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94/R/GC/8

GARDEN CLOVER

Object: To study yields and pathogens of red clover grown continuously - Manor Garden.

The 141st year, red clover.

For previous years see 'Details' 1967 and 1973, and 74-93/R/GC/8.

Design: 2 blocks of 2 plots.

Whole plot dimensions: 1.00 x 1.40.

Treatments:

FUNG RES Residual effects of fungicide to control Sclerotinia

trifoliorum:

NONE None

BENOMYL Benomyl sprays during previous winters, last applied

November 1989.

NOTE: Hungaropoly, sown at 30 kg in 1990.

Experimental diary:

03-Nov-93 : B : Chalk at 1.25 t, PK as (0:18:36) at 420 kg

and Epsom salts at 530 kg.

07-Jun-94 : B : First cut, hand weeded.

02-Aug-94 : B : Second cut, hand weeded.

18-Aug-94 : T : FUNG RES NONE: Muriate of potash at 3970 and 2740 kg to

first and second blocks respectively.

: T : FUNG RES BENOMYL: Muriate of potash at 2830 and 3010 kg.

02-Nov-94 : B : Third cut.

NOTE: Crop samples were taken for chemical analysis.

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1ST CUT (7/6/94) DRY MATTER TONNES/HECTARE

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

FUNG RES NONE BENOMYL Mean 5.26 5.10 5.18

1ST CUT MEAN DM% 15.4

2ND CUT (2/8/94) DRY MATTER TONNES/HECTARE

**** Tables of means ****

FUNG RES NONE BENOMYL Mean 6.52 6.01 6.27

2ND CUT MEAN DM% 25.3

3RD CUT (2/11/94) DRY MATTER TONNES/HECTARE

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

FUNG RES NONE BENOMYL Mean 1.14 1.10 1.12

3RD CUT MEAN DM% 19.1

TOTAL OF 3 CUTS DRY MATTER TONNES/HECTARE

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 FUNG RES
 NONE
 BENOMYL
 Mean

 12.92
 12.21
 12.57

TOTAL OF 3 CUTS MEAN DM% 19.9

PLOT AREA HARVESTED 0.00010