



Grass Summary for the Demonstration farmers for the week ending 30/04/2021

Farm	Cover Date	Farm Cover (kg DM/ha)	Cover/LU (kg DM/LU)	Stocking Rate (LU/ha)	Growth/ha (kg DM /ha/day)	Demand/ha (kg DM /ha/day)	Pre Grazing Yield	Grass Intake/Cow (kg DM/cow)	Meal Intake (kg/cow)
Alex McCarthy	28/04	614	157	3.90	48	57	1800	14.5	3.5
Andrew & Ber Killeen	26/04	646	199	3.25	34	39	1450	12.0	6.0
David O'Leary	26/04	1066	255	4.18	62	63	1700	15.0	2.7
Dermot & Micheal Kavanagh	21/04	739	140	5.26	76	63	1850	12.0	7.0
Pa O'Hanlon	25/04	572	183	3.13	39	38	1600	12.0	5.0
Joe Carroll	26/04	797	188	4.23	50	62	1950	15.0	3.0
MI. & John Casey	28/04	692	170	4.08	60	59	1850	15.0	3.0
John Galvin	28/04	648	189	3.42	22	55	1600	16.0	2.0
Declan, Eileen & Kieran Murphy	28/04	705	197	3.58	70	50	1800	14.0	5.0
Niall Moloney	23/04	767	166	4.62	58	69	1800	15.0	3.0
Sean and Diarmuid Fitzgerald	23/04	639	169	3.79	64	49	1870	14.0	3.0
Stephen McAuliffe	27/04	537	164	3.28	47	49	1100	15.0	3.0
William Dennehy	26/04	865	189	4.58	81	72	1700	15.6	2.4
Average		714	182	3.95	55	56	1698	14.2	4

Milk summary for the week ending 30 April 2021.

Farm	Milk Date	Litres /Cow	Fat%	Protein%	Kg MS /cow	SCC
Alex McCarthy	27/04	30.46	3.8	3.49	2.29	82
Andrew Killeen	28/04		4.46	3.49		101
David O'Leary	28/04	27.39	4.17	3.56	2.18	79
Dermot Kavanagh	26/04		3.5	3.43		103
Pa O'Hanlon	27/04	26.32	3.69	3.29	1.89	52
Joe Carroll	27/04		4.25	3.67		80
John Casey	28/04		4.07	3.61		56
John Galvin	28/04	25.3	3.67	3.13	1.77	90
Kieran Murphy	28/04	32.15	3.97	3.4	2.44	59
Niall Moloney	27/04	28.18	3.77	3.57	2.13	92
Sean and Diarmuid Fitzgerald	26/04		3.99	3.49		293
Stephen McAuliffe	27/04	26.36	3.88	3.5	2.00	89
William Daly	28/04	34.25	3.88	3.53	2.61	134
William Dennehy	27/04	25.72	3.98	3.51	1.98	158
Average		27.95	3.93	3.48	2.13	105

Demonstration farmer comment from William Dennehy: I am happy with my average farm cover at the moment. I would like growth to be better than it is. I am currently supplementing cows with 2.5 kg of concentrate. I will start breeding on May 6.