

Solohead Research Farm 2010

Current Production Performance (06 October 10)

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| Milk Production (kg/day) | 15.2 |
| Butterfat % | 4.30 |
| Protein % | 3.87 |
| Milk solids (kg/cow/day) | 1.24 |

Current management

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| Average 7 day growth rate (kg/day) | 48 |
| Farm cover – kg DM/ha | 1540 |
| – kg DM/cow | 700 |
| Pre-grazing yield (kg DM) | 2050 |
| Concentrate (kg/cow/day) | 0 |

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| Average Rainfall for September (mm) | 123.4 |
| 10 year average rainfall for September (mm) | 93.1 |

56% of farm harvested for silage on 13 June 2010.

Artificial fertiliser has not been applied to grazing paddocks since 12 April 2010 – white clover is the main nitrogen source to grass-clover swards on the farm.

35% of farm harvested for bale silage on 29 July 2010.