: 20 Sept. Second sowing date plots rotary harrowed, seed sown: 17 Oct. Chlortoluron applied: 15 Nov. Growth regulators with wetting agent applied: 19 Apr, 1989. Metsulfuron-methyl with isoproturon applied: 26 Apr. Combine harvested: 13 July. Previous crops: S. barley, w. wheat 1987, w. barley, w. oats, fallow 1988.

NOTES: (1) Soil was sampled to measure nitrate and ammonium contents in October, 1988 and February, 1989. Crop samples were taken from November to June to measure nitrate N concentrations.

- (2) Plants were sampled in March, April, May and July to measure plant and shoot numbers, dry weights and nitrogen uptakes. After harvest thousand grain weights were measured.
- (3) Leaf diseases, take-all, eyespot, barley yellow dwarf virus and aphid numbers were assessed.

GRAIN TONNES/HECTARE

WINTER N	0	NOV+FEB	Mean
PREVCROP			
BARLEY	6.98	7.75	7.36
OATS	7.36	7.95	7.65
Mean	7.17	7.85	7.51
E FUNG	NONE	TFSD	Mean
PREVCROP			
BARLEY	7.22	7.51	7.36
OATS	7.64	7.67	7.65
Mean	7.43	7.59	7.51
E FUNG	NONE	TFSD	Mean
WINTER N			
0	7.05	7.28	7.17
NOV+FEB	7.81	7.90	7.85
Mean	7.43	7.59	7.51
L FUNG	NONE	SPRAYS	Mean
PREVCROP			
BARLEY	6.94	7.79	7.36
OATS	7.27	8.04	7.65
Mean	7.10	7.92	7.51

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L FUNG	NONE	SPRAYS	Mean
WINTER N	72.722	Les nights	
0	6.90	7.44	7.17
NOV+FEB	7.31	8.40	7.85
Mean	7.10	7.92	7.51
L FUNG E FUNG	NONE	SPRAYS	Mean
NONE	6.99	7.87	7.43
TFSD	7.21	7.97	7.59
11 00	,	,.,,	7.55
Mean	7.10	7.92	7.51
SPRING N	85	160	Mean
PREVCROP			
BARLEY	7.11	7.62	7.36
OATS	7.48	7.83	7.65
Mean	7.30	7.72	7.51
SPRING N	85	160	Mean
WINTER N			
0	6.89	7.44	7.17
NOV+FEB	7.70	8.00	7.85
Mean	7.30	7.72	7.51
SPRING N	85	160	Mean
E FUNG			
NONE	7.22	7.64	7.43
TFSD	7.37	7.81	7.59
11 02	7.57	7.01	7.00
Mean	7.30	7.72	7.51
SPRING N	85	160	Mean
L FUNG		200	
NONE	6.89	7.32	7.10
SPRAYS	7.71	8.13	7.92
SPRAIS	7.71	0.13	1.32
Mean	7.30	7.72	7.51
N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR	Mean
PREVCROP			
BARLEY	7.48	7.25	7.36
OATS	7.67	7.64	7.65
OAIS	7.07	7.04	7.05
Mean	7.58	7.44	7.51

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GRAIN TONNES/HECTARE

IdDICS OF	means		
N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR	Mean
WINTER N			
0	7.32	7.01	7.17
NOV+FEB	7.83	7.87	7.85
Mean	7.58	7.44	7.51
N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR	Mean
E FUNG			
NONE		7.27	7.43
TFSD	7.56	7.62	7.59
Mean	7.58	7.44	7.51
	14 MAR	10 APR	Mean
L FUNG			
NONE	7.09	7.12	7.10
SPRAYS	8.07	7.77	7.92
	T 50	5 44	2 51
Mean	7.58	7.44	7.51
N MINE	14 MAR	10 ADD	Mean
	14 MAR	IU APR	Mean
SPRING N 85	7.29	7 30	7.30
160	7.86	7.59	7.72
160	7.00	7.55	1.12
Mean	7.58	7.44	7.51
rican	,		
	E FUNG	NONE	TFSD
PREVCROP			
BARLEY	0		7.22
	NOV+FEB		
OATS	0	7.37	7.35
	NOV+FEB	7.92	7.99
	L FUNG	NONE	SPRAYS
PREVCROP	WINTER N		
BARLEY	0	6.74	
	NOV+FEB		
OATS	0	7.05	7.66
	NOV+FEB	7.48	8.43
	un rementant		
	L FUNG		SPRAYS
PREVCROP	E FUNG		
BARLEY	NONE		7.73
22.00	TFSD		7.86
OATS	NONE	7.27	8.01
	TFSD	7.26	8.08

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GRAIN TONNES/HECTARE

WINTER N	L FUNG E FUNG	NONE	SPRAYS
0	NONE	6.80	7.31
•	TFSD	7.00	7.57
NOV+FEB	NONE	7.18	8.43
NOVTEED	TFSD	7.10	8.36
	1130	7.43	0.30
	SPRING N	85	160
PREVCROP	WINTER N	0.5	100
	0	6.65	7.31
BARLEY		7.57	7.93
0.00	NOV+FEB		7.58
OATS	0	7.14	
	NOV+FEB	7.82	8.08
	SPRING N	85	160
PREVCROP	E FUNG		
BARLEY	NONE	6.93	7.51
Dinibbi	TFSD	7.30	7.72
OATS	NONE	7.52	7.76
ONIS	TFSD	7.44	7.90
	11 30	7.11	7.50
	SPRING N	85	160
WINTER N	E FUNG		
0	NONE	6.80	7.31
	TFSD	6.99	7.58
NOV+FEB	NONE	7.65	7.96
	TFSD	7.75	8.05
	annawa w	0.5	1.00
	SPRING N	85	160
PREVCROP	L FUNG		
BARLEY	NONE	6.68	7.19
	SPRAYS	7.55	8.04
OATS	NONE	7.09	7.44
	SPRAYS	7.87	8.22
	SPRING N	85	160
WINTER N	L FUNG		
0	NONE	6.66	7.13
· ·	SPRAYS	7.13	7.75
NOV+FEB	NONE	7.11	7.50
NOVTEED	SPRAYS	8.28	8.51
	SPRAIS	0.20	0.51
	SPRING N	85	160
E FUNG	L FUNG		
NONE	NONE	6.74	7.23
	SPRAYS	7.71	8.04
TFSD	NONE	7.03	7.40
	SPRAYS	7.71	8.23
		-	

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GRAIN TONNES/HECTARE

	N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR
PREVCROP	WINTER N		
BARLEY	0	7.15	6.81
	NOV+FEB	7.82	7.68
OATS	0	7.49	7.22
	NOV+FEB	7.84	8.06
	N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR
PREVCROP	E FUNG		
BARLEY	NONE	7.42	7.01
	TFSD	7.54	7.48
OATS	NONE	7.75	7.53
	TFSD	7.58	7.75
	N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR
WINTER N	E FUNG		
0	NONE	7.29	6.82
	TFSD	7.35	7.21
NOV+FEB	NONE	7.89	7.73
	TFSD	7.77	8.02
	N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR
PREVCROP	L FUNG		
BARLEY	NONE	7.04	6.83
	SPRAYS	7.92	7.66
OATS	NONE	7.13	7.41
	SPRAYS	8.21	7.88
	N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR
WINTER N	L FUNG	14 PAR	IU AFK
0	NONE	7.00	6.79
U	SPRAYS	7.64	7.24
NOV+FEB	NONE	7.17	7.44
DA 1+AON	SPRAYS	8.49	8.30
	SERAIS	0.49	0.50
	N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR
E FUNG	L FUNG		
NONE	NONE	7.19	6.79
	SPRAYS	7.99	7.75
TFSD	NONE	6.98	7.44
	SPRAYS	8.14	7.79
	N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR
PREVCROP	SPRING N		
BARLEY	85	7.13	7.10
	160	7.84	7.40
OATS	85	7.46	7.50
	160	7.88	7.78

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GRAIN TONNES/HECTARE

	N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR
WINTER N	SPRING N		
0	85	6.98	6.81
	160	7.66	7.22
NOV+FEB	85		7.79
	160		7.96
	N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR
E FUNG	SPRING N		
NONE	85	7.29	7.16
	160	7.89	7.38
TFSD	85	7.30	7.44
	160	7.83	7.80
	N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR
L FUNG	SPRING N		
NONE	85	6.87	6.90
	160		7.33
SPRAYS	85		7.70
	160	8.42	7.84
WINTR NV	0	20+25	Mean
SOWDATEV			
20 SEPT	6.31	6.29	6.30
17 OCT	6.39	6.66	6.53
Mean	6.35	6.48	6.41
E FUNGV	NONE	TFSD	Mean
SOWDATEV			
20 SEPT	6.19		
17 OCT	6.41	6.65	6.53
Mean	6.30	6.53	6.41
E FUNGV	NONE	TFSD	Mean
WINTR NV		6 50	6 25
0	6.21	6.50	6.35
20+25	6.39	6.57	6.48
Mean	6.30	6.53	6.41
N TIMEV	14 MAR	10 APR	Mean
SOWDATEV			
20 SEPT	6.43	6.18	6.30
17 OCT	6.52	6.54	6.53
Mean	6.47	6.36	6.41

GRAIN TONNES/HECTARE

**** Tables of means ****

N TIME	7 14 MA	R 10 APR	Mean
WINTR N	V		
	0 6.5	1 6.20	6.35
20+2	5 6.4	4 6.52	6.48
Mea	n 6.4	7 6.36	6.41
N TIME	V 14 MA	R 10 APR	Mean
E FUNG	V		
NON	E 6.2	9 6.31	6.30
TFS	D 6.6	6 6.41	6.53
Mea	n 6.4	7 6.36	6.41
N TIMEF	14 MAR	10 APR	Mean
	9.04	8.24	8.64
WINTR NX	45+25		
	8.69		
EXTRA NO	0+0+0		
	4.19		

*** Standard errors of differences of means ***

(not including extra plots)

Margin of two factor tables 0.052
Two factor tables 0.074
Three factor tables 0.105

***** Stratum standard errors and coefficients of variation *****

Stratum d.f. s.e. cv% WP 22 0.210 2.8

GRAIN MEAN DM% 86.3

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WINTER N	0	NOV+FEB	Mean
PREVCROP			
BARLEY	2.85	3.40	3.13
OATS	3.27	3.94	3.60
Mean	3.06	3.67	3.37
E FUNG	NONE	TFSD	Mean
PREVCROP			
BARLEY	2.95	3.30	3.13
OATS	3.57	3.64	3.60
Mean	3.26	3.47	3.37
E FUNG	NONE	TFSD	Mean
WINTER N			
0	2.98	3.15	3.06
NOV+FEB	3.54	3.80	3.67
Mean	3.26	3.47	3.37
L FUNG	NONE	SPRAYS	Mean
PREVCROP			
BARLEY	2.82	3.43	3.13
OATS	3.33	3.87	3.60
Mean	3.08	3.65	3.37
L FUNG	NONE	SPRAYS	Mean
WINTER N			
0	2.87	3.25	3.06
NOV+FEB	3.28	4.06	3.67
Mean	3.08	3.65	3.37
L FUNG	NONE	SPRAYS	Mean
E FUNG			
NONE	2.96	3.56	3.26
TFSD	3.20	3.74	3.47
Mean	3.08	3.65	3.37
SPRING N	85	160	Mean
PREVCROP			
BARLEY	2.91	3.34	3.13
OATS	3.40	3.81	3.60
	3	0.01	0.00
Mean	3.16	3.58	3.37
	3.23	0.00	0.07

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SPRING N	85	160	Mean
WINTER N			
0	2.85	3.28	3.06
NOV+FEB	3.47	3.87	3.67
Mean	3.16	3.58	3.37
			180
SPRING N	85	160	Mean
E FUNG			
NONE	3.08	3.44	3.26
TFSD	3.23	3.72	3.47
Mean	3.16	3.58	3.37
SPRING N	85	160	Mean
L FUNG			
NONE	2.93	3.23	3.08
SPRAYS	3.38	3.92	3.65
Mean	3.16	3.58	3.37
	14 MAR	10 APR	Mean
PREVCROP			
BARLEY	3.39	2.87	3.13
OATS	3.74	3.46	3.60
Mean	3.57	3.17	3.37
N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR	Mean
WINTER N			
0	3.27	2.86	3.06
NOV+FEB	3.87	3.47	3.67
Mean	3.57	3.17	3.37
N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR	Mean
E FUNG		20 1111	
NONE	3.48	3.04	3.26
TFSD	3.66	3.29	3.47
11.00	5.00	3.23	5.17
Mean	3.57	3.17	3.37
N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR	Mean
L FUNG			
NONE	3.20	2.96	3.08
SPRAYS	3.93	3.37	3.65
Mean	3.57	3.17	3.37

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N TIME SPRING N	14 MAR	10 APR	Mean
85	3.31	3.01	3.16
160	3.83	3.32	3.58
100	3.03	5.52	3.30
Mean	3.57	3.17	3.37
	E FUNG	NONE	TFSD
PREVCROP	WINTER N		
BARLEY	0	2.69	3.02
	NOV+FEB	3.22	3.58
OATS	0	3.27	3.27
UAIS	TO STATE OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PARTY OF THE		
	NOV+FEB	3.86	4.01
	L FUNG	NONE	SPRAYS
PPHIOPOP		NONE	SPRAIS
PREVCROP	WINTER N		
BARLEY	0	2.65	3.05
	NOV+FEB	3.00	3.81
OATS	0	3.10	3.44
	NOV+FEB	3.57	4.30
	L FUNG	NONE	SPRAYS
PREVCROP	E FUNG		
BARLEY	NONE	2.57	3.34
	TFSD	3.08	3.52
OATS	NONE	3.35	3.78
01110	TFSD	3.32	3.96
	1100	3.32	3.50
	L FUNG	NONE	SPRAYS
WINTER N	E FUNG		
0	NONE	2.86	3.09
	TFSD	2.89	3.40
NOV+FEB	NONE	3.05	4.03
NOVTEED		3.51	
	TFSD	3.51	4.08
	SPRING N	85	160
PREVCROP	WINTER N	05	100
BARLEY	0	2.60	3.10
DARLEI			
	NOV+FEB	3.22	3.58
OATS	0	3.09	3.45
	NOV+FEB	3.71	4.16
	CDDTWO	0.5	1.00
	SPRING N	85	160
PREVCROP	E FUNG		
BARLEY	NONE	2.63	3.28
	TFSD	3.20	3.41
OATS	NONE	3.54	3.59
	TFSD	3.26	4.02

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	SPRING N	85	160
WINTER N	E FUNG		
0	NONE	2.81	3.14
	TFSD	2.88	3.41
NOV+FEB	NONE	3.36	3.73
	TFSD	3.58	4.02
	SPRING N	85	160
PREVCROP	L FUNG		
BARLEY	NONE	2.69	2.96
	SPRAYS	3.14	3.72
OATS	NONE	3.18	3.49
	SPRAYS	3.62	4.12
	SPRING N	85	160
WINTER N	L FUNG		
0	NONE	2.76	2.99
	SPRAYS	2.93	3.56
NOV+FEB	NONE	3.11	3.46
	SPRAYS	3.83	4.28
	SPRING N	85	160
E FUNG	L FUNG		
NONE	NONE	2.84	3.07
	SPRAYS	3.33	3.80
TFSD	NONE	3.02	3.38
	SPRAYS	3.44	4.05
	N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR
PREVCROP	WINTER N		
BARLEY	0	3.13	2.57
	NOV+FEB	3.64	3.16
OATS	0	3.40	3.14
	NOV+FEB	4.09	3.79
	N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR
PREVCROP	E FUNG		
BARLEY	NONE	3.22	2.69
	TFSD	3.56	3.04
OATS	NONE	3.73	3.40
	TFSD	3.75	3.53
	N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR
WINTER N	E FUNG		
0	NONE	3.17	2.79
	TFSD	3.36	2.93
NOV+FEB	NONE	3.78	3.30
	TFSD	3.95	3.65

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	N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR
PREVCROP	L FUNG		
BARLEY	NONE	3.07	2.58
	SPRAYS	3.70	3.16
OATS	NONE	3.33	3.34
	SPRAYS	4.16	3.59
	N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR
WINTER N	L FUNG		
0	NONE	3.02	2.73
	SPRAYS	3.52	
NOV+FEB	NONE	3.38	
	SPRAYS	4.35	3.76
			0
	N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR
E FUNG	L FUNG		
NONE	NONE	3.15	2.77
	SPRAYS	3.80	
TFSD	NONE	3.25	3.15
	SPRAYS	4.06	3.42
	N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR
PREVCROP	SPRING N		
BARLEY	85	3.12	2.71
	160	3.66	3.02
OATS	85	3.50	3.30
	160	3.99	3.63
	N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR
WINTER N	SPRING N		
0	85	2.99	2.70
	160		3.02
NOV+FEB	85	3.62	
	160	4.12	3.63
	N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR
E FUNG	SPRING N		
NONE	85	3.24	2.93
	160	3.71	3.16
TFSD	85	3.37	3.09
	160	3.94	3.49
	N TIME	14 MAR	10 APR
L FUNG	SPRING N		
NONE	85	3.05	2.82
	160	3.36	3.10
SPRAYS	85	3.57	3.20
SECON (4727UP) (SV)	160	4.30	3.55
			0.50

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**** Tables of means ****

WINTR NV	_	20+25	Mean
SOWDATEV			
20 SEPT	2.87	3.25	3.06
17 OCT	3.37	3.86	3.62
Mean	3.12	3.55	3.34
E FUNGV	NONE	TFSD	Mean
SOWDATEV			
20 SEPT	3.09	3.03	3.06
17 OCT	3.56	3.67	3.62
Mean	3.33	3.35	3.34
P PINCT	NONE	mpon	W
E FUNGV WINTR NV		TFSD	Mean
		2 15	2 10
0			
20+25	3.56	3.55	3.55
Mean	3.33	3.35	3.34
N TIMEV		10 APR	Mean
SOWDATEV			
20 SEPT			
17 OCT	3.71	3.52	3.62
Mean	3.56	3.11	3.34
N TIMEV	14 MAR	10 APR	Mean
WINTR NV			
0	3.44	2.81	3.12
20+25	3.69	3.42	3.55
Mean	3.56	3.11	3.34
N TIMEV	14 MAR	10 APR	Mean
E FUNGV			
NONE		3.07	3.33
TFSD			
1100	3.34	3.10	3.33
Mean	3.56	3.11	3.34
N TIMEF	14 MAR	10 APR	Mean
	4.96	3.94	4.45
WINTR NX	45+25		
	4.30		
EXTRA NO	0+0+0		
antius NV	1.25		
	1.23		
STRAW MEAN DM	9 94 0		
OIRAM MEAN DM	0 34.0		

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PLOT AREA HARVESTED 0.00245

WINTER BARLEY

SOWING DATES, APHIDS AND BYDV

Object: To study the relationship of aphid numbers in suction trap samples to crop populations and the incidence of BYDV on winter barley sown on a range of dates - Great Field II.

Sponsors: N. Carter, R.J. Gutteridge, J.F. Jenkyn, R.T. Plumb.

Design: 4 randomised blocks of 10 plots.

Whole plot dimensions: 3.0 x 23.0 N.BLOCKS. 3.0 x 18.0 S.BLOCKS.

Treatments: All combinations of:-

1	SOWDATE	Dates	of	sowing:
- •	SOMPHIE	Dates	O.L	SOWIIIG.

12 SEPT 12 September,	1988
22 SEPT 22 September	
3 OCT 3 October	
17 OCT 17 October	
27 OCT 27 October	

2. APHICIDE Aphicide:

IONE	None

CYPERMET Cypermethrin at 0.025 kg in 380 l on 7 Nov, 1988 except on SOWDATE 27 OCT, applied on 11 Jan, 1989

NOTE: All SOWDATE treatments were cultivated by rotary grubber on 12 Sept, 1988 and rotary harrowed on the day of sowing.

Basal applications: Manures: 'Nitram' at 480 kg. Weedkillers:
Glyphosate at 0.27 kg in 200 l. Chlortoluron at 3.5 kg in 200 l.
Isoproturon at 1.5 kg with mecoprop at 2.2 kg, ioxynil at 0.28 kg and bromoxynil at 0.28 kg in 200 l. Fungicides: Propiconazole at 0.12 kg with tridemorph at 0.38 kg in 200 l.

Seed: Igri, sown at 150 kg.

Cultivations, etc.:- Rotary cultivated: 11 Aug, 1988, and 15 Aug.
Glyphosate applied: 6 Sept. Chlortoluron applied: 16 Nov. N applied:
19 Apr, 1989. Remaining weedkillers applied: 2 May. Fungicides
applied: 10 May. Combine harvested: 14 July. Previous crops:
W. barley 1987 and 1988.

NOTE: Aphids were sampled from late September to June. Visual estimates of BYDV were made throughout the season, a more detailed estimate was made at the end of April. Components of yield were measured. Take-all was assessed in summer.

GRAIN TONNES/HECTARE

***** Tables of means *****

APHICIDE SOWDATE	NONE	CYPERMET	Mean
		0 70	0 50
12 SEPT	3.22	3.79	3.50
22 SEPT	3.54	4.26	3.90
3 OCT	3.49	3.75	3.62
17 OCT	2.92	3.37	3.14
27 OCT	3.42	3.68	3.55
Mean	3.32	3.77	3.54

*** Standard errors of differences of means ***

SOWDATE	APHICIDE	SOWDATE
		APHICIDE
0.166	0.105	0.235

***** Stratum standard errors and coefficients of variation *****

 Stratum
 d.f.
 s.e.
 cv%

 BLOCK.WP
 27
 0.332
 9.4

GRAIN MEAN DM% 85.0

PLOT AREA HARVESTED 0.00230

WINTER BARLEY

VARIETIES

Object: To study the yields of some of the newer winter barley varieties and to compare them with a standard and a naked oat - Great Knott I.

Sponsors: R. Moffitt, J.F. Jenkyn.

Design: 4 randomised blocks of 9 plots.

Whole plot dimensions: 3.0×10.0 .

Treatments:

VARIETY	Varieties and crops:
HALCYO B	Halcyon, barley
IGRI B	Igri, barley
MAGIE B	Magie, barley (duplicated)
MG S600 B	Magie with 'Seamac 600' spray
MARINKA B	Marinka, barley
VIXEN B	Vixen, barley
IMAGE SO	Image, standard oat
KYNON NO	Kynon, naked oat

NOTE: The 'Seamac 600' was applied at 5.6 l in 220 l on 28 Apr, 1989.

Basal applications: Manures: Magnesian limestone at 5.0 t. 'Nitram' at 360 kg. Weedkillers: Glyphosate at 0.27 kg in 200 l. Isoproturon at 2.5 kg in 200 l. Metsulfuron-methyl at 6.0 g with fluroxypyr at 0.20 kg in 200 l. Growth regulators: 2-chloroethylphosphonic acid at 0.31 kg and mepiquat chloride at 0.61 kg with a wetting agent ('Citowett' at 0.08 l) in 200 l.

Seed: Barley varieties sown at 150 kg.
Oat varieties sown at 190 kg.

Cultivations, etc.:- Magnesian limestone applied: 6 Sept, 1988. Rotary cultivated: 14 Sept. Glyphosate applied: 19 Oct. Heavy spring-tine cultivated: 29 Oct. Rotary harrowed, seed sown: 2 Nov. Isoproturon applied: 16 Nov. N applied, growth regulators with wetting agent applied: 19 Apr, 1989. Metsulfuron-methyl with fluroxypyr applied: 26 Apr. Combine harvested: 21 July (barley), 25 July (oats). Previous crops: S. barley 1987, w. wheat 1988.

NOTES: (1) Samples were taken for disease assessment in June.

(2) Malting quality was assessed on the grain from some treatments.

GRAIN TONNES/HECTARE

***** Tables of means *****

VARIETY

HALCYO B	5.88
IGRI B	5.06
MAGIE B	5.38
MG S600 B	5.38
MARINKA B	5.47
VIXEN B	2.58
IMAGE SO	3.99
KYNON NO	2.40
Mean	4.61

*** Standard errors of differences of means ***

VARIETY

0.223 min.rep 0.193 max-min

VARIETY

max-min MAGIE B v any of the remainder
min.rep any of the remainder

***** Stratum standard errors and coefficients of variation *****

Stratum d.f. s.e. cv%

BLOCK.WP 25 0.315 6.8

GRAIN MEAN DM% 83.7

PLOT AREA HARVESTED 0.00204

WINTER BARLEY

VARIETIES AND BYDV

Object: To measure the relative rates of spread of three strains of barley yellow dwarf virus (BYDV) on two varieties of winter barley and to measure their effects on yield - Delafield.

Sponsors: N. Carter, R.T. Plumb.

Design: 5 randomised blocks of 6 plots split into 4 sub plots.

Whole plot dimensions: 3.0×15.0 .

Treatments: All combinations of:-

Whole plots

1. VARIETY Varieties:

IGRI VIXEN

2. INS DATE Insecticide and date of application:

CYPER E Cypermethrin at 0.02 kg in 260 l on 28 October, 1988
CYPER M Cypermethrin at 0.02 kg in 260 l on 5 December
PIRIM L Pirimicarb at 0.14 kg in 200 l on 28 March, 1989

Sub plots

3. V STRAIN BYDV strain:

NONE Uninoculated

MAV Sitobion (Macrosiphum) avenae virus

PAV Padi and avenae virus RPV Rhopalosiphum padi virus

NOTES: (1) On 3 Oct, 1988, aphids were introduced to the centre of relevant plots to spread the three isolates of BYDV as above.

(2) The aphid species Sitobion avenae was used for MAV, and Rhopalosiphum padi for RPV and PAV.

Basal applications: Manures: Magnesian limestone at 5.0 t. 'Nitram' at 480 kg. Weedkillers: Diquat at 0.60 kg ion with a wetting agent ('Enhance' at 0.50 1) in 520 1. Isoproturon at 2.5 kg with mecoprop at 1.7 kg in 200 1. Metsulfuron-methyl at 6.0 g with fluroxypyr at 0.15 kg in 400 1. Glyphosate at 0.36 kg with a wetting agent, tallow amine ethoxylate at 0.80 kg, in 200 1. Fungicide: Propiconazole at 0.12 kg in 200 1.

Seed: Varieties, sown at 150 kg.

Cultivations, etc.:- Straw chopped: 10 Aug, 1988. Rotary cultivated: 15 Aug. Magnesian limestone applied: 22 Aug. Diquat with wetting agent applied: 9 Sept. Cultivated with rotary grubber twice, rotary harrowed, seed sown: 10 Sept. Isoproturon and mecoprop applied: 3 Nov. N applied: 12 Apr, 1989. Metsulfuron-methyl with fluroxypyr applied: 15 Apr. Fungicide applied: 10 May. Glyphosate with tallow amine ethoxylate applied: 6 July. Combine harvested: 13 July. Previous crops: W. wheat 1987, w. oilseed rape 1988.

NOTE: Aphid survival was monitored for one to two weeks after release. Visual symptoms of BYDV were assessed throughout the season and a more detailed assessment was made in early February.

GRAIN TONNES/HECTARE

INS DATE	CYPER E	CYPER M	PIRIM L	Mean	
IGRI	7.83	7.85	5.63	7.10	
VIXEN	8.36	8.11	8.38	8.28	
VIABIN	0.50	0.11	0.50	0.20	
Mean	8.10	7.98	7.00	7.69	
V STRAIN	NONE	MAV	PAV	RPV	Mean
VARIETY					
IGRI	7.28	7.10	7.13	6.92	7.10
VIXEN	8.24	8.43	8.34	8.11	8.28
Mean	7.76	7.76	7.73	7.51	7.69
V STRAIN	NONE	MAV	PAV	RPV	Mean
INS DATE					
CYPER E	8.32	8.07	8.18	7.81	8.10
CYPER M	7.89	8.13	7.95	7.94	7.98
PIRIM L	7.07	7.09	7.06	6.78	7.00
Mean	7.76	7.76	7.73	7.51	7.69
	V STRAIN		MAV	PAV	RPV
VARIETY	INS DATE				
IGRI	CYPER E	8.02	7.66	7.98	7.68
	CYPER M	7.77	7.82	8.00	7.83
	PIRIM L	6.04	5.81	5.40	5.25
VIXEN	CYPER E	8.62	8.48	8.39	7.95
	CYPER M	8.02	8.44	7.90	8.06
	PIRIM L	8.10	8.38	8.72	8.31

GRAIN TONNES/HECTARE

*** Standard errors of differences of means ***

	VARIETY	INS DATE	V STRAIN	VARIETY INS DATE
	0.144	0.177	0.140	0.250
	VARIETY V STRAIN	INS DATE V STRAIN	VARIETY INS DATE	
	0.224	0.274	V STRAIN 0.388	
Except when VARIETY	comparing means 0.198	with the same	level(s)	of
INS DATE VARIETY.INS	DATE	0.242	0.343	

***** Stratum standard errors and coefficients of variation ****

Stratum	d.f.	s.e.	CA 8
BLOCK.WP	20	0.395	5.1
BLOCK.WP.SP	72	0.542	7.0

GRAIN MEAN DM% 85.8

SUB PLOT AREA HARVESTED 0.00047

WINTER BARLEY

CONTROL OF VOLUNTEERS

Object: To compare methods of volunteer control in winter barley - Black Horse I S.

Sponsors: R. Moffitt, D.G. Christian.

Design: 3 replicates of 6 x 3 criss-cross.

Column plot dimensions: 6.0 x 23.0.

Treatments: All combinations of:-

1. PRIMCULT Primary cultivations:

NONE None until just before sowing

DYNDRIVE 'Bomford Dynadrive'

DISC Disc PLOUGH Plough

ROTAVATE Rotary cultivate

TINE Tine

2. PRSOWCON Pre-sowing volunteer control:

GLYPHOS Glyphosate at 0.27 kg in 200 l on 17 Oct, 1988
PARAQUAT Paraquat at 0.60 kg ion in 200 l on 17 Oct

POT HAPP

ROT HARR Rotary harrow on 18 Oct

NOTES: (1) Primary cultivation treatments were carried out on 13 Sept, 1988.

- (2) All plots were disced twice and seed sown on 18 Oct.
- (3) The 'Bomford Dynadrive' has a frame similar to a rotary cultivator but it has two rotating shafts containing flat, slightly twisted, spade-shaped times. The front shaft drives the rear, it is fitted with twice the number of blades and rotates at about one third the speed of the rear shaft.

Basal applications: Manure: 'Nitram' at 420 kg. Weedkillers: Chlortoluron at 3.5 kg in 200 l. Metsulfuron-methyl at 6.0 g in 400 l. Fungicide: Propiconazole at 0.12 kg in 200 l.

Seed: Igri, sown at 150 kg.

Cultivations, etc.:- Chlortoluron applied: 22 Oct, 1988. N applied: 12 Apr, 1989. Metsulfuron-methyl applied: 3 May. Fungicide applied: 17 May. Combine harvested: 14 July. Previous crops: W. wheat 1987 and 1988.

NOTES: (1) Volunteer plants were assessed in October after sowing and before crop emergence.

- (2) Ears of volunteer plants were counted at anthesis of the sown crop.
- (3) Percentage contamination of harvested grain by volunteer grain was measured.

GRAIN TONNES/HECTARE

***** Tables of means *****

PRSOWCON	GLYPHOS	PARAQUAT	ROT HARR	Mean
PRIMCULT				
NONE	6.05	6.17	5.81	6.01
DYNDRIVE	5.73	5.99	5.98	5.90
DISC	6.18	5.94	6.05	6.06
PLOUGH	5.63	6.00	6.02	5.89
ROTAVATE	6.24	5.71	5.51	5.82
TINE	6.16	5.84	5.91	5.97
Mean	6.00	5.94	5.88	5.94

*** Standard errors of differences of means ***

	PRIMCULT	PRSOWCON	PRIMCULT PRSOWCON	
	0.223	0.151	0.335	
Except when	comparing means	with the same	level(s)	of
PRIMCULT			0.298	
PRSOWCON			0.321	

***** Stratum standard errors and coefficients of variation *****

Stratum	d.f.	s.e.	CV%
BLOCK.WP1	4	0.185	3.1
BLOCK.WP2	10	0.274	4.6
BLOCK.WP1.WP2	20	0.345	5.8

GRAIN MEAN DM% 85.7

SUB PLOT AREA HARVESTED 0.00161

SPRING BARLEY

VARIETIES AND N

Object: To compare the quality, yield and dormancy of two varieties of s. barley at two rates of nitrogen - Bones Close.

Sponsors: D.G. Christian, R. Moffitt.

Design: 3 randomised blocks of 4 plots.

Whole plot dimensions: 3.0×15.0 .

Treatments: All combinations of:-

Whole plots

VARIETY Varieties:

KLAXON NATASHA

 N Nitrogen fertilizer (kg N), as 'Nitram' on 29 Mar, 1989:

100

140

Basal applications: Weedkillers: Mecoprop at 1.6 kg, bromoxynil at 0.20 kg and ioxynil at 0.20 kg in 200 l.

Seed: Varieties, sown at 160 kg.

Cultivations, etc.:- Ploughed: 17 Nov, 1988. Rotary harrowed: 28 Mar, 1989. Rotary harrowed, seed sown: 29 Mar. Weedkillers applied: 17 May. Combine harvested: 15 Aug. Previous crops: Potatoes 1987, s. barley 1988.

NOTES: (1) Plants were sampled in mid-June and early August to measure total dry matter and N.

- (2) From late June until maturity ears were sampled fortnightly from certain plots, to measure grain growth, N content, grain viability and dormancy.
- (3) Volunteer plants were assessed in October after sowing and before emergence.
- (4) Ears of volunteers were counted at crop anthesis.
- (5) Percentage contamination of harvested grain was measured.

GRAIN TONNES/HECTARE

**** Tables of means ****

N	100	140	Mean
VARIETY			
KLAXON	3.24	3.16	3.20
NATASHA	3.05	3.14	3.10
Mean	3.15	3.15	3.15

*** Standard errors of differences of means ***

VARIETY	N	VARIETY	
		N	
0.198	0.198	0.281	

***** Stratum standard errors and coefficients of variation *****

Stratum d.f. s.e. cv%

BLOCK.WP 6 0.344 10.9

GRAIN MEAN DM% 81.9

PLOT AREA HARVESTED 0.00204