SCHEDULE 3

Regulations 12, 13 and 19

Calculation of maximum nitrogen application to crops

Table 1

Maximum nitrogen application to arable and forage crops

PREVIOUS CROP: N residue group 1 –	cereals
	carrots
	swedes
	turnips (removed)
	linseed

Predominant Soil Type in Field					
Planned crop	Standard yield (tonne/ ha)	Sand or shallow	Sandy loam or other mineral	Humose	Peaty
Spring Barley c. e.	5.5	150	130	80	50
Winter Barley c.	6.5	200	180	120	80
Spring Wheat a. b.	7.0	170	150	100	60
Winter Wheat a. b.	8.0	220	200	140	80
Spring Oats ^{c.}	5.0	120	100	50	20
Winter Oats ^{e.}	6.0	160	140	90	50
Spring Oilseed Rape	n/a	100	100	50	20
Winter Oilseed Rape (spring) ^{d.}	4.0	200	200	120	80
Winter Oilseed Rape (autumn)	n/a	30	30	30	30
Potatoes	n/a	245	225	175	145

Adjustments

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b. An additional 40kgN/ha is permitted to milling wheat varieties.

c. An additional 15kgN/ha is permitted for every tonne that the expected yield exceeds the standard yield.

d. The spring application can be increased by up to 30kgN/ha if the expected yield is over 4.0 tonne/ha ("t/ha").

e. An additional 15kg/N/ha is permitted for high N grain distilling varieties.

	_	Predomina	nt Soil Type in Fi	eld	
Planned crop	Standard yield (tonne/ ha)	Sand or shallow	Sandy loam or other mineral	Humose	Peaty
Forage Maize, Rape	n/a	140	120	70	40
Kale	n/a	180	160	100	60
Swedes and Turnips	n/a	110	90	50	20
Linseed	n/a	80	60	30	0

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PREVIOUS CROP: N residue group 2 –		Harvested fodder (whole crop)		1–2 year low N leys ¹ , not grazed within 2 months of ploughing out or during September or October		
		oilseed rape				
		hemp		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	ns average N use s was less than ar)	
		vining peas				
		potatoes				
		Predominant	Soil Type in Fie	eld		
Planned crop	Standard yield(t/ha)	Sand or shallow	Sandy loam or other mineral	Humose	Peaty	
Spring Barley c. e.	5.5	140	120	70	40	
Winter Barley c.	6.5	190	170	110	70	

Adjustments

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c. An additional 15kgN/ha is permitted for every tonne that the expected yield exceeds the standard yield.

d. The spring application can be increased by up to 30kgN/ha if the expected yield is over 4.0t/ha.

e. An additional 15kg/N/ha is permitted for high N grain distilling varieties.

If actual localised rainfall from 1st October – 1st March exceeds 450 mm: add 10kgN/ha

		Predomina	nt Soil Type in Fi	eld	
Planned crop	Standard yield(t/ha)	Sand or shallow	Sandy loam or other mineral	Humose	Peaty
Spring Wheat a. b.	7.0	160	140	90	50
Winter Wheat a. b.	8.0	210	190	130	70
Spring Oats ^{c.}	5.0	110	90	40	10
Winter Oats ^{c.}	6.0	150	130	80	40
Spring Oilseed Rape	n/a	90	90	40	10
Winter Oilseed Rape (spring) ^{d.}	4.0	190	190	110	70
Winter Oilseed Rape (autumn)	n/a	20	20	20	20
Potatoes	n/a	235	215	165	135
Forage Maize, Rape	n/a	140	120	70	40
Kale	n/a	170	150	90	50
Swedes and Turnips	n/a	100	80	40	10
Linseed	n/a	70	50	20	

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PREVIOUS CROP: N residue group 3 –	harvested fodder (root only)	1–2 year low N leys, grazed within 2 months of ploughing out or during September or October
	Beans	
	combining peas	1–2 year high N leys ² , not grazed within 2 months of ploughing out or during

September or October

whole crop lupins

²high N means average N use in last 2 years was more than 150 kg/ha/year, or high clover)

		Predomina	nt Soil Type in Fi	eld	
Planned crop	Standard yield(t/ha)	Sand or shallow	Sandy loam or other mineral	Humose	Peaty
Spring Barley	5.5	130	110	60	30
Winter Barley	6.5	180	160	100	60
Spring Wheat	7.0	150	130	80	40
Winter Wheat	8.0	200	180	120	60
Spring Oats	5.0	100	80	30	0
Winter Oats	6.0	140	120	70	30
Spring Oilseed Rape	n/a	80	80	30	0
Winter Oilseed Rape (spring)	4.0	180	180	100	60
Winter Oilseed Rape (autumn)	n/a	10	10	10	10
Potatoes	n/a	225	205	155	125
Forage Maize, Rape	n/a	140	120	70	40
Kale	n/a	160	140	80	40
Swedes and Turnips	n/a	90	70	30	0

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d The spring application can be increased by up to 30kgN/ha if the expected yield is over 4.0t/ha.

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If actual local rainfall from 1st October – 1st March exceeds 450 mm:	add 20kgN/ha to crops grown in sandy, shallow or sandy loam soils:
	add 10kgN/ha to crops grown in other mineral, humose and peaty soils

		Predomina	nt Soil Type in Fie	eld	
Planned crop	Standard yield(t/ha)	Sand or shallow	Sandy loam or other mineral	Humose	Peaty
Linseed	n/a	60	40	10	0

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PREVIOUS CROP: N residue grain lupin group 4 –

1–2 year high N leys, **grazed** within 2 months of ploughing outor during September or October

3–5 year low N leys, **not grazed** within 2 months of ploughing outor during September or October

		Predomina	nt Soil Type in Fi	eld	
Planned crop	Standard yield(t/ha)	Sand or shallow	Sandy loam or other mineral	Humose	Peaty
Spring Barley c. e.	5.5	110	90	40	10
Winter Barley c.	6.5	170	140	80	40
Spring Wheat	7.0	130	110	60	20

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c. An additional 15kgN/ha is permitted for every tonne that the expected yield exceeds the standard yield.

d. The spring application can be increased by up to 30kgN/ha if the expected yield is over 4.0t/ha.

e. An additional 15kg/N/ha is permitted for high N grain distilling varieties

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	add 10kgN/ha to crops grown in other mineral, humose and peaty soils

Predominant Soil Type in Field					
Planned crop	Standard yield(t/ha)	Sand or shallow	Sandy loam or other mineral	Humose	Peaty
Winter Wheat a. b.	8.0	180	160	100	40
Spring Oats ^{c.}	5.0	80	60	10	0
Winter Oats ^{c.}	6.0	130	100	50	10
Spring Oilseed Rape	n/a	60	60	10	0
Winter Oilseed Rape (spring) ^{d.}	4.0	140	140	80	40
Winter Oilseed Rape (autumn)	n/a	0	0	0	0
Potatoes	n/a	205	185	145	115
Forage Maize, Rape	n/a	140	120	70	40
Kale	n/a	110	90	30	0
Swedes and Turnips	n/a	70	50	10	0
Linseed	n/a	10	0	0	0

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PREVIOUS CROP:N residue leafy brassica vegetables 3–5 year high N leys, not grazed within 2 months of ploughing out or during September or October Leafy non-brassica vegetables grazed fodder 3–5 year low N leys,

	eld				
Planned crop	Standard yield(t/ha)	Sand or shallow	Sandy loam or other mineral	Humose	Peaty
Spring Barley c. e.	5.5	80	60	10	0
Winter Barley c.	6.5	140	110	50	10
Spring Wheat	7.0	100	30	0	0
Winter Wheat a. b.	8.0	150	130	70	10
Spring Oats ^{c.}	5.0	50	30	0	0
Winter Oats ^{c.}	6.0	100	70	20	0
Spring Oilseed Rape	n/a	30	30	0	0
Winter Oilseed Rape (spring) ^{d.}	4.0	110	110	50	0
Winter Oilseed Rape (autumn)	n/a	0	0	0	0
Potatoes	n/a	175	155	135	105
Forage Maize, Rape	n/a	70	50	0	0
Kale	n/a	110	90	30	0
Swedes and Turnips	n/a	70	50	10	0
Linseed	n/a	10	0	0	0

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Winter Barley c.	6.5	100	70	10	0
Spring Wheat a. b.	7.0	170	150	100	60
Winter Wheat a. b.	8.0	110	90	30	0
Spring Oats ^{c.}	5.0	10	0	0	0
Winter Oats ^{c.}	6.0	60	30	0	0
Spring Oilseed Rape	n/a	0	0	0	0
Winter Oilseed Rape (spring) ^{d.}	4.0	70	70	10	0
Winter Oilseed Rape (autumn)	n/a	0	0	0	0
Potatoes	n/a	135	115	115	115
Forage Maize, Rape	n/a	30	10	0	0
Kale	n/a	70	50	0	0
Swedes and Turnips	n/a	50	30	0	0
Linseed	n/a	0	0	0	0

PREVIOUS CROP: N residue group 6 3–5 year high N leys, not grazed within 2 months of ploughing out or during September or October

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	add 10kgN/ha to crops grown in other mineral, humose and peaty soils		

Table 2

Site Classes- Applicable to grassland

Grassland production is limited by growing conditions, in particular the quantity of rainfall between April and September and soil type. The combined effect of these factors defines the site class.

Average April – September rainfall mm (inches)						
Soil texture	More than 500	425–500	350–425	Less than 350		
	(20)	(17–20)	(14–17)	(14)		
Sands and shallow soils	2	3	4	5		
All other soils	1	2	2	3		

Table 3

Maximum nitrogen application to grassland

Grass management	Site Class 1	Site Class 2	Site Class 3	Site Class 4	Site Class 5
0	kgN/ha	kgN/ha	kgN/ha	kgN/ha	kgN/ha
2 or 3 cut silage and grazing	310	300	290	280	270
1 cut silage and grazing	280	270	260	250	240
Grazing with low clover	270	260	250	240	230
Hay and grazing	220	210	200	190	180
Grass with high clover	100	90	80	70	60