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# Yields of the Field Experiments 2020



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## 20/R/GC/8 GARDEN CLOVER (Manor Garden)

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

The 167<sup>th</sup> year, red clover.

For previous years see `Details' 1967 and 1973, and Yield books for 74-19/R/GC/8.

Design: 2 blocks of 2 plots.

Whole plot dimensions:  $1.00 \text{ m} \times 1.40 \text{ m}$ .

#### Treatments:

Residual effects of fungicide to control Sclerotinia trifoliorum:

NONE None

Benomyl sprays during previous winters, last applied November 1989.

#### **Experimental Diary**

Date		Application	Rate	Unit
13/11/2019	а	Epson Salts	50	kg/ha
13/11/2019	а	TSP	75	kg/ha
13/11/2019	а	Potassium Sulphate	150	kg/ha
13/11/2019	а	Chalk	1.25	t/ha
11/05/2020	а	1 <sup>st</sup> Cut	-	-
14/07/2020	а	2 <sup>nd</sup> Cut	-	-
01/09/2020	а	3 <sup>rd</sup> Cut	-	-

### **Yields**

Dry Matter, Tonnes/Hectare

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			FUNG_RES			
Cut	Date	Grand Mean	NONE	BENOMYL	Mean DM%	
1st	11 MAY 2020	3.77	3.74	3.81	14.0	
2nd	14 JUL 2020	3.24	3.61	2.86	15.8	
3rd	01 SEP 2020	2.47	2.56	2.37	17.7	
Total of 3 cuts		9.48	9.91	9.04	15.9	