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CONVERSION FACTORS

Factors for the Conversion of Imperial to Metric Units

1 inch (in.)	= 2.540 centimetres (cm)
1 foot (ft) (=12 in.)	= 30.48 cm
1 yard (yd) (=3 ft)	= 0.9144 metre (m)
1 square yard (yd <sup>2</sup> )	= 0.8361 m <sup>2</sup>
1 acre (ac) (=4840 yd <sup>2</sup> )	= 0.4047 hectare (ha)
1 ounce (oz)	= 28.35 grams (g)
1 pound (lb)	= 0.4536 kilogram (kg)
1 hundredweight (cwt) (=112 lb)	= 50.80 kg
1 ton (=2240 lb)	= 1016 kg = 1.016 metric tons (tonnes) (t)
1 pint	= 0.5682 litre (l)
1 gallon (gal) (=8 pints)	= 4.546 litres
1 fluid ounce = 1/20 pint	= 0.02841 litre = 28.41 ml
1 cubic foot	= 28.32 litres

<i>To convert</i>	<i>Multiply by</i>
oz ac <sup>-1</sup> to g ha <sup>-1</sup>	70.06
lb ac <sup>-1</sup> to kg ha <sup>-1</sup>	1.121
cwt ac <sup>-1</sup> to kg ha <sup>-1</sup>	125.5
cwt ac <sup>-1</sup> to t ha <sup>-1</sup>	0.1255
ton ac <sup>-1</sup> to kg ha <sup>-1</sup>	2511
ton ac <sup>-1</sup> to t ha <sup>-1</sup>	2.511
gal ac <sup>-1</sup> to l ha <sup>-1</sup>	11.233

*The following factors are accurate to about 2 parts in 100:*

$$\begin{aligned}1 \text{ lb ac}^{-1} &= 1.1 \text{ kg ha}^{-1} \\1 \text{ gal ac}^{-1} &= 11 \text{ litres ha}^{-1} \\1 \text{ ton ac}^{-1} &= 2.5 \text{ t ha}^{-1}\end{aligned}$$

*In general reading of the text there will be no great inaccuracy in regarding:*

$$\begin{aligned}1 \text{ lb} &= 0.5 \text{ kg} \\1 \text{ lb ac}^{-1} &= 1 \text{ kg ha}^{-1}\end{aligned}$$

**Temperatures**

To convert °F into °C subtract 32 and multiply by  $\frac{5}{9}$  (0.556)  
To convert °C into °F multiply by  $\frac{9}{5}$  (1.8) and add 32