# Nutrient Management Plan Excel User Guide

# NMP Excel User Guide Table of Contents and Description of Each Section

The NMP Standard Format utilizes two software formats: Microsoft Excel and Microsoft Word. This guide provides information for understanding how to use the Microsoft Excel planning tool.

#### **Nutrient Management Plan Excel Overview**

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This document provides an overview of the Nutrient Management Plan Excel spreadsheet. It will address topics such as: compatibility with Excel versions and computers, downloading the file, setting up the file and computer for use, navigating the NMP spreadsheet, column header notes, freeze panes, overview of the various worksheets, and document revision history.

#### **How to Complete Farm Specific Animal List and Associated Worksheets**

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This document describes how to complete the Farm Specific Animal List sheet and associated worksheets. All animal types in the Nutrient Management Plan are selected here. Most of the animal types listed in Agronomy Facts 54 are available for selection. Animal types not listed can be added. Animal weights during a specific production age range can be selected as well.

#### How to Complete NMP Appendix 3 Manure Group Information Input Sheet

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This document describes how to complete the Appendix 3 Input sheet. All of the manure group information is entered here including the manure group name, manure group site description and season applied, inventory method, exported manure amounts, and animal group information.

#### **How to Complete Manure Analysis Average Input Worksheet**

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This document describes how to complete the Manure Average Input sheet. All of the manure group analysis information is entered here.

#### How to Complete the Farm Crop List Worksheet and Associated worksheets

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This document describes how to complete the Farm Crop List sheet and associated worksheets. All crops grown on the farm are selected here. The crops listed in this table are from the Penn State Agricultural Analytical Services Laboratory (AASL) soil test recommendations for agronomic crops database. Additional user entered crop can be added as well.

#### How to Complete Appendix 4 Input Worksheet and Associated Worksheets

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This document describes how to complete the Appendix 4 Input sheet. All of the field information is entered in one row including the Phosphorous Index and Winter Manure Application Matrix information.

#### How to Complete Multiple Manure Applications in Appendix 4 Input Worksheet

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This document describes how to complete multiple manure applications on a single field in the Appendix 4 Input Worksheet.

#### **How to Complete Double Crops in Appendix 4 Input Worksheet**

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This document describes how to complete a double crop in the Appendix 4 Input sheet. A double crop is defined as growing two different crops on a single field during a crop year. They are designated as a "Winter Crop" and a "Summer Crop" in a double crop.

# NMP Excel User Guide Table of Contents and Description of Each Section

#### **How to Complete NMP Summary and NMP Summary Notes**

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This document provides an overview of the Nutrient Management Plan Summary and describes how to complete Nutrient Management Plan Summary and Summary Notes sheets. In addition to summarizing the field and crop information, it is also includes crop year, owned and rented acres, whole farm notes, animal equivalent units, and animal equivalent units per acre.

#### **How to Complete Manure Spreader Calibration Notes**

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This document provides an overview and describes how to complete the Manure Spreader Calibration Notes table.

#### **How to Complete Appendix 10**

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This procedure provides an overview and details how to use the Appendix 10 Supporting Information Page. The Appendix 10 page is to be printed and can also be used to provide a cover page to place supplemental information or to record information relevant to the nutrient management plan.

#### **How to Print the NMP Report**

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This procedure provides an overview and details how to print the NMP sections Appendices 3, 4, 5, Winter Manure Application Matrix and associated worksheets in the Excel file.

#### **How to Complete Rainfall Additions Worksheet**

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This document describes how to complete the Rainfall Worksheet. This worksheet will calculate the amount of rainfall or runoff contributing to a manure storage group.

#### **How to Complete Grazing Group Manure Calculator**

Page 136

This document describes how to complete the optional Grazing Group Manure Calculator. This worksheet will calculate the amount of uncollected manure generated and the weighted average of the manure nutrients deposited on a pasture by grazing animals. It is most useful for grazing scenarios that include multiple animal groups on the same pasture or multiple animal groups on multiple pasture fields.

#### **How to Complete the Manure Residual Nitrogen Calculator**

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This document describes how to Complete the Manure Residual Nitrogen Calculator. This will calculate the residual nitrogen from previous 5 year manure application history using Agronomy Guide Table 1.2-12 values.

#### How to Complete the Legume Residual Nitrogen Calculator

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This procedure describes how to add a legume to the Legume Residual Nitrogen Calculator for determining the legume residual nitrogen in a NMP.

#### **How to Transfer a NMP to Version 8**

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This procedure provides an overview and details how to transfer the Excel portion of a NMP to version 8 from a previous version NMP.

#### **Purpose:**

This document provides an overview of the Nutrient Management Plan, (NMP) Excel spreadsheet.

It will cover the following aspects:

- 1. Compatibility with Excel Versions and Computers
- 2. Downloading the file
- 3. Setting up the file and computer for use
- 4. Navigating the NMP spreadsheet
- 5. Overview of the various worksheets
- 6. Helpful tips when completing worksheets

The Excel Nutrient Management Plan, (NMP) Excel spreadsheet is used to complete the following sections of the NMP.

**NMP Summary and Summary Notes** 

Manure Spreader Calibration Table

Appendix 3 – Manure Group Information Section

Appendix 4 - Crop & Manure

Appendix 5 - Phosphorous Index

Appendix 10 – Supporting Information and Documentation

The following optional worksheets are available to help complete the sections mentioned above.

Rainfall Additions Worksheet

Winter Manure Application Matrix

5-year Manure Analysis Averaging Table

Manure N Residual Calculator Worksheet

Table 3 – Planner Added Crops

Table 4 – Planner Added Legume Residual Scenario

Animal-Type Manure Production Worksheet – Planner Added Animal Type

**Grazing Calculator Worksheet** 

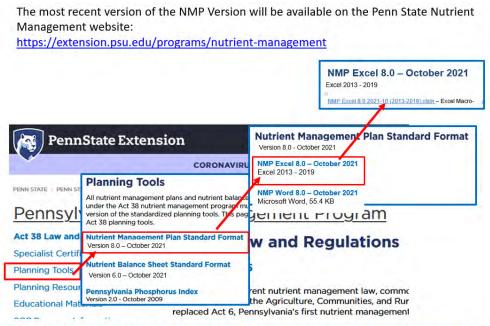
# 1. Compatibility with Excel Versions and Computers

The NMP Version 8 Excel file works on a PC but many functions don't work on a Mac. Please plan on using a PC. NMP Version 8 has been tested in Excel Versions 2013 and 2016. The functionality should extend to Excel 2010 – Excel 2019 and Office 365.

## 2. Downloading the file

The most recent version of the NMP Version 8 will be available on the Penn State Nutrient Management website: <a href="https://extension.psu.edu/programs/nutrient-management">https://extension.psu.edu/programs/nutrient-management</a>

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A notice is sent to all specialists when a new version or revision is released.

Remember to Download both the Excel and Word NMP documents to complete a Nutrient Management Plan

When a new major version is released you must use the new version for all future plans. When a minor revision is made to the NMP, it is recommended that you use the most recent revision. If the revision resolves a defect that directly affects a planning scenario affecting your plan, then you must use the newest revision. In other words, older revisions of plans cannot be submitted to the NMP technical team to have updates added to existing NMP's created in a previous version.

## 3. Setting up the file and your computer for use

**3.1.** After downloading the spreadsheet from the Nutrient Management website you need to <u>enable editing and</u> enable content of the file.



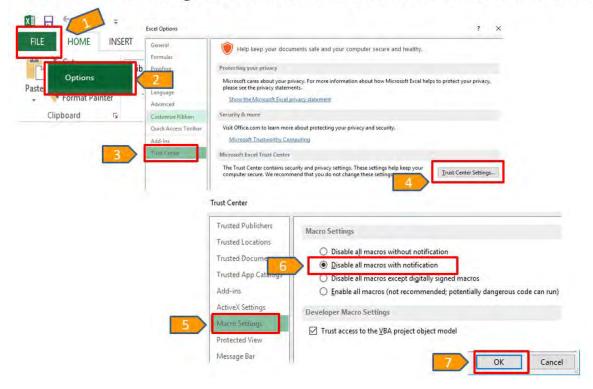


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**3.2.** Set Macro settings to disable all macros with Notification

Some computers may need to be set up to use macros. You may need to set your computer following the screen shots below.

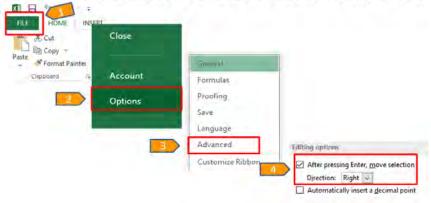
# Set Macro settings to Disable all macros with Notification.



**3.3.** Navigating the worksheets will be easier if your cursor is set to move to the right after pressing enter. To set your cursor to move to the right. The following screenshots details how to set up your computer to do this.

# Use the "Tab" key to move to the right in the spreadsheet

Or set cursor to move to the right after pressing enter.



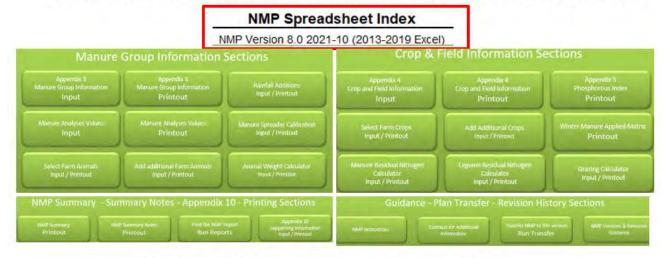
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#### 4. Navigating the NMP Spreadsheet

#### 4.1. NMP Index

The NMP Spreadsheet Index can be used for navigating the spreadsheet (workbook). All worksheet tabs are listed and are hyperlinks to each particular page. The NMP version is listed at the top of the index.

# Navigation Panes contain buttons to select all associated worksheets



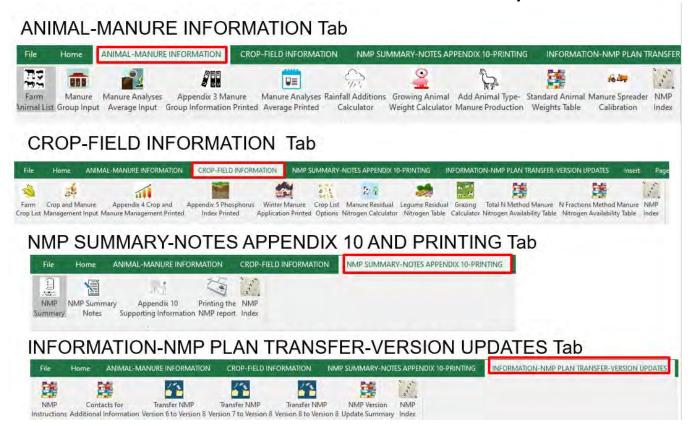
Each button will take you to that worksheet

#### 4.2. Use the ribbon tabs to navigate through the workbook

- 4.2.1.Each worksheet has an icon link at the top of the toolbar ribbon. With this feature you are two clicks away from any worksheet and one click away from the index. The ribbon icons are grouped by use to simplify planning. There are four main tabs:
  - Animal-Manure Information
  - Crop-Field Information
  - NMP Summary Notes-Appendix 10-Printing
  - Information-NMP Plan Transfer-Version Updates

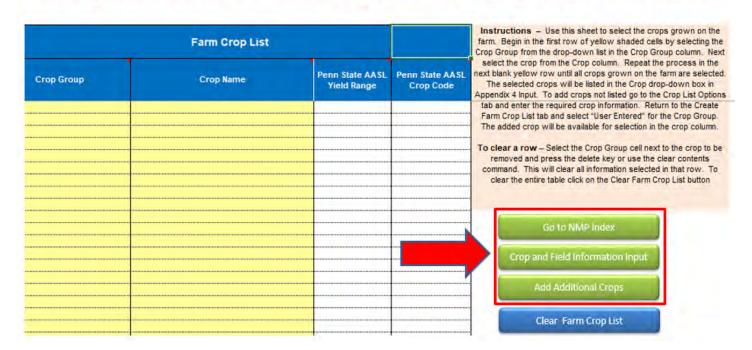
Each tab then contains icons links to the various worksheets associated with them. The NMP Index is always shown so you can find your way back to the beginning of the workbook.

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Worksheet navigation buttons are listed on most pages throughout the spreadsheet

# Navigation Buttons on most pages to help navigate the workbook



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#### 5. Overview of the various worksheets

There are many worksheets in the Excel planning tool. Some are for information or reference, others are for data entry, and some are simply printouts for submission. The following table briefly describes each worksheet in the Excel NMP workbook.



Worksheet Icon	Worksheet Tab Name	Worksheet Type	Worksheet Description
Farm Animal List	Farm Specific Animal List	Required data entry	Animals specific to the operation are selected here.
Manure Group Input	Appendix 3 Input	Required data entry	The manure group and animal group information is entered here.
Manure Analyses Average Input	Manure Average Input	Required data entry	The manure group analyses information is entered here (up to 5 years).
5 Appendix 3 Manure Group Information Printed	Appendix 3 Manure Group Info.	Required printout for submission	Appendix 3 Manure group information printout.
Manure Analyses I. Average Printed	Manure Avg Printed	Required printout for submission	Manure Group analyses information printout
Rainfall Additions Calculator	Rainfall Worksheet	Optional worksheet - printed if used	Used when a liquid manure group receives rainfall additions either from direct rainfall or rainfall runoff.
Growing Animal Weight Calculator	Animal Weight Calculator	Optional worksheet - printed if used	Determines a growing animal weight based on a production age range.
Add Animal Type- Manure Production	Animal Type- Manure Production	Optional worksheet - printed if used	Lists animal types and manure production and analyses book values. Planners can add additional animal types and required information not already listed.
Standard Animal Weights Table	Animal Standard Animal Weight		The standard animal weights table (Penn State Agronomy Facts 54 Table 1) is shown here.
Manure Spreader Calibration  Manure Spreader Calibration		Required printout for submission	Manure spreader calibration information
NMP Index	NMP Index Navigation		Navigation tool takes planner back to the NMP Index.

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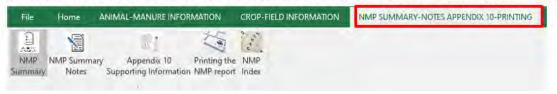
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		Nitrogen Availability Table							Manure Management Printed	SOUTH TO STORY	

Worksheet Icon	Worksheet Tab Name	Worksheet Type	Worksheet Description
Farm Crop List	Farm Crop List	Required data entry	Select only the crops grown on the farm.
Crop and Manure Management Input	App4 Input	Required data entry	All Field, Crop, Nutrient, P Index, and Winter Application, and Field Note information is entered here.
Appendix 4 Crop and Manure Management Printed	Appendix 4 Crop & Manure Mgmt.	Required printout for submission	Appendix 4 Crop & Manure Management information printout.
Appendix 5 Phosphorus Index Printed	Appendix 5 P Index	Required printout for submission	Printout of P Index results for all Part B fields in the NMP.  Transferred from Appendix 4 Input
Winter Manure Application Printed	Winter Application Matrix	Optional worksheet - printed if used	Printout of Winter Matrix results for all Part B fields in the NMP. Transferred from Appendix 4 Input
Crop List Options	Crop List Options	Optional worksheet - printed if used	Crops not currently listed in the NMP can be entered here as a user entered crop.
Manure Residual Nitrogen Calculator	Residual N Calculator	Optional worksheet - printed if used	Determines the residual organic nitrogen available based on the previous 5-year manure application history. Legumes not currently listed in the NMP can be entered here.
Legume Residual Nitrogen Table	Table 4	Optional worksheet - printed if used	Residual nitrogen contributions from legumes. A legume can
Grazing Calculator	Grazing Group Manure Calculator	Optional worksheet - printed if used	Determines an uncollected manure application rate and average nutrient content based on animal species, days, and hours/day of grazing for a field.
Total N Method Manure   Nitrogen Availability Table	Table 5	Information	Penn State Agronomy Guide Tables 1.2-11-A and 1.2-11-B Shows the <b>Total Nitrogen availability factors</b> based season/incorporation method, the residual manure nitrogen availability based on previous 5-year manure application history and double crop carryover availability factors.
N Fractions Method Manure Nitrogen Availability Table	Table 6	Information	Penn State Agronomy Guide Tables 1.2-11-A and 1.2-11-B Shows the <b>N Fractions availability factors</b> based season/incorporation method, the residual organic manure nitrogen availability based on previous 5-year manure application history and double crop carryover availability factors.
NMP Index	NMP Index	Navigation Tool	Navigation tool takes planner back to the NMP Index.

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# Overview of the Excel NMP Version 8 Layout NMP SUMMARY-NOTES APPENDIX 10 AND PRINTING Tab



Worksheet Icon	Worksheet	Worksheet	Worksheet Description
	Tab Name	Туре	
NMP I	NMP Summary	Required data entry and printout	Printout summarizing the crop, manure application, and fertilizer application intentions for the crop year. List the Crop year(s), whole farm note, farm acreage, and Animal Equivalent Units
Summary		for submission	values.
NMP Summary Notes	NMP Summary Notes	Required printout for submission	All field notes entered in Appendix 4 Crop & Manure Management input section are listed in this printout.
Appendix 10 Supporting Information	Appendix 10 Supporting Info	Required printout for submission	Used to record supplemental information, calculations, and worksheets.
Printing the NMP report	Print NMP Report	Used for printing the various worksheets	This worksheet is used to print the required Excel NMP pages.
NMP Index	NMP Index	Navigation Tool	Navigation tool takes planner back to the NMP Index.

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# INFORMATION-NMP PLAN TRANSFER-VERSION UPDATES Tab



Worksheet Icon	Worksheet Tab Name	Worksheet Type	Worksheet Description
NMP Instructions	NMP Instructions	Information	Outline for completing the Excel NMP sections.
Contacts for Additional Information	Contacts for Additional Info.		PSU and SCC staff to contact for assistance when completing a plan.
Transfer NMP to Version 8	Transfer NMP to Version 8		Used to transfer a NMP from a previous version to the current version.
NMP Version Update Summary	Version Update		A list of historical updates for each NMP version.
NMP Index	NMP Index	Navigation Tool	NMP Excel workbook Table of Contents

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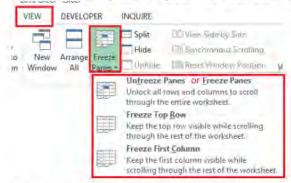
#### 6. Helpful tips when completing worksheets

#### 6.1. Freeze Panes

Most sheets have the first few rows and columns frozen so the row or column headings not move. This means they will always be visible as you scroll around the spreadsheet. The freeze panes option is available on the view tab of the toolbar ribbon.

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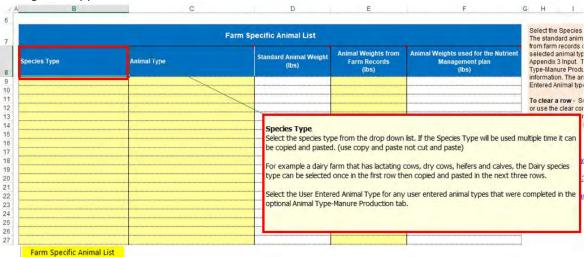
- This means they will always be visible.
- The freeze panes option is available on the view tab of the toolbar ribbon.



- Click the Unfreeze panes and the entire worksheet rows and columns will move.
- To freeze panes, select a cell then select freeze panes. Everything to the left and above the selected cell will be frozen you will be able to scroll through the rest of the spreadsheet.

#### 6.2. Column Header Notes

The blue column headers cells with red triangles have helpful notes included to help you understand what needs to be entered or what the cell data is used for. Where you see a red triangle in the cell, there is a note to help explain what should be entered in that column. For example, when you click in the Species Type column header the following message will appear:



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#### 6.3. Color coding cells for data entry cells

- Yellow cells –are data entry cells.
- White cells are generally formula cells used for calculations or showing displaying values form other cells. For example, the balance after manure is displayed in a white cell as it's a calculated value based on the crop nutrient needs, fertilizer, residual nitrogen history minus the planned manure application rate.
- **Grey** some cells will be greyed out.

For Example, the P Index manure application method will be greyed of it a field <u>is not</u> a Part B field. However, the P Index manure application method will be yellow if it <u>is a Part B field</u>.

Conditional Formatting – some cells are programmed to change color based on a value.

For example, if a field has a P Index score over 80 then the nitrogen based planned manure rate will be red indicating this rate can't be applied

However, the P removal rate will be green indicating this manure rate can be applied to the field.

#### Color Coding Example:

	Α	0	Q	R	AF	AG	AH	Al	AJ	AK	AL	AM	AN	A0	AP
Int	Field formation	ation			Manure and Applica	anure and Application			Manure Rate			Balance after Manure			
	Field or CMU ID	Сгор	Crop Yield	Units	Manure Group	Planned Application Season	Planned Application Management	P Index Application Method	Multiple Application	Nitrogen Balanced Manure Rate	Crop Phosphorous Removal Manure Rate	Planned Manure Rate	N Balance	P2O5 Balance	K2O Balance
	1	Corn for Grain	175	bu/A	Beef Bedded Pack	Spring	Spring: Spring or summer utilization- Incorporation within 2–4 days	April - Oct: No incorp or incorp > 1 wk.		34.3	16.7	12	78	-56	-94
	2	Corn for Grain	175	bu/A	Beef Bedded Pack	Spring	Spring: Spring or summer utilization- Incorporation within 2–4 days			41.4	16.7	12	103	-56	-94

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#### **Purpose and Overview:**

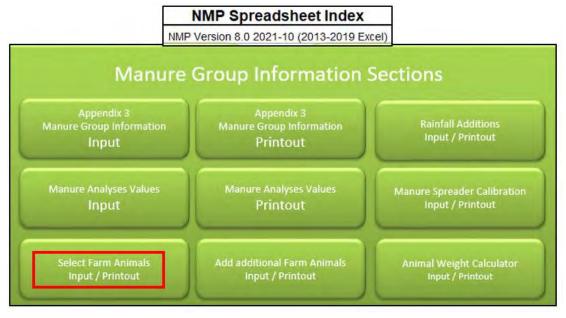
This procedure describes how to complete the Farm Specific Animal List Input sheet. All animal types in a Nutrient Management Plan, (NMP), are selected here. Most animal types listed in Agronomy Facts 54 are available for selection. To complete this page, select the Species Type then the Animal Type. The standard animal weight will be automatically listed. Animal weights from farm records can be added and used instead of book values in the NMP. The selected animal types will be available for selection in the Animal Type drop down box in Appendix 3 Input.

#### **Associated worksheets**

**Growing Animal Weight Calculator** – This worksheet is used to determine the weight of an animal during a specific age range. For example, the weight of heifers grouped from 4 to 20 months can easily be determined. See section 5 of this handout for instructions to use this worksheet.

**Animal Type-Manure Production worksheet** – This worksheet is used to add animals not listed in the Farm Specific Animal List tab. User entered animal types are entered along with their manure production values. They will then be available for selection in the Farm Animal List. See section 6 for instructions.

You can find the Farm Specific Animal List tab by clicking on the "Select Farm Animals" button in the NMP Spreadsheet Index



Or click on the Animal-Manure information tab. Select the Farm Animal List icon that looks like this:

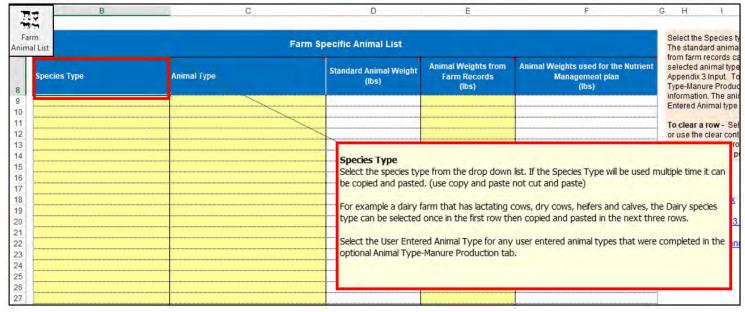


# **Layout of the Farm Specific Animal List Tab**

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The blue column headers cells with red triangles have helpful notes included to help you understand what needs to be entered or what the cell data is used for. Where you see a red triangle in the cell, there is a note to help explain what should be entered in that column. For example when you click in the Species Type column header the following message will appear:



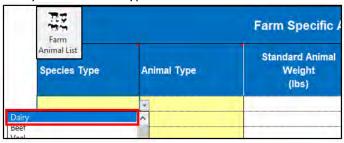
# 1. Procedure for completing the Farm Specific Animal List

1.1. Select the Species Type.

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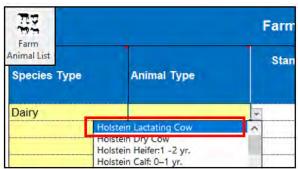
Select the species type from the drop down list. The species/production types are the same as those listed in Agronomy Facts 54. If the Species Type will be used multiple times it can be copied and pasted. (Use copy and paste not cut and paste). For example a dairy farm that has lactating cows, dry cows, heifers and calves, the "Dairy" selection can be selected once in the first row then copied and pasted in the next three rows.

Select User Entered Animal Type in the Species Type Column for any user entered animal types that were completed in the optional Animal Type-Manure Production tab.



#### 1.2. Select The Animal Type

Select the animal type from the drop down list. The available selections are based on the species type that was selected. If you change the species type this column selection will be cleared. The animal types listed in this column will be the only animal types available for selection in Appendix 3 Input. Additional animal types can be added later if needed



#### 1.3. Animal Weight

The standard animal weight listed in Agronomy Facts 54 for the animal type selected will automatically be populated and displayed. The animal weight cell is a white cell meaning it is populated by a formula and is locked.

The Control of the Co	Farm Specific Animal List										
Animal List Species Type	Animal Type	Standard Animal Weight (lbs)	Animal Weights from Farm Records (lbs)	Animal Weights used for the Nutrient Management plan (lbs)							
Dairy	Holstein Lactating Cow	1450		<b>→</b> 1450							
Dairy	Holstein Dry Cow	1450		1450							
Dairy	Holstein Heifer:1 -2 yr.	1000		1000							
Dairy	Holstein Calf: 0-1 yr.	420		420							
Beef	Beef Finishing: 8-24 mo	950	1150	1150							

If no animal weights from farm records are available, then the standard animal weight will be used in the NMP.

#### 1.4. Entering Animal Weights from Farm Records

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If the farmer has animal weight records that differ from the standard animal weights, they can be entered here. The farm record weights will be used instead of standard animal weights when completing Appendix 3 Input sheet. Only enter the animal weight. Don't enter the units. For example, if the animal weight based on farm records is 1150 pounds then enter 1150. Don't enter the units of pounds or lbs. Animals weights that are updated here will automatically be updated in Appendix 3.

The Animal Weights used for the Nutrient Management plan is a white cell meaning it is populated by a formula and is locked.

Farm	Fattii Specilic Alliniai List											
Animal List Species Type	Animal Type	Standard Animal Weight (lbs)	Animal Weights from Farm Records (lbs)	Animal Weights used for the Nutrient Management plan (lbs)								
Dairy	Holstein Lactating Cow	1450		1450								
Dairy	Holstein Dry Cow	1450		1450								
Dairy	Holstein Heifer: 1 -2 yr.	1000		1000								
Dairy	Holstein Calf: 0-1 yr.	420		420								
Beef	Beef Finishing: 8-24 mg	950	1150	→ 1150								

# 2. Enter the remaining Animal Types that will be listed in the NMP

	Farm Specific Animal List										
Species Type Animal Type Standard Animal Weights from Weight Farm Records (lbs) (lbs) Animal Weights used for to the species from the species											
Dairy	Holstein Lactating Cow	1450		1450							
Dairy	Holstein Dry Cow	1450		1450							
Dairy	Holstein Heifer:1 -2 yr.	1000		1000							
Dairy	Holstein Calf: 0-1 yr.	420		420							
Beef	Beef Finishing: 8-24 mo.	950	1150	1150							
Light Horses and Mules	Mule Mature	1100		1100							
Poultry Broiler	Broiler, large: 0–53 days	3.55		3.55							

To clear a row, select the Species Type in a row to be deleted and press the delete key or use the clear contents command. This will clear all user entered information for that row.

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To clear the entire table, click on the Clear Farm Animal List.

TO THE	Farm Specific	Animal List			Instructions Select the species type then the animal type you pla to use in this plan. The standard animal weight will
Farm Animal List Species Type	Animal Type	Standard Animal Weight (lbs)	Animal Weights from Farm Records	Animal Weights used for the Nutrient Management plan (lbs)	automatically be listed. Animal weights from farm records can be added and they will be used in the NMP. The selected animal types will be listed in the animal type drop down box in Appendix 3 Input. To
Dairy	Holstein Lactating Cow	1450		1450	add animal types not listed in the list, go to the
Dairy	Holstein Dry Cow	1450		1450	Animal Type-Manure Production tab and enter the
Dairy	Holstein Heifer:1 -2 yr.	1000		1000	required Animal type information. The animal type will
Dairy	Holstein Calf: 0-1 yr.	420		420	then be available after selecting the User Entered
Beef	Beef Finishing: 8-24 mo.	950	1150	1150	Animal type in the Species Type column.
Light Horses and Mules	Mule Mature	1100		1100	T 1
Poultry Broiler	Broiler, large: 0-53 days	3.55		3.55	To clear a row - Select the Species type in a row and press the delete key or use the clear contents
User Entered Animal Type	*User Entered* Holstein Heifers	#N/A		#N/A	command, this will clear all user entered information in that row. To clear the entire table click on the Clear Farm Animal List button
					Go to NMP Index  Manure Group Information Input
					Animal Weight Calculator
					Add additional Farm Animals
					Clear Farm Animal List

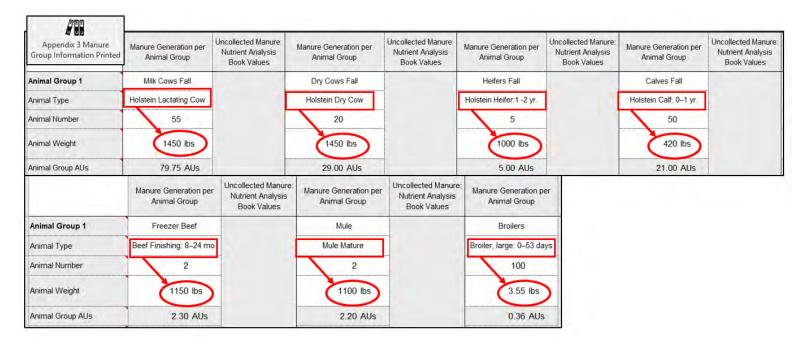
# 3. The Animal Types selected will be available in Appendix 3 Input

The Animal Types selected will be available in the dropdown lists for the animal types in Appendix 3 Input and the corresponding weights will be automatically populated.

Animal Group 1 Name	Animal Group 1 Animal type	Animal Group 1 Animal Number	Animal Group Animal Weigh
Milk Cows Fall	Holstein Lactating Cow		1450
Dry Cows Fall	Holstein Dry Cow		1450
Heifers Fall	Holstein Heifer: 1 -2 yr.		1000
Calves Fall	Holstein Calf: 0-1 yr.		420
Freezer Beef	Beef Finishing: 8–24 mo.		1150
Mule	Mule Mature		1100
Broilers	Broiler, large: 0-53 days		3.55
Holstein D Holstein H Holstein C Beef Finish Mule Matu	eifer:1 -2 yr. alf: 0–1 yr. iing: 8–24 mo.		

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# 4. The Animal Types selected will be listed in the printed in Appendix 3 Manure Group Information printout



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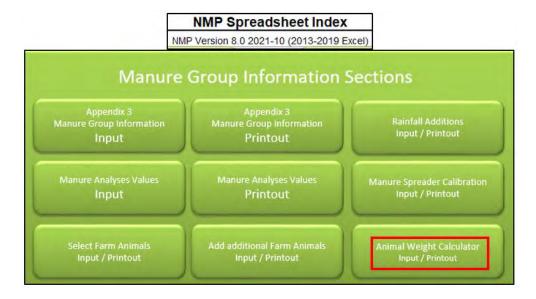
## 5. Additional Associated Worksheet – Growing Animal Weight Calculator

Animal weights during a specific age range can be calculated using the growing animal weight calculator. The weights will be based on the animal weight listed in Agronomy Facts 54 (Supplement 5 in the Technical Manual)

This task can be completed in the growing animal weight calculator by simply entering the animal type, beginning age, and ending age in the calculator.

#### When this optional worksheet is used it must be printed and included in Appendix 10.

The worksheet in the NMP sheet is labeled "Animal Weight Calculator" in the Excel NMP workbook. This particular worksheet is an optional worksheet. You can find it in the NMP Spreadsheet Index:



#### Or use the toolbar ribbon Icon:

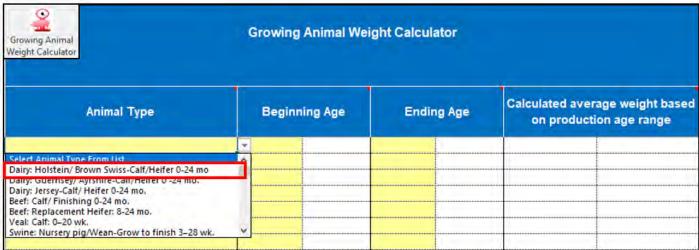


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The growing animal weight calculator has the yellow colored input cells. The worksheet sheet looks like this

Growing Animal Weight Calculator	Growing Animal Wei	ght Calculator	
Animal Type	Beginning Age	Ending Age	Calculated average weight based on production age range

#### 5.1. Beginning in the first row, select the animal type from the drop down list.



#### 5.2. Select the beginning and ending ages

Enter the beginning animal production age. The age units will be in days, weeks, or months and will populate automatically based on the animal type selected.

<u></u>	Growing Animal Weig	ght Calculator	7	
Growing Animal Weight Calculator Animal Type	Beginning Age	Ending Age	Calculated average weight base on production age range	
Dairy: Holstein/ Brown Swiss-Calf/Heifer 0-24 mo	0 Months	4 Months	200.00 lbs.	
Dairy: Holstein/ Brown Swiss-Calf/Heifer 0-24 mo	4 Months	20 Months	697.00 lbs.	

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#### 5.3. The average weight based on production age range is calculated automatically

<u></u>	Growing Animal Weig	ght Calculator	
Growing Animal Weight Calculator Animal Type	Beginning Age	Ending Age	Calculated average weight based on production age range
Dairy: Holstein/ Brown Swiss-Calf/Heifer 0-24 mo	0 Months	4 Months	200.00 lbs.
Dairy: Holstein/ Brown Swiss-Calf/Heifer 0-24 mo	4 Months	20 Months	697.00 lbs.

The calculated average weight based on production age range will be displayed. The average weight is based on weights listed in Agronomy Facts 54.

**NOTE:** Ending ages that exceed values listed in Agronomy Facts 54 by more than ten percent, the calculator will display a "**Date Out of Range**" error message.

<u></u>	Growing Animal Weight Calculator										
Growing Animal Weight Calculator Animal Type	Beginning Age	Ending Age	Calculated average weight based on production age range								
Dairy: Holstein/ Brown Swiss-Calf/Heifer 0-24 mo	0 Months	4 Months	200.00 lbs.								
Dairy: Holstein/ Brown Swiss-Calf/Heifer 0-24 mo	4 Months	26.5 Months	Date Out of Range								

#### The example calculation below shows how this is completed by hand.

The weight of a Holstein heifer from 4 to 20 months can be calculated based on the animal weights in Agronomy Facts 54

- 1. Determine the beginning age weight.
- 2. Determine the ending age weight.
- 3. Add the beginning weight and ending weight and divide by two.

#### 1. Calculate the calf weight at 4 months

Calculate the weight gained per month based on the age /weight range Calf: 0 - 12 months. (90 – 750lbs.) 750 - 90 = 660lbs / 12 months. = 55.0 lbs. / month 90 lbs. initial weight (0 months) + 4 months weight gain 220.0 lbs. (4 months X 55.0 lbs. /month) = 310.0 lbs.

#### 2. Calculate the heifer weight at 20 months

Calculate the weight gained per month based on the age /weight range
Heifer: 12 - 24 months. (750 – 1,250 lbs.) 1250 - 750 = 500 lbs. / 12 months = 41.7 lbs. / month
750 lbs. initial weight (12 months) + 8 months weight gain 333.6 lbs. (8 months X 41.7 lbs. /month) = 1083.6 lbs.

#### 3. Sum the beginning and ending weight and divide by 2

310 lbs. beginning weight (4mos.) + 1083.6 lbs. ending weight (20 mos.)  $\div$  2 = **697 lbs.** Average Production Weight of Heifers from 4-20 months

#### 5.4. Printout of the Growing Animal Weight Calculator

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When this optional worksheet is used it is to be printed and submitted in Appendix 10.

Growing Animal Weight Calculator										
ited average weight based production age range										
200.00 lbs.										
697.00 lbs.										

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**5.5.** The growing animal group weight and associated manure production values can be entered in the optional worksheet for adding Animal types. It is called Add Animal Type-Manure Production worksheet. See Section 6 for details how to complete the section.

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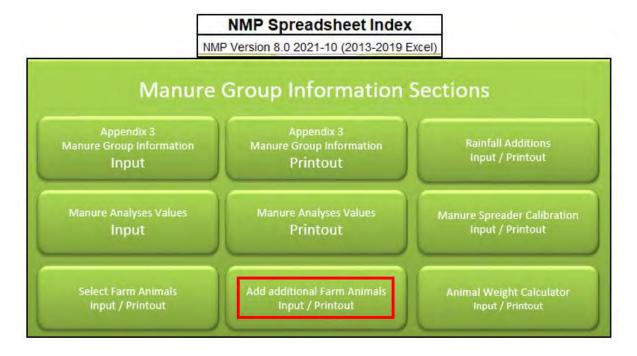
# 6. Additional Associated Worksheet – Animal Type Manure Production

Animal types not currently available for selection in the Farm Animal List can be added in the Animal Type Manure-Production worksheet. Growing animal groups described in section 5 above will be added here to assign manure production values. Animal types not listed in the spreadsheet, for example Llamas, would be added here since they are not available for selection in the Farm Animal List. After an animal and manure production values are added to this worksheet, they will be available in the user entered animal type selection.

Animal types not currently listed in the spreadsheet will need to have the manure production values approved by the SCC Commission. For example, Llama manure production values would ne approval.

#### When this optional worksheet is used it must be printed and included in Appendix 10.

The worksheet in the NMP sheet is labeled "Animal Type Manure-Production worksheet" in the Excel NMP workbook. You can find it in the NMP Spreadsheet Index:

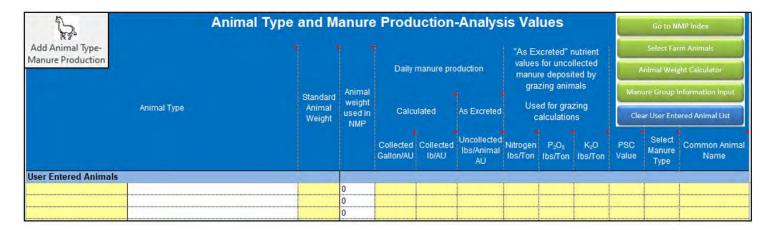


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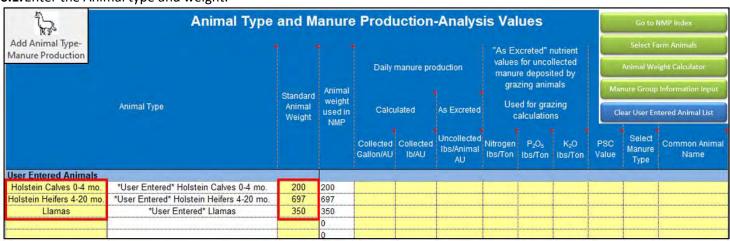


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6.1. Enter the Animal type and weight.

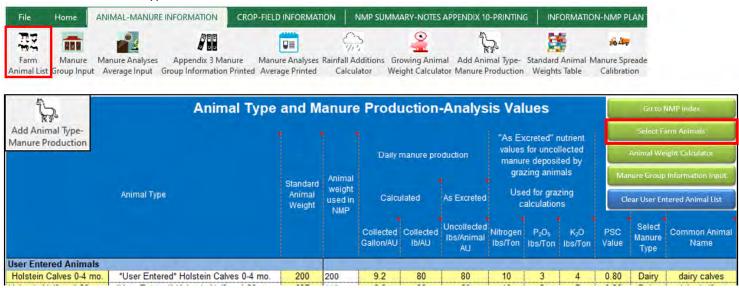


**6.2.** Complete the manure production values, manure type, and common animal name. Values for animals listed in the spreadsheet can be used from the list below. For example, dairy Holstein calves. Values not already in the spreadsheet need to be approved by the Commission

B	Animal Type	and M	anure	Produ	uction	-Analys	is Val	ues			Go to	NMP Index		
Add Animal Type-							"As Ex	creted" r	nutrient		Select F	arm Animals		
Manure Production				Daily	manure pro	duction		for uncollected e deposited by			Animal Weight Calculator			
		Standard	Animal				grazing animals		Mai	Manure Group Information Input				
	Animal Type	Animal Weight	weight used in NMP	Calc	ılated	As Excreted	d Used for grazing calculations			Clear User Entered Animal List				
				Collected Gallon/AU	Collected Ib/AU	Uncollected Ibs/Animal AU	Nitrogen Ibs/Ton	P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> lbs/Ton	K₂O Ibs/Ton	PSC Value	Select Manure Type	Common Anima Name		
User Entered Animals														
Holstein Calves 0-4 mo.	*User Entered* Holstein Calves 0-4 mo.	200	200	9.2	80	80	10	3	4	0.80	Dairy	dairy calves		
Holstein Heifers 4-20 mo.	*User Entered* Holstein Heifers 4-20 mo.	697	697	6.9	60	60	10	<b>3</b>	7	0.80	Dairy	dairy heifers		
Llamas	*User Entered* Llamas	350	350 0	N/A	4.6	4.6	20	3.9	20.8	1.00	Other	llama adults		
	Dairy		,											
	Holstein Lactating Cow	1,450	1450	13.0	111.0	111.0	10	4	8	0.80	Dairy	milk cows		
	Holstein Dry Cow	1,450	1450	6.0	51.0	51.0	9	3	7	0.80	Dairy	dry cows		
	Holstein Heifer: 1 -2 yr.	1,000	1000	6.9	60.0	60.0	10	3	7	0.80	Dairy	dairy heifers		
	Holstein Calf: 0-1 yr.	420	420	9.2	80.0	80.0	10	3	4	0.80	Dairy	dairy calves		
	Holstein Bull	1,700	1700	6.0	51.0	51.0	9	3	7	0.80	Dairy	dairy bull		

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6.3. User added animal types can be select in the Farm Animal List.



**6.4.** In the Farm Specific Animal List, select the User Entered Animal Type selection from the dropdown box.



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**6.5.** Then Select the user entered Animal Types created in the dropdown list. The animal weight will transfer from the values entered in the Animal Type-Manure Production tab.

		Farm Specific A	nim	al List		
	Species Type	Animal Type	Ar	Standard nimal Weight (lbs)	Animal Weights from Farm Records	Animal Weights used for the Nutrient Management plan (lbs)
	Dairy	Holstein Lactating Cow		1450		1450
Dairy		Holstein Dry Cow		1450		1450
I	Dairy	Holstein Heifer:1 -2 yr.	1000			1000
1	Dairy	Holstein Calf: 0-1 yr.		420		420
I	Beef	Beef Finishing: 8-24 mo.		950	1150	1150
1	Light Horses and Mules	Mule Mature		1100		1100
	Poultry Broiler	Broiler, large: 0-53 days		3.55		3.55
	User Entered Animal Type	*User Entered* Holstein Calves 0-4 mo.	+	200		200
-		*User Entered* Holstein Calves 0-4 mo.  "User Entered* Holstein Heifers 4-28 mo.  *User Entered* Llamas				

**6.6.** The animal groups can now be added to the manure groups. Below is an example of how the user added animal group will appear in Appendix 3 Printout.

Appendix 3 Manure	Appendix 3 Manure Group Information	Calves Fall Be	dded Pack	Heifer Fal	l Liquid	4H Anir	mals
Group Information Printed		Manure Generation per Animal Group	Uncollected Manure: Nutrient Analysis Book Values	Manure Generation per Animal Group	Uncollected Manure: Nutrient Analysis Book Values	Manure Generation per Animal Group	Uncollected Manure Nutrient Analysis Book Values
	Animal Group 1	Calves Fall		Heifers Fall	Heifers Fall - uncollected	Llamas	Llamas - uncollected
	Animal Type	*User Entered* Holstein Calves 0-4 mo.		*User Entered* Holstein Heifers 4-20 mo.	Total Nitrogen (N) lbs/ton	*User Entered* Llamas	Total Nitrogen (N) lbs/ton
	Animal Number	20		20	10.00	3	20.00
	Animal Weight	200 lbs	**************************************	697 lbs	Total Phosphate (P2O5) lbs/ton	350 lbs	Total Phosphate (P2O5) lbs/ton
	Animal Group AUs	4.00 AUs	1	13.94 AUs	3.00	1.05 AUs	3.90
	Animal Group AEUs	1.97 AEUs		6.87 AEUs	Total Potash (K2O) lbs/ton	0.52 AEUs	Total Potash (K2O) lbs/ton
	Daily Manure Production per AU	80.0 lb		6.9 gal	7.00	4.6 lb	20.80
	Total Days Manure Produced	180 days		180 days	PSC Value	180 days	PSC Value
	Total Manure Produced	28.80 tons		17,313.48 gal	0.80	0.43 tons	1_00
	Days On Pasture	0 days		180 days		180 days	
	Hours Per Day On Pasture	0 hrs		12 hrs		18 hrs	
	Total Bedding	1.00 tons		5,000.00 gal		0.50 tons	
	Total Washwater	0.00 tons		0.00 gal	The state of the s	0.00 tons	
	CALCULATED - Total Uncollected Manure Per Animal Group		Nonvicioni de la constanta de	8,656.74 gal	37.64 - Tons	0.33 tons	0.33 - Tons
	CALCULATED-Total Manure Collected Per Animal Group	29.80 tons	in the second se	13,656.74 gal		0.61 tons	entrapional property in the control of the control

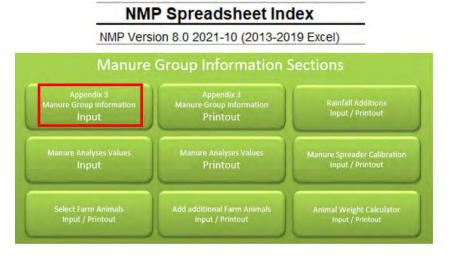
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#### **Purpose:**

This procedure describes how to complete the Manure Group Information Input sheet. The sheet is labeled Appendix 3 Input in the Excel NMP workbook. All of the Manure Group information is entered here. This particular worksheet requires data entry so it has a yellow colored sheet tab in the NMP workbook.

You can find it by looking for the hyper link in the NMP Spreadsheet Index



Or click on the Animal-Manure Information tab. Select the Manure Group Input icon that looks like this:



All the information to complete a Manure Group is entered in a single row.

A maximum of 16 Manure Groups can be entered. Each Manure Group can have a maximum of 6 Animal Groups.

If the farm has more than 16 manure groups or more than 6 animal groups in a manure group, then contact the SCC regional coordinator on a case by case basis and report in Appendix 10 how they were combined.

The following information entered in a single a row of Appendix 3 Input to complete a manure group.

- Manure Group Name
- Manure Group Analysis Results (This information is completed in the Manure Average Input worksheet and transferred here)
- Manure Group Site Description and Season Applied
- Inventory Method
- Exported Manure Amount
- Rainfall Additions (This information is completed in the Rainfall worksheet and transferred here)
- Animal Groups 1 6 Information

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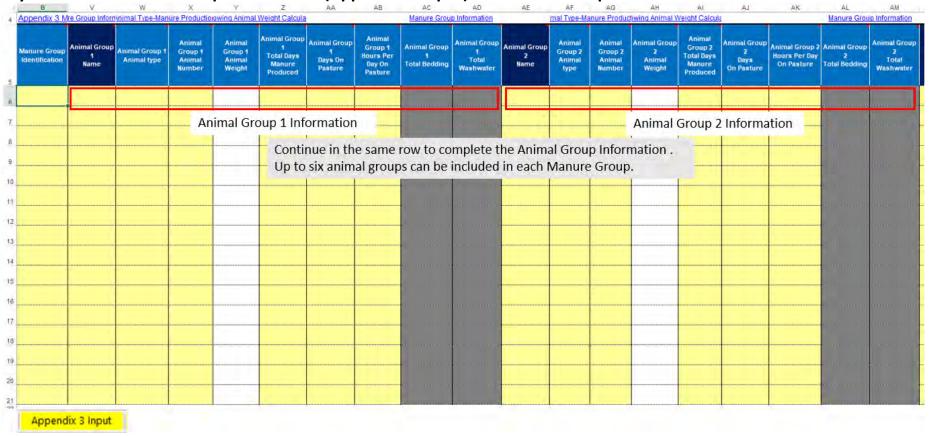
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# Layout of the Manure Group Information (Appendix 3 Input) sections up to the rainfall additions

							Total							RECORDS:					
Manure Group entification	Manure Report Bate (most recent)	Laboratory Name	Manure Type	Manure Unit (lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	Total Nitrogen (N) ibs / ton or ibs / tollogel	Ammonium N (NH4-N) lbs / ton or lbs / 1000 gal	Total Phosphate (P205) Ibs / ton or fbs / 1000 gai	Total Potash (K2G) ibs / ton or ibs / 1000 gal	Percent Solids	PSC Value (Enter analytical or book value)	Manure Group Site Description	Manure Group Season Applied	Inventory Method	Total Manure Collected Per Manure Group	Total Manure Collected Units	Manure Exported Amount	Manure Exported Units	Total Raintall and Runoff	Rain Uni
	All Inform	ation fo	or a M	lanure Gro	up is en	tered in a	single r	ow.										Rainfall Additions?	
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## Layout of the Manure Group Information (Appendix 3 Input) for Animal Groups 1 and 2

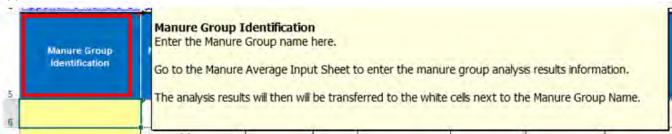


#### Below is a view of the entire Appendix 3 Input worksheet



The blue column headers cells have notes included to help you understand what needs to be entered or what the cell data is used for.

For example when you click in the blue column header "Manure Group Identification", the following pop-up box will appear:



In each row of the worksheet there are yellow, white, and grey cells.

- Yellow cells: are for data entry.
- White cells: contain information that's returned from a database look up. <u>Don't enter data into the white cells.</u>
- Grey cells: are conditionally formatted to turn yellow if you need to enter data. For example the "Records" column is grey. If you selected "Records" for the inventory method, the Records cell would change to yellow indicating you need to complete it. You can make a selection in a grey cell but if it's grey, you don't need to enter the information and it should be blank.

#### The App 3 Input is only used for data entry and is not printed for submission.

Once you complete the appropriate sections in a Manure Group row, the information is transferred to the printed Appendix 3 Manure Group Information worksheet that will be submitted for review and approval.

The printed Appendix 3 Manure Group Information worksheet is a grey colored tab in the workbook.

There is no data entry required in this worksheet since all information is transferred from the App 3 Input sheet.

You can click on the Printed Appendix 3 icon or scroll to the worksheet to review it.



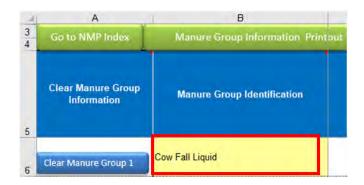
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#### 1. Procedure

#### 1.1. Select the "App 3 Input" worksheet tab

#### 1.2. Enter the Manure Group Name

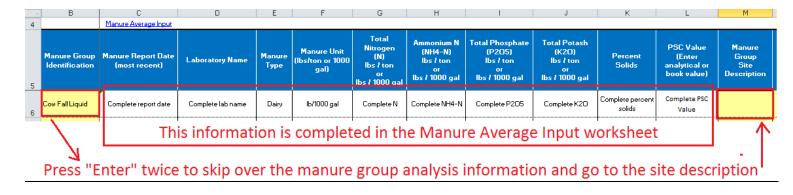
Enter a manure group name in the first available manure group cell.



After you type a name and press enter, the manure group analysis information cells will ask you to complete the information. This is completed in the Manure Average Input worksheet.

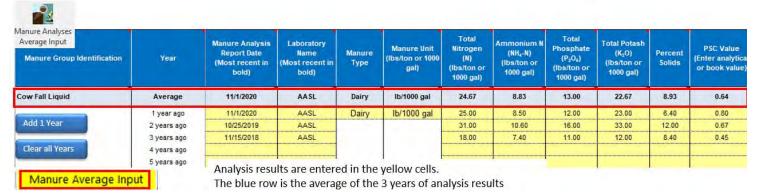
If you're not sure how to do this, read the guidance document: "How to complete the Manure Average Input worksheet".

If you have the manure analysis information and know how to enter it, then go the Manure Average Input page and complete it. If you want to add the information later, Press enter twice to jump over these cells and go to the next yellow cell which is the Manure Group Site Description.



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In this example, the manure group analysis results have been completed in the Manure Average Input Worksheet. The 3 years of analysis values were entered in the yellow cells listed below:



The average of the analysis results will be transferred to Appendix 3 Input worksheet

Manure Group Input Manure Group Identification	Manure Report Date (most recent)	Laboratory Name	Manure Type	Manure Unit (lbs/ton or lbs/1000 gal)	Total Nitrogen (N) lbs / ton or lbs / 1000 gal	Ammonium N (NH4-N) lbs / ton or lbs / 1000 gal	Total Phosphate (P2O5) Ibs/ton or Ibs/1000 gal	Total Potash (K2O) lbs / ton or lbs / 1000 gal	Percent Solids	PSC Value (Enter analytical or book value)
Cow Fall Liquid	11/1/2020	AASL	Dairy	lb/1000 gal	24.67	8.83	13.00	22.67	8.93	0.64

#### 1.3. Complete the Manure Group Site Description and Season Applied

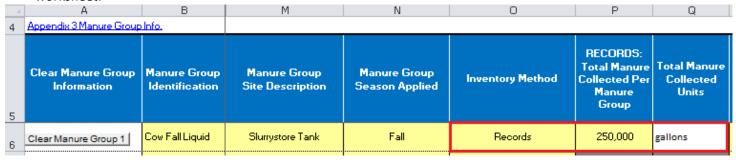
Enter the Site Description and Season Applied. These are separate entries.

	В	С	L	M	N		
4		Manure Average Input					
5	Manure Group Identification			Manure Group Site Description	Manure Group Season Applied		
6	Cow Fall Liquid	11/1/2015	0.64	Slurrystore Tank	Fall		

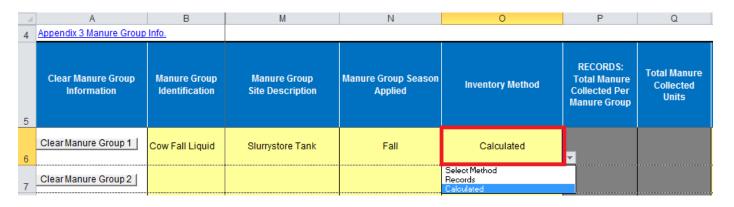
#### 1.4. Enter the Inventory Method

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If the Inventory Method selected is "Records", the total amount of collected manure based on the farmers records will be entered in the "Records" column, (the color will change from grey to yellow). The "Total Manure Collected Units" is automatically populated from the manure group information entered in the Manure Average Input worksheet.



If the Inventory Method selected is "Calculated", the total amount of manure collected in the manure group is automatically calculated based on the values listed in the "Animal Type-Manure Production Worksheet and are the values from the Penn State Agronomy Guide Table 1.2-13. The records and total manure collected units will be greyed out.



For this "How To" example, "Calculated" will be the selected Inventory Method for the rest of this example.

#### 1.5. Complete the Manure Exported Amount

If manure from a manure group is exported off the operation, list the amount of manure in each manure group that is exported off the operation. If no manure is exported enter a zero.

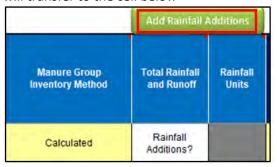
d	В	M	N	0	Р	Q	R
5	Manure Group Identification	Manure Group Site Description	Manure Group Season Applied	Inventory Method	RECORDS: Total Manure Collected Per Manure Group	Total Manure Collected Units	Manure Exported Amount
6	Cow Fall Liquid	Slurrystore Tank	Fall	Calculated			0

#### 1.6. Complete the Total Rainfall and Runoff

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If the "Calculated" inventory method was selected, use the Rainfall/Runoff worksheet if the manure group receives rain water either directly or from runoff. The link above will take you to the rainfall tab. The total rainfall amounts will transfer to the cell below



The rainfall worksheet is an optional worksheet. You may not need to complete it if the manure storage doesn't is a receive rain water or runoff water. If the manure group storage does receive rainfall directly on the storage or runoff from roofs an ACA then complete the rainfall worksheet.

The Rainfall Worksheet doesn't need to be completed for solid manure stacking areas.

Rainfall Additions Calculator			Rai	nfall W	orksh	eet				
Manure Group	County	Manure Storage Evaporation or No Evaporation	Surface Area Rainfall Directed to Manure Storage	Beginnin g Month (1-12)	Ending Month (1-12)	Storage Surface Area (Sq. fl.)	Runoff Surface Area (Sq. ft.)	Gallons of rainfall directly on storage	Gallons of rainfall directed to storage	Gallons of rain water added to this manure group
Cow Fall Liquid	Berks	Directly on Storage - With Evaporation	Directed to Storage	4	9	3,500	4,000	27,358	40,068	67,426

After the Rainfall worksheet is completed the rainfall additions are automatically transferred to Appendix 3 Input.

Clear Manure Group	Manure Group	Manure Group	Manure Group Season	Manure Group	Total Rainfall	Rainfall
Information	Identification	Site Description	Applied	Inventory Method	and Runoff	Units
Clear Manure Group 1	Cow Fall Liquid	SlurryStore Tank	Fall	Calculated	67,426	

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#### 1.7. Complete the Animal Group Information

#### 1.7.1. Animal Group 1 Name

All animal group names need be unique for each animal group. Even if it is the same group of animals. Make them unique by adding the season or some other unique identifier.

In the example below, a farm has a manure storage that is used to collect the manure from milk cows and is emptied and spread on the fields twice per year in the spring and fall.

The herd of milk cows would be the animal group contributing to the manure group. Each manure group would have the same milk cow's animal group. The difference would be the season when the manure group is applied

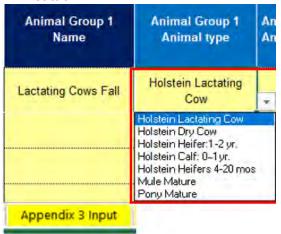


Make the animal group name unique for animal groups that will contribute manure to more than one manure group. For example, add the spring of fall designation for a group of milk cows that will have two manure groups that will be emptied in the spring and fall.

This is required when the animals are on pasture and uncollected manure will need to be allocated.

#### 1.7.2. Animal Group 1 - Animal Type

Select the animal type from the drop down list. This is a list of the animal types selected in the Farm Specific Animal List tab.



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If the Animal Type dropdown list is blank then go to the Farm Specific Animal List tab and select the animal that will be on the farm.



#### 1.7.3. Animal Group 1 - Animal Number

Include the average number of animals in each animal group on a typical production day for the agricultural operation.

Manure Group	Animal Group 1	Animal Group 1	Animal Group 1
Identification	Name	Animal type	Animal Number
Cow Fall Liquid	Milk Cows Fall	Holstein Lactating Cow	110

#### 1.7.4. Animal Group 1 - Animal Weight

The animal weight for this animal group will be automatically populated. Animal weights are populated automatically based on the animal type information completed in the Farm Specific Animal List.

Manure Group Identification	Manure Group Site Description	Manure Group Season Applied	Animal Group 1 Name	Animal Group 1 Animal type	Animal Group 1 Animal Number	The second secon
Cow Fall Liquid	Slurrystore Tank	Fall	Lactating Cows Fall	Holstein Lactating Cow	110	1450

#### 1.7.5. Animal Group 1 - Total Days Manure Produced

The number of days the animal group contributes manure to the manure group. For example, the lactating cows fall liquid manure group is collected for 6 months so that is 180 days.

Manure Group Identification	Animal Group 1 Name	Animal Group 1 Animal type	Animal Group 1 Animal Number		
Cow Fall Liquid	Lactating Cows Fall	Holstein Lactating Cow	110	1450	180

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#### 1.7.6. Animal Group 1 - Days on Pasture

If the animals contributing to a particular manure group are on pasture during the time frame of that manure group, the number of days on pasture during that period is entered. Enter a zero "0" if none. In the example below, the milk cows are on pasture for 180 days or the entire time the manure group is collected.

Manure Group Identification	Animal Group 1 Name	Animal Group 1 Animal type	Animal Group 1 Animal Number	Animal Group 1		Animal Group 1 Days On Pasture
Cow Fall Liquid	Lactating Cows Fall	Holstein Lactating Cow	110	1450	180	180
Appendix 3 Inpu	ıt				-	

#### 1.7.7. Animal Group 1 - Hours per Day on Pasture

If the animals contributing to a particular manure group are on pasture during the time frame of that manure group, the average number of hours per day on pasture during that period is entered. Enter a zero "0" if none. In the example the milk cows have unrestricted access to the pasture and are fed and watered at the barn so they are considered to be on pasture 12 hours per day.

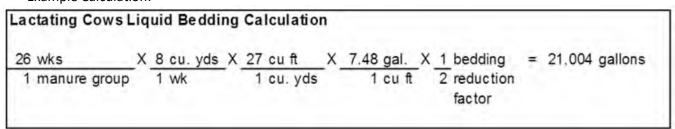
Manure Group Identification	Animal Group 1 Name	Animal Group 1 Animal type	Animal Group 1 Animal Number	Animal Group 1		Animal Group 1 Days On Pasture	Animal Group 1 Hours Per Day On Pasture
Cow Fall Liquid	Lactating Cows Fall	Holstein Lactating Cow	110	1450	180	180	12

#### 1.7.8. Animal Group 1 - Total Bedding

The amount of bedding used during the timeframe for this manure group. If none is added enter a Zero "0" If the inventory method is "Records then you don't need to enter the Total Bedding. The cell will be conditionally formatted toc be colored grey. (Grey Cell = no data entry needed).

The amount of bedding will be in the units of the manure analysis. Liquid manure storage bedding calculations will need to be converted to gallons.

**Example Calculation:** 



Manure Group Identification	Animal Group 1 Name	Animal Group 1 Animal type	Animal Group 1 Animal Number	Animal Group 1		Animal Group 1 Days On Pasture	Animal Group 1 Hours Per Day On Pasture	Animal Group 1 Total Bedding
Cow Fall Liquid	Lactating Cows Fall	Holstein Lactating Cow	110	1450	180	180	12	21,004.00
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#### 1.7.9. Animal Group 1 - Total Washwater

The amount of washwater or wastewater added to each manure group is entered. If none is added then enter a Zero "0". If the inventory method is "Records then you don't need to enter the Total Washwater. The cell will be conditionally formatted to grey. (Grey Cell = no data entry needed)

Example Calculation:

Milkhouse	W	aste	water Calcula	tion		
225 gallons milkhouse wastewater	X	180	days	=	40,500	gallons
1 day		1	manure group			manure group

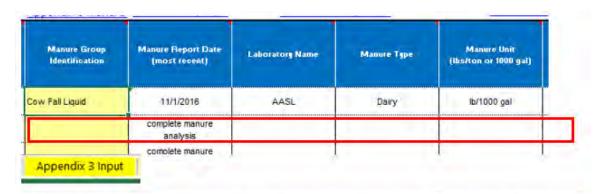
Cow Fall Liquid         Lactating Cows Fall         Holstein Lactating Cow         110         1450         180         180         12         21,004         40,500	Manure Group Identification	Animal Group 1 Name	Animal Group 1 Animal Number	Contract of the Contract of th	Animal Group 1 Total Days Manure Produced	Animal Group 1 Days On Pasture		Animal Group 1	Animal Group 1 Total Washwater
	Cow Fall Liquid	Lactating Cows Fall	 110	1450	180	180	12	21,004	40,500

#### 1.8. Complete any additional manure Animal Groups

Complete any additional animal groups that contribute to the manure group. Up to six animal groups can be added to the Manure Group.

Animal Group 1 Total Washwater	A STATE OF THE PARTY OF THE PAR			Animal Mainht	lotal llave	July	Animal Group 2 Hours Per Day On Pasture	Animal Group 2 Total Bedding	Animal Group 2 Total Washwater
40,500.00	Heifers Fall	Holstein Heifers 4- 20 mos	65	697	180	180	12	18,000.00	0.00
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Additional Manure Groups can be added in the 2<sup>nd</sup> row of App 3 Input



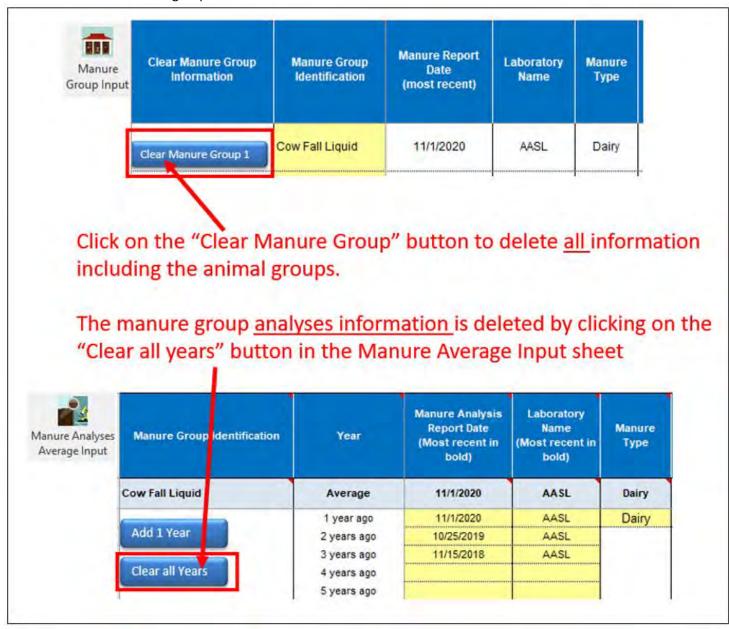
Add additional manure groups in the next available yellow row in App 3 Input as needed

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#### 2. Notes:

#### 2.1. How to delete a manure group and manure analyses information

If you need to start over and completely re-enter a manure group, there is a button to clear or delete all the information of a manure group.



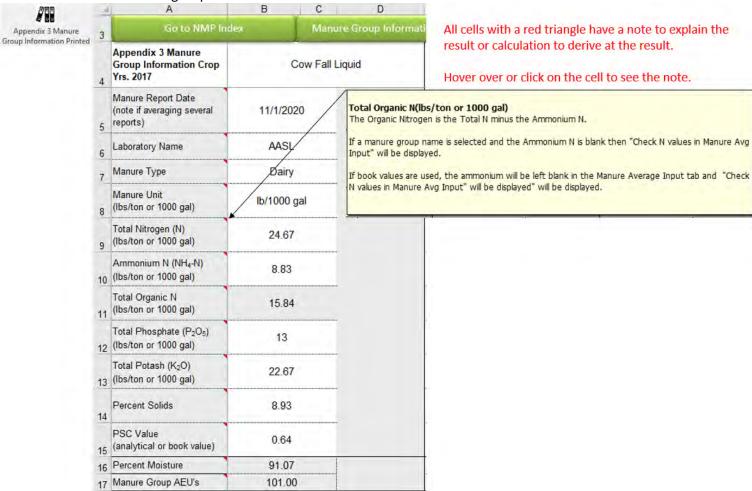
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#### 3. Overview of the Appendix 3 Manure Group Information printout

All results entered in the input sheets are transferred to the printout pages detailed below. They will be the pages submitted for review.

#### 3.1. Manure Group Analyses information

The manure analyses information is the first section listed, (Rows 4-17), and is the average for all years entered in the manure average input sheet.



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### 3.2. Manure Group Description, Manure amounts generated, allocated and balances.

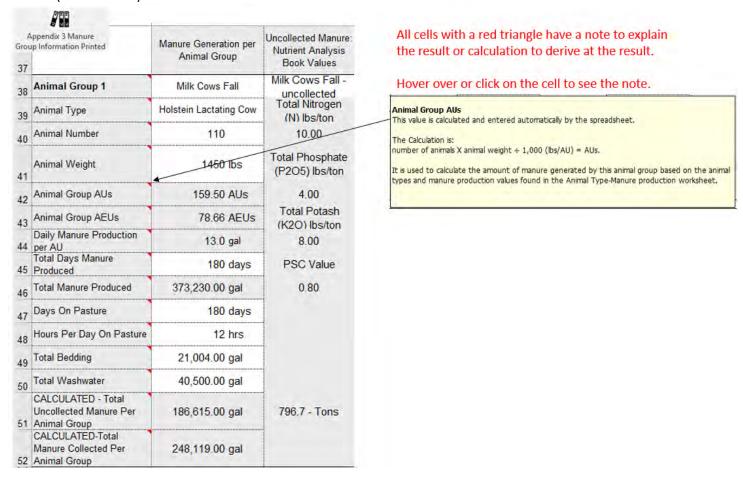
This section shows the total amount of manure generated, allocated and balances for all six animal groups with a manure group, (Rows 18-35). The total rainfall is listed as well

Appendix 3 Manure	18	Description: Site & Season Applied	SlurryStore Tank	Fall
iroup Information Printed	19	Inventory Method	Calculated	
	20		Collected Calc.	Uncollected Calc
	21	Manure Group Identification	Cow Fall Liquid	Cow Fall Liquid uncollected
	22	CALCULATED: Total Manure Collected Per Manure Group	340,675.4	919.0
	23	Units	gallons	Tons
		RECORDS: Total Manure Collected Per Manure Group Unit		
	26		Collected	Uncollected
	700	Manure Used On-Farm	55,000.0	0.0
	28	Units	Gallons	Tons
	-	Manure Exported	0.0	
		Units	gallons	
	31	Manure Allocation Balance	285,675.4	919.0
	32	Units	Gallons	Tons
	33	Manure Balance as a Percent of Total Manure Collected	83.9%	
	34	Total Rainfall and Runoff	67,426	
	35		Gallons	

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#### 3.3. Animal Group 1 Information

The remaining sections listed are the animal groups. Animal group 1 information section is shown below. (Rows 36 - 55)



Animal Groups 2 through 6 will appear directly below Animal Group 1 in the manure group

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3.4. Animal Groups 2 – 6 will appear below animal group 1, (Rows 53-132)

	54	Animal Group 2	Heifers Fall	Heifers Fall - uncollected		
Appendix 3 Manure Group Information Printed	55	Animal Type	*User Entered* Holstein Heifers 4-20 mos	Total Nitrogen (N) lbs/ton		
	56	Animal Number	65	10.00		
	57	Animal Weight	697 lbs	Total Phosphate (P2O5) lbs/ton		
	58	Animal Group AUs	45.31 AUs	3.00		
	59	Animal Group AEUs	22.34 AEUs	Total Potash (K2O) lbs/ton		
	60	Daily Manure Production per AU	6.9 gal	7.00		
		Total Days Manure Produced	180 days	PSC Value		
	62	Total Manure Produced	56,268.81 gal	0.80		
	63	Days On Pasture	180 days			
	64	Hours Per Day On Pasture	12 hrs			
	65	Total Bedding	18,000.00 gal			
	66	Total Washwater	0.00 gal			
	67	CALCULATED - Total Uncollected Manure Per Animal Group	28,134.41 gal	122.32 - Tons		
	68	CALCULATED-Total Manure Collected Per Animal Group	46,134.41 gal			
	70	Animal Group 3				

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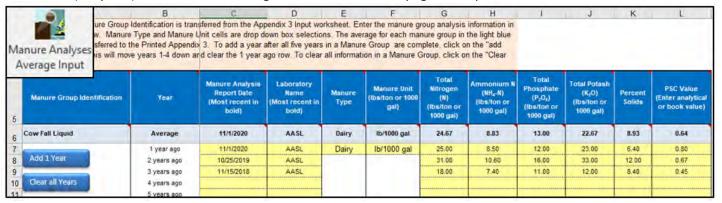
4. How the different worksheets that relate to the manure group are used in the Nutrient Management Plan.

#### 4.1.1. Appendix 3 Input

The <u>Appendix 3 Input</u> sheet information is automatically <u>transferred to</u> the <u>Appendix 3 Manure Group Information</u> Printed sheet (Grey Tab). The "Appendix 3 Manure Group Information Printed" sheet is the page that's printed for submission.

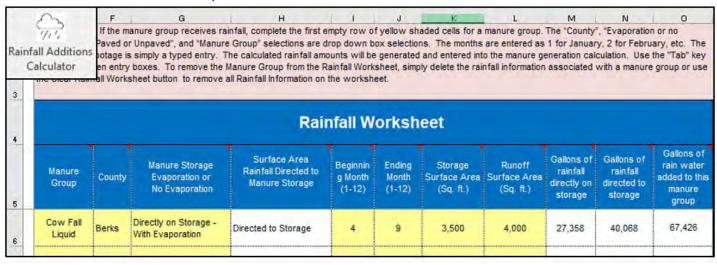
#### 4.1.2. Manure Analyses Average Input

The <u>Manure Analyses Average Input</u> sheet information is automatically <u>transferred to</u> the <u>Manure Analyses Printed</u> sheet (Grey Tab). The "Manure Average Printed" sheet is the page that's printed for submission.



#### 4.1.3. Rainfall sheet

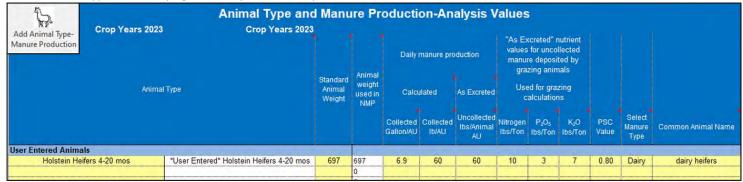
The Rainfall sheet is optional and only needed if the manure storage receives rainfall directly or runoff. It's where information is entered and is printed for submission.



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#### 4.1.4. Animal Type-Manure Production

The Animal Type Manure Production sheet is optional and only needed if an animal isn't currently listed in the Animal type list. The page is an input and is a printout for submission.



#### 4.1.5. Growing Animal Weight Calculator

The Animal Weight Calculator sheet is optional and only needed if you want to determine the weight of a growing animals. For example, it can be used to determine the weight of heifers growing from 4 months to 20 months. It's where information is entered and is printed for submission.

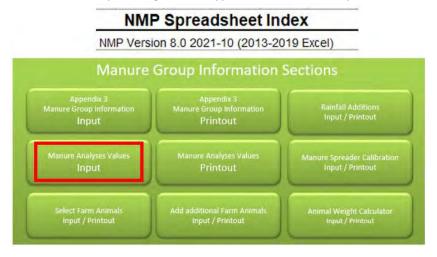
Growing Animal Weight Calculator Weight Calculator								
Beginning Age	Ending Age	Calculated average weight based on production age range						
4 Months	20 Months	697.00 lbs.						
	Beginning Age	Beginning Age Ending Age						

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#### Purpose:

This tutorial describes how to complete the Manure Analysis Average Input sheet. The sheet is labeled "Manure Average Input" in the Excel NMP workbook. All of the Manure Group analysis information is entered here.

You can find it by looking for the hyper link in the NMP Spreadsheet Index



Or just scroll through the toolbar ribbon at the top of your screen until you find it. The ribbon icon looks like this:



Once a Manure Groups name is entered in Appendix 3 Input that name will transfer here.

The analysis results for a manure group are entered in a set of 5 yellow shaded rows. The following manure analysis information is entered in the first row for the most recent analysis results.

- Name of Laboratory completing the analysis
- Manure Type (Select from a drop down list)
- Manure Units (lbs./ton or 1000 gal) (Select from a drop down list)
- Total Nitrogen (N) (lbs./ton or 1000 gal)
- Ammonium N (NH<sub>4</sub>-N) (lbs./ton or 1000 gal)
- Total Phosphate (P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>) (lbs./ton or 1000 gal)
- Total Potash (K2O) (lbs./ton or 1000 gal)
- Percent Solids
- PSC Value (Enter analytical or book value)

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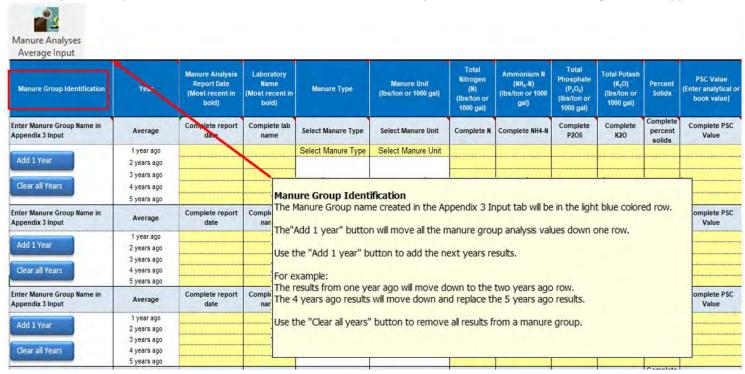
## **Layout of the Manure Analysis Average sheet**

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Enter Malure Group Name in Appendix 3 Input	Average	Complete report date	Complete lab name	Select Manure Type	Select Manure Unit	Complete N	Complete NH4-N	Complete P205	Complete K2O	percent solids	Complete PSC Value
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The blue column headers with red triangles have notes to help you understand what needs to be entered or what the cell data is used for.

For example, when you click in the blue column header "Manure Group Identification", the following note will appear:



In each row of the worksheet there are yellow, white, and grey cells.

- The light blue rows are the transferred manure group names and average values.
- Yellow cells: are for data entry.
- White cells are locked (the cursor will jump over them when entering data)

<u>The Manure Average Input is only used for data entry and is not printed for submission</u>. Once you complete the analysis information, the information is transferred to the printed Manure Analyses Average printout that will be submitted for review and approval. It is also transferred to the Appendix 3 Input sheet.

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#### 1. Procedure

#### 1.1. Enter the Manure Group Analysis Date

Enter the Manure Group Analysis Report Date for the most recent analysis in the first yellow row. available manure group cell.

#### 1.2. Enter the Laboratory Name

Enter the laboratory name that completed the manure analysis. If book values are used for N,  $P_2O_5$ , and  $K_2O$ , enter the book value information source in the Laboratory Name entry. For example, enter "PSU Agronomy Guide" for the Penn State Agronomy Guide.

#### 1.3. Select the Manure Type from the drop down list.

Select the Manure Type from the drop down list. It's better to select the name "Dairy" from the list versus typing it. If it's not spelled correctly or an extra space is entered then calculations won't work.

#### 1.4. Select the Manure Type from the drop down list.

Select the Manure Unit from the drop down list. . It's better to select the name "lb/1000 gal" from the list versus typing it. If it's not spelled correctly or an extra space is entered then calculations won't work.

#### 1.5. Enter the Total Nitrogen results from the manure analysis report.

Enter the Total Nitrogen results from the manure analysis report.

#### 1.6. Enter the Ammonium Nitrogen results from the manure analysis report.

- 1.7. Enter the total Phosphate results from the manure analysis report.
- 1.8. Enter the total Potash results from the manure analysis report.

#### 1.9. Enter the percent solids results from the manure analysis report.

Remember that for very liquid manures, less than 5 percent solids, the Nitrogen availability will be increased by 20% after one day for very liquid manures to account for soaking in on application when using Table 1.2-15(required for atypical manures).

#### 1.10. Enter the Phosphorous Source Coefficient (PSC) values from the manure analysis report or enter book values.

PSC Value (Enter analytical or book value)

Enter analysis results from manure report(s) or a select a book value from the dropdown list.

PSC book values:

Swine manure 1.0

Veal 1.0

Broiler, Layer, Turkey, Duck 0.8

Dairy - Liquid or Bedded Pack 0.8

Other (Beef, Horse, Sheep, Goat) 0.8

Biosolids

**BPR Biosolids 0.8** 

All biosolids (except BPR) 0.4

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#### 1.11. Enter any additional years of analysis results, (up to five years)

In this example, Three years of analysis values were entered in the yellow cells listed below. Remember the light blue row with the manure group name is the average of the values entered. They are the Nitrogen and Phosphorous value used to determine the manure application rates on crops.

Manure Group Identification	Year	Manure Analysis Report Date (Most recent in bold)	Laboratory Name (Most recent i bold)	П Manure Type	Manure Unit (lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	Total Nitrogen (N) (Ibs/ton or 1000 gal)	Ammonium N (NH <sub>4</sub> -N) (lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	Total Phosphate (P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>6</sub> ) (lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	Total Potash (K <sub>2</sub> O) (Ibs/ton or 1000 gal)	Percent Solids	PSC Value (Enter analytical or book value)
Cow Fall Liquid	Average	11/1/2020	AASL	Dairy	lb/1000 gal	24.67	8.83	13.00	22.67	8.93	0,64
	1 year ago	11/1/2020	AASL	Dairy	lb/1000 gal	25.00	8.50	12.00	23.00	6.40	0.80
Add 1 Year	2 years ago	10/25/2019	AASL			31.00	10,60	16.00	33.00	12.00	0.67
	3 years ago	11/15/2018	AASL			18.00	7.40	11.00	12.00	8.40	0.45
Remember the Manure Group name is transferred from Appendix 3 Input page	years ago	Enter the manure report date and la		Select the manure t reporting units from	ype and manure the drop-down list	Enter t	he manure ana	lyses value	s and PSC va	lue	

#### 1.12. To add additional analysis results click on the "Add 1 year" button

To add additional analysis results click on the "Add 1 year" button. Finally, in year 6, the year 5 analysis results will be discarded and replaced with the year 4 results.

Manure Group Identification	Year	Manure Analysis Report Date (Most recent in bold)	Laboratory Name (Most recent in bold)	Manure Type	Manure Unit (Ibsiton or 1000 gal)	Total Nitrogen (N) (Ibs/ton or 1000 gal)	Ammonium N (NH <sub>4</sub> -N) (Ibs/ton or 1000 gal)	Total Phosphate (P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>6</sub> ) (Ibs/ton or 1000 gal)	Total Potash (K <sub>2</sub> O) (Ibs/ton or 1000 gal)	Percent Solids	PSC Value (Enter analytical of book value)
Cow Fall Liquid	Average	11/1/2020	AASL	Dairy	lb/1000 gal	24.67	8.83	13.00	22,67	8.93	0,64
	1 year ago	11/1/2020	AASL	Dairy	lb/1000 gal	25.00	8.50	12.00	23.00	6.40	0.80
Add 1 Year	2 years ago	10/25/2019	AASL			31.00	10.60	16.00	33.00	12.00	0.67
	3 years ago	11/15/2018	AASL			18.00	7.40	11.00	12.00	8.40	0.45
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	5 years ago										
				ne Year button to	o add the most recen	t analyses v	alues.				
Manure Group Identification	Year		All the results v			Total Nitrogen (N) (lbs/ton or	Ammonium N (NH <sub>4</sub> -N) (lbs/ton or 1000	Total Phosphate (P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>6</sub> ) (lbs/ton or	Total Potash (K <sub>2</sub> O) (lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	Percent Solids	PSC Value (Enter analytical book value)
		Manure Analysis Report Data (Most recent in bold)	All the results v	vill move down o	Manure Unit (ibs/ton or 1000 gal)	Total Nitrogen (N) (lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	Ammonium N (NH <sub>4</sub> -N) (lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	Phosphate (P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>6</sub> ) (lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	(K₂O) (Ibs/ton or 1000 gal)	Solids	(Enter analytical book value)
	Year	Manure Analysis Report Data (Most record in	All the results v	vill move down o	ne row  Manure Unit	Total Nitrogen (N) (lbs/ton or	Ammonium N (NH <sub>4</sub> -N) (lbs/ton or 1000	Phosphate (P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>6</sub> ) (lbs/ton or	(K₂O) (lbs/ton or		(Enter analytical
w Fall Liquid		Manure Analysis Report Dat (Most recent in bold) Complete report	Laboratory Name (Most recent in bold) Complete lab	vill move down o	Manure Unit (ibs/ton or 1000 gal)	Total Nitrogen (N) (lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	Ammonium N (NH <sub>4</sub> -N) (lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	Phosphate (P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>6</sub> ) (lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	(K₂O) (Ibs/ton or 1000 gal)	Solids	(Enter analytical book value)
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ow Fall Liquid Add 1 Year	Average  1 year ago 2 years ago 3 years ago	Manure Analys a Report Dat / (Most recynt in bold)  Complete report date  11/1/2020 10/25/2019	Laboratory Name (Most recent in bold)  Complete lab name	vill move down o  Manure Type  Dairy	Manure Unit (ibs/ton or 1000 gal)	Total Nitrogen (N) (libs/ton or 1000 gal) 24.67	Ammonium N (NH <sub>2</sub> -N) (lbs/ton or 1000 gal) 8.83	Phosphate (P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>6</sub> ) (ibs/ton or 1000 gal) 13.00 12.00 16.00	(K <sub>2</sub> O) (Ibe/fon or 1000 gal) 22.67 23.00 33.00	8,93 6,40 12,00	(Enter analytical of book value)  0.64  0.80 0.67
ow Fall Liquid	Average 1 year ago 2 years ago	Manure Analys a Report bate (Most recent in bold) Complete report date	Laboratory Name (Most recent in bold)  Complete lab name	vill move down o  Manure Type  Dairy	Manure Unit (ibs/ton or 1000 gal)	Total Nitrogen (N) (Ibs/ton or 1000 gal) 24.67	Ammonium N (NH <sub>4</sub> -N) (lbs/ton or 1000 gal) 8.83	Phosphate (P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>6</sub> ) (ibs/ton or 1000 gal) 13.00	(K <sub>2</sub> O) (Ibe/ton or 1000 gal) 22.67	8,93 6,40	(Enter analytical book value)  0.64

#### 1.13. To clear all analysis results click on the "Clear all years" button

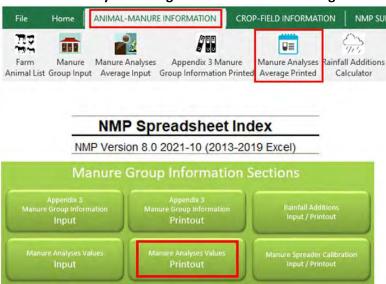
To clear all analysis results click on the "Clear all years" button. For example, if the farmer changes the storage system.

Manure Group Identification	Year	Manure Analysis Report Date (Most recent in bold)	Laboratory Name (Most recent in bold)	Малиге Туре	Manure Unit (lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	Total Nitrogen (N) (lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	Ammonium N (NH <sub>4</sub> -N) (Ibs/ton or 1000 gal)	Total Phosphate (P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>6</sub> ) (lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	Total Potash (K <sub>2</sub> O) (lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	Percent Solids	PSC Value (Enter analytical o book value)
Cow Fall Liquid	Average	11/1/2020	AASL	Dairy	lb/1000 gal	24.67	8.83	13.00	22.67	8.93	0.64
	1 year ago	11/1/2020	AASL	Dairy	lb/1000 gal	25.00	8.50	12.00	23.00	6.40	0.80
Add 1 Year	2 years ago	10/25/2019	AASL			31.00	10.60	16.00	33.00	12.00	0,67
	3 years ago	11/15/2018	AASL			18.00	7.40	11.00	12.00	8.40	0.45

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#### 2. Notes

2.1. The manure analyses average rsults can be found using the NMP Index or the toolbar ribbon.

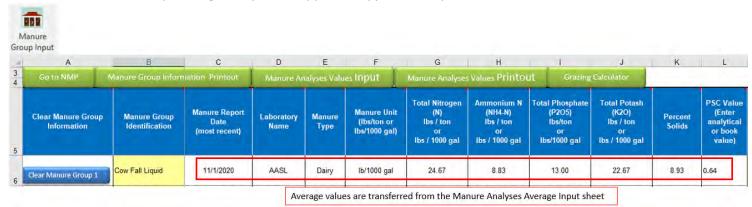


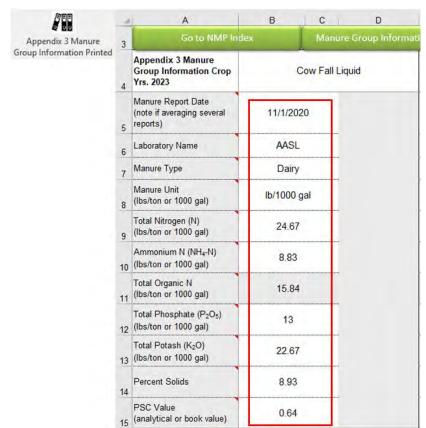
2.2. The Manure 5-year Running Average printout will look like this. This is the printout for submission.

n=		Manure	Analysis 5 Yea	ar Running A	verage		
	Manure Average for Crop			Cow Fall	Liquid		
nure Analyses	Years. 2023	Average	1 year ago	2 years ago	3 years ago	4 years ago	5 years ago
erage Printed	Manure Report Date	Nov 01 2020	Nov 01 2020	Oct 25 2019	Nov 15 2018		
	Laboratory Name	AASL	AASL	AASL	AASL		
	Manure Type	Dairy	Dairy	Dairy	Dairy		
	Manure Unit (lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	lb/1000 gal	lb/1000 gal	lb/1000 gal	lb/1000 gal		
	Total Nitrogen (N) (lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	24.67	25.00	31.00	18.00		
	Ammonium N (NH <sub>4</sub> -N) (lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	8.83	8.50	10.60	7.40		
	Total Organic N (lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	15.84	16.50	20.40	10.60		
	Total Phosphate (P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> ) (lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	13.00	12.00	16.00	11.00		
	Total Potash (K <sub>2</sub> O) (lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	22.67	23.00	33.00	12.00		
	Percent Solids	8.93	6.40	12.00	8.40		
	PSC Value (Enter analytical or book value)	0.64	0.80	0.67	0,45		

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2.3. The Manure Group Average analysis will appear in Appendix 3 Input





**2.4.** The Manure Group Average analysis will appear in the Printed Appendix 3 Manure Group Information

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### **Purpose and Overview:**

This procedure describes how to complete the Farm Crop List Input sheet for a Nutrient Management Plan (NMP). All crops grown on the farm for are selected here. The crops listed in this table are from the Penn State Agricultural Analytical Services Laboratory (AASL) soil test recommendations for agronomic crops database.

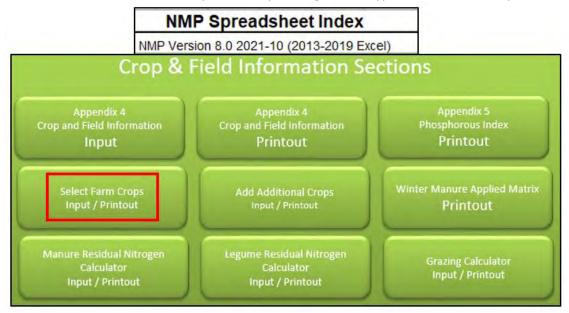
Begin in the first row of yellow shaded cells by selecting the Crop Group from the drop-down list in the Crop Group column. Next select the crop from the Crop Name column. Repeat the process in the next blank yellow row until all crops grown on the farm are selected. The selected crops will be listed in the Crop drop-down box in Appendix 4 Input.

**To add crops not listed go to the Crop List Options tab** and enter the required crop information. Return to the Create Farm Crop List tab and select "User Entered Crops" for the Crop Group. The added crop will be available for selection in the Crop Name column.

To clear a row – Select the Crop Group cell next to the crop to be removed and press the delete key or use the clear contents command. This will clear all information selected in that row. To clear the entire table, select all the Crop Group input cells that are populated and press the delete key.

This particular worksheet requires data entry so it has a yellow colored sheet tab in the NMP workbook.

You can find the Create Farm Crop List tab by looking for the hyper link in the NMP Spreadsheet Index



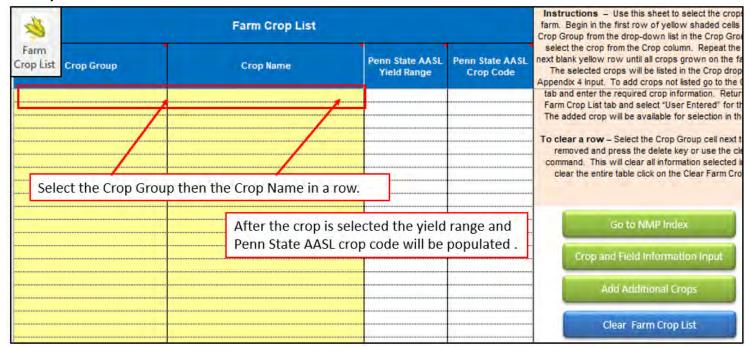
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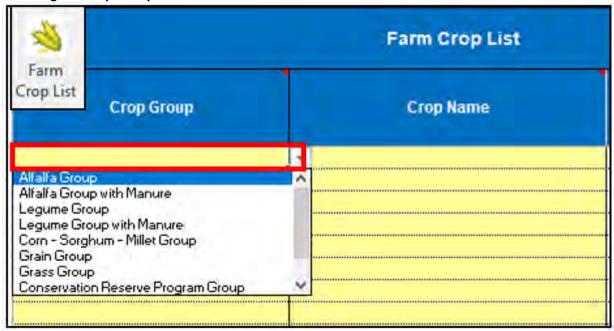
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### 1. Layout and Use of the Create Farm Crop List Tab

#### 1.1. Layout of the worksheet and overview



#### 1.2. Selecting the Crop Group



Select the crop group from the drop-down list. Most crop groups are the same as those listed on a Penn State AASL form. There are two additional groups, "Alfalfa Group with Manure" and "Legume Group with Manure" are used when manure will be applied to a legume crop.

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Any crop not listed can be added in the Crop List Options tab then select "User Entered" as the Crop Group. The newly added crop will be available for selection. Additional directions for this option are found below in section 1.7. Legumes with manure would need to be selected when applying manure to a legume. This will assign a nitrogen removal rate for the legume with manure.

Below is the list of Crop Groups from the AASL Sample Submission Form for Agronomic Crops.

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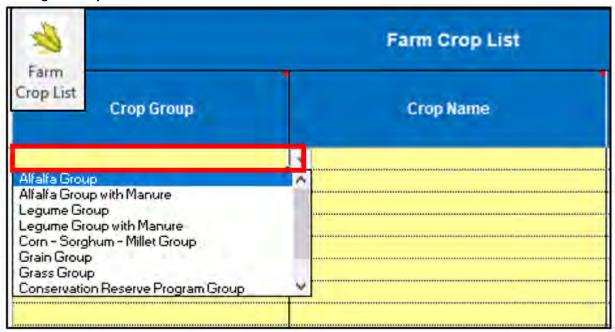
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1020	Planting Alfalfa	2-6 Ton/A	1042	Com for Grain	110-270 Bu/A
1023	Planting Alfalfa (no-till)	2-6 Ton/A	1044	Com for Grain (no-till)	110-270 Bu/A
1035	Planting Alfalfa in Oats	2-6 Ton/A	1043	Com for Silage	17-38 Ton/A
1032	Planting Alfalfa in Wheat	2-6 Ton/A	1045	Com for Silage (no-till)	17-38 Ton/A
1022	Planting Alfalfa-Trefoil	2-6 Ton/A	1057	Sorghum for Grain	90-170 Bu/A
1021	Planting Alfalfa-Grass	2-6 Ton/A	1063	Sorghum for Forage	15-31 Ton/A
1001	Established Alfalfa	4-8 Ton/A	1048	Millet for Grain	30-70 Bu/A
1072	Established Alfalfa-Grass	4-8 Ton/A	1049	Millet for Forage	2-6 Ton/A
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1030	Planting Crownvetch	2.5-4 Ton/A	1038	Planting Bluegrass	1-2 Ton/A
1031	Planting Crownvetch (no till)	2.5-4 Ton/A	1039	Planting Bromegrass	1-5 Ton/A
1029	Planting Ladino Clover	2.4 Ton/A	1062	Planting Mixed Grasses	1-5 Ton/A
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1027	Planting Red Clover	2-4 Ton/A	1040	Planting Orchardgrass	1-5 Ton/A
1028	Planting Red Clover (no-till)	2-4 Ton/A	1085	Planting Reed Canarygrass	1-5 Ton/A
1037	Planting Red Clover in Oats	2-4 Ton/A	1041	Planting Timothy	1-5 Ton/A
1034	Planting Red Clover in Wheat	2-4 Ton/A	1075	Planting Tall Fescue	1-5 Ton/A
073	Planting Red Clover-Grass	2-4 Ton/A	1077	Planting Warm Season Grasses	1-4 Ton/A
1024	Planting Trefoil	1-3 Ton/A	1010	Established Bluegrass	1-4 Ton/A
1026	Planting Trefoil (no-till)	1-3 Ton/A	1016	Established Bromegrass	3-7 Ton/A
1036	Planting Trefoil in Oats	1-3 Ton/A	1019	Established Mixed Grasses	3-7 Ton/A
1033	Planting Trefoil in Wheat	1-3 Ton/A	1017	Established Orchardgrass	3-7 Ton/A
1025	Planting Trefoil-Grass	2-4 Ton/A	1086	Established Reed Canarygrass	3-7 Ton/A
1011	Established Crownvetch	2.5-4 Ton/A	1018	Established Timothy	3-7 Ton/A
1014	Established Ladino Clover	2-6 Ton/A	1076	Established Tall Fescue	3-7 Ton/A
1015	Established Red Clover	2-6 Ton/A	1078	Established Warm Season Grasses	3-7 Ton/A
1074	Established Red Clover-Grass	2-6 Ton/A	1066	Sudangrass	1-5 Ton/A
1005	Established Trefoil	2-6 Ton/A	1067	Sorghum-Sudangrass	15-27 Ton/A
1006	Established Trefoil-Grass	2-6 Ton/A	1080	Renovating Pasture (with legume)	2-4 Ton/A
GRAIN GRO	UP	200 200 200	1081	Established Pasture (without legume)	2-4 Ton/A
1068	Spring Barley	60-100 Bu/A	1082	Established Pasture (with legume)	2-4 Ton/A
1060	Winter Barley	50-130 Bu/A	1083	Planting Pasture (without legume)	2-4 Ton A
1069	Buckwheat	30-70 Bu/A	1084	Planting Pasture (with legume)	2-4 Ton A
1059	Oats	60-120 Bu/A	CONSERVAT	TION RESERVE PROGRAM	
1061	Rye	50-90 Bu/A	1054	CRP Cool Season Grasses	
1064	Soybeans	40-80 Bu/A	1053	CRP Warm Season Grasses	
1071	Sunflowers	10-30 CWT/A	MISCELLAN		67431
1058	Wheat	40-120 Bu/A	1079	Brassicas	2-6 Ton/A
1012	Canola	30-80 Bu/A	1800	Disturbed Lands	
1013	Spelt	70-150 Bu/A	1055	Horticultural Cover Crop	
1050	Barley/Soybean Double Crop	50-130 Bu/A	1065	Tobacco	1-1.5 Ton/A
1051	Small Grain Silage	4-12 T/A	1056	Wildlife Food Plot	1-1.5 TOWA
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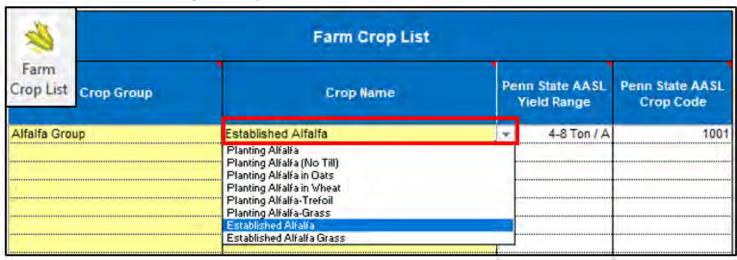
#### 1.3. Selecting the Crop Name



The crops available for selection are based on the Crop Group. Select the crop from the drop-down list. The crop groups and crops can be found on the back of a Penn State AASL Agronomic Crop submission form.

Any crop not listed can be added in the Crop List Options tab then select "User Entered Crops" as the Crop Group. Additional directions for this option are found below in section 1.7. The newly added crop will be available for selection.

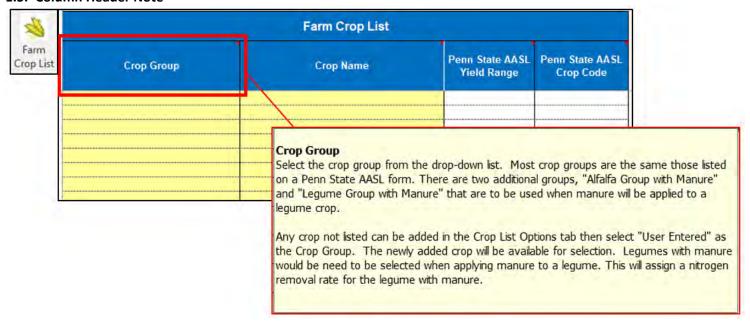
#### 1.4. Penn State AASL Yield Range and Crop Code



The crop yield range is the range where you will get a nutrient recommendation based on a soil test result. Values outside the range will need to have User Recommendations assigned. The Penn State AASL Crops Code is displayed for convenience but not used in the calculations.

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#### 1.5. Column Header Note



The blue column headers cells with red triangles have notes included to help you understand what needs to be entered or what the cell data is used for. Where you see a red triangle in the cell, there is a note to help explain what should be entered in that column. For example when you click in the Crop Group column header the following message above will appear:

#### 1.6. Selected crops will be available for selection in Appendix 4 Input tab

Crops Selected in the Create Farm Crops List can be selected from the dropdown list in App 4 Input when completing field planning scenarios



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#### 1.7. Adding Crops not available in the list

Crops not already available for selection in the Farm Crop List can be entered in the Crops List Options Tab. Click on the Add Additional Crops button to go to that page.



In the Crops List Options Tab, begin in the first available yellow row. Crops entered here will be available in the User Entered Crop Group in the Farm Crop List Tab. Print this optional worksheet if you use it.

User Entered Crop – Enter the crop name. Triticale was entered as an example below

**Yield Units** – Enter the yield units. For a crop with a recommendation for the entire crop with no yield enter "Per Crop".

**Crop P Removal Rate** – Enter a value. This will be used to determine a crop phosphorous removal rate used in the P Index calculations.

**Winter Crop** – A winter crop is a crop planted in the fall and harvested in the spring. The "Winter Crop" designation will appropriately assign the Nitrogen availability when using the N fractions method, Table 1.2-15 in the Agronomy Guide.

**Legume** – Select if a user entered crop is a legume. This will affect the Legume Nitrogen carryover history. Legumes don't receive a legume credit. This will affect the supplemental nitrogen fertilizer. Legumes don't need additional nitrogen fertilizer.

**Perennial** – The perennial designation will appropriately assign the Nitrogen availability when using the N fractions method, Table 1.2-15 in the Agronomy Guide.

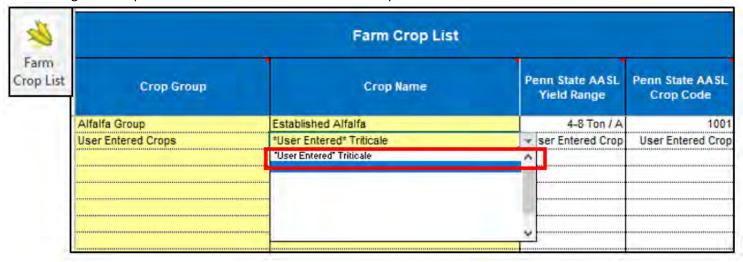
**Summer Annual** – A summer annual crop user utilizes the full growing season. Summer annual crops utilize nitrogen during the warmer months and receive a carryover legume nitrogen credit.



#### 1.7.1. Selecting a User Entered Crop.

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A crop entered in the Crop List Options tab can be selected using the "User Entered Crops" Crop Group. A yield range and crop code won't be listed for user entered crops.



#### 1.8. Revising the Create Farm Specific Crop list

Additional crops can be added at any time. The order of crops in App 4 Input will be the same order as they are selected in the Farm Crop List.

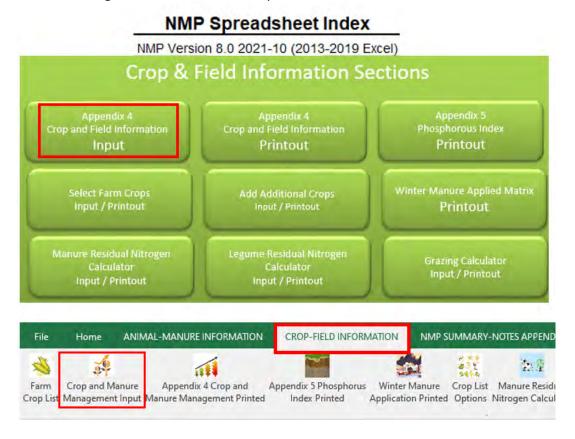
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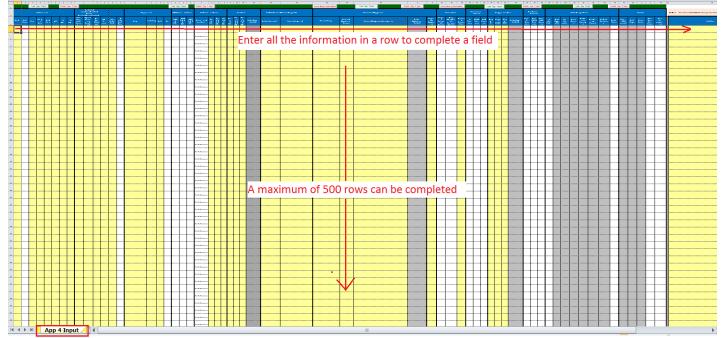
This procedure describes the process to complete the App Input, (Appendix 4 Crop & Manure Management), Worksheet. All of the field or Crop Management Unit, (CMU), information is entered in one row including the Phosphorous Index, and Winter Manure Application Matrix information.

Look for a navigation button in the NMP Spreadsheet or a toolbar ribbon icon that looks like the screenshot below:



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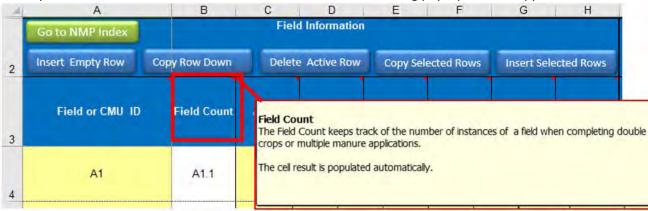
Each field contains the following sections within a row of the App 4 Input worksheet.

- Field Information
- P Index Part A Questions
- Crop Information
- Soil Test Recommendations
- Starter Fertilizer
- Residual and Carryover Nitrogen
- Manure Application Information
- Manure Rate
- Balance after Manure
- Supplemental Fertilizer
- Final Nutrient Balance
- P Index Information
- Winter Matrix Information
- Field Notes

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Within Each section are individual columns where information is entered or transferred. The blue column headers with red triangles cells have helpful pop up notes included to help you understand what needs to be entered or what the cell data is used for.

When you click in the blue column header "Field Count", the following pop-up box will appear:



In each row of the worksheet there are yellow, white, and grey cells.

- Yellow cells: are for data entry.
- White cells: contain information that's returned from a database look up. <u>Don't enter data into the white cells.</u>
- Grey cells: are conditionally formatted to turn yellow <u>if you need to enter data</u>. For example if you entered a starter P fertilizer and it's a P index field you will need to make a selection for the P Index Application Method. You can make a selection in a grey cell but if it's grey, you don't need to enter the information and it should be blank.

<u>The App 4 Input is only used for data entry and is not printed for submission</u>. Once you complete the appropriate sections in a field row the information is transferred to the printed worksheets that will be submitted for review and approval. The printed worksheets automatically populated from the App 4 Input sheet are:

- Appendix 4 Crop and Manure Mgmt.
- Appendix 5 P Index
- Winter Application Matrix

They can be elected in the toolbar ribbon using the following icons.

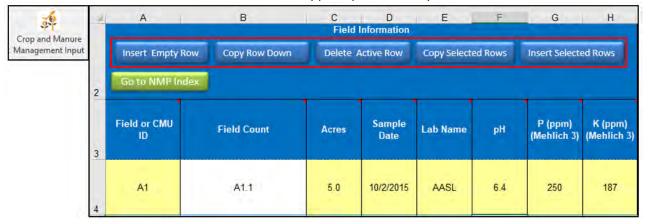
There is no data entry required in these worksheets since all information is transferred from the App 4 Input sheet.



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This guide only describes how to complete a single field within the App 4 Input sheet. For guidance on how to complete multiple applications of manure on a field or a double crop scenario, there are two separate guidance documents.

There are buttons in the Field Information section of App 4 Input to modify the rows.



Clicking on the buttons will perform the following functions:

- Add an empty row below the active or selected row.

- Copy the selected row down below the active row.

- Delete Active Row - Delete the selected row.

Copy Selected Rows

- Copy a group of contiguous rows. (used to copy an existing multiple or double crop scenario).

A dialog box will alert you that the rows were successfully copied.

- Paste a group of contiguous rows above the active row <u>after</u> the paste the Copied Selected Rows button was used. The currently copied selected rows can be pasted many times without re-selecting the rows again. For example, a double crop with multiple manure applications can be selected then pasted many times without reselecting the rows.

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#### 1. Procedure

#### 1.1. Enter the CMU of Field ID.

Avoid special characters like: . @ & # as they may interfere with the calculations.

The field count cell is used to keep track of multiple applications and double crops. You don't need to enter anything here. (Remember a white cell is a formula cell and no data entry is needed.)

- Enter the Field or CMU acres
- Enter the Soil Sample Date
- Enter the Soil Testing Lab Name
- Enter the soil test pH result
- Enter the soil test P result in ppm. (Make sure the soil test P lab result was reported in Mehlich 3 soil test values ppm P)
- Enter the soil test K result in ppm.

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Field or CMU	ID	Field Count	Acres	Sample Date	Lab Na	me	рН	P (ppm) (Mehlich	K (ppm) 3) (Mehlich 3)
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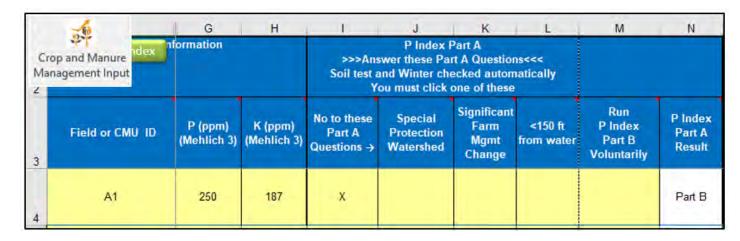
#### 1.2. Complete the P Index Part A Questions Section

**1.2..1.** Review the P Index questions: Special Protection Watershed, Significant Farm Management Change, and <150 feet from water. Place an "X" if they apply to the field. You can select an "X" using the drop down box or enter an "X". If none of the Part B questions apply you must place an X in the "No to All Part A Questions" cell. This acknowledges you reviewed this section and none of the Part A questions apply.

The soil test P and Winter Application Part B test is checked automatically. Completing the winter matrix is discussed in Section 1.13.

The P Index Part A result cell will return an answer based on your selections to the questions. In the example below No to all part A questions is checked but the P Index Part A result is "Part B" because the soil test is greater than 200ppm.

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There is an option to run the P Index voluntarily if none of the Part A questions apply. Place an X in the "Run P Index Part B" column and the field will be included in the P Index.

In the example below, the soil test was less than 200ppm P and none of the Part A questions apply. The "Run P Index Part B" column was selected and the P Index Part A result will state "Part B".

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	p and Manure agement Input	formation		Soil test	P Index I swer these Pa and Winter ch ou must click	rt A Question ecked autom	atically		
3	Field or CMU ID	P (ppm) (Mehlich 3)	K (ppm) (Mehlich 3)	No to these Part A Questions →	Special Protection Watershed	Significant Farm Mgmt Change	<150 ft from water	Run P index Part B Voluntarily	P Index Part A Result
4	A1	185	187	Х					N Based

Remember you can click in the blue column headers to get a pop-up note to help you complete the selections.

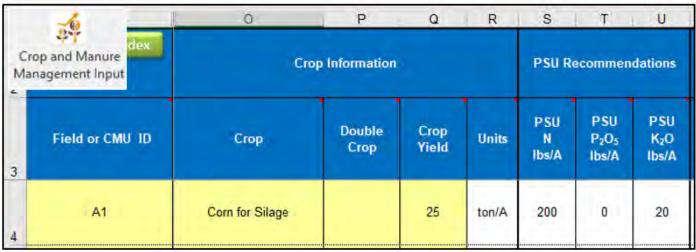
#### 1.3. Complete the Crop Information Section

- **1.3..1. Crop:** Select the crop from the drop down list. This cell is a drop down list of farm specific crops. To make a farm specific crop list go to the "Create Farm Crops List worksheet" and select the crops that are planned to be planted. All of the crops in the AASL Soil Test Recommendations for Agronomic Crops are listed here. If the crop isn't in the list you can add a crop in the Crop Lists Option worksheet. After you select the crop the worksheet will assign the appropriate crop units. For example if you select corn silage then the crop unit of ton/A will be assigned.
- **1.3..2. Double Crop:** This example is only a single crop in a crop year so it will be left blank. If a double crop was planned for this field then either "Winter crop in a double crop" or "Summer crop in a double crop" would be selected. Remember a winter crop always needs to be completed first before a summer crop in a double crop scenario.

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- **1.3..3. Yield:** Enter the expected crop yield. After you select the crop and yield the worksheet will assign the appropriate crop units. For example if you select corn silage then the crop unit of ton/A will be assigned.
- 1.4. Review the Crop PSU and User Recommendations Section.
- **1.4..1.** The crop and yield information is used to look up the recommendations based on the soil test results in the AASL Soil Test Recommendations for Agronomic Crops.

For example, if a field had a soil test result of 250ppm P and 187 ppm K and you entered corn silage @ 25 ton/A you would get the example below:



Regulations require that recommendations that are "similar" to AASL recommendations. However, the regulations do allow other recommendations. These alternative recommendations can be entered in the User N, User P, and User K columns as lbs. N, P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>, and K<sub>2</sub>O/A. If User Recommendations are entered, these will be used for the calculations in the plan. Leave the User Recommendations blank to use the AASL recommendations. If you enter zeros for the User Recommendations then any N, P205, K20 applied will be calculated as excess and give a negative nutrient balance after manure. Even if User Recommendations are entered and used in the calculations, the AASL recommendations will be displayed in the plan printout for comparison in the review process. If you enter a yield that's outside the range listed in the AASL Soil Test Recommendations for Agronomic Crops an asterisk \* will be in the PSU recommendation cells. You will need to enter user recommendations in the cells provided. You may also need to enter user recommendations for crops that are not in the AASL Recommendations for Agronomic Crops list.

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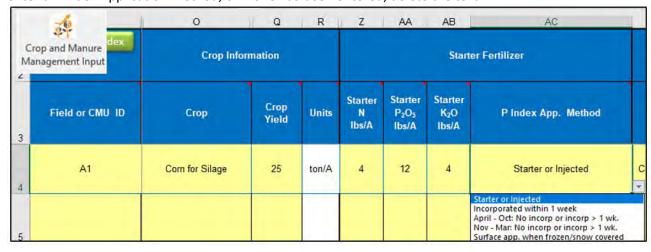
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3	Field or CMU ID	Crop	Crop Yield	Units	PSU N Ibs/A	PSU P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> Ibs/A	PSU K₂O Ibs/A	Recommendation Note	User N Ibs/A	User P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> Ibs/A	User K <sub>2</sub> O Ibs/A
4	A1	Corn for Silage	39	ton/A	*	*	*	Yield out of range. Enter user rec>			

#### 1.5. Enter the Starter or Other Fertilizer

**1.5..1.** Enter a value for the starter (or other fertilizer. Planned for application regardless of manure or supplemental fertilizer to be applied.

The starter fertilizer must be listed in the first instance of a field when completing multiple manure applications or double crops.

If there is no starter applied enter a zero "0" in each of the cells or the spreadsheet won't calculate properly when working on a plan that's been transferred from a Version 4.x plan. If the field is a P Index "Part B" field and a value is entered for the P fertilizer then the P Index application method cell will change from grey to yellow requiring you to select an application method. If you don't enter a starter P fertilizer and you select an application method the factor will appear in the P index but there will be no lbs. of P fertilizer associated with it. This can be confusing to reviewers when you have a lot of applications. If the P index application method cell is grey do not enter a P Index Application Method, or if one has been entered, delete the text.



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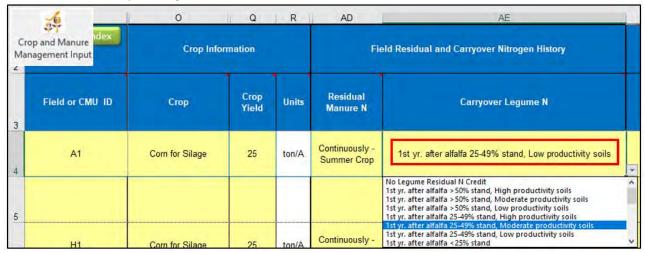
#### 1.6. Complete the Residual and Carryover Nitrogen

**1.6..1. Residual Manure N -** Select the residual manure description that best fits the field history. These are the residual manure histories found in Agronomy Guide Table 1.2-14 B

	4	0	Q	R	AD	AE
	op and Manure nagement Input	Crop Info	rmation		Field Residual and Carryo	ver Nitrogen History
3	Field or CMU ID	Crop	Crop Yield	Units	Residual Manure N	Carryover Legume N
4	A1	Corn for Silage	25	ton/A	Continuously - Summer Crop	No Legume Residual N Credit
5					Frequently - Summer Crop Frequently - Winter Crop Frequently - Winter Double Crop Frequently - Summer Double Crop Continuously - Summer Crop	
	H1	Corn for Silage	25	ton/A	Continuously - Winter Crop Continuously - Winter Double Crop Continuously - Summer Double Crop	Soybeans, 45 bu/A

**1.6..2.** Carryover Legume N - Select the previous legume history description that best fits the field history. These are the previous legume categories found in Agronomy Guide Table 1.2-6. If the previous year's crop wasn't a legume it's recommended that you select "No previous Legume". If this was a winter double crop and the previous crop was a legume it's suggested to select "Legume Residual N Credited to Summer Crop". (Remember the legume residual gets credited to the summer crop in a double crop).

Legume residual nitrogen is only credited to summer annual crops. Crops considered a "Summer Annual" that will receive the legume residual credit are listed in the Crop List Option Tab in the spreadsheet. The cell will be yellow if the crop is a summer annual. The cell will be shaded green if the crop IS NOT a summer annual. Legume crops do not receive a carryover legume N credit.



Remember you can click in the blue column headers to get a pop-up note to help you complete the selections.

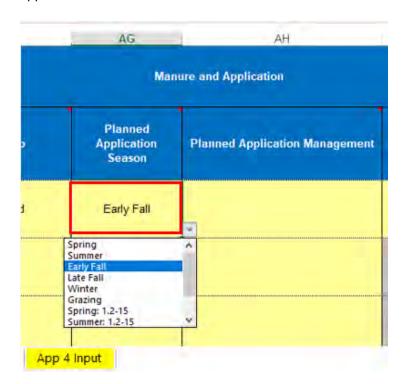
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#### 1.7. Complete the Manure Application Information

1.7..1. Manure Group - Select the Manure Group to be applied to the field. There is a pop up box button called "Manure Group & Manure Balance" above the Manure group header. After it opens it will display the manure groups and amounts available for allocation. If you have not created any manure groups yet, go to the Appendix 3 Input worksheet and enter the manure group Information. Select the manure group from the drop down box in the yellow cell and not in the pop up box associated with the "Manure Group & Manure Balance" Button. If no manure is to be applied then leave this cell blank and "No Manure Applied" will display in the printed Appendix 4 Crop & Manure Management Section.



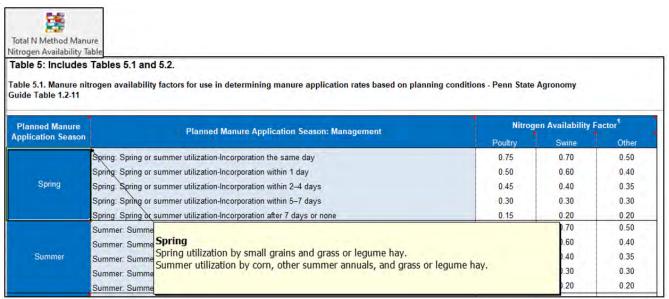
**1.7..2. Planned Application Season -**. Select the Planned Application Season from the drop down list. If no manure is applied leave it blank



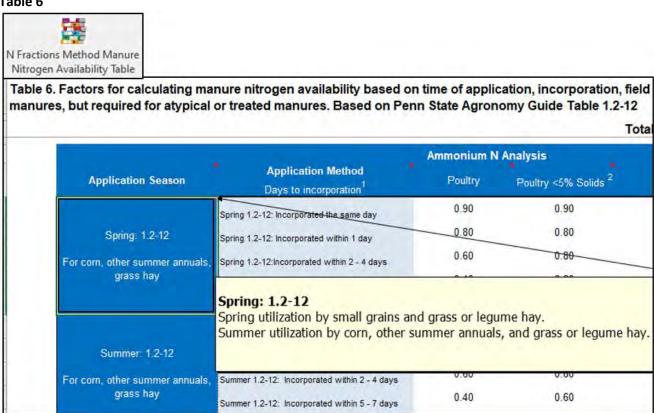
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The Planned Application Season values are from Tables 5, (Agronomy Guide Table 1.2-11), and Table 6, (Agronomy Guide Table 1.2-12) in the spreadsheet. If you need further clarification of the selections, Tables 5 and 6 have pop up messages in the Planned Application Season boxes

#### Table 5

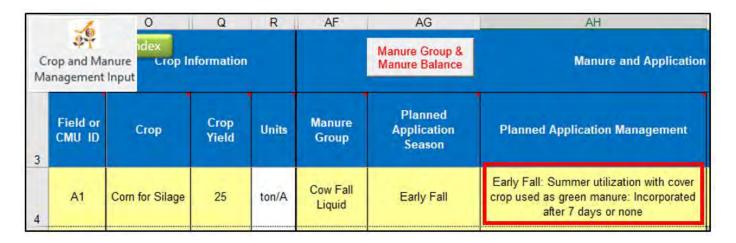


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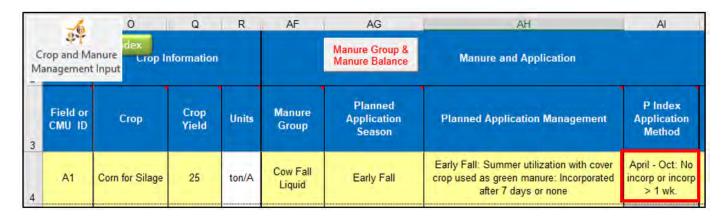


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**1.7..3.** Planned Application Management - The Planned Application Management categories are dependent on the Season selected, if the season is changed, the method must be re-selected. If no manure is applied leave it blank. The Planned Application Management values are from Tables 5,(Agronomy Guide Table 1.2-11), and Table 6, (Agronomy Guide Table 1.2-12) in the spreadsheet.



**1.7..4. P Index Application Method** - Select the P Index Application Method if applicable. If the field is a P Index "Part B" field and a manure group is selected then the P Index Application Method cell will change from grey to yellow indicating requiring you to select a manure application method.



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**1.7..5. Multiple Designations:** When you are only applying one application of manure leave this cell blank.

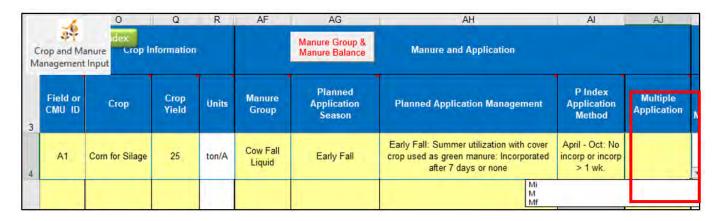
Complete the Multiple Application. This cell has a drop down list consisting of the following selections and their meanings.

Mi = Multiple Initial. This would be the first application in a multiple manure application on a crop

M = Multiple. This is any intermediate multiple application. Not the final application of manure. There may be more than 1 intermediate multiple applications.

Mf = Multiple Final. This is the final application of manure on a crop.

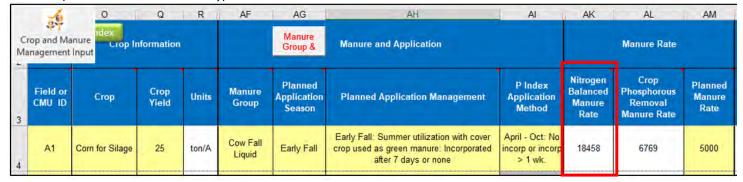
For the multiple applications to properly accounted for, the multiple applications must be planned in order i.e. Mi planned first and Mf planned last, and any intermediate multiples in between and in order of the initial and final applications.



#### 1.8. Manure Rate Section

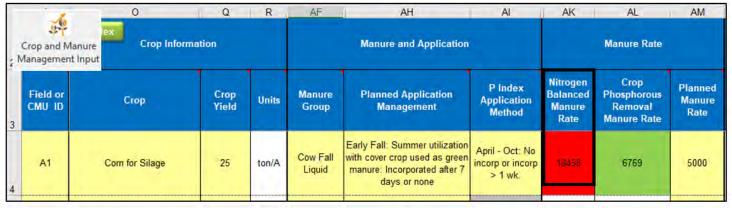
There are three cells in this section. Nitrogen, (N), balanced manure rate outlined in red, Crop P removal manure rate, and Planned Manure Rate. (yellow data entry cell)

**1.8..1. Nitrogen Balanced Manure Rate:** This is the amount manure that would be needed to meet the crop nitrogen needs based on the selected manure group, planned application season, and planned application management. (White cells =no data entry)

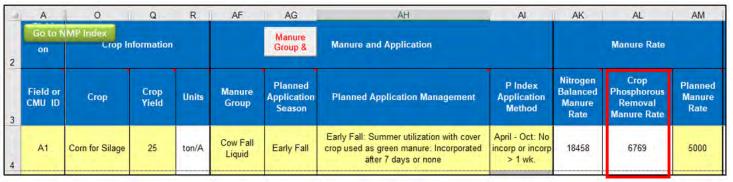


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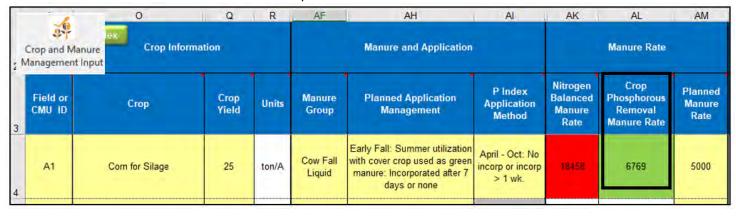
The Nitrogen Balanced Manure Rate: cell color will change to red <u>If</u> the field is a P Index Part B field <u>And</u> has a P index score greater than 80. (The P Index transport factors and a manure application rate need to be completed to get P Index Score. If no manure is applied than enter a zero in the "Planned Manure Rate" column.)



**1.8..2.** Crop Phosphorous Removal Manure Rate: This is the amount of manure that will replace the P removed from the field by the crops accounting for all other P applied (White cells =no data entry)

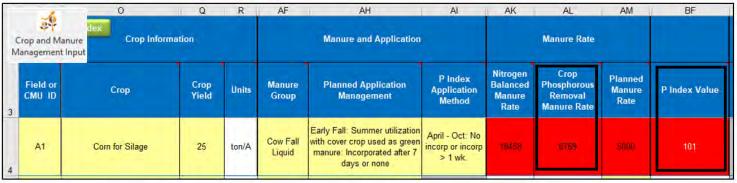


The cell color will change to green if it's a P Index Part B field <u>And</u> has a P index score greater than 80 but less than 100 which limits all P to no more than crop removal.

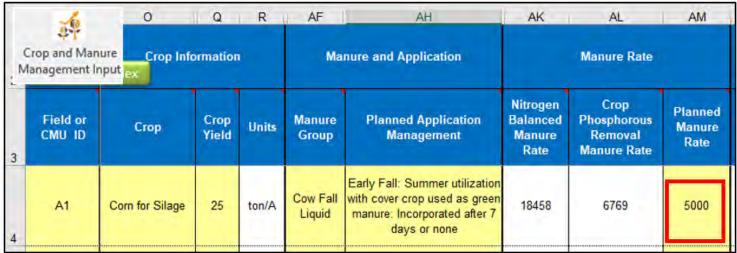


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The Phosphorous Removal Manure Rate cell color will change to red if it's a P Index Part B field And has a P index score greater than 100 which means no P may be applied.



**1.8..3. Planned Manure Rate** - Enter the planned manure rate. If no manure is to be applied than enter a Zero. This will display as "No Manure Applied" in the NMP Summary for the field Planned Manure Rate.



Color Coding for the planned manure rate:

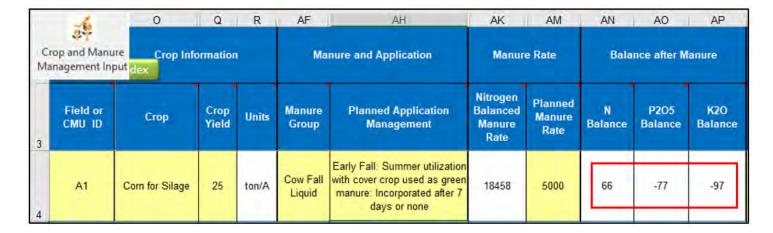
The Planned Manure Rate cell color will change to red for one of the following reasons:

- The nitrogen balance after manure is negative which means excess N would be applied at the planned rate.
- It's P Index Part B field <u>and</u> the P Index is incomplete.
- The P index score is greater than 80 and planned rate is greater than P removal rate.
- The P index score is greater than 100.

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#### 1.9. Balance after Manure Section

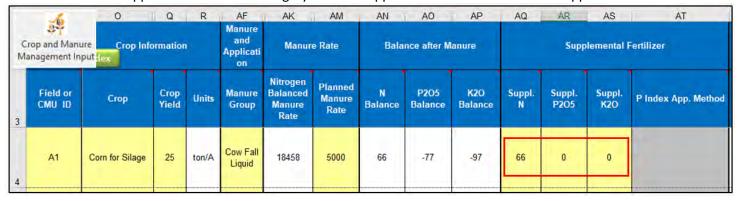
This is the nutrient balance after manure. A positive number indicates additional nutrients are required. A negative number indicates an excess nutrient balance. (White cells =no data entry).



#### 1.10. Supplemental Fertilizer

Enter any supplemental fertilizer values here. <u>If there is no supplemental fertilizer applied enter a zero "0" in each of the cells or the spreadsheet won't calculate properly when working on a plan that's been transferred from a Version 4.x plan.</u>

The P Index Application Method cell is greyed out if supplemental P blank or zero. If Supplemental P is e



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If it's a legume with manure applied the Supplemental N cell will be greyed out. This is an instance where a value would be entered in a grey cell. If <u>no supplemental fertilizer applied</u>, this entry should be zero for a legume because it won't calculate properly when working on a plan that's been transferred from a Version 4.x plan.

If it's a part B field and supplemental Phosphorous is applied, the P Index Application method cell will be yellow and an application method will need to be selected. If the cell is grey, there should not be a selection in the cell. In the screenshot below no supplemental Phosphorous was applied so the P Index Application Method is greyed out indicating no data entry is needed.

Cr	rop and Manu anagement In	ore Crop Inf	ormation		Manure and Application	Manur	e Rate			Suppleme	ental Fertilizer
	Field or CMU ID	Crop	Crop Yield	Units	Manure Group	Nitrogen Balanced Manure Rate	Planned Manure Rate	Suppl. N	Suppl. P2O5	Suppl. K2O	P Index App. Method
	A1	Established Alfalfa with Manure	5	ton/A	Cow Fall Liquid	42799	5000	0	10	0	
											Select Method Starter or Injected Incorporated within 1 week April - Oct: No incorp or incorp > 1 wk
-											Surface app, when frozen/snow cover

#### 1.11. Final Nutrient Balance

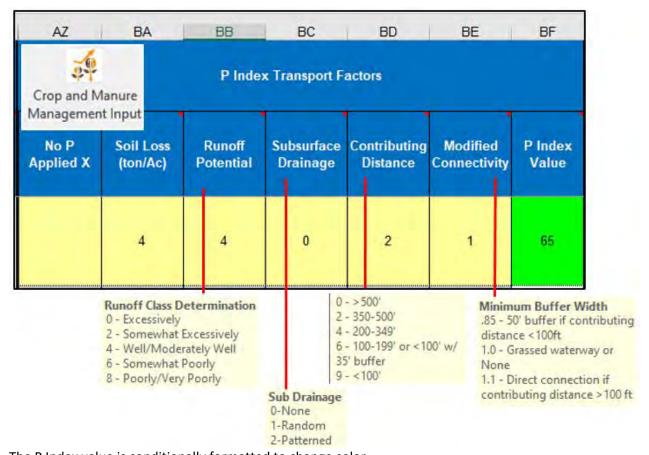
The final nutrient balances for N,  $P_2O_5$ , and  $K_2O$  are calculated values. (White cells =no data entry). The "Final N Balance" can never be negative.

		Manure op		R	AF Manur	AH e and Application	AK Manur	AM e Rate	AQ Supple	AR mental F	AS ertilizer	AV Final I	AW Nutrient B	AX alance
3	Field or CMU ID	Crop	Crop Yield	Units	Manure Group	Planned Application Management	Nitrogen Balanced Manure Rate	Planned Manure Rate	Suppl. N	Suppl. P205	Suppl. K2O	Final N Balance	Final P2O5 Balance	Final K2O Balance
4	A1	Corn for Silage	25	ton/A	Cow Fall Liquid	Early Fall: Summer utilization with cover crop used as green manure: Incorporated after 7 days or none	18458	5000	66	0	0	0	-77	-97

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### 1.12. P Index Transport Factors

The P Index value will state PI Incomplete until you enter the transport factors. Complete the P index transport factors. The soil loss is a typed entry. The others transport factors have a note to remind you of the selections and are drop down box selections or you can enter them by typing the number. Transport factors can be copied and pasted from other fields as well



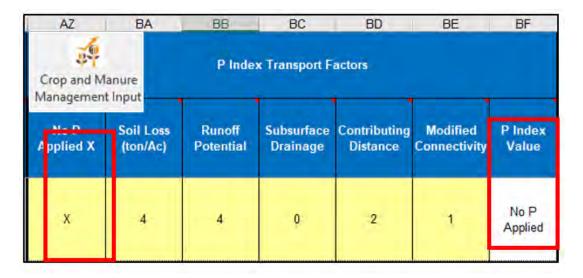
The P Index value is conditionally formatted to change color.

Low: 59 or less	Nitrogen based management
Medium: 60 to 79	Nitrogen based management
High: 80 to 99	Phosphorus limited to crop removal
Very High: 100 or greater	No Phosphorus applied

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If a field is a Part B field but a management decision has been made that that no Phosphorous will be applied then place an X in the "No P Applied" cell. The P Index Value will state "No P Applied"

If you previously entered a starter or supplemental phosphorous rate you need to go back and manually delete the entries. Any manure application rate will need to be deleted as well.

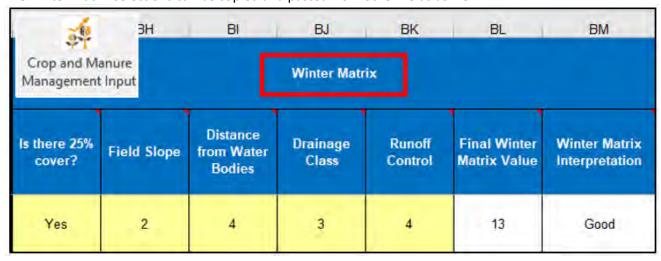


#### 1.13. Winter Matrix

The winter matrix cells will be greyed out unless the manure application season selected was "Winter" or "Winter:1.2-12". Once "Winter" or "Winter: 1.2-12" is selected as the application season, the field will appear in the Printed Winter Manure Application Matrix and the winter matrix cells will turn yellow indicating they need to be completed.

Complete the Winter Matrix if the cells are yellow. Enter the appropriate cell information. The question "Is there 25% cover?" is a drop down selection. If you select No the winter matrix evaluation will state "Not Allowed". The Field slope and Runoff Control cells have a note to remind you of the selections and are drop down box selections or you can enter them by typing the number.

The winter matrix selections can be copied and pasted from other fields as well.



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#### 1.14. Field Notes

Enter field notes directly in the yellow cell. They can be copied and pasted to other fields or CMU's if needed.

	Crop and lanageme		AK Manur	AM e Rate	AQ Supple	AR mental Fo	AS ertilizer	AV Final N	AW Nutrient B		BO User Note - Enter notes directly for each Field/CMU here. Note that are repeated can be copied from one CMU and pasted
3	Field or CMU ID	Manure Group	Nitrogen Balanced Manure Rate	Planned Manure Rate	Suppl. N	Suppl. P2O5	Suppl. K2O	Final N Balance	Final P2O5 Balance	Final K2O Balance	Field Notes
4	A1	Cow Fall Liquid	18458	5000	66	0	0	0	-77		Maintain a 100 foot manure application setback from the neighboring well.

#### 2. Notes:

- **2.1.** The App 4 Input sheet information is transferred automatically to the following printed pages:
  - Appendix 4 Crop & Manure Management Printout.
  - Appendix 5 P Index Printout.
  - Winter Application Matrix Printout.
- **2.2.** The information is not automatically transferred to:
  - Nutrient Management Plan Summary (Yellow Tab)
  - NMP Summary Notes (Grey Tab)

There is a button on the NMP Summary page to transfer the information from the App 4 Input to the <u>NMP Summary and NMP Summary Notes</u>.

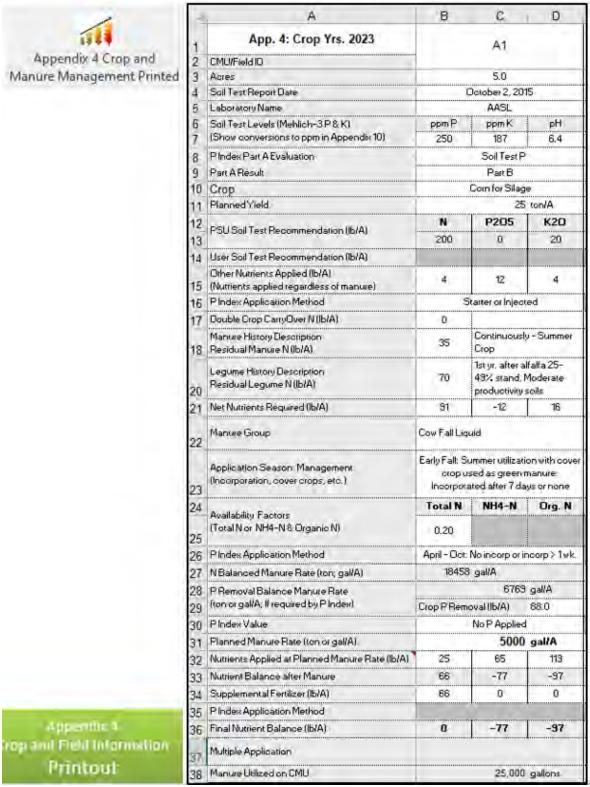
**2.3.** A maximum of 500 rows or field replicates can be completed in Appendix 4 Input. The following message will appear in the field count column if you exceed the 500 row limit.

Field or CMU ID	Field Count	Acres	Sample Date	Lab Name
Field 500	Field 500.1	9.6	9/5/2021	AASL
Field 501	Exceeds 500 field limit. Do not enter data in this row	11.5	9/5/2021	AASL

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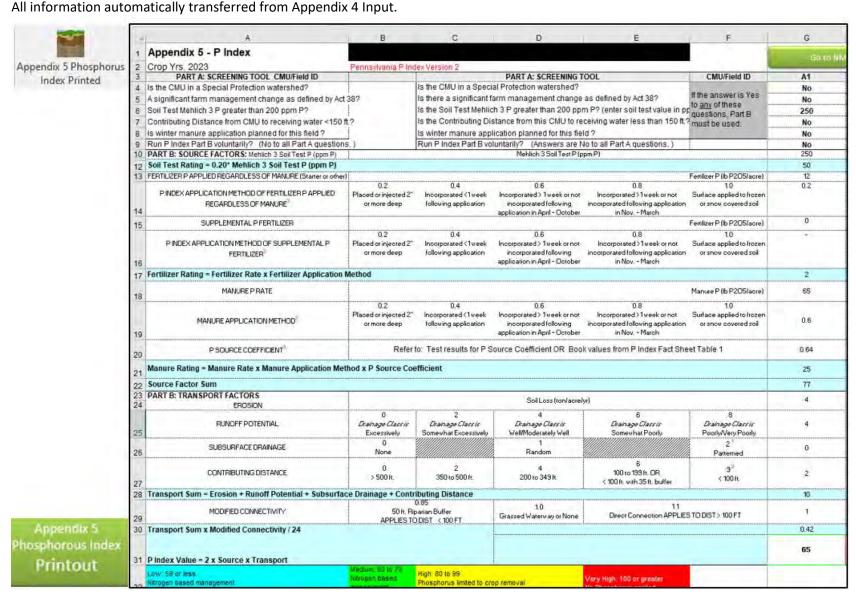
## 2.4. How the field will appear in the Printed Appendix 4 Crop & Manure Management Section after completing it in App 4 Input

All information is automatically transferred from Appendix 4 Input.



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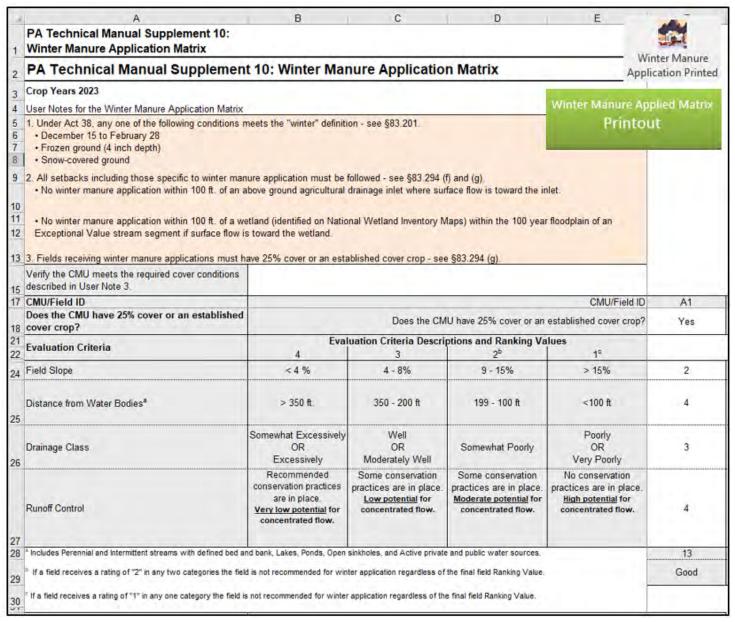
## 2.5. How the field will appear in the Printed Appendix 5 P Index after completing App 4 Input



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#### 2.6. How a field will appear in the Printed Winter Matrix

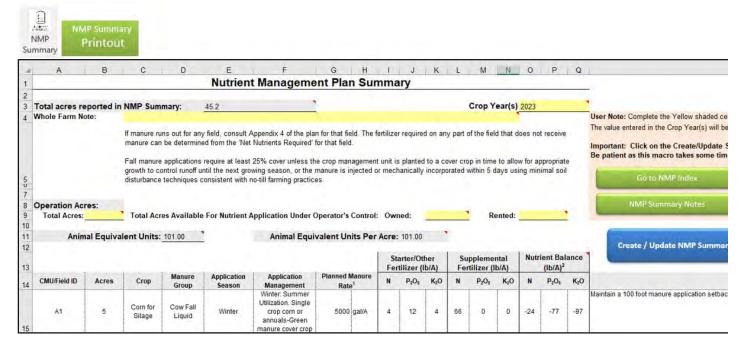
A field would need to have "Winter" or "Winter 1.2-12" as the application season to be automatically transferred into the Winter Application Matrix. All information is automatically transferred from Appendix 4 Input.



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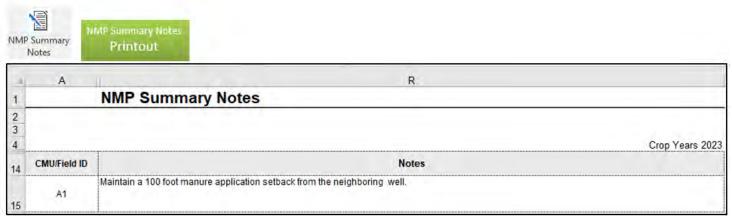
#### 2.7. How the field appears in the NMP Summary

Important Note: All information is transferred from Appendix 4 Input <u>after clicking on the Create/Update Summary Button</u> on the NMP Summary Page.



#### 2.8. How the field appears in the NMP Summary Notes

Important Note: All information is transferred from Appendix 4 Input <u>after clicking on the Create/Update Summary Button</u> on the NMP Summary Page.



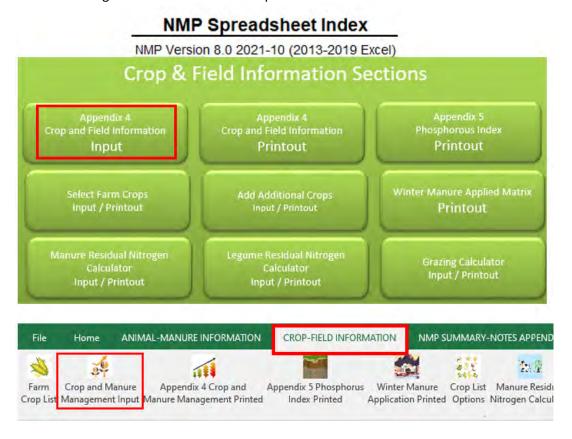
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This procedure describes how to complete multiple manure applications on a crop during a crop year in Appendix 4 Crop and Field Input worksheet. If you have not yet completed a field in Appendix 4 Input and need help, then please refer to the guidance document: How to Complete App 4 Input.

This is a worksheet that requires data entry worksheet tab in the NMP workbook. worksheet in the NMP Index.

Look for a navigation button in the NMP Spreadsheet or a toolbar ribbon icon that looks like the screenshot below:



#### **Multiple Manure Application Limitations**

## Nitrogen based planning

The maximum number of multiples or replicates is limited to <u>ten replicates for nitrogen based planning</u>. This could be ten manure applications on a single crop or 5 manure applications on each crop in a double cropped field.

#### P Index Part B planning

The maximum number of multiples or replicates is limited to <u>six replicates for P Index Part B based planning</u>. This could be six manure applications on a single crop or 3 manure applications on each crop in a double crop.

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#### 1. Modify Rows Button

There are buttons in the Field Information section of App 4 Input to modify the rows.



Clicking on the buttons will perform the following functions:

Insert Empty Row - Add an empty row below the active or selected row. Copy Row Down - Copy the selected row down below the active row. Delete Active Row Delete the selected row. Copy Selected Rows

 Copy a group of contiguous rows. (used to copy an existing multiple or double crop field). A dialog box will alert you that the rows were successfully copied.

Insert Selected Rows

- Paste a group of contiguous rows above the active row after the paste the Copied Selected. Rows button was used. The currently copied selected rows can be pasted many times without re-selecting the rows again. For example, a double crop with multiple manure applications can be selected then pasted many times without reselecting the rows.

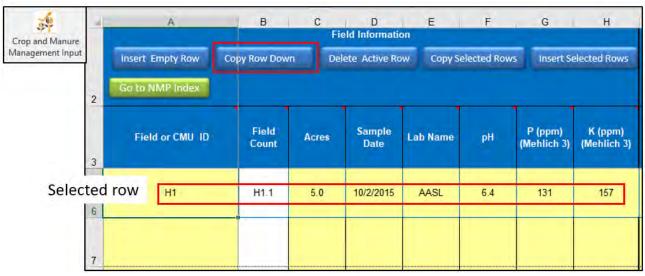
In the 1st example, a field that will be planted in corn silage has liquid manure applied in the fall and solid manure applied in the spring before planting. Multiple Manure applications in the Nutrient Management Plan should follow the crop year. The crop year begins in the fall so the fall applied manure would be entered before the spring or summer applied manure.

The procedure will step through adding each field section and changing the appropriate selections for each multiple manure application.

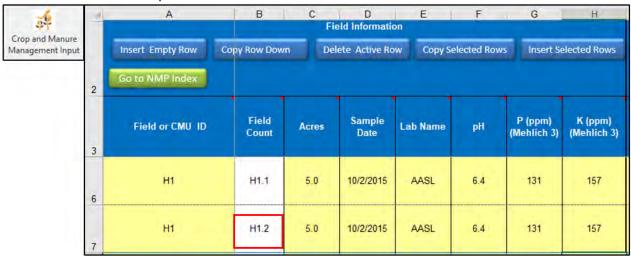
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**2.1.** Click in any cell within the row to select the field row to be completed for a multiple manure application and click on the copy row down button.



The selected row will be copied down the next row.



The copied field will have the field counter increased to the next replicate number.

In this example, the "Field Count" column indicate the field name with a ".2". This means they are recognized as the same field. It indicates it is the 2<sup>nd</sup> instance of the field, and will appropriately carryover nutrient balance after manure.

Multiple manure applications must have the Field ID name.

2.2. Update the starter or other fertilizer information.

When completing multiple manure applications, <u>any starter or other fertilizer needs to be entered ONLY into the first instance of a field</u>.

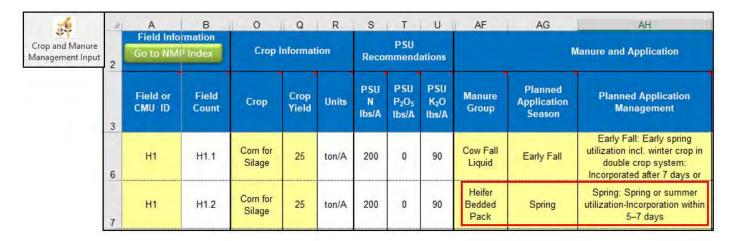
If the field is copied to create an additional multiple then enter zeros for the starter or other fertilizer for any multiple other than the initial application (There should be no starter or other fertilizer listed for any field with the M of Mf designation described below). Having the values from the initial field in the following applications won't affect the calculations but it will appear as if starter is being applied twice in the printed Appendix 4 Crop & Manure Management and the NMP Summary.

Crop and Manure Management Input	2	A Field Informa Go to NMP Ind	_	O Crop I	Q	R	S PSU R	T ecommen	U	Z	AA Starte	AB er Fertilize	AC
	3	Field or CMU ID	Field Count	Crop	Crop Yield	Units	PSU N Ibs/A	PSU P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> Ibs/A	PSU K <sub>2</sub> O Ibs/A	Starter N Ibs/A	Starter P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> Ibs/A	Starter K <sub>2</sub> O Ibs/A	P Index App. Method
	6	Н1	H1.1	Corn for Silage	25	ton/A	200	0	90	4	12	4	
	7	Н1	H1.2	Corn for Silage	25	ton/A	200	0	90	0	0	0	

#### 2.3. Change the Manure and Application Information for the fields

Since all the field information was copied from the initial field, only the Manure Application Information and Manure Rate needs to be changed for both instances of the field.

Change the Manure group, Application Season, and Application Management for the multiple application. Note that this could be the same or it can be a different manure group, season, and application method. Make sure that each multiple has the intended management information correctly entered in these three cells.



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### 2.4. Select the appropriate multiple designation from the drop down list.

There are three choices:

Mi = Initial Manure Application in a Multiple

M = Middle Manure Applications in a Multiple

Mf = Final Manure Application in a Multiple

There are pop-up notes in the blue column headers to help you make the appropriate selection.

The first manure application gets the "Mi" designation

The last or final manure application gets the "Mf" designation.

When you entered the first application, if you know that there will be multiple applications on the field, you can enter the initial application designation (Mi) at that time or if you made a decision later to make a multiple application, you will need to go back to the row for the initial application and designate it as the initial application by selecting "Mi" in this cell. If there are only 2 applications planned, they must be designated "Mi" and "Mf" respectively.

There must always be an "Mi" and "Mf" if there are multiple applications on a field. If there are more than 2 multiple applications, the middle applications will all be designated "M".

<b>3</b>	7	A	В	0	Q	R	S	Т	U	AF	AG	AH	AJ
Crop and Manure Management Input	2	Field Info Go to NM		Crop	Informat	ion	Reco	PSU mmend	ations		Manu	re and Application	
	3	Field or CMU ID	Field Count	Стор	Crop Yield	Units	PSU N Ibs/A	PSU P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> Ibs/A	PSU K <sub>2</sub> O Ibs/A	Manure Group	Planned Application Season	Planned Application Management	Multiple Applicati on
	6	H1	H1.1	Corn for Silage	25	ton/A	200	0	90	Cow Fall Liquid	Early Fall	Early Fall: Early spring utilization incl. winter crop in double crop system: Incorporated after 7 days or	Mi
	7	Н1	H1.2	Corn for Silage	25	ton/A	200	0	90	Heifer Bedded Pack	Spring	Spring: Spring or summer utilization-Incorporation within 5–7 days	Mf

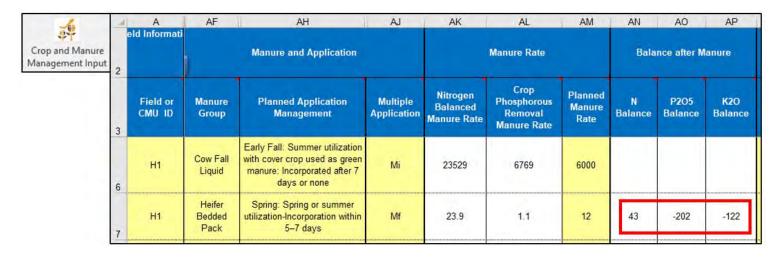
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### 2.5. Change the Planned Manure Rate for the added multiple application.

The Nitrogen Balanced Rate and Crop Phosphorous Removal Rate are shown. Remember to enter only the amount of manure. The units don't need to be entered. You don't need to enter tons or gallons.

<b>26</b>	-36	A eld Informati	AF	AH	AJ	AK	AL	AM
Crop and Manure Management Input	2			Manure and Application			Manure Rate	
	3	Field or CMU ID	Manure Group	Planned Application Management	Multiple Application	Nitrogen Balanced Manure Rate	Crop Phosphorous Removal Manure Rate	Planned Manure Rate
	6	H1	Cow Fall Liquid	Early Fall: Summer utilization with cover crop used as green manure: Incorporated after 7 days or none	Mi	23529	6769	6000
	7	H1	Heifer Bedded Pack	Spring: Spring or summer utilization-Incorporation within 5–7 days	Mf	23.9	1.1	12

Once the fields receive the multiple initial and final designations, the Nutrient Balance after Manure will be blank for the initial manure application and any middle applications. The balance after manure should only appear in the field with the "Mf" designation.



The Balance after Manure will reflect the nutrient deficit, (positive number) or excess, (negative number).

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## 2.6. Enter any Supplemental Fertilizer values in the final Multiple manure application.

If there is no supplemental fertilizer applied enter a zero "0". The spreadsheet won't calculate properly when working on a plan that's been transferred from a Version 4.x plan without a zero entered here.

Crop and Manure Management Input	2	A Field Information	AF	AH  Manure and Applic	AJ	AM	AN Balar	AO nce after M	AP lanure	AQ Supple	AR emental F	AS ertilizer	AV Final	AW Nutrient Ba	AX
	3	Field or CMU ID	Manure Group	Planned Application Management	Multiple Application	Planned Manure Rate	N Balance	P2O5 Balance	K2O Balance	Suppl. N	Suppl. P2O5	Suppl. K2O	Final N Balance	Final P205 Balance	Final K2O Balance
	6	н	Cow Fall Liquid	Early Fall: Summer utilization with cover crop used as green manure: Incorporated after 7 days or none	Mi	6000				0	0	0			
	7	H1	Heifer Bedded Pack	Spring: Spring or summer utilization-Incorporation within 5–7 days	Mf	12	43	-202	-122	43	0	0	0	-202	-122

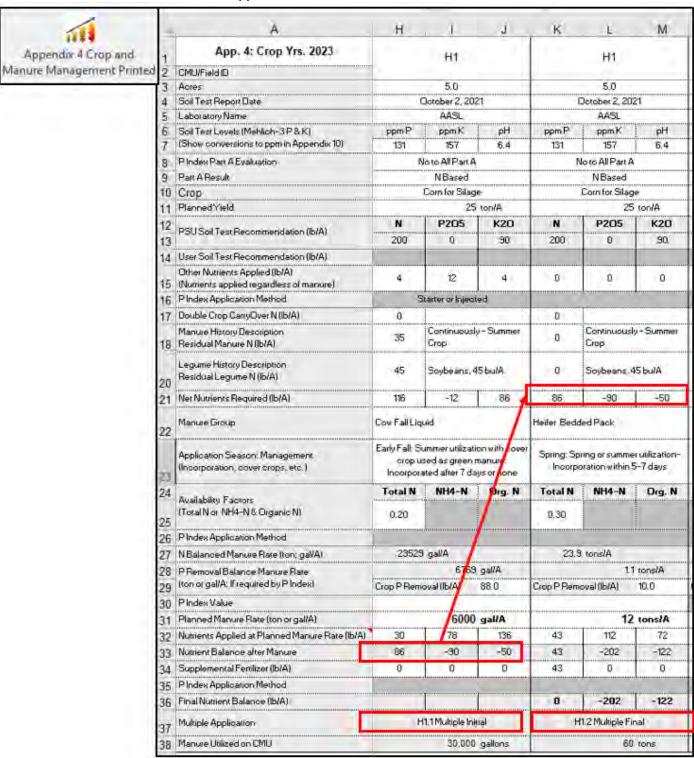
## 2.7. Add any field notes as applicable.

While it is not required, it is a recommended that notes be added to each multiple application explaining what is planned to the operator. Suggested application notes are included in the Field Notes screenshot below. You can increase the row width if needed.

Crop and Manure Management Input	A Field Infor matio n	Crop	Q Informa	R	AF	AH  Manure and Applicat	AJ	AM	User Note - Enter notes directly for each Field/CMU here. Note that are repeated can be copied from one CMU and pasted in
	Field or CMU ID	Сгор	Crop Yield	Units	Manure Group	Planned Application Management	Multiple Application	Planned Manure Rate	Field Notes
	Н1	Corn for Silage	25	ton/A	Cow Fall Liquid	Early Fall: Summer utilization with cover crop used as green manure: Incorporated after 7 days or none		6000	This field will receive multiple applications of manure. 1st application is Cow Fall Liquid in fall.
	Н1	Corn for Silage	25	ton/A	Heifer Bedded Pack	Spring: Spring or summer utilization-Incorporation within 5–7 days	Mf	12	This field will receive multiple applications of manure. 2nd application is Heifer Barn Bedded Pack manure applied in the in the spring.

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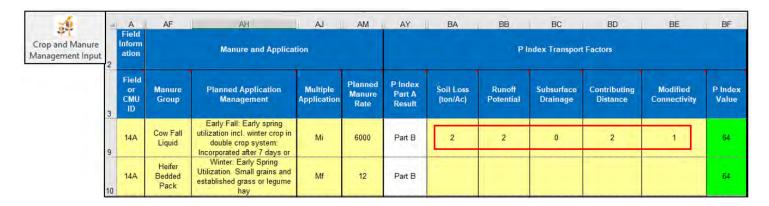
2.8. This is how a multiple application is displayed in the printed Appendix 4 Crop & Manure Management section that's submitted for review and approval.



The Crop Nutrient Balance after Manure in the initial multiple becomes the Crop Net Nutrients required in the final multiple. The multiple application designation appears at the bottom of the CMU / Field ID.

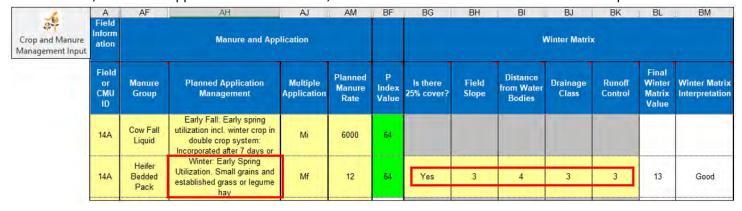
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- 3. Notes:
- **3.1.** Multiple Applications on P Index Fields The <u>transport factors for a P Index Part B field must be in the initial</u> <u>multiple manure application</u>. It doesn't matter if they are repeated or not in the middle or final multiple applications.



Remember that a P Index Part B field can have a maximum of six instances of a field in order to properly calculate a P Index score.

**3.2.** Multiple Applications on a field evaluated in the Winter Matrix – The Winter Matrix Evaluation factors <u>must be entered in the multiple containing the Planned Application Season of "Winter" or "Winter 1.2-12"</u>. In the example below, the second application is in the winter, so that is where the winter matrix must be completed.



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**3.3. Multiple Applications on Legumes** – When completing multiple manure applications on a Legume "with manure", the crop balance after manure will display differently in Appendix 4 Input and the Printed Appendix 4 Crop & Manure Management Section.

Multiple Applications on Legumes in Appendix 4 Input:

Balance after Manure will show the amount of Nitrogen that can be utilized by the legume. It will also show the Phosphorous and P2O5 and K2O balance, (positive value = deficit of crop need and negative value = excess of crop need).

The Supplemental N cell is formatted to turn grey if the crop is a legume. This is because the legume can utilize the Nitrogen but doesn't need it.

		Manure ent Input												
	eld nation	Crop Information			Manure and Application	on			Manure Rate		Bala	nce after M	anure	
Field or CMU ID	Field Count	Сгор	Manure Group	Planned Application Season	Planned Application Management	P Index Application Method	Multiple/ Split Application	Nitrogen Balanced Manure Rate	Crop Phosphorous Removal Manure Rate	Planned Manure Rate	N Balance	P2O5 Balance	K2O Balance	Suppl.
14A	14A.1	Established Alfalfa with Manure	Cow Fall Liquid	Early Fall	Early Fall: Early spring utilization incl. winter crop in double crop system: Incorporated after 7 days or none	April - Oct: No incorp or incorp > 1 wk.	Mi	53753	6923	6000				0
14A	14A.2	Established Alfalfa with Manure	Heifer Bedded Pack	Winter	Winter: Early Spring Utililization. Small grains and established grass or legume hay	Nov - Mar: No incorp or incorp > 1 wk.	Mf	49	1.3	12	177	-190	-88	0

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## **Multiple Applications on Legumes**

## In the Printed Appendix 4 Crop & Manure Management Section:

The nitrogen balance after manure for the initial manure application is zero for a legume "with manure" since it doesn't need it. The legume can still utilize it so the Net Nutrients Required for the next manure application is calculated by subtracting the nitrogen applied in the initial application from the net nitrogen required in the initial application (see below).

The  $P_2O_5$  and  $K_2O$  balance after manure are transferred from the net nutrients required in the initial application to the net nutrients required in the next multiple application.

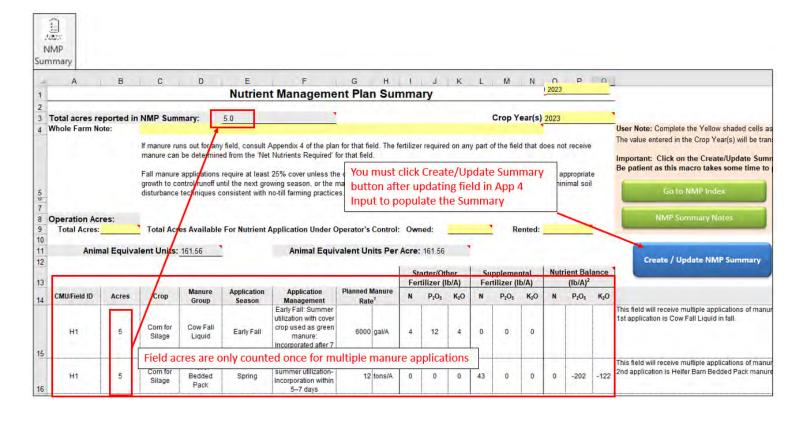
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Final Nutrient Balance (IB/A)				0	-190	-88	
P Index Application Method							
Supplemental Fertilizer (Ib/A)	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Nutrient Balance after Manure	0	-78	-16	D	-190	-88	
Mutrients Applied at Planned Manure Rate (lb/	Marie (a)	78	136	58	112	72	
Planned Manure Rate (ton or gal/A)			galA		12	tons/A	
PIndex Value		64	/		64		
P Pemoval Balance Manure Rate (ton or gall/A; if required by P Index)	Crop P Remo	oval (Ib/A)	gal/A 90,0	Ctop P Rem	(A/dl) leve	tons/A 12.0	
N Balanced Manure Rate (ton; gaVA)	53753			49	rons/A		
P Index Application Method		No incorp or i	ncorp > 1wk.		Na incorp ar ir	oorp > 1wk	
Availability Factors (Total Nor NH4-N & Organic N)	0,20		g. 18	0,40		erg. n	
Application Season: Management (Incorporation, cover crops, etc.)	winter crop	n double or ed alter 7 da NH4-N	op system:		stablished gra hay NH4-N		
Manure Group	Cow Fall Liqu Early Fall: E	aid a y spring uti	Ization incl.	Heiler Bedd	ed Pack ly Spring Utiliz	ation. Small	
Net Nutrients Required (Ib/A)	265	0	120	235	-78	-16	P2O5 & K20 balances carry forwar
Legume History Description Residual Legume N (Ib/A)	0	Soybeans, 4	2	U 1	Soybeans, 4		lijoyed
Manure History Description Residual Manure N (Ib/A)	ne 265	Continuous	a drawn a	ied = 23	Continuous		moved
Double Crop CarryOver N (lb/A)	0			-0-			
P Index Application Method	- 5	tarter or Inject	ed				
Other Nurrients Applied (Ib/A) (Nutrients applied regardless of manure)	0	0	0	0	o	0	
User Soil Test Recommendation (Ib/A)							
PSU Soil Test Recommendation (Ib/A)	N 300	P205	K20 120	N 300	P205	K20 120	
Planned Yield			ton/A			ton/A	
Crop	Establish	hed Alfalfa wit	1100000000	Establis	ned Alfalfa wit		
P Index Part A Evaluation Part A Result		oto All Part A			Winter Pos 9		
Soil Test Levels (Mehlich-3 P & K) (Show conversions to ppm in Appendix 10)	ppm P 131	ppm K. 157	рН 6.4	ppm P 131	ррт К 157	pH 6.4	
Laboratory Name		AASL			AASL		
Soil Test Report Date	C	October 2, 20	21	ſ	October 2, 200	21	Manute Management Printed
Aores		5.0			5.0		Appendix 4 Crop and  Manure Management Printed
MU/Field ID					14A.		1100

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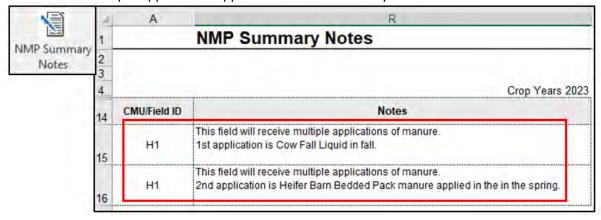
#### 3.4. How Multiple Applications appear in the NMP Summary

Each Multiple Application is listed as a separate row in the NMP Summary. Fields receiving multiple applications of manure are counted just once in the Total acres reported in the NMP <u>Summary if the field names are exactly the same for each multiple.</u>

Field names that look the same can be different. If you type a field name and press the space bar after typing a name for one of the multiple applications then Excel will treat it as a separate field. The field acres would be counted twice in the Total acres reported in the NMP <u>Summary</u>.

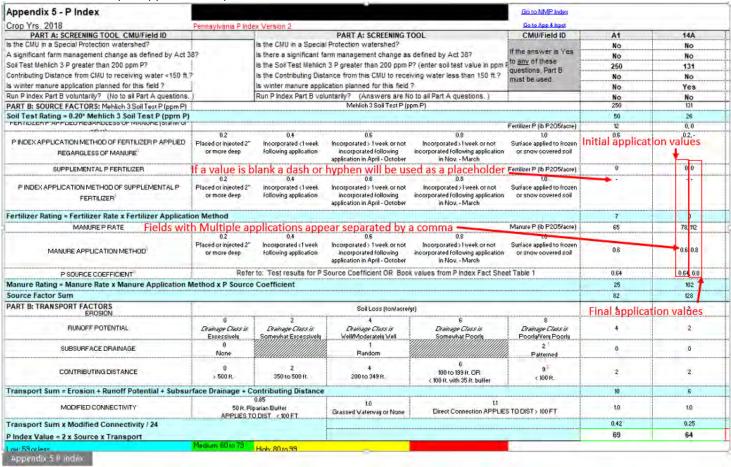


#### **3.5.** How Multiple Applications appear in the NMP Summary Notes



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#### **3.6.** How Multiple Applications apear in the P Index



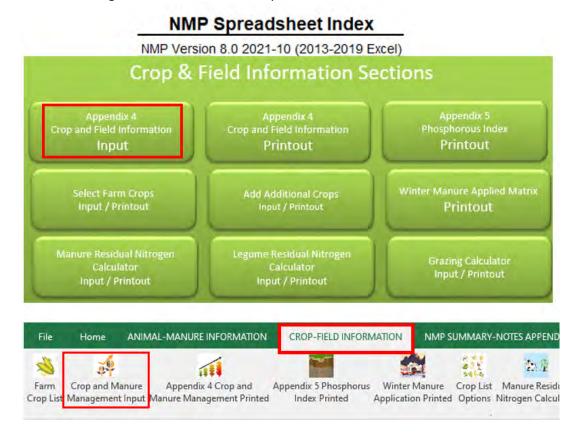
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#### **Purpose:**

This procedure describes how to complete a Double Crop in Appendix 4 Input. If you have not yet completed a field in Appendix 4 Input and need, help then please refer to the guidance document: How to Complete Appendix 4 Input worksheet.

Look for a navigation button in the NMP Spreadsheet or a toolbar ribbon icon that looks like the screenshot below:



#### **Double Crop Application Limitations**

#### Nitrogen based planning

The maximum number of field replicates on a double crop is limited to <u>ten replicates for nitrogen based planning</u>. For example, there could be 5 manure applications on each crop in a double cropped field.

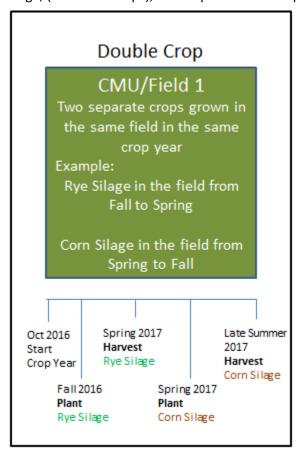
### P Index Part B planning

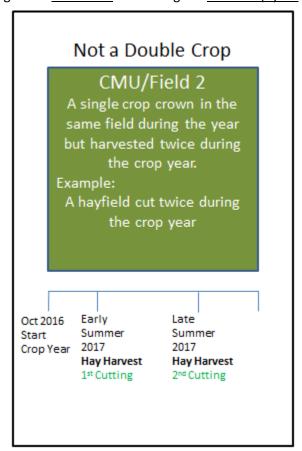
The maximum number of multiples or replicates is limited to <u>six replicates for P Index Part B based planning</u>. This could be 3 manure applications on each crop in a double cropped field.

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A double crop is described as growing two separate and distinct crops on a field during a crop year. Different crops on the same field during a crop year. They are designated as a "Winter Crop" and a "Summer Crop" in a double crop.

One example would be a field where small grain silage is followed by corn silage in the same crop year. Small grain silage, ("Winter Crop"), is planted in the fall at the beginning of the crop year and is harvested in the spring. Corn for Silage, ("Summer Crop"), is then planted in the spring in the same field and during the same crop year.





Another example would be a field of Alfalfa that will have a cutting taken off in the spring then corn is planted in the same field after the 1<sup>st</sup> cutting of alfalfa. They are two different crops grown in the <u>same field</u> and during the <u>same crop</u> year.

In the example below, a field will be planted in small grain silage in the fall and harvested in the spring. Corn for silage will then be planted on the same field after harvesting the small grain silage.

The small grain silage is the winter crop in a double crop. The corn for silage is the summer crop in a double crop.

The two points below are critical to make the calculations work properly:

- When planning a double crop, the winter crop must be entered before the summer crop in Appendix 4 Input for the calculations to work properly.
- The field Ids must be the same for both instances of the field

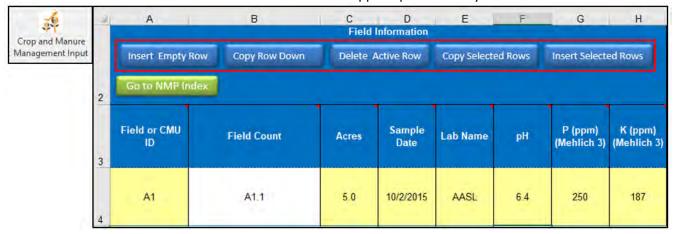
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Enter the field and information for the Winter Crop like any other field in Appendix 4 Input. After entering the information, copy and paste the winter crop field that will become the Summer Crop.

The example will begin by showing you how to copy and paste the winter crop row. It will show you the cells to change to complete a summer crop. Finally, it will demonstrate how the double crop should appear when completed properly.

#### 1. Modify Rows Buttons

There are buttons in the Field Information section of App 4 Input to modify the rows.



Clicking on the buttons will perform the following functions:

field).

- Add an empty row below the active or selected row.

Copy Row Down
- Copy the selected row down below the active row.

Delete Active Row
- Delete the selected row.

Copy Selected Rows

- Copy a group of contiguous rows. (used to copy an existing multiple or double crop

A dialog box will alert you that the rows were successfully copied.

- Paste a group of contiguous rows above the active row <u>after</u> the paste the Copied Selected.

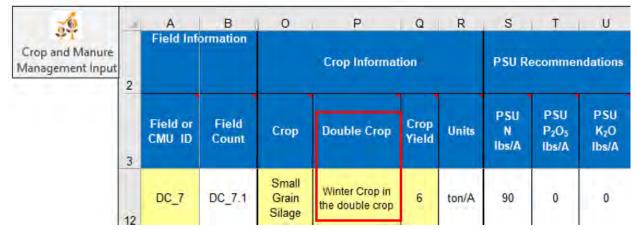
Rows button was used. The currently copied selected rows can be pasted many times without re-selecting the rows again. For example, a double crop with multiple manure applications can be selected then pasted many times without reselecting the rows.

The procedure will step through adding each field section and changing the appropriate selections for each double crop.

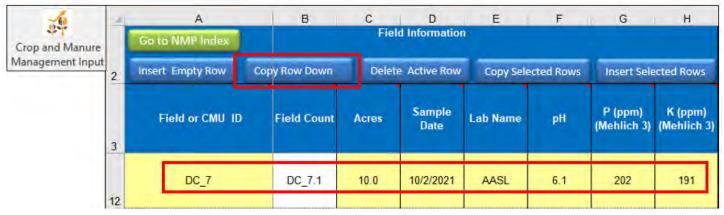
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#### 2. Procedure

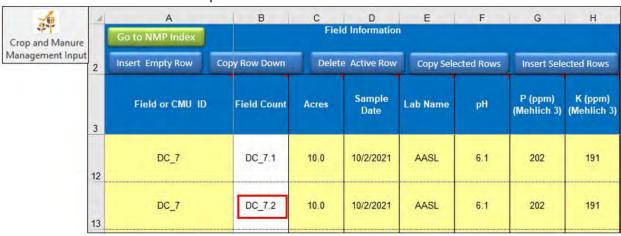
**2.1.** Complete the winter crop in a double crop entire row of field information. Be sure to select the Winter Crop in the double Crop designation.



**2.2.** Click in any cell within the winter crop row to select the field row to be completed for a for a double crop and click on the copy row down button.



The selected row will be copied down to the next row.



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The copied field will have the field counter increased to the next replicate number.

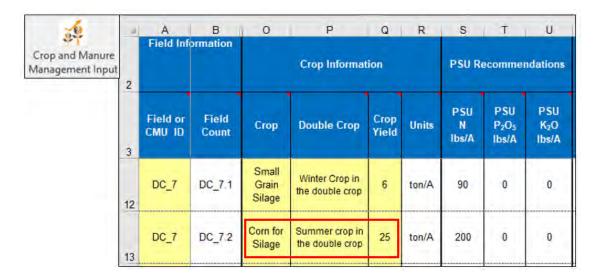
In this example, the "Field Count" column indicate the field name with a ".2". This means they are recognized as the same field. It indicates it is the 2<sup>nd</sup> instance of the field, and will appropriately carryover nutrient balance after manure.

#### The Field ID must be identical for both instances of a field double crop for the calculations to work properly.

The "Field Count" column must indicate the field name with a .2. This means they are recognized as the same field. It indicates it is the 2<sup>nd</sup> instance of the field, and will appropriately assign the double crop nitrogen carryover and report the field acres only once in the Total acres reported in the NMP Summary.

#### 2.3. Complete the Crop Information Section for the Summer Crop in a Double Crop

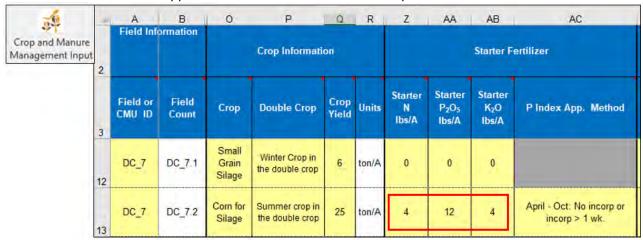
- **2.3.1. Crop** Select the crop from the dropdown list, in our example Small Grain Silage is the Winter Crop and Corn for Silage is the Summer Crop
- **2.3.2. Double Crop Selection** This selection is key to having a double crop scenario work properly. Select the appropriate double crop designation from the dropdown list. Choose either "Winter crop in a double crop" or "Summer crop in a double crop" from the dropdown list. Remember a winter crop always needs to be completed first before a summer crop in a double crop scenario.
- **2.3.3. Yield** Enter the expected crop yield. After you select the crop and yield the worksheet will assign the appropriate crop units and PSU soil test recommendations. (User recommendations similar to PSU recommendations can be used too.)



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#### 2.4. Update the starter or other fertilizer information.

- **2.4.1. Starter Fertilizer** When completing a double crop, any starter or other fertilizer needs to be entered for each crop grown during the crop year. If no starter or other fertilizer is used then enter zeros for the starter fertilizer.
- **2.4.2. Starter P Index Application Method -** If starter Phosphorous is used and the field is a P Index Part B field then the P Index Application Method will need to be completed.



#### 2.5. Complete the Field Residual and Carryover Nitrogen History

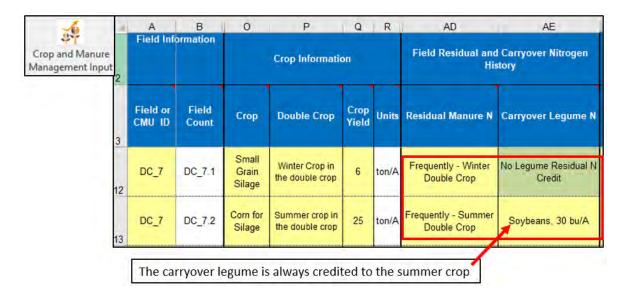
#### 2.5.1. Residual Manure N

Select the appropriate Residual Manure Nitrogen history. It's important to select the history that ends with the appropriate "Winter Double Crop or "Summer Double Crop" designation.

#### 2.5.2. Carryover Legume N

- Legume nitrogen is only credited to summer annual crops.
- The cell will be yellow if the crop is a summer annual.
- The cell will be shaded light green if the crop IS NOT a summer annual. Legume crops do not receive a carryover legume N credit.
- Winter Crop in a double crop: Select "No Legume Residual N Credit" or leave it blank.
- Summer Crop in a double crop: Select to appropriate previous legume field history.

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#### 2.6. Complete the Manure and Application Information for the Winter and Summer Crop

**2.6.1.** Select the Manure group, Application Season, and Application Management for the Winter Crop and Summer Crop

**2.6.2.** Multiple applications can be completed on double crops.

160	(d)	Α	В	0	P	Q	R	AF	AH	Al	AJ	
Crop and Manure Management Input	2	Field Inf	ormation	Crop Information				Manure and Application				
	3	Field or CMU ID	Field Count	Crop	Double Crop	Crop Yield	Unit s	Manure Group	Planned Application Management	P Index Application Method	Multiple Application	
	12	DC_7	DC_7.1	Small Grain Silage	Winter Crop in the double crop	6	ton/	Cow Spring Liquid	Winter: Early Spring Utilization. Winter crop in double crop system	Nov - Mar: No incorp or incorp > 1 wk.		
	13	DC_7	DC_7.2	Corn for Silage	Summer crop in the double crop	25	ton/ A	Heifer Bedded Pack	Spring: Spring or summer utilization-Incorporation after 7 days or none	April - Oct: No incorp or incorp > 1 wk.		

- 2.7. Manure Rate Nitrogen Balanced Rate, Crop Phosphorous Removal Manure Rate, and Planned Manure Rate
  - **2.7.1. Nitrogen Balanced Rate** This is the amount manure that would be needed to meet the crops Nitrogen needs. (White cells =no data entry)
  - **2.7.2. Crop Phosphorous Removal Manure Rate** This is the amount of manure that will replace the P removed from the field by the crops accounting for all other P applied (White cells =no data entry)
  - **2.7.3. Planned Manure Rate** Enter the planned manure rate. If no manure is to be applied than enter a Zero and "No Manure Applied" will display in the NMP Summary for the field Planned Manure Rate

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- 1	54	Α	В	0	P	AF	AH	Al	AK	AL	AM
	2		ormation	Crop Information			Manure and Application	Manure Rate			
	3	Field or CMU ID	Field Count	Crop	Double Crop	Manure Group	Planned Application Management	P Index Application Method	Nitrogen Balanced Manure Rate	Crop Phosphorous Removal Manure Rate	Planned Manure Rate
	12	DC_7	DC_7.1	Small Grain Silage	Winter Crop in the double crop	Cow Spring Liquid	Winter: Early Spring Utilization. Winter crop in double crop system	Nov - Mar: No incorp or incorp > 1 wk.	6803	8125	6000
	13	DC_7	DC_7.2	Corn for Silage	Summer crop in the double crop		Spring: Spring or summer utilization-Incorporation after 7 days or none	April - Oct: No incorp or incorp > 1 wk.	48.3	3.6	10

#### 2.8. Balance After Manure, Supplemental Fertilizer, and Final Nutrient Balance

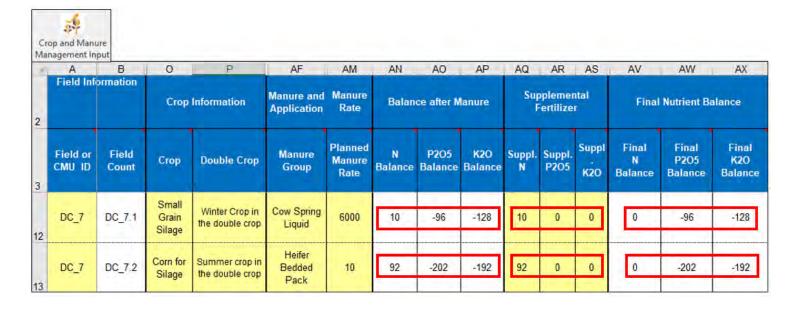
**2.8.1. Balance after Manure** – Both the Summer Crop and Winter Crop will have a balance after manure listed because they are separate crops.

This is the nutrient balance after manure. A positive number indicates additional nutrients are required. A negative number indicates an excess nutrient balance. (White cells =no data entry).

**2.8.2. Supplemental Fertilizer** – Both the Summer Crop and Winter Crop will have a supplemental balance after manure listed because they are separate crops.

Enter any supplemental fertilizer values here. <u>If there is no supplemental fertilizer applied enter a zero "0" in each of the cells or the spreadsheet won't calculate properly when working on a plan that's been transferred from a Version 4.x plan.</u>

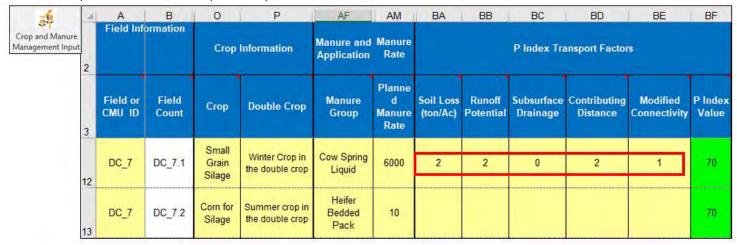
**2.8.3. Final Nutrient Balance** – The final nutrient balances for N,  $P_2O_5$ , and  $K_2O$  are calculated values. (White cells =no data entry). The "Final N Balance" can never be negative.



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**2.9. P Index Transport Factors** – The transport factors only need to be entered in the first instance of a field. It doesn't matter if they are in the other instances of a field.

Complete the P index transport factors. The soil loss is a typed entry. The others transport factors have a note to remind you of the selections and are drop down box selections or you can enter them by typing the number. Transport factors can be copied and pasted from other fields as well.

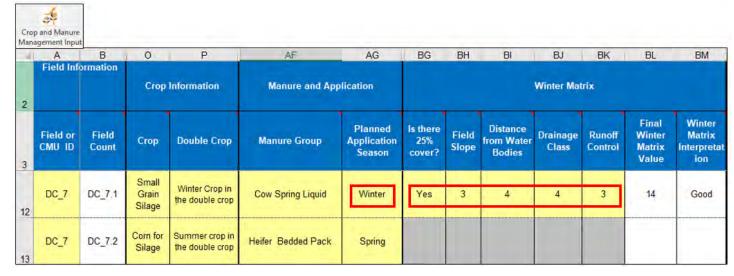


**Multiple Applications on Double Crops and the P Index** - The transport factors for a P Index Part B field must be in in the first instance of a field. It doesn't matter if they are in the middle or final multiple applications.

Remember that a P Index Part B field can have a maximum of six instances of a field in order to properly calculate a P Index score.

For Example, you could have a double crop with 3 multiple manure applications on the Winter Crop and 3 multiple manure applications on the Summer Crop. Or you could have a double crop with 1 manure application on the Winter Crop and 5 multiple manure applications on the Summer Crop. You can have any combination just no more than six instances of a field for the P Index to work properly.

**2.10. Double Crops on a field evaluated in the Winter Matrix** – The Winter Matrix Evaluation factors must be entered in the Double Crop containing the Planned Application Season of "Winter" or "Winter 1.2-12".



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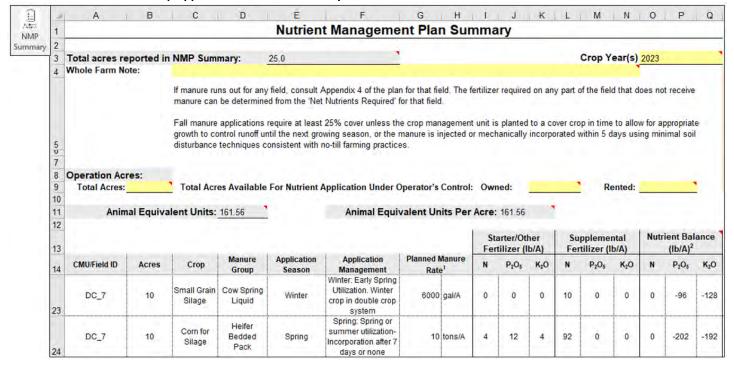
## 2.11. Add any field notes as applicable.

While it is not required, it is a recommended that notes be added to each double crop explaining what is planned to the operator. Suggested application notes are included in the Field Notes screenshot below. You can increase the row width if needed.

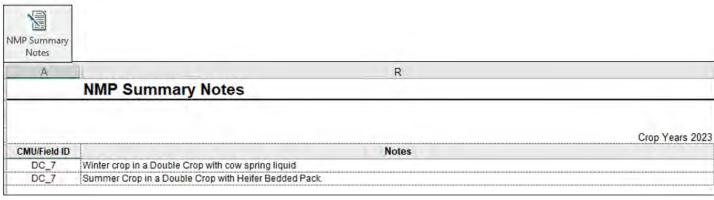
1	4	Α	В	0	P	AF	AG	BL	BM	BN BO		
rop and Manure anagement Input					Information	Manure and Application		Winte	r Matrix	User Note - Enter notes directly for each Field/CMU here. Note that are repeated can be copied from one CMU and pasted in another.		
	3	Field or CMU ID	Field Count	Crop	Double Crop	Manure Group	Planned Applicatio n Season	Final Winter Matrix Value	Winter Matrix Interpretat ion	Field Notes		
	12	DC_7	DC_7.1	Small Grain Silage	Winter Crop in the double crop	Cow Spring Liquid	Winter	14	Good	Winter crop in a Double Crop with cow spring liquid		
	13	DC_7	DC_7.2	Corn for Silage	Summer crop in the double crop	Heifer Bedded Pack	Spring			Summer Crop in a Double Crop with Heifer Bedded Pack.		

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#### 3. How the Double Crop appears in the NMP Summary



#### 4. How the Double Crop appears in the NMP Summary Notes



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4.1. How the Double Crop appears in Appendix 4 Crop & Manure Management Section

4.1. How the Double Crop a App. 4: Crop Yrs. 2023		DC_7	ч стор ст		DC_7	in Section	
CMU/Field ID		10.0			10.0		
Acres Soil Test Report Date		10.0 ctober 2, 20	21	+	10.0 ctober 2, 202	21	
Laboratory Name		AASL	21		AASL	<u> </u>	
Soil Test Levels (Mehlich-3 P & K)	ppm P	ppm K	рН	ppm P	ppm K	pH	
(Show conversions to ppm in Appendix 10)	202	191	6.1	202	191	6.1	
P Index Part A Evaluation		Vinter Soil Te		202	Soil Test F	<u> </u>	If a manure application season of "Winter or "Winter
Part A Result		Part B			Part B		1.2-12" is selected then "Winter will be added to the Part A evaluation result.
Crop	Sr	nall Grain Sile	age	(	Corn for Silag	je .	Lists the winter and summer crop double crop
Planned Yield		6	ton/A		25	ton/A	
	N	P205	K20	N	P205	K20	
PSU Soil Test Recommendation (lb/A)	90	0	0	200	0	0	The individual crops have different recommendations
User Soil Test Recommendation (lb/A)			,				
Other Nutrients Applied (lb/A) (Nutrients applied regardless of manure)	0	0	0	4	12	4	Other nutrients applied will be different. Can have Other Nutrients Applied for both Winter and Summer
P Index Application Method				April - Oct: N	lo incorp or in	ncorp > 1 wk	
							The Manure Nitrogen Carryover from the Winter Crop
Net Nutrients Required (lb/A)	83	0	0	116	-108	-132	The Net Nutrients Required for P2O5 and K2O for the Summer Crop includes the Winter Crop deficit / excess.  P2O5 Net Nutrients Required for the Summer Crop = 0 lbs PSU Recs + 96 lbs. excess from the Small Grain Silage Winter Double Crop + 12 lbs. Other Nutrients Applied = 108 lbs P2O5 excess.  K20 Net NutrientsRequired for the Summer Crop = 0 lbs. PSU Recs + 128 lbs. excess from Small Grain Silage Winrter Double Crop + 4 lbs. Other Nutrients Applied = 132 lbs. K2O excess.
Manure Group	Cow Spring	Liquid		Heifer Bedd	ed Pack	.t	The Manure Group applied to each crop.
Application Season: Management (Incorporation, cover crops, etc.)	Winter: Early		ation. Winter	Heifer Bedded Pack  Winter Spring: Spring or summer utilization incorporation after 7 days or none			The manage of the paper of the
Availability Factors	Total N	NH4-N	Org. N		·	information and the	
(Total N or NH4-N & Organic N)	0.40		<u> </u>	0.20		1	
		a is some as i	i and a district		l.		
P Index Application Method			ncorp > 1 wk			ncorp > 1 wk	
N Balanced Manure Rate (ton; gaVA)	6803	gal/A		48.3	tons/A		
P Removal Balance Manure Rate		8125	gaVA		3.6	tons/A	
(ton or gaVA; If required by P Index)	Crop P Remo	val (lb/A)	130.0	Crop P Remo	oval (lb/A)	34.0	Crop P Removal (Ib/A)
P Index Value		70			70		
Planned Manure Rate (ton or gaVA)		6000	gal/A		10	tons/A	A double crop can have "No Manure Applied" for either of the crops too.
Nutrients Applied at Planned Manure Rate (lb/A)	73	96	128	24	94	60	
Nutrient Balance after Manure	10	-96	-128	92	-202	-192	
Supplemental Fertilizer (lb/A)	10	0	0	92	0	0	
P Index Application Method							
Final Nutrient Balance (lb/A)	0	-96	-128	0	-202	-192	Excess Nitrogen can't be applied in excess of the winter crop needs and used for the summer crop.  The Double Crop N carryover is the only N applied to the Winter Crop that is credited to the summer crop.
Multiple Application		L	.1		I	1	
Manure Utilized on CMU		60.000	gallons	-	400	) tons	

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## 4.2. How the Double Crop appears in Appendix P Index

Appendix 5 - P In Crop Yrs. 2017	uex						Explanation of P Index Results and possible Errors			
Pennsylvania P Index Ve	ersion 2	PART A: SCREENING TOOL	CMU/Field ID	D	C_	7	The field will be automatically be entered in the P Index if the answer is Yes to			
P Index Rating: Values	Nutrient Applicat	Is the CMU in a Special Protection watershed?	If the answer is		No		any of the Part B questions in Appendix 4 Input.			
Low: 59 or less	Nitrogen based n	lr thoro aziqnificant farm manaqomont chango az dofinod by Act 38:	Yes to <u>any</u> of		No					
Medium: 60 to 79	Nitrogen based n	la lie Sail Teal Mehliak 3 P greater lisas 200 ppm PP (rater unit teal autor in ppm P)	these questions, Part		20		In a Double Crap the Field Id. Dort A guardiana, and Machlish 2 Cail Test D.			
High: 80 to 99	Phosphorus limit	la ller Cantribaling Dialasur Francikin CHW la rearining water from than 458 FLF	B must be used.		No		In a Double Crop the Field Id, Part A questions, and Mechlich 3 Soil Test P apply to the field so they are listed just once.			
		Is winter manure application planned for this field?			Ye		, ,			
Very High: 100 or greate PART B: SOURCE FACTORS	No Phosphorus a	Run P Index Part B voluntarily? (Answe	ers are No to all Pa		No					
SOIL TEST		Mehlich 3 Soil Test P (ppm P)			202					
		Soil Test Rating = 0.20* Mehlich 3 So	oil Test P (ppm P)		40	)				
REGARDLESS OF MANURE (Starter or other)		Fertilizer P (lb P2O5/acre)		0	), 1	2	The fertilizer and application methods are displayed separately and separate by a comma for the Winter Crop and Summer Crop.			
P INDEX APPLICATION METHOD OF FERTILIZER P APPLIED REGARGLESS OF MANURE <sup>3</sup>	0.2 Placed or injected 2" or more deep	0.4 0.6 0.8 Incorporated Incorporated >1 Incorporated or	1.0 Surface applied to frozen or snow covered soil	-,	, <b>0</b> .	.2	Any Multiple Manure Applications on the double crop will be displayed separately as well.			
SUPPLEMENTAL P FERTILIZER			(lb P2O5/acre)	(	0, (	0	A dash or hyphen is a placeholder and that means a particular criteria was no applied. For Example if "Fertilizer P Applied" is zero, then the application method will have a hyphen.			
P INDEX APPLICATION METHOD OF SUPPLEMENTAL P FERTILIZER <sup>3</sup>	0.2 Placed or injected 2" or more deep	0.4         0.6         0.8           Incorporated         Incorporated >1           Incor         > 1 week or week or not porat         week or not incorporated	1.0 Surface applied to frozen or snow covered			-	Error Note: if there is a fertilizer rate and there is no corresponding method factor then an "E" will be displayed.			
	Fortilizor Patir	ng = Fertilizer Rate x Fertilizer App	lication Method		2		The Rating for each fertilizer application is calculated separately and rounded to the nearest whole number then added together.			
	·	ig – Ferunzer Rate X Ferunzer App	neuton method				Error Note: "Check Fert" will appear if the Starter Fertilizer P application method is missing.			
MANURE P RATE		Manu	re P (lb P2O5/acre)	96	6, 9	94	The Manure P rate, Application Method, and PSC from each manure application is listed separately and separated by a comma.			
MANURE APPLICATION METHOD <sup>3</sup>		0.4 0.6 0.8 Incorporated orated > 1 week or not week incorporated following	1.0 Surface applied to frozen or snow covered soil	0.8	8, (	0.6	A dash or hyphen is a placeholder and means that a particular criteria was no applied. For Example if "Manure P Rate" is zero is then the application method will have a dash or hyphen			
P SOURCE COEFFICIENT <sup>3</sup>	rto: Test results fo	r P Source Coefficient OR Book values from F	Index Fact Sheet Ta	0.6	31,	8.0	Error Note: If there is a manure rate and there is no corresponding application method or PSC, it will display an "E".			
		Winter Crop		5	<del>-</del> L		The Rating for each manure application is calculated separately and rounded			
Manure Rating = I	Manure Rate x I	Manure Application Method x P Sou	urce Coefficient	92			to the nearest whole number.  The Manure Rating for each manure application is then added together.  Error Note: Check Manure will appear if the any of the following criteria are			
		Summer Crop					missing; manure rate, application method, or PSC value.			
		Sou	rce Factor Sum	•	13	5	Soil Test Rating + Fertilizer Rating + Manure Rating			
PART B: TRANSPORT FACTO EROSION		Soil Loss (ton/acre/yr)			2					
RUNOFF POTENTIAL	0 Drainage Class is Excessively	2 4 6 Drain Drainage Drainage Class age Class is is Class Well/Moderat Somewhat	Drainage Class is Poorly(Very		2		In a Double Crop the Part B Transport Factors apply to the field so they are			
SUBSURFACE DRAINAGE	0 None	1 Random	2 <sup>1</sup> Patterned		0		listed just once.			
CONTRIBUTING DISTANCE	0 > 500 ft.	2 4 100 to 199 ft. 500 ft. 200 to 349 ft. OR < 100 ft. with	9 <sup>2</sup> < 100 ft.		2					
ransport Sum = Erosion	,	ial + Subsurface Drainage + Contri	yy		6					
MODIFIED CONNECTIVITY	0.85 50 ft. Riparian Buffer APPLIES TO DIST < 100 FT	1.0 Grassed Waterway or None	1.1 Direct Connection APPLIES TO DIST > 100 FT		1.0		In a Double Crop the Modified Connectivity applies to the field so they are listed just once.			
OR rapidly permeable so		Transport Sum x Modified C	······	(	0.2	5				
		P Index Value = 2 x Source	ce x Transport		67	,	A P Index Score will be displayed when all required information is complete.  "PI Incomplete" will appear if a value needed is missing. Look in the columns above for errors.			

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Error Note: if there is a manure or fertilizer rate and there is no corresponding method factor or PSC, it w

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#### 4.3. How the Double Crop appears in the Winter Manure Application Matrix

#### PA Technical Manual Supplement 10: Winter Manure Application Matrix Crop Years 2017 User Notes for the Winter Manure Application Matrix 1. Under Act 38, any one of the following conditions meets the "winter" definition - see §83.201. . December 15 to February 28 · Frozen ground (4 inch depth) + Snow-covered ground A field will only appear in 2. All setbacks including those specific to winter manure application must be followed - see §83.294 (f) and (g). · No winter manure application within 100 ft. of an above ground agricultural drainage inlet where surface flow is toward the inlet. the Winter Application Matrix if Winter or Winter . No winter manure application within 100 ft. of a wetland (identified on National Wetland Inventory Maps) within the 100 year 1.2-12 elected as the floodplain of an Exceptional Value stream segment if surface flow is toward the wetland. Manure application season 3. Fields receiving winter manure applications must have 25% cover or an established cover crop - see §83.294 (g). in App 4 Input Verify the CMU meets the required cover conditions described in User Note 3 CMU/Field ID DC 7 Does the CMU have 25% cover or an established cover crop? Yes

	Eval	luation Criteria Descri	ptions and Ranking Va	alues		
	4	3	2 <sup>b</sup>	10	DC_7	
Field Slope	< 4 %	4 - 8%	9 - 15%	> 15%	3	
Distance from Water Bodies*	> 350 ft.	350 - 200 ft	199 - 100 ft	<100 ft	4	
Drainage Class Determined using Phosphorus Index Drainage Class Determination	Somewhat Excessively OR Excessively	Well OR Moderately Well	Somewhat Poorly	Poorly OR Very Poorly	4	
Runoff Control	Recommended conservation practices are in place Very low potential for concentrated flow.	Some conservation practices are in place. Low potential for concentrated flow.	Some conservation practices are in place Moderate potential for concentrated flow.	No conservation practices are in place High potential for concentrated flow.	3	
* Includes Perennial and Intermittent str	eams with defined bed and ban	k, Lakes, Ponds, Open sinkh	oles, and Active private and	public water sources	14	
It a field receives a rating of "2" in an	y two categories the field is not	recommended for winter ap	plication regardless of the fin	al field Ranking Value.	Good	

Recommended Winter Manure Application Prioritization							
Ranking Value	Ranking Category	Recommendation for Winter Manure Spreading Prioritization					
Greater than 12	Good	These fields should receive first priority for winter manure application.					
8 to 12	Fair	These fields should receive second priority for winter manure application.					
Less than 8	Poor	These fields are not recommended for winter manure application.					

"If a field receives a rating of "I" in any one category the field is not recommended for winter application regardless of the final field Ranking Value.

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## **Purpose and Overview:**

This procedure provides an overview and details how to complete Nutrient Management Plan, (NMP) Summary worksheet. The NMP Summary includes application rates listed for fields or crop management unit for all nutrient sources applied to meet crop nutrient needs for all fields on the entire operation (owned and rented acres). It includes a Whole Farm Note, the Crop Year(s), Operation Acres, Animal Equivalent Units, (AEU) and Animal Equivalent Units per Acre.

The NMP Summary worksheet requires data entry so it has a yellow colored sheet tab in the NMP Excel workbook.

The NMP Summary Notes worksheet is a separate tab in the Excel workbook but it is populated when completing the NMP Summary.

The NMP Summary is provided to help the farmer implement the plan on individual fields. Planners are encouraged to use the notes section to provide additional explanation or clarification to the farmer. Common examples are manure application setbacks, multiple manure applications or double cropping scenarios. Refer to the Pennsylvania Nutrient Management Act Program Technical Manual for NMP Summary Notes Requirements.

The NMP Summary Notes worksheet information is transferred information therefore <u>it has a grey colored sheet tab</u> in the NMP Excel workbook.

Look for a navigation button in the NMP Spreadsheet or a toolbar ribbon icon that looks like the screenshot below:



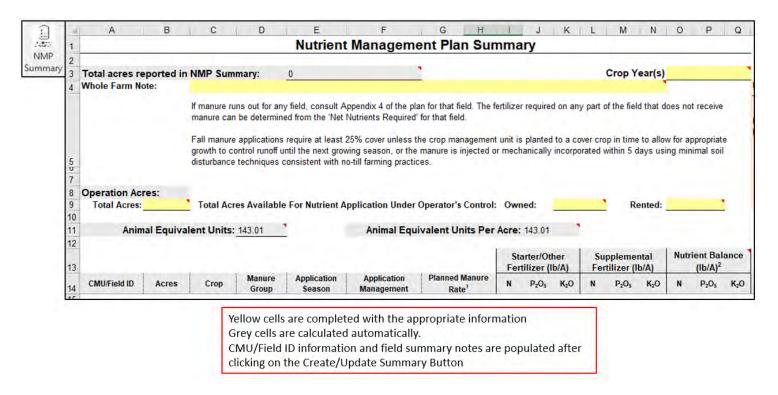
Or just scroll through the tabs until you find it. The tab in the NMP Spreadsheet that looks like this:



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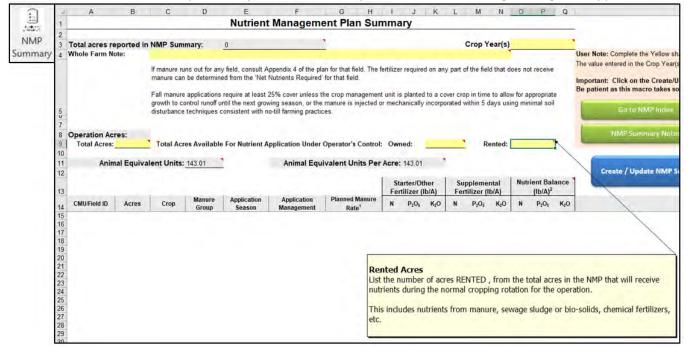
## 1. Layout and Completion of the NMP Summary worksheet

#### 1.1. Layout of the worksheet and overview



#### 1.2. Cell Information Notes

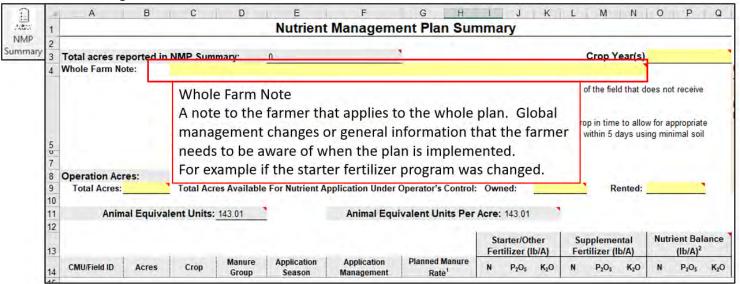
The cells with red triangles have helpful notes included to help you understand what needs to be entered or what the cell data is used for. For example when you click in the Crop Years cell the following message will appear:



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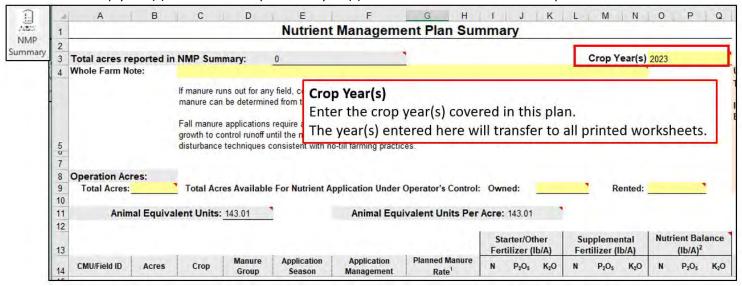
## 2. Completing the yellow input cells

#### 2.1. Nutrient Management Plan Whole Farm Notes



#### 2.2. Crop Year(s)

Enter the crop years(s) covered in this plan. The year(s) entered here will transfer to all printed worksheets.

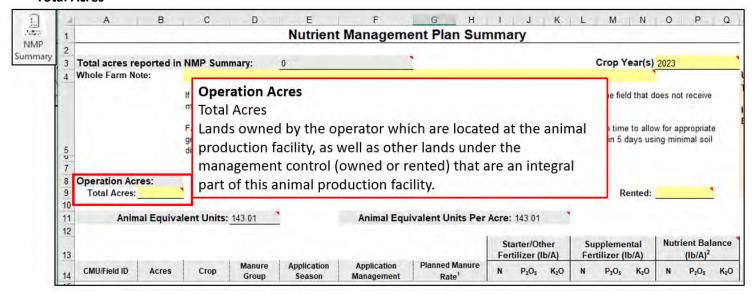


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#### 2.3. Operation Total Acres

The NMP is to include all the lands that are an integral part of this animal operation. These lands may be different from those lands counted in the AEU/acre calculation.

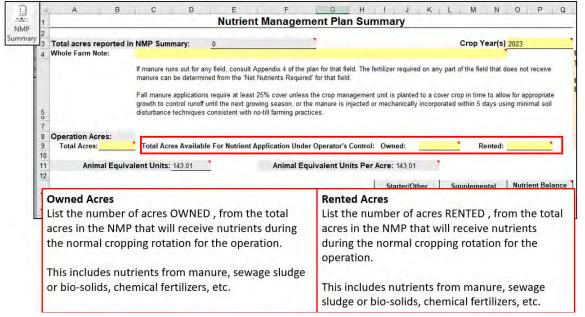
#### **Total Acres**



#### 2.4. Total Acres Available For Nutrient Application Under Operator's Control: Owned and Rented

**Owned Acres**: List the number of acres OWNED, from the total acres in the NMP that will receive nutrients during the normal cropping rotation for the operation. This includes nutrients from manure, sewage sludge or bio-solids, chemical fertilizers, etc.

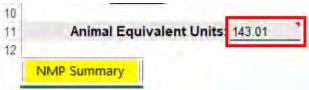
**Rented Acres**: List the number of acres RENTED, from the total acres in the NMP that will receive nutrients during the normal cropping rotation for the operation. This includes nutrients from manure, sewage sludge or bio-solids, chemical fertilizers, etc.



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#### 2.5. Animal Equivalent Units

The AEU's shown is the sum of all AEU's from all manure groups from the Appendix 3 Manure Group Information Tab.

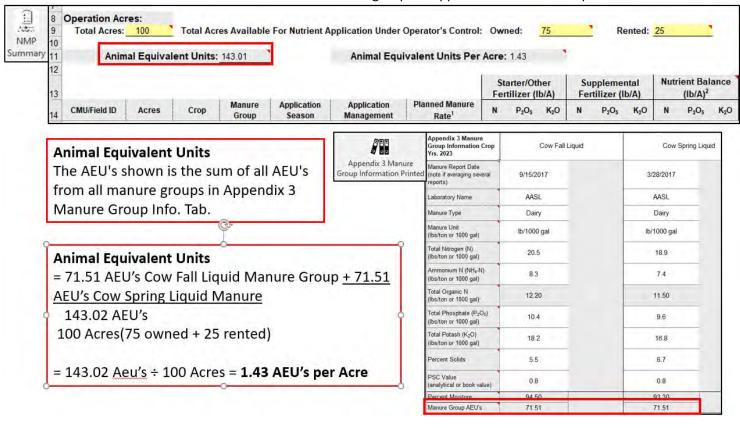


#### In the example:

The sum of the Cow Fall Liquid and Cow Spring Liquid Manure Group AEU's in Appendix 3 Manure Group Info. Tab divided by the total acres owned and rented in the NMP Summary.

## 2.6. Animal Equivalent Units per Acre

The AEU's shown is the sum of all AEU's from all manure groups in Appendix 3 Manure Group Info. Tab.

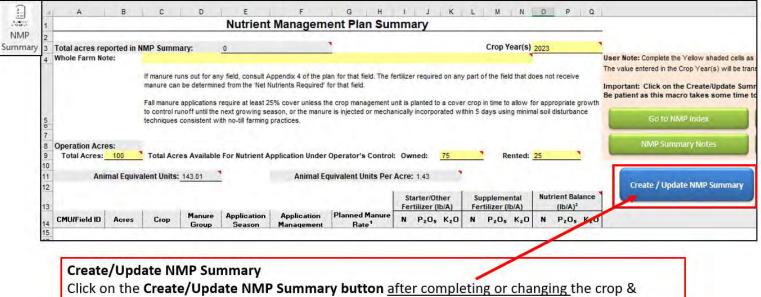


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#### 2.7. Populating the NMP Summary and Summary Notes

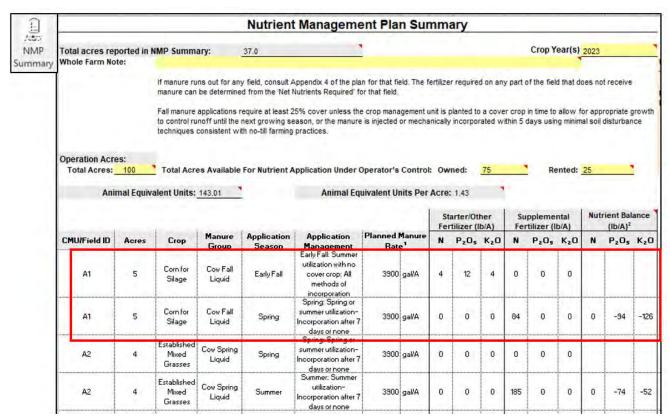
Click on the Create/Update NMP Summary button after completing or changing the crop & manure management information and field notes in App 4 Input. This will populate or fill in the NMP Summary and the NMP Summary Notes worksheets.

After the Summary is updated the Total Acres reported in the summary will be populated automatically.



Click on the **Create/Update NMP Summary button** <u>after completing or changing</u> the crop & manure management information and field notes in App 4 Input.

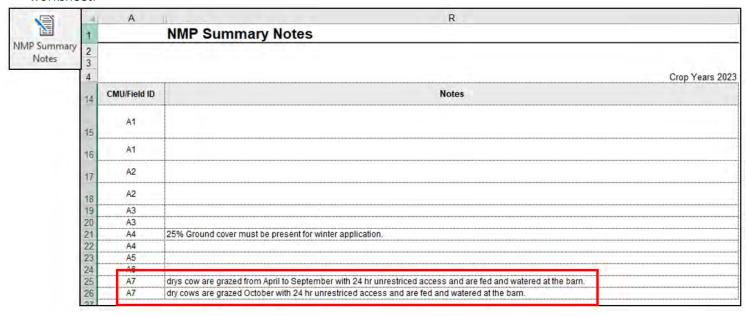
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Positive numbers represent nutrient deficit values and Negative numbers represent nutrient excess values.

#### 2.8. NMP Summary Notes

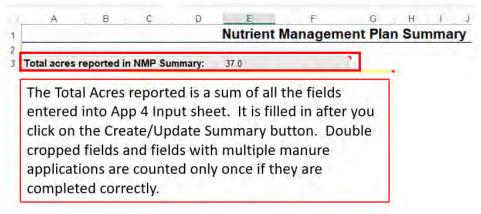
Remember the NMP Summary Notes is transferred from the Appendix 4 Input Sheet. Nothing is entered in this worksheet.



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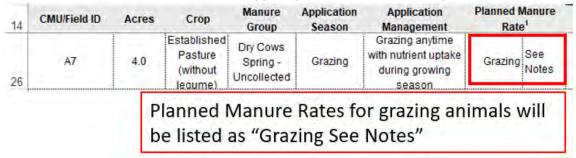
#### 2.9. Total acres reported in NMP Summary

This cell is filled in after you click on the Create/Update Summary button. The Total Acres reported is a sum of all the fields entered into App 4 Input sheet. Double cropped fields and fields with multiple manure applications are counted only once if they are completed correctly.



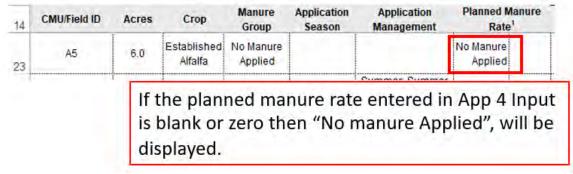
#### 2.10. Planned Manure Rates on fields with Grazing

Notice the planned manure rate for uncollected manure from animal on pasture states "Grazing See Notes". The amount of uncollected manure is based on the days and hours /day on pasture. This information will be transferred from where it was entered in App 4 Input to the NMP Summary Notes.



#### 2.11. Planned manure rate when no manure is applied

If no manure is planned to be applied to a field. The recommended guidance is to enter a zero in App 4 Input. If it is zero or left blank in App 4 Input, the planned manure rate will state "No Manure Applied".



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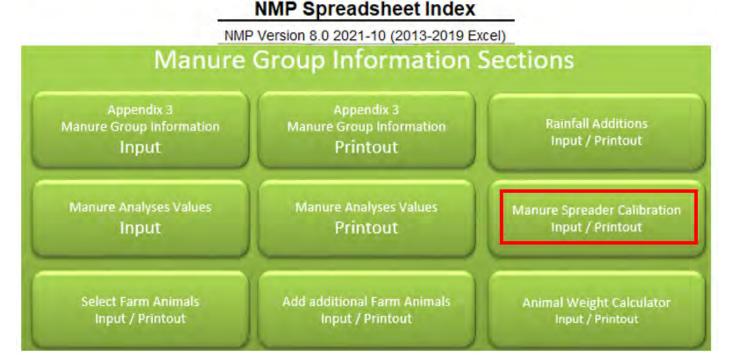
## **How to Complete the Manure Spreader Calibration Table**

## **Purpose and Overview:**

This procedure provides an overview and details how to complete the Manure Spreader Calibration Table.

The Manure Spreader Calibration worksheet requires <u>data entry so it has a yellow colored sheet tab</u> in the NMP Excel workbook.

You can find the Manure Spreader Calibration Worksheet by looking in the Manure Group Information Section in the NMP Spreadsheet Index



Or look for the toolbar ribbon at Animal-Manure Information the top of your screen. The Manure Spreader Calibration Icon looks like this:



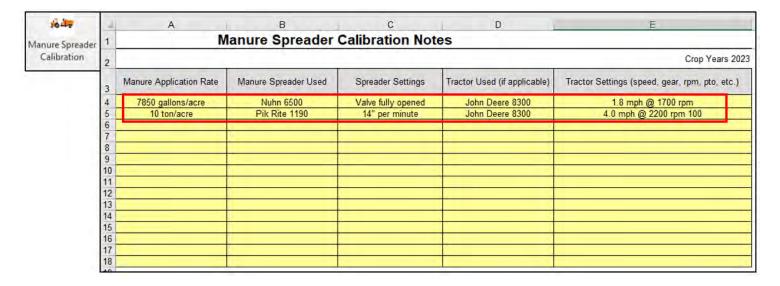
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## **How to Complete the Manure Spreader Calibration Table**

## 1. Layout and Completion of the Manure Spreader Calibration Table

For each planned manure application rate listed in the nutrient management plan the equipment and settings used to obtain that calibrated rate are recorded in the table.

The "Manure Spreader Calibration Notes" table provides an accessible reference for the farmer or other applicators to use to find the appropriate equipment and settings used to achieve the various manure application rates included in the nutrient management plan.



The Crop Years is automatically transferred from the NMP Summary.

The same table is printed out for submission with the Nutrient Management Plan.

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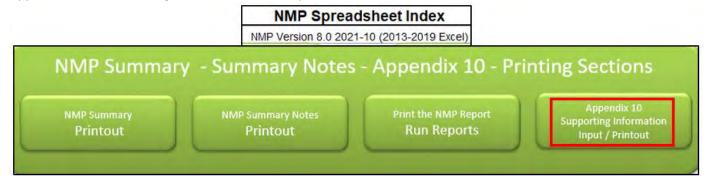
## **How to Complete Appendix 10 Supporting Information**

## **Purpose and Overview:**

This procedure provides an overview and details how to use the Appendix 10 Supporting Information Page.

The Appendix 10 page is to be printed and can also be used to provide a cover page to place supplemental information or to record information relevant to the nutrient management plan.

You can find the Appendix 10 Supporting Information Worksheet page by looking in the NMP Summary – Summary Notes – Appendix 10 – and Printing section of the NMP Spreadsheet Index

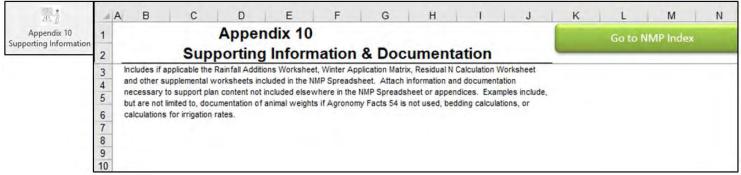


Or look for the toolbar ribbon at the top of your screen. The Appendix 10 Supporting Information Icon looks like this:



## 1. Layout and Completion of the Appendix 10 Supporting Information

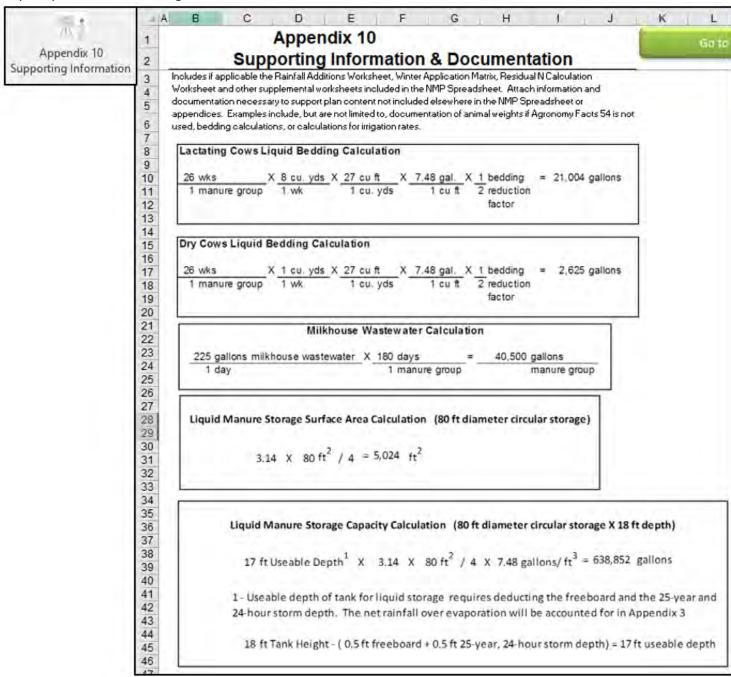
The Appendix 10 Excel worksheet is to be printed as a cover page for supporting information. Information to be included in in Appendix 10 includes if applicable the Rainfall Additions Worksheet, Winter Application Matrix, Residual N Calculation Worksheet and other supplemental worksheets included in the NMP Spreadsheet. Attach information and documentation necessary to support plan content not included elsewhere in the NMP Spreadsheet or appendices. Examples include, but are not limited to, documentation of animal weights if Agronomy Facts 54 is not used, bedding calculations, or calculations for irrigation rates.



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## **How to Complete Appendix 10 Supporting Information**

Appendix 10 worksheet is unlocked and can be used to for if desired. The page printout area may need to be defined by the planner if an area larger than is shown below is used.



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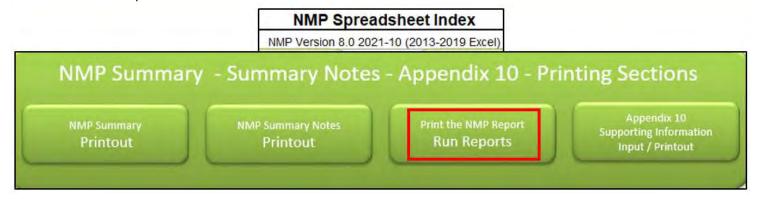
## **Purpose and Overview:**

The NMP Word document is printed like any other Word document. This procedure provides an overview and details how to print the NMP sections in the Excel file. Printing of NMP Appendices 3, 4, 5, Winter Manure Application Matrix and associated worksheets is completed using a print macro. The print macro will determine how much of each section is completed and only print the completed portions of each Section.

For example, if Appendix 3 Manure Group Information section has six manure groups and 5 animal groups completed then only the completed manure groups and relevant animal groups will be printed. If the Appendix 4 Crop and Field Information section has 319 fields completed, then only the 319 completed fields will be printed. Smaller associated worksheets such as the user added crop page will only fill just a single page.

Don't try to print the individual worksheets from the respective pages. This will not set the print areas to include all completed entries in each section

You can find the Print Worksheet page by looking in the NMP Summary – Summary Notes – Appendix 10 – and Printing section of the NMP Spreadsheet Index



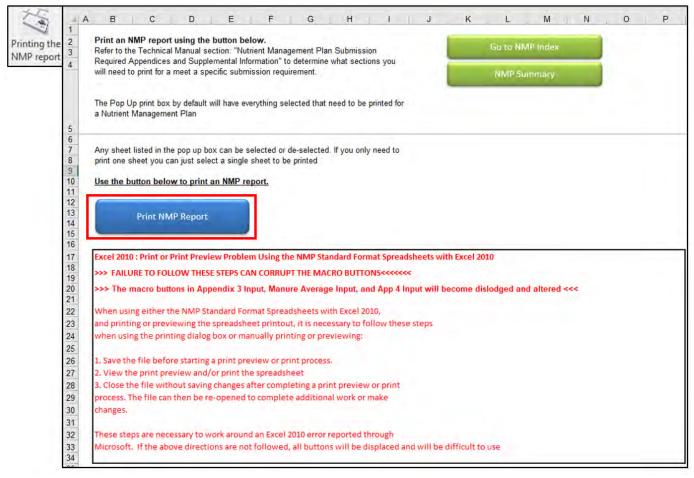
Or look for the toolbar ribbon at the top of your screen. The Print NMP Report Icon looks like this:



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## 1. Layout and Completion of the Print NMP Report Page

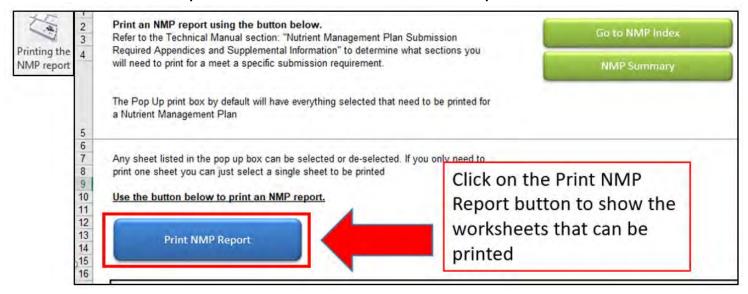
The report printing page is very simple to use. There are user notes and a Print NMP Report Button to initiate the print macro.



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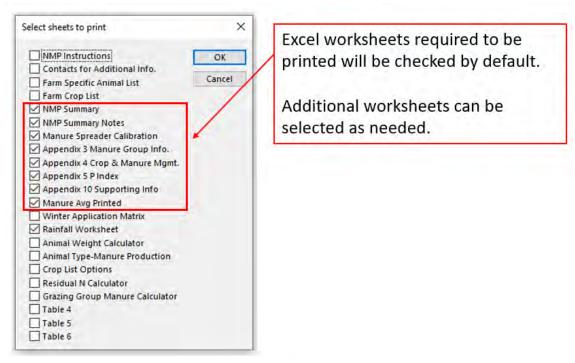
## 2. Procedure to print the Excel Section of a NMP

#### 2.1. Click on the Print NMP Report button to show the worksheets that can be printed.



## 2.2. Selecting the worksheets to print

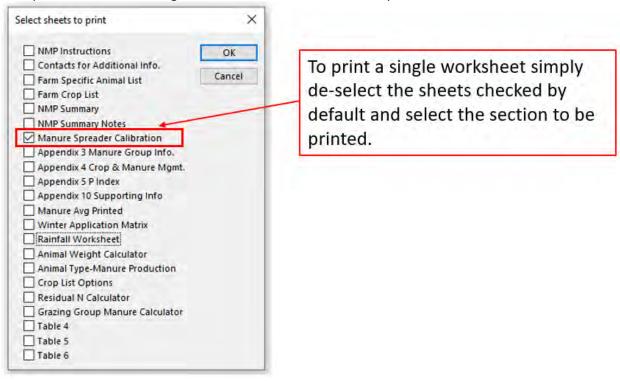
After clicking the button, it will update the NMP Summary. A pop up box will then appear and list all worksheets available for printing. Excel worksheets required to be printed for the first year submission are already checked by default.



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## 2.3. Printing a single worksheet

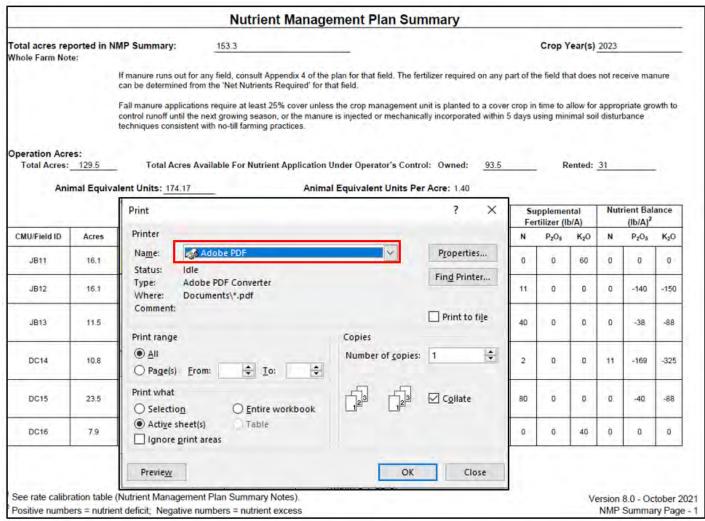
If a particular section was updated, then that section can be printed by itself by just selecting the particular worksheet to be printed and de-selecting the sections that don't need to be printed.



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#### 2.4. Printing

The best practice is to print the Excel worksheets as a pdf. Then send the PDF file of the NMP to the printer. This is because all print drivers are slightly different in sizing the worksheets for printing. Some print drivers will cause the row and column breaks to vary and inadvertently push columns onto a second page.



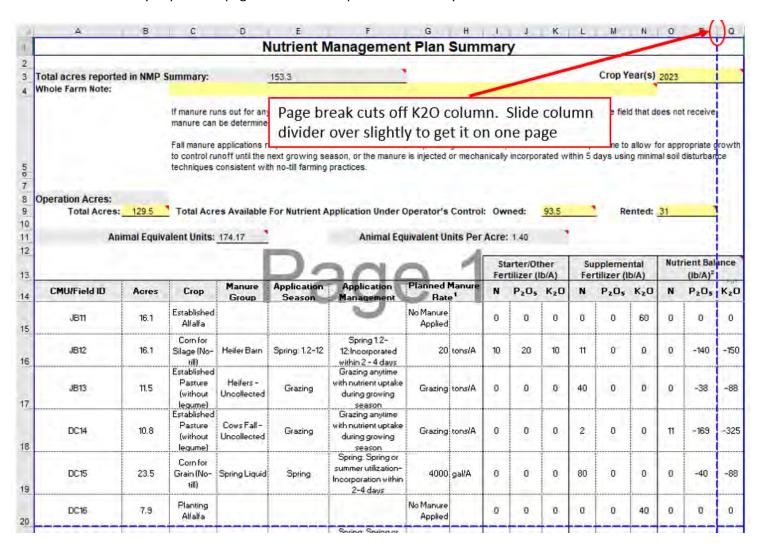
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#### 2.5. Possible Printing issues

Some print drivers will cause the row and column breaks to vary and inadvertently push columns onto a second page. As a last resort try tweaking row width. (be very cautious when doing this.)

Rows and Columns widths can be tweaked to fit on a page. In the example below, the K2O column is cut off the page. The column divider can be slightly adjusted to get back on one page. Contact me if you have page break issues and need help.

Remember that If you print the pages as a PDF then print the PDF file you should not have this issue.



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#### **Purpose:**

This procedure describes how to complete the optional Rainfall Additions Calculator in the Nutrient Management Plan (NMP) spreadsheet. This worksheet will calculate the amount of rainfall or runoff contributing to a manure storage group.

Whether or not you need to use this worksheet will be addressed when you complete the manure group information, (Appendix 3 Input) section. Only liquid manure groups receiving rainfall or runoff and using the "Calculated" inventory method will have the rainfall additions added to the manure group.

This particular worksheet can be accessed by selecting the Animal-Manure Information tab then Rainfall Additions icon on the toolbar ribbon. The tab in the NMP Spreadsheet that looks like this:



Or you can find it using the hyperlink in the NMP spreadsheet Index:

# NMP Spreadsheet Index NMP Version 8.0 2021-10 (2013-2019 Excel)

Appendix 3
Manure Group Information
Input

Manure Analyses Values
Printout

Manure Analyses Values
Printout

Manure Spreader Calibration
Input / Printout

Add additional Farm Animals
Input / Printout

Animal Weight Calculator
Input / Printout

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## **Procedure**

# 1. Determine if the Rainfall Worksheet needs to be completed when completing Appendix 3 Input

Only manure groups that meet the following criteria need the rainfall worksheet completed.

- The Inventory Method selected is "Calculated"
- The liquid manure storage facility receives and retains rainfall or surface runoff is directed to the manure storage facility.

Manure Groups stored as a solid (manure unit designation of lb/ton) won't have rainfall amounts calculated.

If the manure storage inventory method is calculated and will directly receive rainfall or surface runoff, then complete the Rainfall Worksheet.

## 2. Layout of the Rainfall worksheet

3					Rainfall	Worksh	eet			Clear Rainfall V	Vorksheet
Additions ulator	Manure Group	County	Manure Storage Evaporation or No Evaporation	Surface Area Rainfall Directed to Manure Storage	Beginning Month (1-12)	Ending Month (1-12)	Storage Surface Area (Sq. ft.)	Runoff Surface Area (Sq. ft.)	Gallons of rainfall directly on storage	Gallons of rainfall directed to storage	Gallons of rain water added to thi manure group
				Directed to Storage			***	***			
				low cells in a		r each	manure	group.			
				Directed to Storage							
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## 3. Complete the Rainfall Worksheet

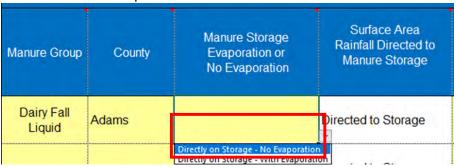
**3.1.** Select the Manure Group from the drop-down list.

Manure Group	County	Manure Storage Evaporation or No Evaporation	Surface Area Rainfall Directed to Manure Storage
,	7		Directed to Storage
Dairy Fall Liquid Dairy Spring Liquid Heifer Bedded Pack			Directed to Storage

**3.2.** County – Select the County from the drop-down list.

County	Manure Storage Evaporation or No Evaporation	Surface Area Rainfall Directed to Manure Storage
		Directed to Storage
Adams	<u>₹</u>	
		County Storage Evaporation or No Evaporation  Adams

**3.3. Manure Storage Evaporation or No Evaporation** – Select the applicable Evaporation or No Evaporation selection from the drop-down list.



**3.4. Beginning / Ending Months** – Enter the manure group beginning and ending months (numeric number) of the collection period. In this example the manure group is applied in the Fall and the collection period is from March to October.

For March enter the month number designation of  ${\bf 3}$ 

For October enter the month number designation of 10

Manure Group	County	Manure Storage Evaporation or No Evaporation	Surface Area Rainfall Directed to Manure Storage	Beginning Month (1-12)	Ending Month (1-12)
Dairy Fall Liquid	Adams	Directly on Storage - No Evaporation	Directed to Storage	3	10

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**3.5. Storage Surface Area** – Calculate and enter the storage surface area. In this example it is a circular storage and has a diameter of 80 ft.

The surface area of a circle is determined by the formula:  $\pi$  \*  $R^2$  or 3.14 X 40 X 40 = 5,024 ft². The gallons of rainfall are automatically calculated after the number is typed and you press the enter key. Additional information for calculating storage surface area can be found in the Nutrient Management Technical Manual, Supplement 8

Manure Group	County	Manure Storage Evaporation or No Evaporation	Surface Area Rainfall Directed to Manure Storage	Beginning Month (1-12)	Ending Month (1-12)	Storage Surface Area (Sq. ft.)
Dairy Fall Liquid	Adams	Directly on Storage - No Evaporation	Directed to Storage	3	10	5,024

**3.6.** Runoff Surface Area – Calculate and enter the runoff surface area. In this example a 75 ft by 75 ft paved dry lot is directed to the manure storage. The surface area calculation is 75 X 75 = 5625 ft<sup>2</sup>. The gallons of rainfall is automatically calculated after the number is typed and you press the enter key.

Additional information of calculating storage surface area can be found in the Nutrient Management Technical Manual, Supplement 8

Manure Group	County	Manure Storage Evaporation or No Evaporation	Surface Area Rainfall Directed to Manure Storage	Beginning Month (1-12)	Ending Month (1-12)	Storage Surface Area (Sq. ft.)	Runoff Surface Area (Sq. ft.)
Dairy Fall Liquid	Adams	Directly on Storage - No Evaporation	Directed to Storage	3	10	5,024	5,625

## 3.7. Rainfall Results

The gallons of rainfall contributing to the manure group will be displayed. This information is automatically transferred to the Appendix 3 Manure Group Information sections.

Manure Group	County	Manure Storage Evaporation or No Evaporation	Surface Area Rainfall Directed to Manure Storage	Beginning Month (1-12)	Ending Month (1-12)	Storage Surface Area (Sq. ft.)	Runoff Surface Area (Sq. ft.)	Gallons of rainfall directly on storage	Gallons of rainfall directed to storage	Gallons of rain water added to this manure group
Dairy Fall Liquid	Adams	Directly on Storage - No Evaporation	Directed to Storage	3	10	5,024	5,625	101,653	63,638	165,291

**3.8. Returning to Appendix 3 Input Sheet** – After you complete the entries in the rainfall worksheet, click on the Manure Group Input Tab in the toolbar ribbon to complete the manure group information.



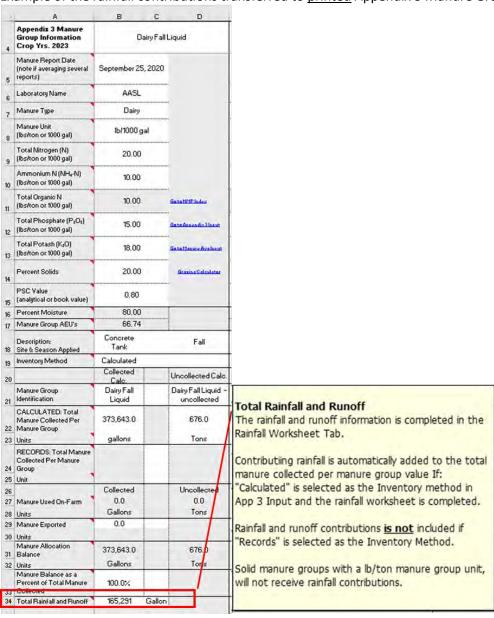
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## 3.9. Manure group rainfall contributions are transferred to Appendix 3 Manure Group Input and printout pages

Example of the rainfall contributions transferred to Appendix 3 Manure Group input worksheet

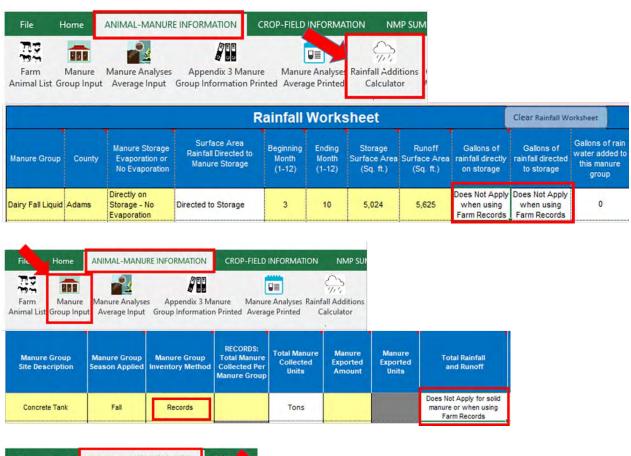
Manure Group Site Description	Manure Group Season Applied	Manure Group Inventory Method	RECORDS: Total Manure Collected Per Manure Group	Total Manure Collected Units	Manure Exported Amount	Manure Exported Units	Total Rainfall and Runoff	Rainfall Units
Concrete Tank	Fall	Calculated		Gallons			165,291	Gallons

Example of the rainfall contributions transferred to printed Appendix 3 Manure Group Information page.



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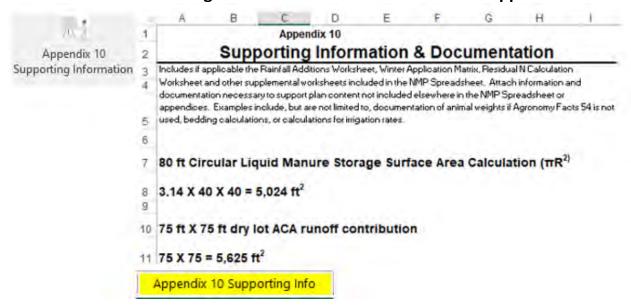
Note: If the Inventory Method is "Records" or the manure group is a solid manure group with the units of lb/ton, you will get a note reminding you that Rainfall does not apply for solid manure or when using farm records.



ı	File Home ANI	ANIMAL-MANURE INFORMATION CRO							
Ar	Farm Manure Ma nimal List Group Input A		opendix 3 Manure Months Information Printed A						
19	Inventory Method	Records							
20		Collected Calc.	Uncollected Calc						
21	Manure Group Identification	Dairy Fall Liquid	Dairy Fall Liquid - uncollected						
	CALCULATED: Total Manure Collected Per Manure Group Units		676.0 Tons						
24	RECORDS: Total Manure Collected Per Manure Group	0.0							
25	Unit	Tons							
26 27 28	Manure Used On-Farm Units	Collected 0.0 Tons	Uncollected 0.0 Tons						
	Manure Exported Units	0.0							
	Manure Allocation Balance Units	0.0 Tons	676.0 Tons						
33	Manure Balance as a Percent of Total Manure Collected								
34	Total Rainfall and Runoff		solid manure or when						

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## 4. Include the manure storage and surface runoff calculations in Appendix 10



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#### **Purpose:**

This procedure describes how to complete the optional Grazing Group Manure Calculator in the Nutrient Management Plan (NMP) spreadsheet. This worksheet will calculate the amount of uncollected manure generated and the weighted average of the manure nutrients deposited on a pasture by grazing animals. The calculations are based on the animal types using the pasture, the number of days, and the hours per day the animals are on the pasture.

It would be useful for a rotational grazing operation where a herd of cattle with cows, calves, a bull, and finishing cattle rotate through a series of pastures during the year.

Another useful example would be for multiple species using the same pasture. It could be the family farm with a few horses, a cow, some sheep, a few goats, a steer, and a flock of chickens all using the same pasture.

Finally, it would be helpful for horse operations with various animal sizes and turnout time on pasture. A horse operation where the animals range from mini's to draft horses and all have different amounts of turnout time on a pasture.

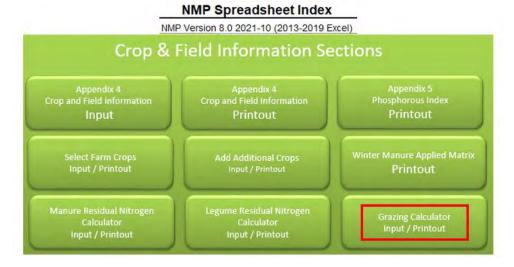
After all the required information is entered, the calculator determines the amount of uncollected manure and manure nutrients deposited on a pasture based book values taken from the Penn State Agronomy Guide and/or Midwest Plan Services. A grazing note is also automatically generated that lists the stocking rate and time on pasture needed to generate the amount of manure determined by the calculator.

Each completed field / grazing group becomes a manure group in Appendix 3.

The Grazing Calculator is meant to replace repetitive multiple manure applications of uncollected manure. It is not intended to be used for multiple manure applications of collected manure.

When the Grazing Calculator is used, it is to be printed and included for submission in Appendix 10.

You can find the Grazing Calculator tab by clicking on the "Grazing Calculator" button in the NMP Spreadsheet Index

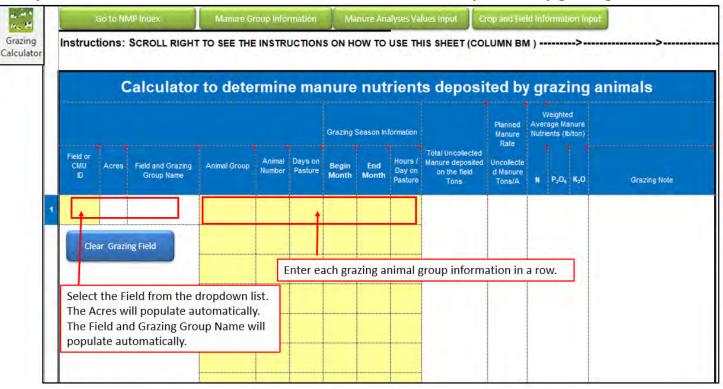


Or click on the Animal-Manure information tab. Select the Farm Animal List icon that looks like this:

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## Layout of the Calculator to determine manure nutrients deposited by grazing animals



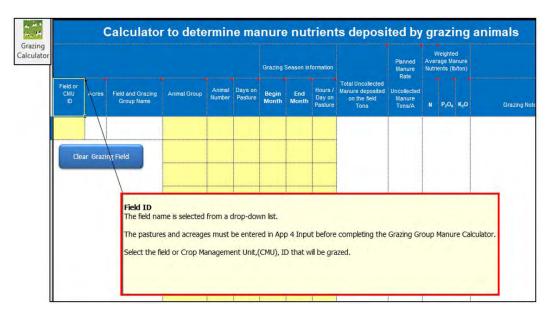
A total of ten pastures can be completed in the grazing calculator.

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#### Helpful notes added in Column Headers

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When you click in the blue column header "Field or CMU ID", the following pop-up box will appear:



## 1. Procedure

#### 1.1. Enter the Field Id

Select the field Id from the dropdown list. If there are no fields available in the dropdown list, then complete the Field Information in App 4 Input up to and including selecting the Field Residual and Carryover Nitrogen for each Pasture before completing the Grazing Manure Calculator.

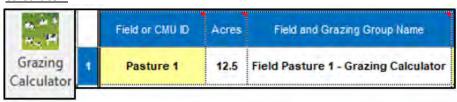
#### 1.2. Field or CMU Id Acres

The field acres will be automatically transferred from Appendix 4 Input.

#### 1.3. Field and Grazing Group Name

The field and grazing group is populated automatically. It will display the Field Id selected from the drop-down list" followed by -Grazing Calculator. The field and grazing group name will eventually be transferred to as a manure group to Appendix 3 Input.

In the example below it is "Field Pasture 1 - Grazing Calculator". A total of ten fields can be completed in the grazing calculator.



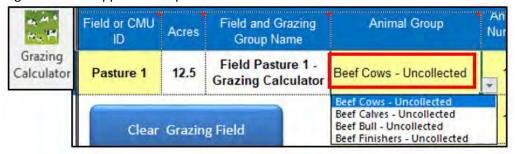
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#### 1.4. Enter the animal group information for the first animal type added to the pasture.

To add the first animal type, select the Animal Group, Animal Weight, days on pasture for a season that corresponds to your manure group season, and hours per day on pasture. If the

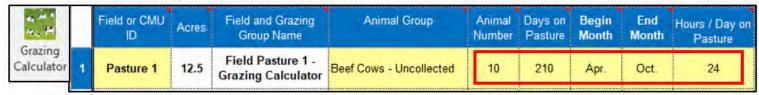
#### 1.4.1. Select the Animal Group from the dropdown list

Select the animal group name from the drop down list. The list only includes Animal Groups with uncollected manure listed in Appendix 3 Input. The Animal Group Name cell will turn red if there is more manure allocated than generated in Appendix 3 Input.

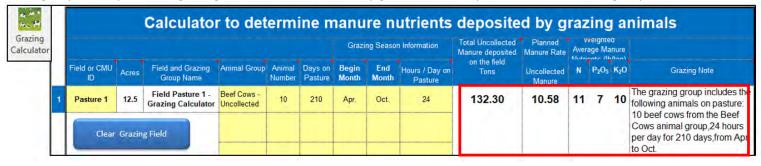


#### 1.4.2. Complete the number of animals for the animal group and the grazing season information

Complete the Animal Number, Days on Pasture, the Beginning and Ending Months, and the Hours per Day the animals will be on that pasture.



**1.4.3.** The manure production amounts and nutrient value are automatically generated the information for each animal group is completed. A grazing note is also automatically generated after you enter each animal group.



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## 1.5. Complete the remaining animal groups using the pasture during the specified time frame

In this example, the Calves, Bull, and Finisher cattle graze on the same field. All of the animal groups using the pasture are listed. In the screenshot below, the uncollected manure applications, from the Cows, Calves, Bull, and Finisher Animal Groups have been combined to generate one set of manure production values for the group. The total amount of manure generated by the grazing group, and the uncollected manure tons/A is automatically populated. The grazing note lists all the animal groups, hours per day, number of days on this pasture, and the grazing season.

	Field or CMU Acres					Grazing Season Information			Total Uncollected Manure deposited	Manure Rate Uncollected	Weighted Average Manure Nutrients (lb/ton)		nure		
		Acres	Field and Grazing Group Name	Animal Group			Begin Month	End Month	Hours / Day on Pasture	on the field Tons	Manure Tons/A	N	P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	K₂O	Grazing Note
1	Pasture 1	12.5	Field Pasture 1 - Grazing Calculator	Beef Cows - Uncollected	10	210	Apr.	Oct.	24	222.29	17.78	12	6	9	The grazing group includes the following animals on pasture: 10 beef cows from the Beef Cows animal group,24 hours per day for 210 days,from Ap
	Clear	Grazin	ng Field	Beef Calves - Uncollected	10	210	Apr.	Oct.	24						
				Beef Bull - Uncollected	1	210	Apr.	Oct.	24						to Oct. 10 beef calves fro the Beef Calves animal
				Beef Finishers - Uncollected	10	210	Apr.	Oct.	24						
															group,24 hours per day for 21 days,from Apr. to Oct. 10 beef finishers from the Beef Finishers animal group,24 hours per day for 210 days,from Apr. to Oct.

## 1.6. Complete the grazing information for additional pastures

Up to ten pastures can be completed in the grazing calculator. There is a blue number next to each pasture that can be completed to help keep track of the pasture being used.

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## 2. Summary of Total Uncollected Manure.

**2.1.** A Summary of the Animal Group days on pasture, tons of manure allocated and generated is automatically populated. T

The Generated values are taken from Appendix 3 Animal Group Uncollected manure amounts.

The goal is to allocate the same amount of uncollected manure that is generated for each animal group.

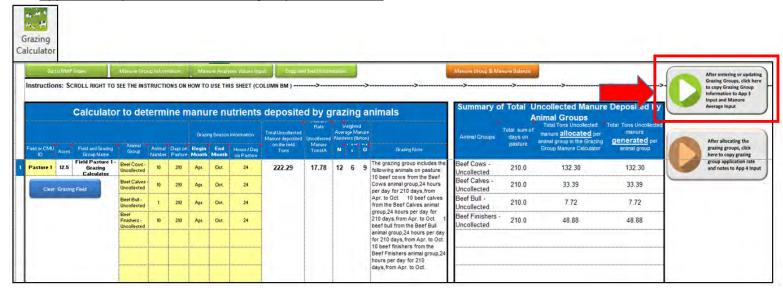
This is achieved by allocating animal numbers and days on each pasture for each animal group.

Summary of Total Uncollected Manure Deposited by Animal Groups													
Animal Groups	Total sum of days on pasture	Total Tons Uncollected manure <u>allocated</u> per animal group in the Grazing Group Manure Calculator	Total Tons Uncollecte manure <b>generated</b> per animal group										
Beef Cows - Uncollected	210.0	132.30	132.30										
Beef Calves - Uncollected	210.0	33.39	33.39										
Beef Bull - Uncollected	210.0	7.72	7.72										
Beef Finishers - Uncollected	210.0	48.88	48.88										

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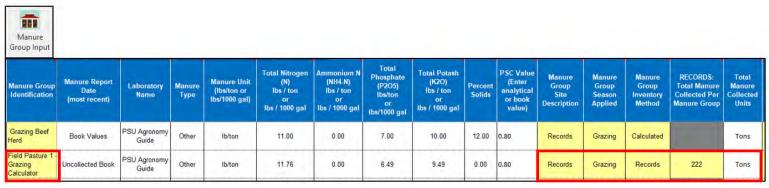
# 3. Transfer the completed information into Appendix 3 Input Worksheet

**3.1.** After the Grazing Group information is completed then <u>click on the green arrow to transfer the information to Appendix 3 Input and Manure Average Input Worksheets.</u>



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**3.2.** This will create a grazing manure group in Appendix 3 Input. The amount of uncollected manure on the pasture is listed as Records.



**3.3.** The Manure Analyses Average Input sheet will be automatically updated as well with the grazing group uncollected based on PSU Agronomy Guide values.

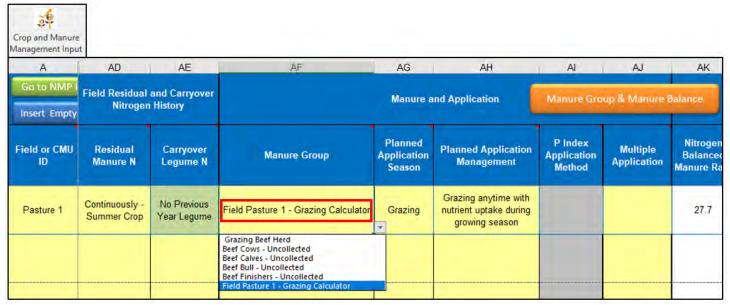
Manure Analyses Average Input											
Manure Group Identification	Year	Manure Analysis Report Date (Most recent in bold)	Laboratory Name	Manure Type	Manure Unit (lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	Total Nitrogen (N) (lbs/ton or	Ammonium N (NH <sub>4</sub> -N) (Ibs/ton or 1000 gal)	Total Phosphate (P <sub>z</sub> O <sub>5</sub> ) (lbs/ton or	Total Potash (K <sub>2</sub> O) (lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	Percent Solids	PSC Value (Enter analytical or book value)
Grazing Beef Herd	Average	Book Values	PSU Agronomy Guide	Other	lb/ton	11.00	0.00	7.00	10.00	12.00	0.80
Add 1 Year	1 year ago 2 years ago 3 years ago	Book Values	PSU Agronomy Guide	Other	lb/ton	11.00	0.00	7.00	10.00	12.00	0.80
Clear all Years	4 years ago 5 years ago				<u> </u>						
Field Pasture 1 - Grazing Calculator	Average	Uncollected Book	PSU Agronomy Guide	Other	lb/ton	11.76	0.00	6.49	9.49	0.00	0.80
Add 1 Year	1 year ago 2 years ago	Uncollected Book	PSU Agronomy Guide	Other	lb/ton	11.76	0.00	6.49	9.49	0.00	0.80
Clear all Years	3 years ago 4 years ago 5 years ago										

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### 4. Complete the Manure and Application Section in App 4 Input

**4.1.** Enter the Grazing Manure Group.

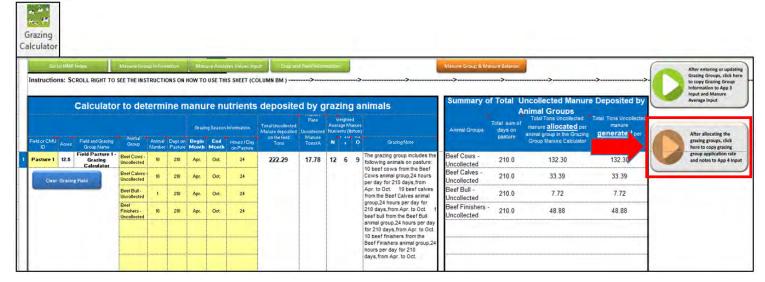
This is where you select the grazing groups created in the Grazing Calculator. In this example, four animal groups of Cows, Calves, Steers, and a bull using this pasture were combined into one grazing group to determine the manure applied to this pasture. This eliminates using multiple manure applications when more than one animal group uses a pasture.



Note: You must select the grazing group name in Appendix 4 Input that is using the pasture. The planned application of season must be selected too. The next step will not work if you don't have this information completed.

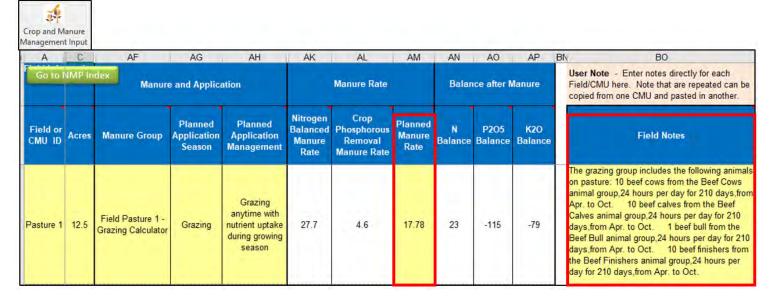
## 5. Transfer the completed information into Appendix 4 Input Worksheet

**5.1.** Click on the orange/brown = button <u>in the Grazing Calculator</u> to transfer the calculated manure application rates and grazing notes into App 4 Input.



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**5.2.** The planned manure rate and grazing note will be transferred to App 4 Input



# 5.3. Complete any additional information in App 4 Input

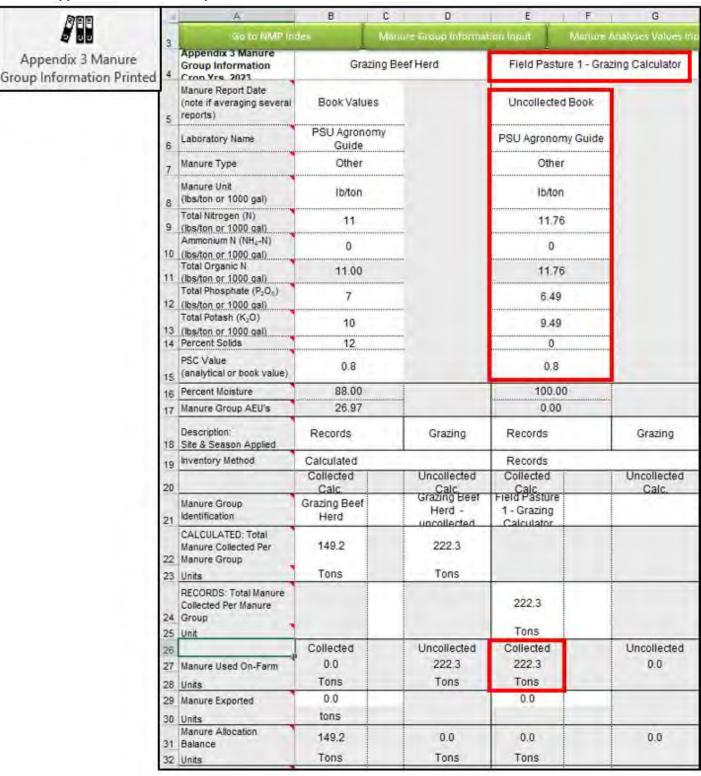
Complete the any needed information such as Supplemental Fertilizer, P Index information.

Additional field notes can be added. For example, where the pastured animals are fed and watered.

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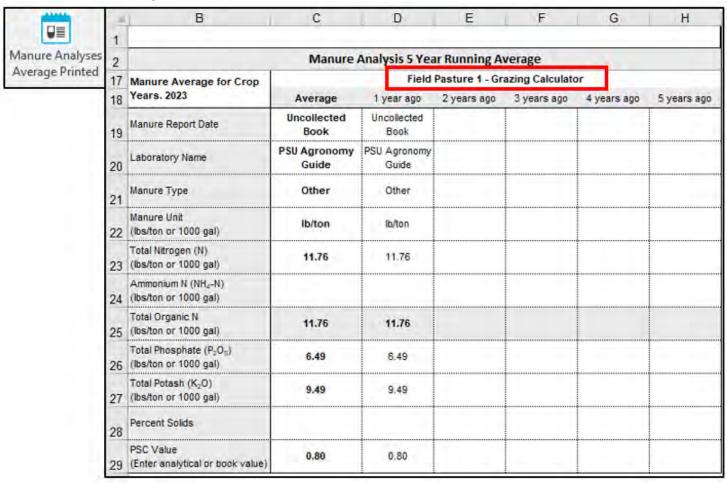
# 6. Examples of how the Information created in the Grazing Calculator appear in the Printed Sections of a NMP

6.1. Appendix 3 Manure Group Information Printout



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#### **6.2.** Manure Average Printout



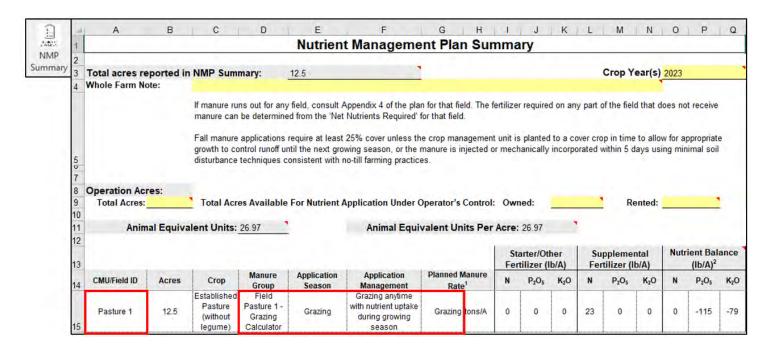
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### 6.3. Appendix 4 Crop & Manure Management Printout

7.0	4	A	В	С	D		
Crop and Manure	1	App. 4: Crop Yrs. 2023		Pasture 1			
Janagement Input	2	CMU/Field ID	1				
	3	Acres		12.5			
	4	Soil Test Report Date	1	October 15, 20	16		
	5	Laboratory Name		AASL			
	6	Soil Test Levels (Mehlich-3 P & K)	ppm P	ppmK	pH		
	1	(Show conversions to ppm in Appendix 10)	56	j 75	6,2		
	8	PIndex Part A Evaluation		No to All Part A			
	9	Par A Besult	1	NBased			
1.14	10	Crop	Establishe	d Pasture (with			
114	11	PlannedYield		2	tor/A		
	12	PSU Soil Test Recommendation (Ib/A)	N	P205	K2D		
	13		100	0	90		
	14	User Soil Test Recommendation (Ib/A)					
	15	Other Nutrients Applied (lb/A) (Nutrients applied regardless of manure)	0	0	0		
	1000	P Index Application Method		,, <del>1</del>	b		
	17	Double Crop CarryOver N (Ib/A)	0	···			
	m	Manure History Description Residual Manure N (Ib/A)	Continuously Crop	sly - Summer			
	20	Legume History Description Residual Legume N (lb/A)	0	No Previous Legume	Year		
	21	Net Nutrients Required (Ib/A)	85	0	90		
	22	Manure Group Field Pasture 1 - Grazing Calcula					
	23	Application Season: Management (Incorporation, cover crops, etc.)		nytime with nut ing growing se	nutrient uptake Iseason		
9.1	24		Total N	NH4-N	Org. N		
	25	Availability Factors (Total Nor NH4-N & Organic N)	0.20				
9.1	26	P Index Application Method					
A 1	1000	N Balanced Manure Rate (ton; gal/A)	27	7 tons/A			
7	27 28	P Removal Balance Manure Rate		4.6	tons/A		
	29	(ton or gal/A: If required by Pindex)	Crop P Rem	noval (lb/A)	30.0		
	30	P Index Value					
	31	Planned Manure Rate (ton or gal/A).	11	17.78	17.78 tonsIA		
	32	Nutrients Applied at Planned Manure Rate (lb/A)	42	115	169		
	33	Nutrient Balance after Manure	23	-115	-79		
	34	Supplemental Fertilizer (Ib/A)	23	0	0		
	35	P Index Application Method	+		L		
	20		0	115	-79		
	36	Final Nutrient Balance (lb/A)	u	-115	-13		
	36	Final Nutrient Balance (Ib/A)  Multiple Application	U	-113			

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#### **6.4.** NMP Summary Printout



#### 6.5. NMP Summary Notes Printout



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### 6.6. Printout of Field Specific Grazing Group

When the grazing calculator is used then it must be printed for submission in Appendix 10.

g to							Grazi	ng Seasor	n Information	Total Uncollected Manure deposited		Aver	Veight age M ents (I	anure			
	leld or CMU ID	Acres	Field and Grazing Group Name	Animal Group	Animal Number	Days on Pasture	Begin Month	End Month	Hours / Day on Pasture	on the field Tons	Manure Tons/A	N	P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	K <sub>2</sub> O	Grazing Note		
	Pasture 1	12.5	Field Pasture 1 - Grazing Calculator	Beef Cows - Uncollected	10	210	Apr.	Oct.	24	222.29	17.78	12	6	9	The grazing group includes the following animals on pasture:		
				Beef Calves - Uncollected	10	210	Apr.	Oct.	24						10 beef cows from the Beef Cows animal group,24 hours per day for 210 days,from Apr.		
				Beef Bull - Uncollected	1	210	Арг	Oct.	24						to Oct. 10 beef calves from the Beef Calves animal		
				Beef Finishers - Uncollected	10	210	Apr.	Oct.	24						group,24 hours per day for 210 days,from Apr. to Oct. 1 beef bull from the Beef Bull animal		
															group,24 hours per day for 210 days,from Apr. to Oct. 10 beef finishers from the Beef		
															Finishers animal group,24 hours per day for 210		
								4							days,from Apr. to Oct.		
										,							
									1								

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### 6.7. Summary of grazing days and Uncollected Manure in the Grazing Calculator

Summary	of Total U	Incollected Manure	Deposited by
Animal Groups	Total sum of days on pasture	Total Tons Uncollected manure <u>allocated</u> per animal group in the Grazing Group Manure Calculator	Total Tons Uncollected manure <b>generated</b> per animal group
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# **Revision History (Delete before publishing)**

Date	Description of Significant Changes
October 17, 2017	First issue of the document.
June 2018	The screenshots were updated to account for updates in NMP Version 6.2.  Section 1.3 - The field and grazing group name is now populated automatically.
October 2021	Updated screenshots. Clarified guidance. Added emphasis to sections.

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### **Overview and Purpose:**

There are two ways to determine the amount of residual manure nitrogen. These options are outlined in the Penn State Agronomy Guide. Both options rely on the manure application history, particularly the frequency of manure application provided by the operator for each field. This is noted as the number of years out of the past five years that a field has received manure. In addition, option 2 requires the type of manure, the manure analysis and the application rates for each year in the past 5 that manure was applied to a field.

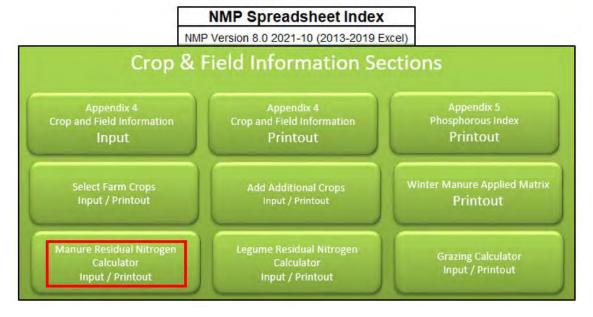
Option 1 uses the Penn State Agronomy Guide, Table 1.2-11B. This method is commonly called the "Total N Method". Based on the frequency of manure application over the past five years the appropriate residual nitrogen value is determined.

Option 2 uses the Penn State Agronomy Guide, Table 1.2-12.

This method provides a more refined estimate of residual manure nitrogen that utilizes the chemical manure analysis that provides the amount of ammonium N and organic N in the manure to calculate the amount of residual nitrogen. This method is commonly called the "N Fractions Method". The Manure N Residual Calculator that must be completed for Option 2 and must be included in Appendix 10: Supporting Information and Documentation.

This procedure describes how to complete the optional Residual N Calculator for determining the manure residual nitrogen in a Nutrient Management Plan (NMP) using the "N Fractions Method".

You can find Residual N Calculator Worksheet tabs by looking for the hyper link in the NMP Spreadsheet Index

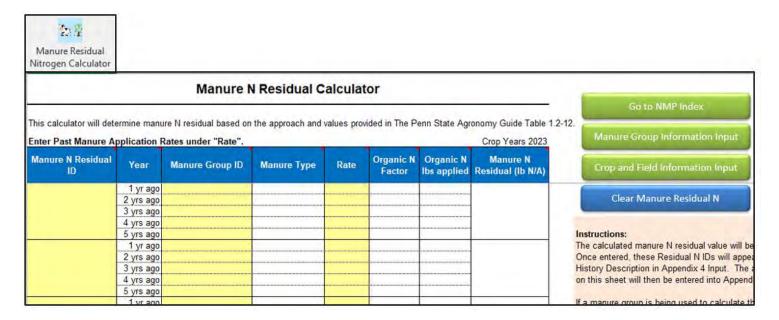


Or look for the toolbar ribbon at the top of your screen. The Manure Residual Nitrogen Calculator Icon looks like this:



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### **Layout of the Manure Residual Nitrogen Calculator**



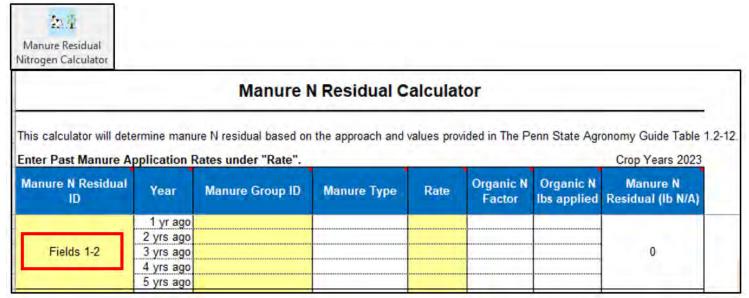
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#### 1. Procedure

#### 1.1. Enter the Manure N Residual ID

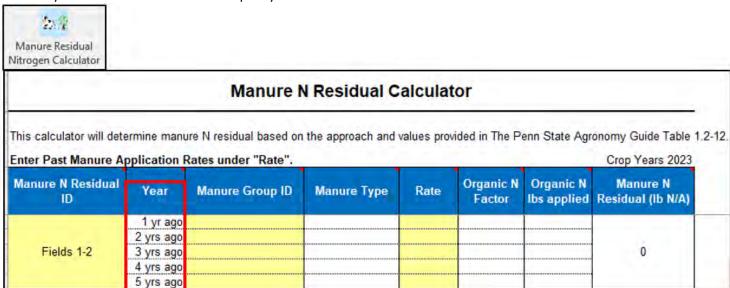
Enter a name that best describes the manure N history. For example, fields 1-2. The text "Manure N Residual 5 Yr History" will be added to the name that will appear in Appendix 4 Input.



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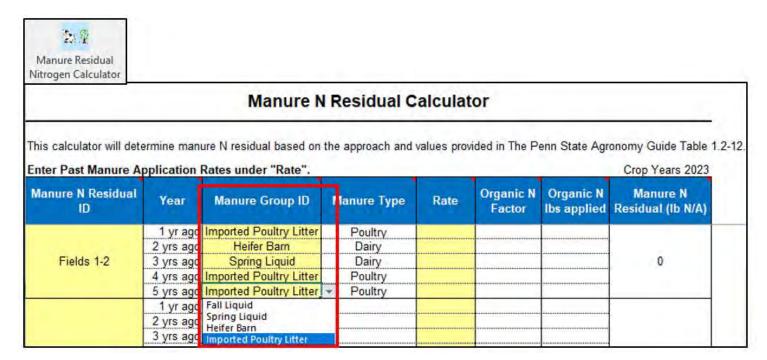
#### 1.2. Year

Each year is the timeframe from the plan year.



#### 1.3. Manure Group ID

The manure group names are selected drop-down list. They are the manure groups created in Appendix 3 Input sheet. For a manure group is not part of the current NMP, enter the manure group Id in Appendix 3 Input tab and the manure nutrient information in the Manure Average Input tab. The manure group selected must have the manure analysis values completed or the calculator won't work. An example might be imported Poultry Litter.

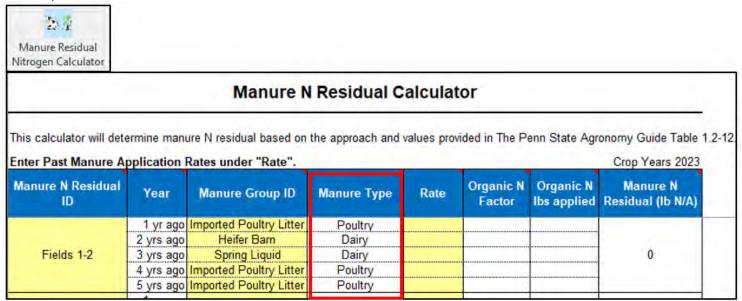


**Note:** An example Appendix 3 Manure Group Information sheet is attached at the end of this document listing the manure groups and analysis information used to complete the manure N residual calculator.

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#### 1.4. Manure Type

The manure type will be automatically transferred from Manure Average Input sheet. The manure type must be completed for the calculations to work.



#### 1.5. Rate

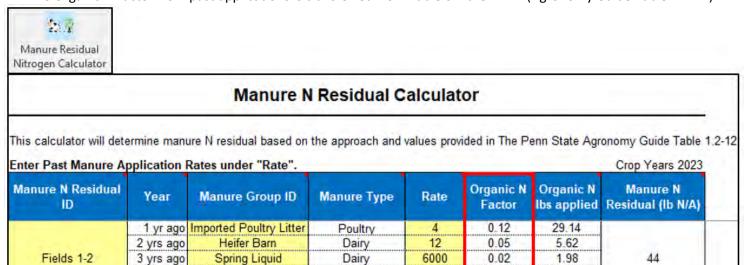
Enter the manure rate applied for the year listed. Don't enter the units (tons/Acre or gallons/Acre). For example, if poultry litter was applied one year ago at a rate of 4 tons/Acres then enter only 4. Don't enter the units of ton/A.

A	В	C	D	E
		Manure N Re	esidual Calcul	ator
This calculator will dete		N residual based on the approaces under "Rate".	h and values provided	in The F
Manure N Residual ID	Year	Manure Group ID	Manure Type	Rate
		Manure Group ID  Imported Poultry Litter	Manure Type Poultry	Rate 4
ID	1 yr ago			Rate 4 12
ID Fields 1-2 Manure N	1 yr ago 2 yrs ago	Imported Poultry Litter	Poultry	4 12 6000
ID	1 yr ago	Imported Poultry Litter Heifer Barn	Poultry Dairy	4 12

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#### 1.6.N Factor

The Organic N Factor from past applications is transferred from Table 6in the NMP. (Agronomy Guide Table 1.2-12)



Poultry

Poultry

0.02

0.01

4

4

4.86

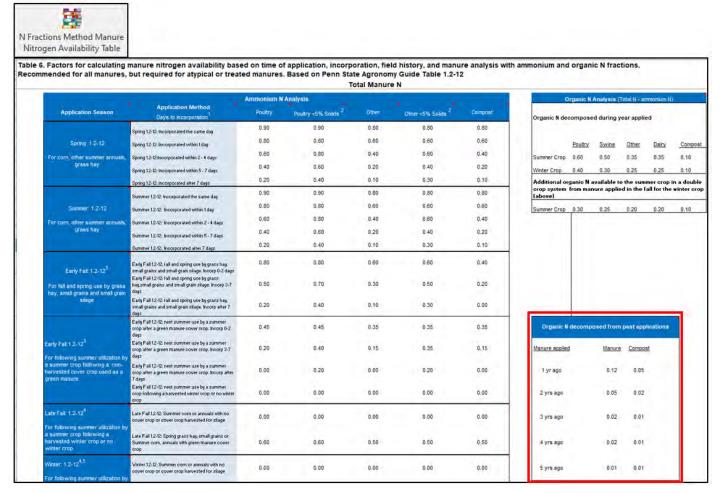
2.43

The Organic N factors are listed in Table 6 of the Excel NMP.

5 yrs ago

4 yrs ago Imported Poultry Litter

Imported Poultry Litter



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#### 1.7. Organic N lbs. applied

The amount of residual organic nitrogen applied during the year applied is calculated for each manure applied for up to five previous years.



### Manure N Residual Calculator

This calculator will determine manure N residual based on the approach and values provided in The Penn State Agronomy Guide Table 1.2-12

Enter Past Manure A	nter Past Manure Application Rates under "Rate".								
Manure N Residual ID	Year	Manure Group ID	Manure Type	Rate		Organic N lbs applied	Manure N Residual (lb N/A)		
	1 yr ago	Imported Poultry Litter	Poultry	4	0.12	29.14			
	2 yrs ago	Heifer Barn	Dairy	12	0.05	5.62			
Fields 1-2	3 yrs ago	Spring Liquid	Dairy	6000	0.02	1.98	44		
	4 yrs ago	Imported Poultry Litter	Poultry	4	0.02	4.86	1.00		
	5 yrs ago	Imported Poultry Litter	Poultry	4	0.01	2.43			

In the example above the application rate for each previous year is multiplied by the manure group organic N then multiplied by the Organic N Factor to determine the pounds of organic nitrogen applied in that year.

(See Section 4.1 of this document for the Appendix 3 Manure Group Information)

Example Calculation for Fields 1-2 Manure N Residual History

#### 1 year ago Imported Poultry Litter manure applied

$$\frac{4 \text{ tons poultry litter}}{1 \text{ acre}} \times \frac{60.70 \text{ lbs Organic Nitrogen}}{1 \text{ ton poultry litter}} \times 0.12 \text{ Organ}$$

 $\times$  0.12  $Organic\ N\ Factor = 29.14\ lbs\ Organic\ N\ lbs.$  applied

#### 2 years ago Heifer Barn manure applied

$$\frac{12 tons \, Heifer \, Barn}{1 \, acre} \times \frac{9.36 \, lbs \, Organic \, Nitrogen}{1 \, ton \, Heifer \, Barn}$$

 $\times$  0.05 Organic N Factor = 5.62 lbs Organic N lbs. applied

#### 3 years ago Spring Liquid manure applied

$$\frac{6000 \ gallons \ Spring \ Liquid}{1 \ acre} \times \frac{16.5 \ lbs \ Organic \ Nitrogen}{1000 \ gallons \ Spring \ Liquid} \times 0.02 \ Organic \ N \ Factor = 1.98 \ lbs \ Organic \ N \ lbs. \ applied$$

#### 4 years ago Imported Poultry Litter manure applied

$$\frac{\text{4 tons Poultry Litter}}{\text{1 acre}} \times \frac{\text{60.70 lbs Organic Nitrogen}}{\text{1 ton Poultry Litter}} \times 0.02 \ \textit{Organic N Factor} = 4.86 \ \textit{lbs Organic N lbs.} \ \text{applied}$$

#### 5 years ago Imported Poultry Litter manure applied

$$\frac{\text{4 tons Poultry Litter}}{\text{1 acre}} \times \frac{\text{60.70 lbs Organic Nitrogen}}{\text{1 ton Poultry Litter}} \times 0.01 \ \textit{Organic N Factor} = 2.43 \ \textit{lbs Organic N} \ \text{lbs. applied}$$

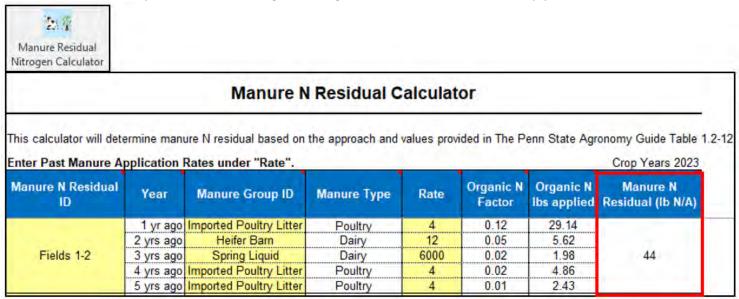
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5-year Residual Manure Organic Nitrogen Manure Applied (rounded)

44 lbs Organic N lbs. applied

#### 1.8. Manure N Residual (lb. Nitrogen/Acre)

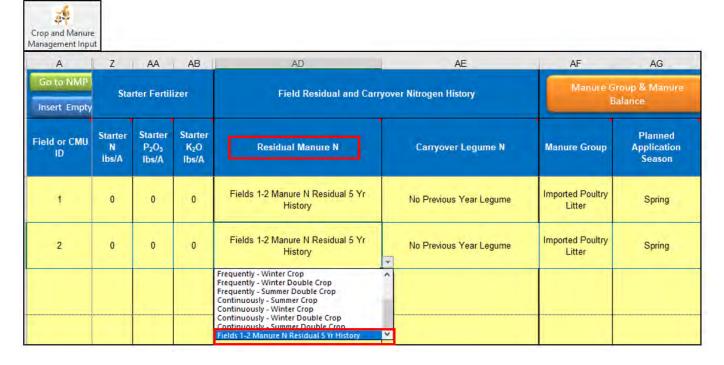
The value is the sum of the residual manure nitrogen from up to five years of manure application. In the example below, a total of 41 pounds of residual organic nitrogen is available in the current crop year.



### 2. Selecting manure nitrogen history in Appendix 4 Input

#### 2.1. Residual Manure Nitrogen

The completed Residual Manure Nitrogen group will be available as a selection at the bottom of the Residual Manure N drop-down list.



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# 3. Appendix 4 Crop & Manure Management Printout

The newly created manure residual group and pounds of available organic nitrogen will be displayed in the manure history description.

1	3	Α.	В	C	D	E	F	G	
Appendix 4 Crop and	1	App. 4: Crop Yrs. 2023		1			2		
Manure Management Printed	2	CMU/Field ID	)						
	3	Acres	10.0			10.0			
	4	Soll Test Report Date		Ocrober 2, 20	16	-	Dotober 2, 20	16	
	5	Laboratory Name	AASL				AASL	·	
	6	Soil Test Levels (Mehlich-3 P & K) (Show conversions to ppm in Appendix 10)	ppmP	ppmK	pH	ppmP	ppmK	pH	
	1		121	150	6.8	121 150 6.8			
	8.	PIndex Part A Evaluation		No to All Part A	1	1	Vo to All Part A		
	9	Part A Result		NBased			NBased		
	10	Crop		Corn for Silag		Comfor Silage			
	11	Planned Yield			l ton/A		+	I ton/A	
	12	PSU Soil Test Recommendation (Ib/A)	N	P205	K20	N	P205	K20	
	13		160	0	90	160	0	30	
	14	User Soil Test Recommendation (Ib/A)							
	15	Other Nutrients Applied (Ib/A) [Nutrients applied regardless of manure)	0	O	.0	0	0	0	
	16								
	17	Double Crop Carry Over N (Ib/A)	0	1		0			
	18	Manure History Description Residual Manure N (Ib/A)	44	Fields 1-2 M Residual 5 \		44	Fields 1-2 M. Residual 5 Y		
	20	Legume History Description Residual Legume N (Ib/A)	0	No Previous Legume	Yest	0	No Previous Year Legume		
	and the second	Net Nutrients Required (Ib/A)	116	0	:90.	116	0	90	
	22	Manute Group	Imported Poultry Litter			Imported Poultry Litter			
	23	Application Season: Management Incorporation, cover crops, etc.)	Spring: Spring or summer utilization- Incorporation after 7 days or none			Spring: Spring or summer utilization- Incorporation after 7 days or none			
	24	\$2.50e.	Total N	NH4-N	Org. N	Total N	NH4-N	Org. N	
	25	Availability Factors (Total Nor NH4-N& Organic N)	0.15			0.15			
	26	P Index Application Method		-2		1			
	Share	N Balanced Manure Rate (ton, gal/A)	10.5	5 tons/A		10.5	tons/A		
	(190.4e)	P Removal Balance Manuse Rate			tons/A	14 tons/A			
	29	(ton or gallA; If required by Pinder)	Crop P Rem		84.0	Crop P Rem		84.0	
	1000	Pindex Value	Crop r rien	iovarijo irij	04.0	Copt tien	ova (DIN)		
	30					-			
	31		4.4		tons/A		··········	tonsIA	
	)/8088	Nutrients Applied at Planned Manure Rate (Ib/A)	44	238	193	44	238	193	
	33		72	-238	-103	72	-238	-103	
	34	Supplemental Fertilizer (Ib/A)	75	0	0	81	0	0	
	35	P Index Application Method			,				
	36	Final Nutrient Balance (lb/A)	-3	-238	-103	-9/	-238	-103	
	37	Multiple Application							
	38	Manure Utilized on CMU		40	tons	1	40	tons	

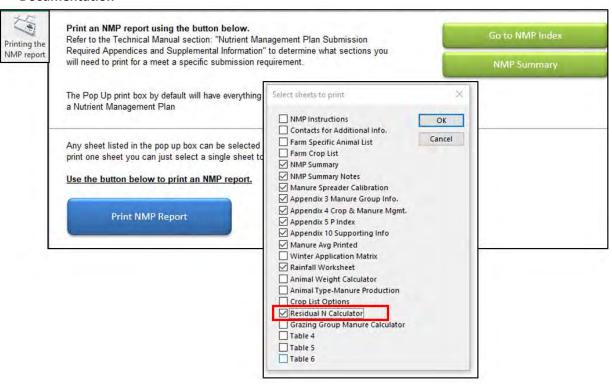
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### 4. Supplemental Information

**4.1.** Appendix 3 Manure Group Information for use in section 1.7 calculation

Appendix 3 Manure Group Information Print				
Appendix 3 Manure Group Information Crop Yrs. 2023	Fall Liquid	Spring Liquid	Heifer Barn	Imported Poultry Litter
Manure Report Date (note if averaging several reports)	10/1/2021	3/31/2021	3/20/2021	10/1/2021
Laboratory Name	AASL	AASL	AASL	AASL
Manure Type	Dairy	Dairy	Dairy	Poultry
Manure Unit Ibs/ton or 1000 gal)	lb/1000 gal	lb/1000 gal	lb/ton	lb/ton
Fotal Nitrogen (N) lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	27	25	11	73.42
Ammonium N (NH <sub>4</sub> -N) lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	9.8	8.5	1.64	12.72
Total Organic N Ibs/ton or 1000 gal)	17.20	16.50	9.36	60.70
Fotal Phosphate (P₂O₅) lbs/ton or 1000 gal)	12	10	6	59.41
Fotal Potash (K₂O) Ibs/ton or 1000 gal)	23	22	7	48.31
Percent Solids	6.4	5.7	34.7	54
PSC Value (analytical or book value)	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.54

4.2. Print the Residual N Calculator for submission and include in Appendix 10: Supporting Information and Documentation



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#### 4.3. Printed Residual N Calculator



### Manure N Residual Calculator

This calculator will determine manure N residual based on the approach and values provided in The Penn State Agronomy Guide Table 1.2-12.

Enter Past Manure Application Rates under "Rate".

Crop Years 2023

Manure N Residual ID	Year	Manure Group ID	Manure Type	Rate		Organic N lbs applied	Manure N Residual (Ib N/A
	1 yr ago	Imported Poultry Litter	Poultry	4	0.12	29.14	
	2 yrs ago	Heifer Barn	Dairy	12	0.05	5.62	
Fields 1-2	3 yrs ago	Spring Liquid	Dairy	6000	0.02	1.98	44
	4 yrs ago	Imported Poultry Litter	Poultry	4	0.02	4.86	
	5 yrs ago	Imported Poultry Litter	Poutry	4	0.01	2.43	

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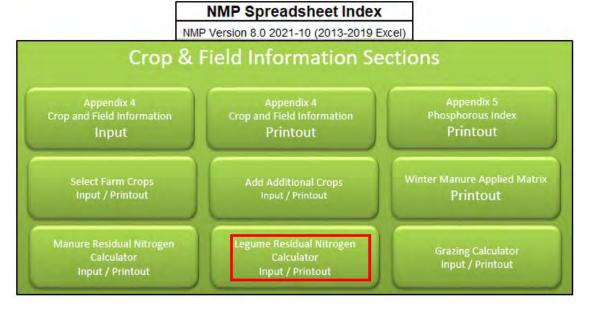
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### **Overview and Purpose:**

This procedure describes how to add a legume to the Legume Residual Nitrogen Calculator for determining the legume residual nitrogen in a Nutrient Management Plan (NMP.

You can find Residual N Calculator Worksheet tabs by looking for the hyper link in the NMP Spreadsheet Index

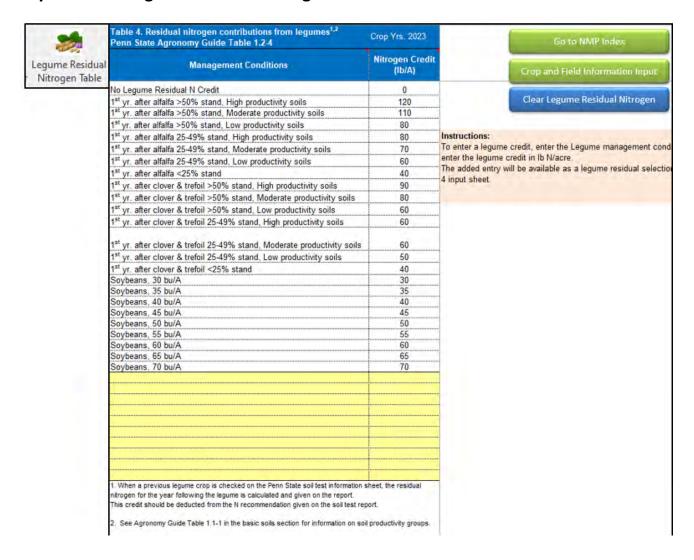


Or look for the toolbar ribbon at the top of your screen. The Legume Residual Nitrogen Table Icon looks like this:



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### **Layout of the Legume Residual Nitrogen Table**



### **Helpful notes added in Column Headers**

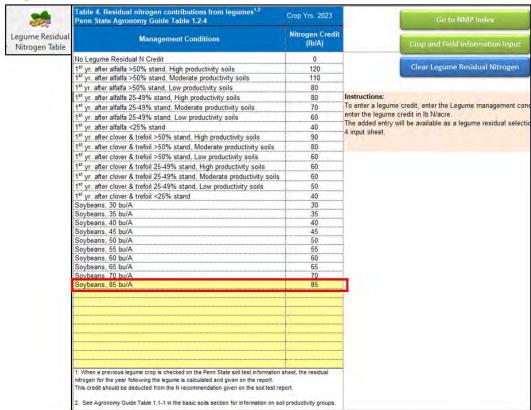
The blue column headers cells with red triangles have helpful notes included to help you understand what needs to be entered or what the cell data is used for. Where you see a red triangle in the cell, there is a note to help explain what should be entered in that column.

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#### 1. Procedure

#### 1.1. Enter Legume Residual Management Condition

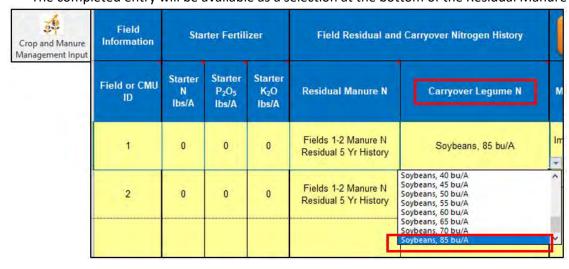
If a legume isn't listed, then enter the legume name in the first available yellow cell below and the nitrogen credit assigned.



# 2. Selecting legume nitrogen history in Appendix 4 Input

#### 2.1. Residual Legume Nitrogen Selection

The completed entry will be available as a selection at the bottom of the Residual Manure N drop-down list.



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# 3. Appendix 4 Crop & Manure Management Printout

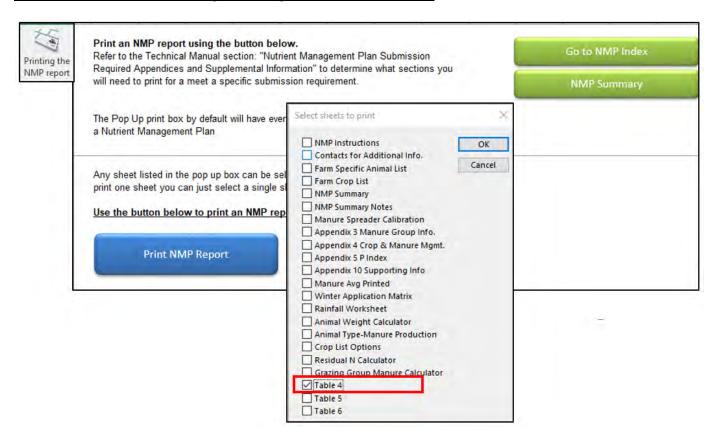
The newly created legume residual scenario and pounds of available organic nitrogen will be displayed in the manure history description.

/	194	A	В	C	D		
18##	+	App. 4: Crop Yrs. 2023		6			
Appendix 4 Crop and	12	CMU/Field ID		4.5			
anure Management Printed	3	Acres	10.0				
	4	Soil Test Report Date		Databer 2, 2016			
	5	Laboratory Name	AASL				
	6	Soil Test Levels (Mehlich-3P&K)	ppm P	ppmK	pH		
	7	(Show conversions to ppm in Appendix 10)	121	150	6.8		
	8	PIndex Part A Evaluation		No to All Part A	4		
	9	Part A Result	ļ	NBased			
	10	Crop	ļ	Corn for Silag			
	11	PlannedYield	ļ <u>.</u>		1 ton/A		
	12	PSU Soil Test Recommendation (Ib/A)	N	P205	K20		
	13		160	0.	90		
	14	User Soil Test Recommendation (Ib/A)					
	15	Other Nutrients Applied (lb/A) (Nutrients applied regardless of manure)	0	0	0		
	18	P Index Application Method			4		
	(65)	Double Crop CarryOver N (Ib/A)	0	Ī			
		Manure History Description		Fields 1-2 M	Marvare N		
	18	Residual Manure N (lb/A)	44	Residual 51			
	20	Legume History Description Residual Legume N (Ib/A)		85 Soybeans, 85 bul A			
	21	Net Nutrients Required (Ib/A)	31	0	90		
	22	Manure Group	Spring Liquid  Spring: Spring or summer utilization Incorporation after 7 days or none				
	23	Application Season; Management Uncorporation, cover crops, etc.)					
	24	Availability Factors	Total N	NH4-N	Org. N		
	25	(Total Nor NH4-N & Organic N)	0,20				
	26	P Index Application Method			c		
	27	N Balanced Manure Rate (ton; gal/A)	620	0 gal/A			
	28	P Removal Balance Manure Rate		8400	) gal/A		
	29	(ton or gal/A; If required by P (ndex)	Crop P Ren	noval (Ib/A)	84.0		
	30	P Index Value					
	31	Planned Manure Rate (ton or galfA)	1	4000	gal/A		
	32	Nutrients Applied at Planned Manuse Rate (Ib/A)	20	40	88		
	500	Nutrient Balance after Manure	- 11	-40	2		
	10/3	Supplemental Fertilizer (Ib/A)	11	0	0		
	De						
	36	Final Nutrient Balance (lb/A)	0	-40	2		
	37	Multiple Application					
	1000	Manure Utilized on CMU		40.000	gallons		
	33 34 35 36 37 38	Supplemental Fertilizer (Ib/A) P Index Application Method Final Nutrient Balance (Ib/A)	11	-40			

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- 4. Supplemental Information
- 4.1. Print the Residual Legume N Calculator for submission and include in Appendix 10: Supporting Information and Documentation

The check box for the residual legume nitrogen table is called Table 4



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#### 4.2. Printed Residual N Calculator



Table 4. Residual nitrogen contributions from legumes 1,2
Penn State Agronomy Guide Table 1.2-4
Crop Yrs. 2023

Management Conditions	Nitrogen Credit (Ib/A)
No Legume Residual N Credit	0
1st yr. after alfalfa >50% stand, High productivity soils	120
1st yr. after alfalfa >50% stand, Moderate productivity soils	110
1 <sup>st</sup> yr. after alfalfa >50% stand, Low productivity soils	80
1 <sup>st</sup> yr. after alfalfa 25-49% stand, High productivity soils	80
1st yr. after alfalfa 25-49% stand, Moderate productivity soils	70
st yr. after alfalfa 25-49% stand, Low productivity soils	60
st vr. after alfalfa <25% stand	40
st yr. after clover & trefoil >50% stand, High productivity soils	90
<sup>st</sup> yr. after clover & trefoil >50% stand, Moderate productivity soils	80
st yr. after clover & trefoil >50% stand, Low productivity soils	60
(st yr. after clover & trefoil 25-49% stand, High productivity soils	60
st yr. after clover & trefoil 25-49% stand, Moderate productivity soils	60
st yr. after clover & trefoil 25-49% stand, Low productivity soils	50
st yr. after clover & trefoil <25% stand	40
Soybeans, 30 bu/A	30
Soybeans, 35 bu/A	35
Soybeans, 40 bu/A	40
Soybeans, 45 bu/A	45
Soybeans, 50 bu/A	50
Soybeans, 55 bu/A	55
Soybeans, 60 bu/A	60
Soybeans, 65 bu/A	65 70
Soybeans, 70 bu/A Soybeans, 85 bu/A	85
soybeans, os bu/A	05

When a previous legume crop is checked on the Penn State soil test information sheet, the residual nitrogen for the year following the legume is calculated and given on the report.

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This credit should be deducted from the N recommendation given on the soil test report.

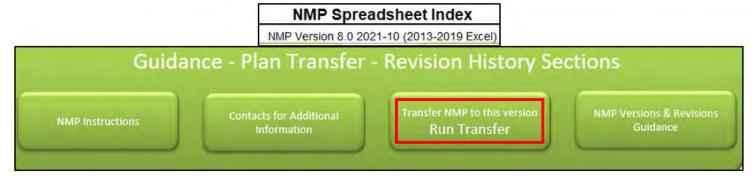
<sup>2.</sup> See Agronomy Guide Table 1.1-1 in the basic soils section for information on soil productivity groups.

### **Purpose and Overview:**

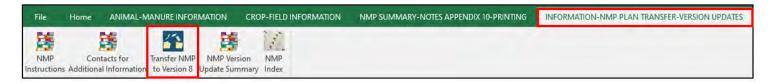
This procedure provides an overview and details how to transfer the Excel portion of a NMP to version 8 from a previous version NMP.

<u>Use the procedure below to transfer any Version 6, 7, 8 NMP to Version 8. Previous NMP versions will cannot be transferred using this process.</u>

You can find the Print Worksheet page by looking in the Guidance – Plan Transfer – Revision History sections of the NMP Spreadsheet Index



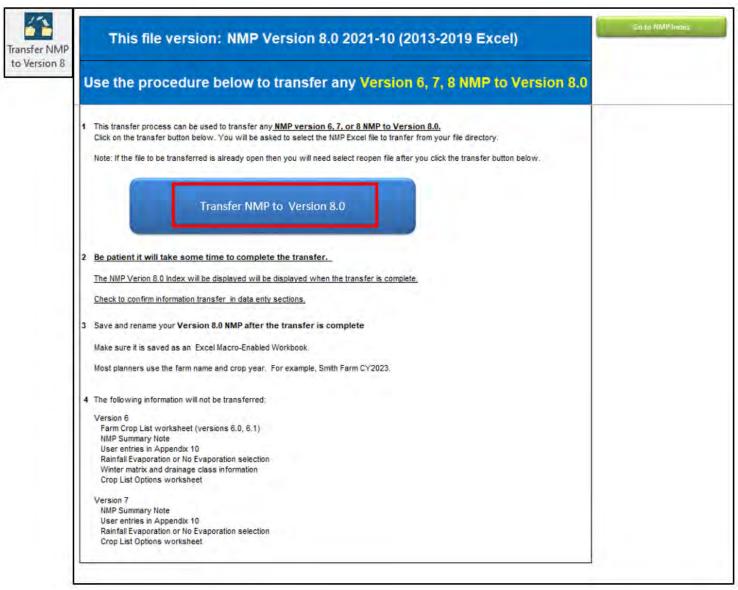
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### 1. Layout and Completion of the Print NMP Report Page

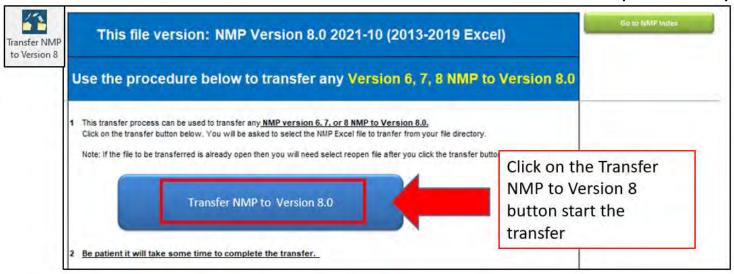
The Transfer NMP to Version 8 page is very simple to use. There is Transfer NMP to Version 8 Button to initiate the transfer macro.



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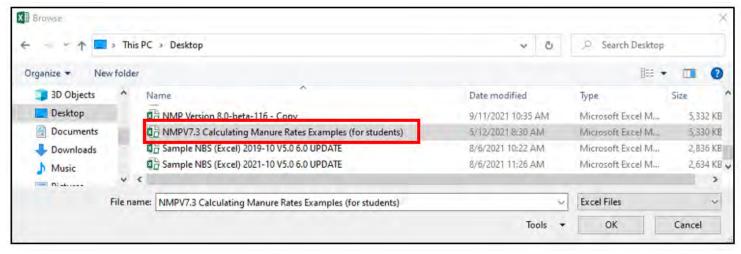
### 2. Procedure to print the Excel Section of a NMP

2.1. Click on the transfer button below. You will be asked to select the NMP Excel file to transfer from your file directory.



#### 2.2. Select the file to transfer

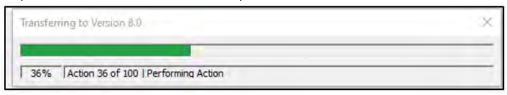
After clicking the transfer button, a browse file box will appear and the Excel NMP file to be transferred can be selected.



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#### 2.3. A progress bar will appear during the transfer process.

Be patient it will take some time to complete the transfer.



The NMP Version 8.0 Index will be displayed will be displayed when the transfer is complete. Check to confirm information transfer in the data entry sections.

#### 2.4. Save the newly transferred file

Save and rename your Version 8.0 NMP after the transfer is complete. Make sure it is saved as an Excel Macro-Enabled Workbook. Most planners use the farm name and crop year. For example, Smith Farm CY2023.

#### 2.5. Information not transferred

#### Planners are strongly urged to review each section after transferring a plan for completeness.

Some information may be transferred but will need to be updated. For example, user enter animal types will transfer but need to be re selected in in the Farm Animal List.

The following information will not be transferred:

#### Version 6:

Farm Crop List worksheet (versions 6.0, 6.1)

**NMP Summary Note** 

User entries in Appendix 10

Rainfall Evaporation or No Evaporation selection

Winter matrix and drainage class information

User Entered Animal Types (will need to be re-selected)

Crop List Options worksheet

#### Version 7

**NMP Summary Note** 

User entries in Appendix 10

Rainfall Evaporation or No Evaporation selection

User Entered Animal Types (will need to be re-selected)

Crop List Options worksheet

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