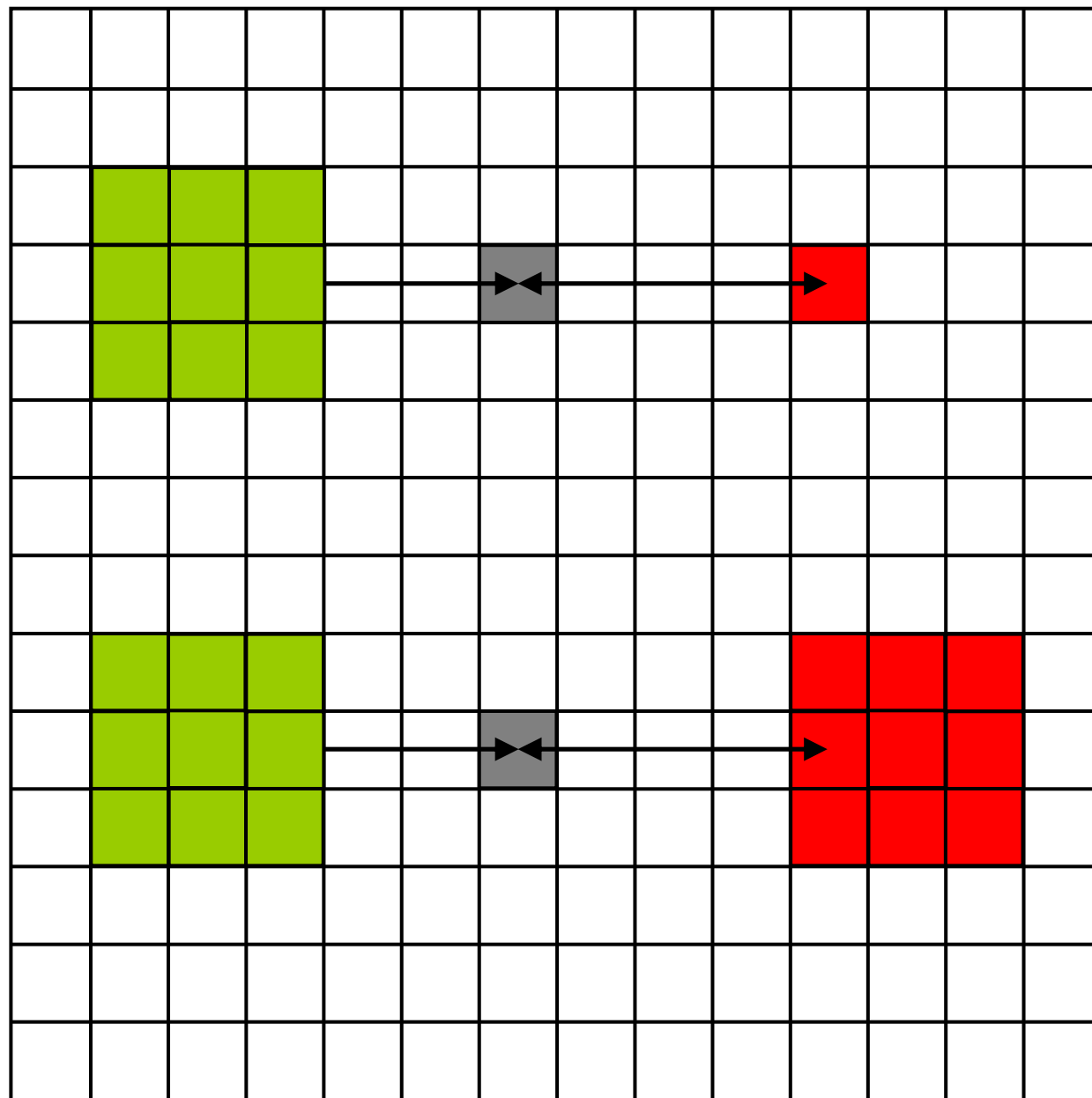


Influence of spatial configuration on cropland returns and costs



Economies of scale
reduce costs of
larger fields located
more centrally
within farm

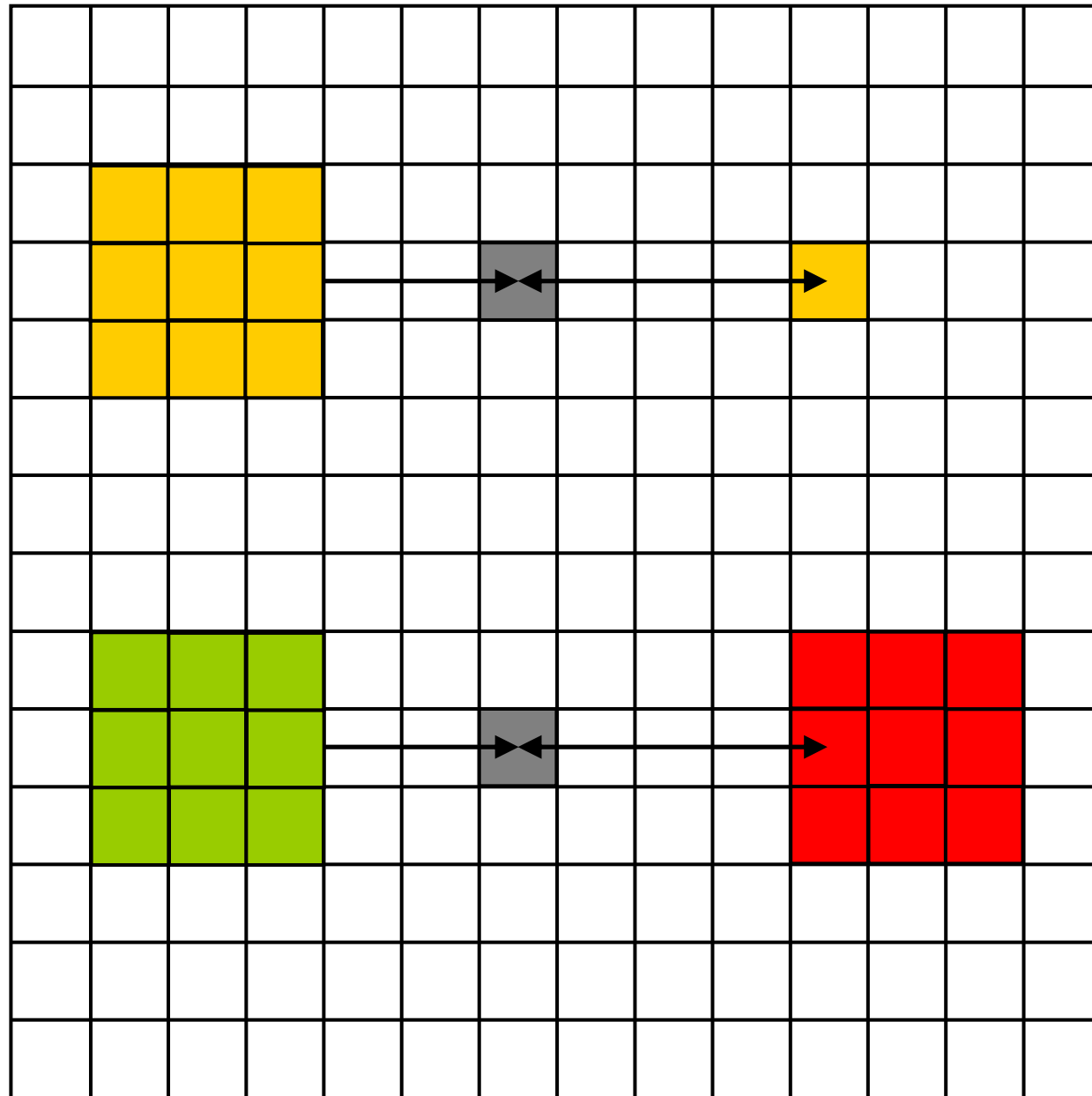
 Less Profitable

 More Profitable

(Mean profitability of
each pixel in field)

 Centre of Farm

Influence of spatial configuration on pasture returns and costs



Costs not influenced by size of field but increase with distance from centre farm

- Less Profitable
- More Profitable
- Equally Profitable
- (Mean profitability of each pixel in field)
- Centre of Farm