

Alternate Wheat and Fallow Experiment

Winter wheat varieties and cropping, 1856 onwards

Years	Varieties
1856-1881	Red Rostock
1882-1899	Red Club
1900-1962	Squarehead's Master
1963	Squarehead's Master (S) was compared with Cappelle Desprez (C)*
1964	Squarehead's Master (S) was compared with Rothwell Perdix (R)*
1965	Squarehead's Master (S) was compared with Cappelle Desprez (C)*
1966	Rothwell Perdix (R) was compared with Cappelle Desprez (C); plots A3 and A4 were killed by wheat bulb fly, and the spring wheat variety Klocka (K) was sown on all four sub-plots*.
1967-1978	Cappelle Desprez
1979-1984	Flanders
1985-1990	Brimstone
1991-1995	Apollo
1996 -2011	Hereward
2012 onwards	Crusoe

*S, C, etc indicate the different varieties grown on the sub-plots in the output from the Data Extraction Tool.

Eight-year cycle of one-year and three-year fallow, 1932-1982 inclusive:

	Strip A				Strip B			
	A1	A2	A3	A4	B1	B2	B3	B4
1960	C	C	F	C	F	F	F	F
1961	F	F	F	F	F	C	C	C
1962	C	C	C	F	F	F	F	F
1963	F	F	F	F	C	F	C	C
1964	F	C	C	C	F	F	F	F
1965	F	F	F	F	C	C	F	C
1966	C	F	C	C	F	F	F	F
1967	F	F	F	F	C	C	C	F

etc

F = fallow, C = crop

Reference:

Rothamsted Experimental Station (1970), 'Details of the Classical and Long-Term Experiments up to 1967', Lawes Agricultural Trust, Harpenden, UK.