



Rural Payments Agency

10 October 2023

Our ref: RFI 6697

Dear [REDACTED],

Environmental Information Regulations – Information Request

We refer to your request for information dated 12 September 2023 which we have dealt with under the Environmental Information Regulations 2004 (EIR) with the reference RFI 6697.

You have requested data showing the areas claimed on Basic Payment Scheme (BPS) applications in the last 3 years (2021, 2022 and 2023) for the crops listed below, broken down by each post code district in England.

Crop	BPS Crop Code
Permanent grass	PG 01
Temporary grass	TG 01
Spring Barley	AC 01
Winter Barley	AC 63
Spring Oats	AC 19
Winter Oats	AC 65
Spring OSR	AC 36
Winter OSR	AC 67
Spring Wheat	AC 32
Winter Wheat	AC 66
Lucerne	LG 11
Winter Beans	LG 20
Spring Beans	LG 03
Maize	AC 17

Please find the information requested in the format you have specifically asked for in the attached annex 1.

We also attach Annex A below, explaining the copyright that applies to the information being released to you.

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If you need further information

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Yours sincerely

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