

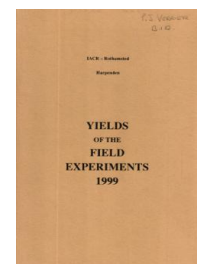
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99/W/WW/1

GRAIN TONNES/HECTARE

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

DENSITY

D1	7.95
D2	7.95
D3	7.78

Mean	7.89
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*** Standard errors of differences of means ***

DENSITY

0.569

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

Stratum	d.f.	s.e.	cv%
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BLOCK.WP	4	0.697	8.8
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GRAIN MEAN DM% 84.9

PLOT AREA HARVESTED 0.00230

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WINTER WHEAT

TESTING WEED CONTROL THRESHOLDS

Object: To test the validity of threshold values for weed density - Woburn, Lansome II.

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Design: 3 blocks of 3 x 3 + 3.

Plot dimensions: 4.0 x 17.5.

Treatments: All combinations of:-

1. **HERB DEC** Herbicide and timing:
 - E Autumn
 - L Spring
 - U Selective herbicides

2. **WEEDSPEC** Weed species:
 - MP Mayweed (*Matricaria perforata*)
 - SM Chickweed (*Stellaria media*)
 - AM Black-grass (*Alopecurus myosuroides*)

- EXTRA** None (triplicated)

Experimental diary:

13-Oct-98	: B :	: Rotary harrowed.
	: T : MP, SM, AM	: Weed seed broadcast as treatment.
	: B :	: Consort, tr. Beret Gold, drilled at 380 seeds/m ² with the Accord drill.
20-Oct-98	: B :	: Hardy at 7.5 kg.
22-Jan-99	: T : E MP, E SM, E AM	: Tolkan Liquid at 4.0 l with Panther at 2.0 l in 225 l.
20-Feb-99	: B :	: 34.5% N at 145 kg.
03-Apr-99	: B :	: 34.5% N at 145 kg.
08-Apr-99	: T : L AM	: Topik at 0.25 with Ally at 30 g in 225 l.
	: T : U SM	: Dow Shield at 0.5 l in 225 l.
	: T : U AM, L SM, L MP	: Ally at 30 g in 225 l.
30-Apr-99	: B :	: tm)Folicur at 0.5 l in 200 l.
	: B :	: tm)Atlas Chlormequat 700 at 2.0 l in 200 l.
21-Aug-99	: B :	: Combine harvested.