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LUPINS

LUPIN VARIETIES

Object: To assess the overwinter survival, crop structure, yield potential and maturity date of nine lines of autumn-sown determinate lupins -Highfield VI.

Sponsors: G.F.J. Milford, H.J. Stevenson.

Design: 4 randomised blocks of 10 plots.

Plot dimensions: 2.88 x 6.0.

Treatments:

B DTN 02 C DTN 11 D DTN 12 E DTN 13 F DTN 16 G DTN 19 H DTN 20 70 CH304/70	LINES	Lines and growth regulator:
C DTN 11 D DTN 12 E DTN 13 F DTN 16 G DTN 19 H DTN 20 70 CH304/70	A	DTN 01
D DTN 12 E DTN 13 F DTN 16 G DTN 19 H DTN 20 70 CH304/70	В	DTN 02
E DTN 13 F DTN 16 G DTN 19 H DTN 20 70 CH304/70	C	DTN 11
F DTN 16 G DTN 19 H DTN 20 70 CH304/70	D	DTN 12
G DTN 19 H DTN 20 70 CH304/70	E	DTN 13
H DTN 20 70 CH304/70	F	DTN 16
70 CH304/70	G	DTN 19
	Н	DTN 20
70R CH304/70 with growth regulator in spring	70	CH304/70
	70R	CH304/70 with growth regulator in spring

Experimental diary:

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29-Jul-94 : B : Deep time cultivated with vibrating times 60 cm apart
                   and 45 cm deep. Rolled.
04-Aug-94 : B : Ploughed and furrow pressed.
02-Sep-94 : B : Rotary harrowed twice.
          : T : LINES: Lines drilled at 40 seeds per m2.
06-Sep-94 : B : Opogard 500 SC at 2.8 1 in 220 1.
12-Sep-94 : B : Draza at 5.5 kg.
30-Nov-94 : B : Falcon at 1.0 1 in 200 1.
15-Dec-94 : B : Farmon PDQ at 15.0 l in 900 l, inter-row sprayed using
                   dribble bar.
06-Feb-95 : B : Hand weeding started.
14-Feb-95 : B : Hand weeding finished.
13-Mar-95 : B : Atlas Simazine at 2.0 1 in 200 1.
04-Apr-95 : T : LINES 70R: Cultar at 826 ml in 220 1.
19-Apr-95 : B : Atlas Dimethoate 40 at 850 ml in 200 1.
23-May-95 : B : Atlas Dimethoate 40 at 850 ml in 200 1.
20-Jun-95 : B : Corbel at 0.5 1 with Tilt Turbo 475 EC at 1.0 1 in
                   200 1.
30-Jun-95 : B : Atlas Dimethoate 40 at 850 ml in 200 1.
17-Aug-95 : B : Combine harvested.
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Previous crops: W. wheat 1993, set-aside 1994.

NOTES: (1) The yield of one plot was lost during harvesting with treatment: LINES A. An estimated value was used in the analysis.

(2) Plant populations were assessed monthly September to April. Plant heights were measured in February and June. Final main stem leaf numbers, date of first floret opening and maximum floret numbers were recorded. Branch and leaf numbers were counted in July. Components of yield were assessed.

GRAIN TONNES/HECTARE

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

LINES	
A	1.70
В	2.49
C	2.04
D	1.59
E	1.87
F	2.09
G	1.91
H	2.16
70	2.00
70R	1.81
Mean	1.96

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

LINES

0.325

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

Stratum d.f. s.e. cv% BLOCK.WP 26 0.460 23.4

GRAIN MEAN DM% 89.8

LUPINS

LINES AND SOWING DATES

Object: To test the effects of sowing date on the plant architecture and yield of two lines of lupins sown in autumn and spring - Highfield VI.

Sponsors: G.F.J. Milford, I. Shield.

Design: 4 randomised blocks of 3 x 2 plots.

Plot dimensions: 2.88 x 6.0.

Treatments: All combinations of:-

1. LINES

70	CH304/70
73	CH304/73

2. SOW DATE Date of sowing:

E Early September, 1994

M Late September

L Middle of March, 1995

Experimental diary:

29-Jul-94 : B : Deep time cultivated with vibrating times 60 cm apart

and 45 cm deep. Rolled.

04-Aug-94 : B : Ploughed and furrow pressed, rolled.

05-Sep-94 : \mathbf{T} : **SOW DATE** E: Rotary harrowed, lines drilled at 40 seeds per m^2 .

06-Sep-94 : T : SOW DATE E: Opogard 500 SC at 2.8 1 in 220 1.

12-Sep-94 : B : Draza at 5.5 kg.

22-Sep-94 : T : SOW DATE M: Rotary harrowed, lines drilled at 40

seeds per m².

26-Sep-94 : T : SOW DATE M: Opogard 500 SC at 2.8 1 in 200 1.

30-Nov-94 : B : Falcon at 1.0 1 in 200 1.

16-Dec-94 : T : SOW DATE E, M: Farmon PDQ at 15.0 l in 900 l, inter-row sprayed using dribble bar.

03-Feb-95 : T : SOW DATE E, M: Hand weeded.

09-Mar-95 : T : SOW DATE L: Sting CT at 4.0 1 in 220 1.

13-Mar-95 : T : SOW DATE E, M: Atlas Simazine at 2.0 1 in 220 1.

14-Mar-95 : **T** : **SOW DATE** L: Heavy spring-tine cultivated, rotary harrowed, lines drilled at 40 seeds per m².

14-Mar-95 : T : SOW DATE L: Opogard 500 SC at 2.8 1 in 220 1.

11-Apr-95 : T : SOW DATE E, M: Cultar at 0.75 1 in 220 1.

19-Apr-95 : B : Atlas Dimethoate 40 at 850 ml in 200 1.

23-May-95 : B : Atlas Dimethoate 40 at 850 ml in 200 1.

16-Jun-95 : T : SOW DATE L: Fusilade 5 at 2.0 1 in 220 1.

20-Jun-95 : B : Corbel at 0.5 l with Tilt Turbo 475 EC at 1.0 l in 200 l.

30-Jun-95 : B : Atlas Dimethoate 40 at 850 ml in 200 1.

17-Aug-95 : T : SOW DATE E, M: Combine harvested.

NOTES: (1) SOW DATE L did not produce harvestable grain.

(2) Plant numbers were assessed in autumn, winter, spring and at harvest. Plant components were assessed at flowering. Components of yield were measured after harvest.

Previous crops: W. wheat 1993, set-aside 1994.

GRAIN TONNES/HECTARE

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

SOW DATE	E	M	Mean
LINES			
70	1.73	2.21	1.97
73	2.74	2.99	2.87
Mean	2.23	2.60	2.42

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

LINES	SOW DATE	LINES	
SOW DATE			
0.201	0.142	0.142	

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

 Stratum
 d.f.
 s.e.
 cv%

 BLOCK.WP
 9
 0.284
 11.7

GRAIN MEAN DM% 90.3

95/W/LP/2

LUPINS

ESTABLISHMENT STUDY ON HEAVY SOIL

Object: To identify seedbed conditions for the establishment and survival
 of autumn-sown lupins - Woburn, Long Mead.

Sponsor: I. Shield.

Design: 3 blocks of 8 plots.

Whole plot dimensions: 6.0×9.0 .

Treatments:

ESTABL	Seedbed type, cultivations and method of sowing:
1	Medium-coarse seedbed, unconsolidated, precision drilled 5 cm deep
2	Medium-coarse seedbed, unconsolidated, tine-drilled 5 cm deep
3	As 2, then rolled
4	Fine seedbed, consolidated, tine-drilled 5 cm deep, rolled
5	Medium-coarse seedbed, unconsolidated, tine-drilled 7.5 cm deep
6	Direct drilled 5 cm deep, seed mixed with slug pellets
7	Minimal cultivations, seed broadcast with slug pellets, cultivated to 5 cm
8	Seed broadcast, ploughed to 10 cm, levelled

Experimental diary:

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08-Sep-94 : T : ESTABL 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7 and 8: Sub-soiled.
12-Sep-94 : T : ESTABL 1, 2, 3, 4, 5: Ploughed.
          : T : ESTABL 1: Precision drilled 5 cm deep.
          : T : ESTABL 2, 3: Time drilled 5 cm deep.
          : T : ESTABL 4: Flat rolled, rotary harrowed, tine-drilled
                    5 cm deep.
          : T : ESTABL 3, 4: Cambridge rolled.
          : T : ESTABL 5: Precision drilled 7.5 cm deep.
          : T : ESTABL 6: Direct drilled 5 cm deep with Draza at 5.5 kg.
          : T : ESTABL 7: Seed broadcast with Draza at 5.5 kg. Rotary
                   harrowed to 5 cm.
          : T : ESTABL 8: Seed broadcast, ploughed 10 cm deep, rotary
                   harrowed to level.
18-Sep-94 : B : Opogard 500 SC at 2.3 1 with Gramoxone 100 at 3.0 1 in
                   200 1.
02-Nov-94 : B : Laser at 1.0 l with adjuvant oil at 2.4 l in 300 l.
19-Apr-95 : B : Cultar at 0.75 1 in 300 1.
28-Apr-95 : B : Atlas Simazine at 2.0 1 in 300 1.
03-May-95 : B : Danadim Dimethoate 40 at 0.85 1 with Vassgro Spreader at
                   0.3 1 in 300 1.
30-Jun-95 : B : Danadim Dimethoate 40 at 850 ml in 300 1.
24-Aug-95 : B : Combine harvested.
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95/W/LP/2

NOTES: (1) Seed was CH304/70, dressed Germipro UFB, sown at 40 seeds per m^2 .

(2) The crop on treatment 8 failed and has been omitted from the analysis.

Previous crops: Set-aside 1993, w. wheat 1994.

NOTE: Plants were counted monthly from sowing to April. Dry matter was measured in December. Leaf and branch numbers were counted postflowering. Components of yield were measured, oil and protein content of grain was assessed on **ESTABL** 1 only.

GRAIN TONNES/HECTARE

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

ESTABL

1 1.02 2 1.20 3 1.41 4 1.35 5 0.98 6 0.64 7 1.07

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

1.10

ESTABL

Mean

0.214

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

Stratum d.f. s.e. cv%
BLOCK.WP 12 0.263 24.0

GRAIN MEAN DM% 88.9

LUPINS

SOWING DATES, PESTS AND DISEASES

Object: To study overwinter losses of autumn-sown lupins - Highfield VI.

Sponsors: G.L. Bateman, A.W. Ferguson, G.F.J. Milford, I. Shield,
S. Nabb.

Design: 2 randomised blocks of 2 x 2 x 2 x 3 plots.

Whole plot dimensions: 2.88 x 10.0.

Treatments: All combinations of:-

SOW DATE Date of sowing:

E Early (late August)

L Late (middle of September)

2. INS SEED Insecticide seed treatment:

D- None

DI Insecticide (furothiocarb)

3. FNG SEED Fungicide seed treatment:

DO None

DF Fungicide (iprodione and carbendazim)

4. AUT FUNG Autumn fungicide:

F- None

FP Prochloraz
FD Difenoconazol

Experimental diary:

29-Jul-94: B: Deep time cultivated with vibrating times 60 cm apart and 45 cm deep, rolled.

04-Aug-94 : B : Ploughed and furrow pressed, rolled.

30-Aug-94 : \mathbf{T} : **SOW DATE** E: Rotary harrowed, CH304/70 drilled at 40 seeds per m^2 .

31-Aug-94 : T : SOW DATE E: Opogard 500 SC at 2.8 1 in 220 1.

12-Sep-94 : B : Draza at 5.5 kg.

22-Sep-94 : T : SOW DATE L: Rotary harrowed, CH 304/70 drilled at 40

seeds per m2.

26-Sep-94 : T : SOW DATE L: Opogard 500 SC at 2.8 1 in 200 1.

Experimental diary:

21-Nov-94 : T : AUT FUNG FP: Sportak 45 at 1.1 1 in 220 1.

: T : AUT FUNG FD: Plover at 0.3 1 in 220 1.

30-Nov-94 : B : Falcon at 1.0 1 in 200 1.

16-Dec-94 : B : Farmon PDQ at 15.0 l in 900 l, inter-row sprayed using dribble bar.

16-Jan-95 : B : Hand weeding started.

17-Feb-95 : B : Hand weeding finished.

13-Mar-95 : B : Atlas Simazine at 2.0 1 in 200 1.

12-Apr-95 : B : Cultar at 0.75 1 in 200 1.

19-Apr-95 : B : Atlas Dimethoate 40 at 850 ml in 200 1. 23-May-95 : B : Atlas Dimethoate 40 at 850 ml in 200 1.

20-Jun-95 : B : Corbel at 0.5 1 with Tilt Turbo 475 EC at 1.0 1 in 200 1.

30-Jun-95 : B : Atlas Dimethoate 40 at 850 ml in 200 1.

16-Aug-95 : B : Combine harvested.

Previous crops: W. wheat 1993, set-aside 1994.

Samples were taken in September and October 1994 to assess pest and NOTE: disease damage. Plant counts and visual assessments of damage were made at intervals.

GRAIN TONNES/HECTARE

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

INS	SEED	D-	DI	Mean	
SOW	DATE				
	E	1.62	1.87	1.75	
	L	2.15	2.28	2.22	
	Mean	1.89	2.07	1.98	
	SEED	DO	DF	Mean	
SOW	DATE				
	E	1.75	1.75	1.75	
	L	2.25	2.18	2.22	
	Mean	2.00	1.96	1.98	
FNG	SEED	DO	DF	Mean	
INS	SEED				
	D-	1.93	1.84	1.89	
	DI	2.06	2.09	2.07	
	Mean	2.00	1.96	1.98	
AUT	FUNG	F-	FP	FD	Mean
SOW	DATE				
	E	1.69	1.98	1.57	1.75
	L	2.28	2.38	1.99	2.22
	Mean	1.98	2.18	1.78	1.98

GRAIN TONNES/HECTARE

**** Tables of means ****

AUT FUNG	F-	FP	FD	Mean
INS SEED				110011
D-	1.91	1.99	1.76	1.89
DI		2.37	1.79	2.07
Mean	1.98	2.18	1.78	1.98
AUT FUNG	F-	FP	FD	Mean
FNG SEED				
DO	1.99	2.20	1.80	2.00
DF	1.98	2.16	1.76	1.96
Mean	1.98	2.18	1.78	1.98
	FNG SEED	DO	DF	
SOW DATE				
E		1.64	1.61	
	DI	1.85	1.89	
L	D-	2.23	2.07	
	DI	2.26	2.29	
	AUT FUNG	F-	FP	FD
SOW DATE		1 -	FF	FD
E		1.54	1.75	1.58
-	DI	1.85	2.21	1.55
L		2.29	2.22	1.94
-	DI	2.26	2.53	2.04
			,,	2.01
	AUT FUNG	F-	FP	FD
SOW DATE	FNG SEED			
E	DO	1.71	1.99	1.53
	DF	1.67	1.98	1.60
L	DO	2.26	2.42	2.06
	DF	2.29	2.34	1.92
	AUT FUNG	F-	FP	FD
INS SEED	FNG SEED			
D-	DO	1.86	2.09	1.85
	DF	1.96	1.89	1.67
DI	DO	2.12	2.32	1.74
	DF	1.99	2.43	1.85

GRAIN TONNES/HECTARE

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

SOW DATE	INS SEED	AUT FUNG FNG SEED	F-	FP	FD
E	D-	DO	1.44	1.77	1.70
		DF	1.64	1.73	1.46
	DI	DO	1.99	2.20	1.36
		DF	1.70	2.23	1.74
L	D-	DO	2.29	2.41	2.00
		DF	2.29	2.04	1.89
	DI	DO	2.24	2.44	2.11
		DF	2.29	2.63	1.96

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

SOW DATE	INS SEED	FNG SEED	AUT FUNG
0.107	0.107	0.107	0.130
SOW DATE	SOW DATE	INS SEED	SOW DATE
INS SEED	FNG SEED	FNG SEED	AUT FUNG
0.151	0.151	0.151	0.184
INS SEED	FNG SEED	SOW DATE	SOW DATE
AUT FUNG	AUT FUNG	INS SEED	INS SEED
		FNG SEED	AUT FUNG
0.184	0.184	0.213	0.261
SOW DATE	INS SEED	SOW DATE	
FNG SEED	FNG SEED	INS SEED	
AUT FUNG	AUT FUNG	FNG SEED	
		AUT FUNG	
0.261	0.261	0.369	

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

 Stratum
 d.f.
 s.e.
 cv%

 BLOCK.WP
 23
 0.369
 18.6

GRAIN MEAN DM% 90.4

LUPINS

AUTUMN HERBICIDES

Object: To test autumn-applied herbicides at various rates on the survival of weeds and autumn-sown lupins - Highfield VI.

Sponsor: I. Shield.

Design: 3 randomised blocks of 4 x 4 plots.

Plot dimensions: 3.0×9.0 .

Treatments: All combinations of:-

1.	HERBCIDE	Herbicide and time of application:			
	ST	Pendimethalin pre-emergence			
	OK	Terbuthylazine with terbutryn pre-emergence, propyzamide post-emergence			
	SI	Simazine pre-emergence			
	0	Terbuthylazine with terbutryn pre-emergence			
2.	RATE	Rate of herbicide application:			

1/2N Half normal N Normal 2N Twice normal 4N Four times normal

17-Aug-95 : B : Combine harvested.

Experimental diary:

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29-Jul-94 : B : Deep tine cultivated with vibrating tines 60 cm apart
                    45 cm deep, rolled.
04-Aug-94 : B : Ploughed and furrow pressed, rolled.
05-Sep-94 : B : Rotary harrowed, CH304/70 dressed Germipro UFB, drilled
                    at 40 seeds per m2.
07-Sep-94 : T : HERBCIDE OK, O RATE \( \frac{1}{2} \)N, N, 2N, 4N: Opogard 500 SC at
                    1.4, 2.8, 5.6, 11.2 1 in 220 1 respectively.
          : T : HERBCIDE SI RATE 1/2N, N, 2N, 4N: Atlas Simazine at 0.5,
                   1.0, 2.0, 4.0 1 in 220 1 respectively.
          : T : HERBCIDE ST RATE 1/2N, N, 2N, 4N: Stomp 400 at 2.5, 5.0,
                   10.0, 20.0 1 in 220 1 respectively.
12-Sep-94 : B : Draza at 5.5 kg.
21-Nov-94 : T : HERBCIDE OK RATE 1/2N, N, 2N, 4N: Kerb Flo at 2.1 1 in
                    220 1.
30-Nov-94 : B : Falcon at 1.0 1 in 200 1.
14-Mar-95 : B : Logran 20 WG at 37.5 g in 200 1.
12-Apr-95 : B : Cultar at 0.75 1 in 200 1.
19-Apr-95 : B : Atlas Dimethoate 40 at 850 ml in 200 1.
23-May-95 : B : Atlas Dimethoate 40 at 850 ml in 200 1.
20-Jun-95 : B : Corbel at 0.5 1 with Tilt Turbo 475 EC at 1.0 1 in
                    200 1.
30-Jun-95 : B : Atlas Dimethoate 40 at 850 ml in 200 1.
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Previous crops: W. wheat 1993, set-aside 1994.

NOTE: Plant density was assessed in autumn, winter and spring. Dry matter was measured in winter and spring, weed cover was assessed in January.

GRAIN TONNES/HECTARE

**** Tables of means ****

RATE HERBCIDE	1/2N	N	2N	4N	Mean
ST	1.90	1.81	1.93	1.39	1.76
OK	2.04	1.84	1.83	1.63	1.83
SI	1.54	1.89	1.90	1.91	1.81
0	1.50	1.58	1.75	1.91	1.69
Mean	1.74	1.78	1.85	1.71	1.77

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

HERBCIDE	RATE	HERBCIDE
		RATE
0.097	0.097	0.194

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

Stratum	d.f.	s.e.	CV%
BLOCK.WP	30	0.238	13.4

GRAIN MEAN DM% 91.1

LUPINS

SPRING HERBICIDES

Object: To test herbicides applied in the spring at various rates on the survival of weeds and autumn-sown lupins - Highfield VI.

Sponsor: I. Shield.

Design: 3 randomised blocks of (5 X 4) + 2 plots.

Plot dimensions: 3.0×9.0 .

Treatments: All combinations of:-

HERBCIDE Herbicide type:

AZ Aziprotryne
DI RPEXP 30930A
PE Pendimethalin
SI Simazine
TR Triasulfuron

NOTE: RPEXP 30930A is an experimental product containing diflufenican, exact composition is not disclosed.

2. HERBRATE Herbicide rate:

½N Half normal Normal

2N Twice normal 4N Four times normal

plus 2 extra plots

3. EXTRA Herbicide at normal rate:

AM Amidosulfuron PY Pyridate

Experimental diary:

29-Jul-94 : B : Deep tine cultivated with vibrating tines 60 cm apart and 45 cm deep. Rolled.

04-Aug-94 : B : Ploughed and furrow pressed. Rolled.

05-Sep-94 : B : Rotary harrowed. CH304/70 drilled at 40 seeds per m2.

06-Sep-94 : B : Opogard 500 SC at 2.8 1 in 200 1.

12-Sep-94 : B : Draza at 5.5 kg.

30-Nov-94 : B : Falcon at 1.0 1 in 200 1.

13-Mar-95 : T : HERBCIDE SI, HERBRATE 1/N, N, 4N: Atlas Simazine at

1.15, 2.3, 4.6, 9.2 l in 220 l respectively.

: **T** : **HERBCIDE** PE, **HERBRATE** ½N, N, 2N, 4N: Stomp 400 at 2.5, 5.0, 10.0, 20.0 l in 220 l respectively.

04-Apr-95 : T : EXTRA AM: Eagle at 40 g in 220 1.

: T : EXTRA PY: Lentagran WP at 2.0 kg in 220 1.

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Experimental diary:

04-Apr-95 : T : HERBCIDE AZ, HERBRATE ½N, N, 2N, 4N: Brasoran 50 WP at 2.0, 4.0, 8.0, 16.0 kg in 220 1 respectively.

04-Apr-95 : T : HERBCIDE DI, HERBRATE ½N, N, 2N, 4N: RPEXP 30930A at 0.5, 1.0, 2.0, 4.0 1 in 220 1 respectively.

: T : HERBCIDE TR, HERBRATE ½N, N, 2N, 4N: Lo-gran 20 WG at 18.75, 37.5, 75.0, 150 g in 220 1 respectively.

12-Apr-95 : B : Cultar at 0.75 1 in 200 1.

19-Apr-95 : B : Atlas Dimethoate 40 at 850 ml in 200 1.

23-May-95 : B : Corbel at 0.5 1 with Tilt Turbo 475 EC at 1.0 1 in 200 1.

30-Jun-95 : B : Atlas Dimethoate 40 at 850 ml in 200 1.

30-Jun-95 : B : Combine harvested.

Previous crops: W. wheat 1993, set-aside 1994.

NOTES: (1) Yields failed on all EXTRA AM plots because the herbicide killed the crop. This treatment was omitted from the analysis.

(2) Plant counts were made in March and June, dry weight, fresh weight was recorded in May. Oil content and thousand grain weights were measured after harvest.

GRAIN TONNES/HECTARE

**** Tables of means ****

HERBRATE	½N	N	2N	4N	Mean
HERBCIDE					
AZ	1.50	1.25	1.52	1.34	1.40
DI	1.44	1.27	1.37	1.41	1.37
PE	1.71	1.55	1.58	1.83	1.67
SI	1.43	1.54	1.57	1.60	1.53
TR	1.42	1.38	1.10	1.07	1.24
Mean	1.50	1.40	1.43	1.45	1.44
EXTRA	PY				

1.41

Grand mean 1.44

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

HERBCIDE	HERBRATE	HE	HERBCIDE	
		HE	RBRATE	
		&	EXTRA	
0.105	0.094		0.209	

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

Stratum d.f. s.e. cv% BLOCK.WP 40 0.257 17.8

GRAIN MEAN DM% 91.1

LUPINS

GROWTH REGULATOR STUDY

Object: To assess the effectiveness of growth regulators in shortening and strengthening autumn-sown lupins at risk of lodging - Highfield VI.

Sponsors: I. Shield, G.F.J. Milford, J. Leach.

Design: 3 randomised blocks of 5 plots.

Plot dimensions: 3.0×9.0 .

Treatments:

GROW REG	Growth regulator:	
_	None	
TR	Triapenthanol	
PA	Paclobutrazol	
AD	Chlormequat	
FO	Tebuconazole	

Experimental diary:

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29-Jul-94 : B : Deep tine cultivated with vibrating tines 60 cm apart
                   and 45 cm deep. Rolled.
04-Aug-94 : B : Ploughed and furrow pressed. Rolled.
05-Sep-94 : B : Rotary harrowed. CH304/70, dressed Germipro UFB,
                   drilled at 40 seeds per m2.
06-Sep-94 : B : Opogard 500 SC at 2.8 1 in 200 1.
12-Sep-94 : B : Draza at 5.5 kg.
30-Nov-94 : B : Falcon at 1.0 1 in 200 1.
20-Dec-94 : B : Farmon PDQ at 15.0 l in 900 l, inter-row sprayed using
                   dribble bar.
03-Feb-95 : B : Hand weeded.
13-Mar-95 : B : Atlas Simazine at 2.0 1 in 200 1.
04-Apr-95 : T : GROW REG PA: Cultar at 826 g in 220 1.
          : T : GROW REG TR: Triapenthanol at 700 g in 220 1.
          : T : GROW REG AD: Adjust at 3.0 1 in 220 1.
          : T : GROW REG FO: Folicur at 1.0 1 in 220 1.
19-Apr-95 : B : Atlas Dimethoate 40 at 850 ml in 200 1.
23-May-95 : B : Atlas Dimethoate 40 at 850 ml in 200 1.
20-Jun-95 : B : Corbel at 0.5 1 with Tilt Turbo 475 EC at 1.0 1 in
                   200 1
30-Jun-95 : B : Atlas Dimethoate 40 at 850 ml in 200 1.
18-Aug-95 : B : Combine harvested.
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Previous crops: W. wheat 1993, set-aside 1994.

NOTE: Plant numbers were assessed in April, May and at harvest. Plant height was measured fortnightly during stem extension. Dry matter of plant components and leaf area index were measured in July. Components of yield were measured at harvest.

GRAIN TONNES/HECTARE

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

GROW REG

- 1.77
TR 1.35
PA 1.39
AD 1.10
FO 1.27

1.38

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

GROW REG

0.212

Mean

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

Stratum d.f. s.e. cv%

BLOCK.WP 8 0.260 18.9

GRAIN MEAN DM% 91.1

LUPINS

CONTROL OF INSECT PESTS

Object: To assess the effect of insect controls on the growth and yield of autumn-sown lupins - Highfield VI.

Sponsors: A.W. Ferguson, I. Shield.

Design: 3 randomised blocks of 8 plots.

Plot dimensions: 3.0×9.0 .

Treatments:

INSCTCDE	Insecticide applied as seed treatment or spray:		
_	None		
S	Seed treatment (furathiocarb)		
SD	Seed treatment (furathiocarb), deltamethrin in winter		
	and spring		
SA	Seed treatment (furathiocarb), pirimicarb as required		
SAA	Seed treatment (furathiocarb), pirimicarb with wetting		
agent, as required			
SAS	Seed treatment (furathiocarb), pirimicarb with		
	sticker, as required		
SH	Seed treatment (furathiocarb), dimethoate pre-		
	flowering and as required		
F	Seed treatment (furathiocarb), deltamethrin,		
	pirimicarb with wetting agent and dimethoate as		
	required		

Experimental diary:

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29-Jul-94 : B : Deep time cultivated with vibrating times 60 cm apart
                   and 45 cm deep. Rolled.
04-Aug-94 : B : Ploughed and furrow pressed. Rolled.
05-Sep-94 : B : Rotary harrowed. CH 304/70 drilled at 40 seeds per m2.
06-Sep-94 : B : Opogard 500 SC at 2.8 1 in 200 1.
12-Sep-94 : B : Draza at 5.5 kg.
21-Nov-94 : T : INSCTCDE SD, F: Decis at 300 ml in 220 1.
30-Nov-94 : B : Falcon at 1.0 1 in 200 1.
13-Mar-95 : B : Atlas Simazine at 2.0 1 in 200 1.
04-Apr-95 : T : INSCTCDE SD, F: Decis at 300 ml in 220 1.
12-Apr-95 : B : Cultar at 0.75 1 in 200 1.
28-Apr-95 : T : INSCTCDE SA: Pirimicarb 50 DG at 280 g in 220 1.
          : T : INSCTCDE SH, F: Atlas Dimethoate 40 at 850 ml in 220 1.
          : T : INSCTCDE SAS: Pirimicarb 50 DG at 280 g with Intracrop
                   BLA at 220 ml in 200 1.
          : T : INSCTCDE SAA: Pirimicarb 50 DG at 280 g with Vassgro
                   Spreader at 55 ml in 220 1.
31-May-95 : T : INSCTCDE SA: Pirimicarb 50 DG at 280 g in 220 1.
          : T : INSCTCDE SAS: Pirimicarb 50 DG at 280 g with Intracrop
                   BLA at 220 ml in 220 1.
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Experimental diary:

31-May-95 : **T** : **INSCTCDE** SAA, F: Pirimicarb 50 DG at 280 g with Vassgro Spreader at 55 ml in 220 1.

20-Jun-95 : B : Corbel at 0.5 l with Tilt Turbo 475 EC at 1.0 l in

200 1.

18-Aug-95 : B : Combine harvested.

Previous crops: W. wheat 1993, set-aside 1994.

NOTE: Plant samples were taken before and after each insecticide treatment to assess damage by bean seed fly and infestation of lupin aphid. Establishment counts were made in October 1994.

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

INSCTCDE

0.85 S 0.96 SD 0.91 1.54 SA SAA 1.68 SAS 1.57 SH 0.38 1.59 F Mean 1.19

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

INSCTCDE

0.288

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

Stratum d.f. s.e. cv% BLOCK.WP 14 0.352 29.7

GRAIN MEAN DM% 90.7

LUPINS

CANOPY STRUCTURE AND YIELD

Object: To assess the effects of canopy structure and leaf and pod
 photosynthesis on the dry matter production and yield of two lupin lines
 - Highfield VI.

Sponsors: J.E. Leach, T. Scott.

Design: 4 randomised blocks of 2 plots (duplicated).

Plot dimensions: 2.88 x 10.0.

Treatments:

VARIETY

70 CH304/70 73 CH304/73

Experimental diary:

29-Jul-94 : B : Deep tine cultivated with vibrating tines 60 cm apart and 45 cm deep. Rolled.

04-Aug-94 : B : Ploughed and furrow pressed. Rolled.

05-Sep-94 : **T** : **VARIETY** 70, 73: Rotary harrowed, varieties drilled at 40 seeds per m².

06-Sep-94 : B : Opogard 500 SC at 2.8 1 in 220 1.

12-Sep-94 : B : Draza at 5.5 kg.

30-Nov-94 : B : Falcon at 1.0 l in 200 l.

16-Dec-94 : B : Farmon PDQ at 15.0 l in 900 l, inter-row sprayed using dribble bar.

19-Jan-95 : B : Hand weeded.

30-Jan-95 : B : Hand weeded.

13-Mar-95 : B : Atlas Simazine at 2.0 1 in 200 1.

12-Apr-95 : B : Cultar at 0.75 l in 200 l.

23-May-95 : B : Atlas Dimethoate 40 at 850 ml in 200 1.

20-Jun-95 : B : Corbel at 0.5 1 with Tilt Turbo 475 EC at 1.0 1 in 200 1.

30-Jun-95 : B : Atlas Dimethoate 40 at 850 ml in 200 1.

17-Aug-95 : B : Hand harvested.

Previous crops: W. wheat 1993, set-aside 1994.

NOTE: Radiation interception was measured weekly from spring to the start of maturity. Dry matter, photosynthesis and canopy structure was measured fortnightly from spring till harvest.

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

VARIETY 70 73 Mean

1.58 3.21 2.39

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

VARIETY

0.455

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

Stratum

d.f.

s.e.

CV%

BLOCK.WP

11

0.910

38.0

GRAIN MEAN DM% not measured

LUPINS

SPRING-SOWN WINTER LUPINS

Object: To assess the growth of two winter cultivars and one spring cultivar, sown in spring at three sowing dates, and the use of a desiccant to accelerate maturity - Sawyers 1 E.

Sponsors: G.F.J. Milford, H. Stevenson, I. Shield.

Design: 3 randomised blocks of 3 x 2 x 2 + 1 (duplicated) plots.

Whole plot dimensions: 3.0×9.0 .

Treatments: All combinations of:-

1. VARIETY

70	CH304/70
73	CH304/73
MIN	Minori

NOTE: 70 was sown at 240 kg, 73 at 160 kg and MIN at 220 kg, to give 80 seeds per m^2 .

SOW DATE Dates of sowing:

E 13 March M 27 March

3. DESICANT Desiccant:

- None

D Glyphosate

plus extra treatment

MIN LATE VARIETY MIN, sown 10 April (duplicated)

Experimental diary:

13-Jan-95 : B : Roundup at 4.0 1 in 200 1.

07-Feb-95 : B : Ploughed.

13-Mar-95 : **T** : **SOW DATE** E: Rotary harrowed, varieties drilled, Stomp 400 at 5.0 1 in 220 1.

27-Mar-95 : T : SOW DATE M: Rotary harrowed, varieties drilled,

30-Mar-95 : T : SOW DATE M: Stomp 400 at 5.0 1 in 220 1.

10-Apr-95 : T : DESI LAT -, D: Rotary harrowed, varieties drilled,

Stomp 400 at 5.0 1 in 220 1.

31-May-95 : B : Fusilade 5 at 2 1 with Vassgro Spreader at 200 ml in 200 1.

21-Jul-95 : B : Corbel at 1.0 1 in 300 1.

09-Aug-95 : T : SOW DATE E, VARIETY MIN, DESICANT D: Roundup at 2.0 1 in

220 1.

22-Aug-95 : T : SOW DATE E, VARIETY MIN: Hand harvested (one block).

Experimental diary:

30-Aug-95 : T : SOW DATE M, VARIETY MIN, DESICANT D: Roundup at 2.0 1 in 220 1.

04-Sep-95 : T : SOW DATE E, VARIETY MIN: Hand harvested (two blocks).
05-Sep-95 : T : SOW DATE E, VARIETY 70, 73, DESICANT D: Roundup at 2.0 1

in 220 1.

21-Sep-95 : T : SOW DATE M, VARIETY MIN, MIN LATE: Hand harvested.

25-Sep-95 : T : SOW DATE E, VARIETY 70, 73: Combine harvested.

: T : SOW DATE M, VARIETY 70, 73, DESICANT D: Roundup at 2.0 1

in 220 1.

11-Oct-95 : T : SOW DATE M, VARIETY 70, 73: Combine harvested.

Previous crops: S. wheat 1993, w. wheat 1994.

NOTES: (1) Late sowings of VARIETY 70, 73 were not harvested due to poor growth and are omitted from the tables.

(2) Plants were counted at establishment and harvest. Leaf production was measured pre-vernalization, leaf and branch numbers were assessed after flowering. Photosynthesis was measured during pod development. Components of yield were measured, oil and protein content of grain were assessed.

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

SOW DATE	E	M	Mean
VARIETY			
70	1.31	0.77	1.04
73	1.08	0.70	0.89
MIN	1.71	1.17	1.44
Mean	1.37	0.88	1.12
DESICANT	-	D	Mean
VARIETY			
70	1.09	0.98	1.04
73	0.88	0.91	0.89
MIN	1.47	1.41	1.44
Mean	1.15	1.10	1.12
DESICANT	-	D	Mean
SOW DATE			
E	1.34	1.40	1.37
М	0.96	0.80	0.88
Mean	1.15	1.10	1.12

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

	DESICANT	-	D
VARIETY	SOW DATE		
70	E	1.39	1.24
	M	0.80	0.73
73	E	1.06	1.11
	M	0.69	0.70
MIN	E	1.57	1.84
	M	1.37	0.97

MIN LATE

0.82

Grand mean 1.08

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

VARIETY	SOW DATE	DESICANT	VARIETY SOW DATE
0.082	0.067	0.067	0.116
VARIETY	SOW DATE	VARIETY	
DESICANT	DESICANT	SOW DATE DESICANT	
0.116	0.094	0.164	

SED for comparing ${\tt MIN}$ LATE with any item in ${\tt VARIETY},$ ${\tt SOW}$ DATE, DESICANT table is 0.142

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

 Stratum
 d.f.
 s.e.
 cv%

 BLOCK.WP
 27
 0.200
 18.5

GRAIN MEAN DM% 84.8

PLOT AREA HARVESTED 0.00318 **VARIETY** MIN
PLOT AREA HARVESTED 0.00165 OTHER TREATMENTS