

P2007349: Assessment and analysis at AHDB Strategic Cereal Farms

Strategic Cereal Farm West

Strategic Cereal Farm West is hosted by Rob Fox at Squab Hall Farm, Learnington Spa. The Strategic Cereal Farm West started on 1 September 2018 and will end on 31 August 2024. You can find out more information, including trial reports to date, by visiting:

ahdb.org.uk/farm-excellence/strategic cereal farm west

The Strategic Cereal Farm West will host five trials for harvest 2021:

- Work package 5: Managed lower inputs
- Work package 6: Flower strips
- Work package 7: Cultivation
- Work package 8: Organic matter
- Work package 9: Autumn blackgrass control
- Work package 10: Repeat baselining

More detailed information on the assessments required within each of the trials are provided on the following pages. Applicants should respond to each of the trials detailed in this call. Your application should address each trial separately, and you should provide detailed costs of each assessment on a trial basis.

Site map

The location of each of the trial fields, numbered according to the relevant work package, at Strategic Cereal Farm West is shown in Figure 7.

Trials descriptions

The trial descriptions for each of the work packages below are provided as a guide. Where appropriate, please include alternatives to the proposed trial design and assessments in your application based on your experience. Alternative trial designs and assessments should consider the intended aim of the Strategic Cereal Farm, budget and logistics of establishing and managing trials with farm scale machinery.





Figure 7 Trial locations at Strategic Cereal Farm West