

Teagasc Heavy Soils Programme Update 20th October 2017

Grass Summary

Farmer	Grass Date	Cover	Cover/LU	Pre Graze	Post Graze	Demand	Growth Rate
Doonbeg	18/10/2017	1115	397	2300	150	26	34
Castleisland	18/10/2017	819	314	2400	25	22	32
Rossmore	15/10/2017	831	263	2000	50	22	16
Athea	13/10/2017	728	264	2000	25	22	40
Average		873	309	2175	63	23	31

Milk Summary

Farmer	Milk Date	Ltr/Cow	Fat %	Prot %	kgMS/Cow	SR	kgMS/Ha
Doonbeg	17/10/2017	16.6	4.89	4.09	1.5	2.8	3.7
Castleisland	17/10/2017	14.8	4.46	3.71	1.2	2.6	3.5
Rossmore	15/10/2017	16.3	4.85	3.93	1.5	3.2	4.7
Athea	18/10/2017	13.2	4.9	3.98	1.2	2.8	2.2
Average		15.2	4.78	3.93	1.4	2.8	3.5

Rotate Now
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Meal Kg	Silage Kg
4	6
4	7
4	6
3	6
3.8	6.3