



## Understanding your SPS 2014 Claim Statement

Your Claim Statement shows the value of your Single Payment Scheme (SPS) claim and how we've calculated it. We issue one to you after each SPS payment we make and after we send your remittance advice (which tells you the amount of each payment). You can also see your Claim Statement on SPS Online.

Your statement shows the type, quantity and value of all the entitlements we've paid you for this year. It also shows any penalties which we've applied.

If you think your Claim Statement is wrong, you can write or email us to explain why. Please use 'SPS 2014 Payment' as the heading and remember to give your Single Business Identifier (SBI) and business name.

### Entitlement values

The value of entitlements for SPS 2014 are lower than in 2013. There are three reasons for this:

1. The UK has received less money from the EU for SPS payments this year. With less money available, the value of entitlements is lower than in 2013.
2. In previous years we've taken a percentage off every SPS payment to help fund rural development programmes. This was called modulation. Modulation isn't happening in 2014. Instead, 12% of the total amount of money available for SPS in England was transferred to the Rural Development Programmes for England (RDPE) before we calculated entitlement values.
3. The euro exchange rate for 2014 is lower than it was in 2013. The Euro exchange rate used for calculating 2014 Single Payment Scheme (SPS) payments will be €1 = £0.77730. In 2013 it was €1 = £0.83605.

### Financial Discipline Mechanism

On page 10 of the *SPS Handbook for England Supplement 2014*, we told you about the 'Financial Discipline Mechanism' and how it could reduce the value of your SPS 2014 payment. It also explained that you may receive a financial discipline refund from SPS 2013.

The rate of financial discipline for SPS 2014 is 1.302214% .

Financial discipline doesn't apply to the first €2,000 of your claim. If your claim is less than €2,000, it won't apply to you at all.

## In 2015 the Basic Payment Scheme (BPS) will replace the Single Payment Scheme

Please remember that 2014 is the last year of SPS. You can find out more about the new scheme in our CAP Reform Countdown leaflets, which are available online: [www.gov.uk/cap-reform](http://www.gov.uk/cap-reform). We've also sent paper copies of the leaflets to our customers. You will need to claim online for BPS and extra help will be available to those who need it. We'll publish more information soon about how to claim your rural payments in 2015.

### More information

For payments and penalties, read Section F *SPS Handbook for England Supplement 2014* and Sections M and N of the *SPS Handbook for England 2013*. To find these search 'Single Payment Scheme: Guidance for 2014' on [www.gov.uk](http://www.gov.uk). For cross compliance, go to [www.gov.uk/rpa](http://www.gov.uk/rpa) and click 'cross compliance' to read *The Guide to Cross Compliance in England 2014 complete edition*.

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# What's in your Claim Statement?

## Single Payment Scheme 2014

### Claim Statement

Not including Uplands Transitional Payment



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MR MATT MURDOCH  
NEW DAIRY FARM  
SIPPING ROAD  
GAINFORD  
COUNTY DURHAM  
DL3 1AF



Date: 01 December 2014

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### Part A: Claim Summary

SBI: 107716779  
Name of Business: NEW DAIRY FARM  
Scheme year: 2014  
Claim number: 1977071637  
Date of calculation: 01 December 2014  
Total claim value: £30,754.85 (see Part B)  
Type of payment: Full

B

### Part B: Claim Calculation

	Quantity or Rate	2014 Unit Value (€)	2014 Unit Value (£)	Payments (£)	Deductions (£)	Balance (£)
SPS Claim						
Non SDA	153.63ha	251.39	195.41	30,020.14		
SDA	7.30ha	201.32	156.49	1,142.35		
				31,162.49		31,162.49
Financial Discipline						
FDM Deduction Band 1	0.000000%					
FDM Deduction Band 2	1.302214%				385.56	
					385.56	30,776.93
Cross Compliance						
Cross Compliance Penalty	3.00%				951.18	29,825.75
Additional Payments						
Financial Discipline Mechanism refund				929.10		30,754.85

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C

### Notes

- For more information about Financial Discipline and how it is calculated, please read the leaflet *Understanding your Single Payment Scheme (SPS) Claim Statement* which is available on our website at [www.gov.uk/rpa](http://www.gov.uk/rpa)
- The exchange rate from Euro (€) to Sterling (£) for SPS 2014 is 0.77730

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### Part C: Claim History

Date	Invoice Reference	Payment Type	Claim Value (£)	Invoice Value (£)	Net Transactions (£)
01 Dec 2014	11977071637160777	Full	30,754.85	30,754.85	30,754.85
		SPS Claim Value			30,754.85
		Total Payments			30,754.85
		Balance on this SPS Claim at this date			0.00

### Part D: Claim Land Details

	Field Name	Land Parcel Reference	Part Field	Area Claimed	Area Ineligible	Area Determined
Non-SDA	MIDDLE	XX12341234		0.67	0.00	0.67
	MIDDLE	XX43214321		0.99	0.00	0.99

Please note that these are sample figures only  
Individual lines may be affected by some slight number rounding differences

### Key

- A** The date the information in your statement was calculated from our records.
- B** Amounts are shown in euros if you have asked us to pay you in euros.
- C** For more information about penalties read the *SPS Handbook for England Supplement 2014 and the SPS Handbook for England 2013*.
- D** Financial discipline (if applicable) will be shown here. If money is being taken from your claim for financial discipline, this will show as an 'FDM Deduction'. If you are getting money added to your payment from the deductions made in 2013, this will show as 'Financial Discipline Mechanism refund'.
- E** Amounts are shown in euros if you have asked us to pay you in euros.