

Drill Operators Recording Sheet

Manor Farm, Ambridge, Borsetshire

Operators Name: Roger Miller.

Tractor Unit:

<u>Date:</u>	<u>Crop Type:</u>	<u>Seed Type:</u>	<u>Seed Label Details:</u>	<u>Variety:</u>	<u>Generation:</u>	<u>Source:</u>
15th March 2017	White Peas	Dressed: Thyram Plus	Retained	Gregor	C2	AGRIL
<u>Type of Drill:</u>	<u>Manufacturer:</u>	<u>Bout width.</u>	<u>Target seed rate:</u>	<u>Actual Seed Rate:</u>		
<u>Power Harrow Drill combination.</u>	<u>Amazon</u>	<u>4 metre</u>	<u>160kgs/ha</u>	<u>147kgs/ha</u>		
<u>Field Name:</u>	<u>Area (Ac/Ha)</u>	<u>Time drilling started</u>	<u>Time drilling finished.</u>	<u>Target weight of seed</u>	<u>Total weight of seed sown:</u>	
<u>Long Field</u> (Excluding field margins).	<u>23.4 Ha</u>	<u>11.00AM</u>	<u>5.45 PM</u>	<u>3744 kgs</u> 92% of target rate.	<u>3440kgs</u>	

Seedbed details:

Good in centre of field but cloddy on headlands.

Pre drilling cultivations.

Ploughed then rolled before drilling.

Post drilling cultivations.

Cambridge rolled.

Operators comments:

Small spillage of seed when loading drill with first load due to a split bag. Seed and soil have been retained in plastic bag and returned to seed store.

This field invariably drills at less than the specified area. Drill was thoroughly checked and calibrated before drilling.

Please check emergence on southern headland where drill went in deeper than intended due to wet spot under old tree.

