

Cross Compliance Inspection Statistics 2008/09

The following three tables below provide details of claimants, inspections and non-compliances found during cross-compliance inspections for the 2008 and 2009 calendar years.

1) The **Summary Table** shows the total number of support scheme claimants and the total number of cross compliance related inspections. The relevant cross compliance related support schemes are - the Single Farm Payment Scheme, Scottish Beef Calf Scheme, Energy Crops Scheme, Protein Crop Premium, Less Favoured Area Support Scheme and Agri-environment based Land Managers Options and Rural Priorities Schemes.

2) The **Cross Compliance Breach Table** shows the number of land managers with non-compliances under each Statutory Management Requirement (SMR) and Good Agricultural and Environmental Condition (GAEC).

3) The **Payment Reduction Table** shows the number and level of reductions applied to support scheme claims once the various capping and repetition rules have been applied. Also shown is the overall value of support scheme payments involving one or more breach.

The figures in all tables are correct as at 30 April 2010 and may be subject to change.

1) Summary Table

	2008	2009
Number of Support Scheme Claimants	20235	20060
Total Number of Cross Compliance Related Inspections	2054	1704

2) Cross Compliance Breach Table

Cross Compliance Requirements	2008	2009
SMR1 - Conservation of wild birds	2	2
SMR2 - Protection of groundwater against pollution	37	13
SMR3 - The use of sewage sludge in agriculture	0	0
SMR4 - Protection of water in Nitrate Vulnerable Zones (NVZ)	4	2
SMR5 - Conservation of Flora and Fauna	0	0

Cross Compliance Requirements	2008	2009
SMR6 - Identification and registration of Pigs	1	3
SMR7 - Identification and registration of Cattle (SMR7/8 for 2008)	165	346
SMR8 - Identification and registration of Sheep (SMR8a for 2008)	20	9
SMR9 - Restrictions on the use of plant protection products	21	12
SMR10 - Restrictions on the use of hormones	0	0
SMR11 - Food Law	2	2
SMR12 - Prevention and control of Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathies (TSE)	0	0
SMR13 - Control of Foot and Mouth disease	0	0
SMR14 - Control of certain animal disease	0	0
SMR15 - Control of Blue Tongue	0	0
SMR16 - Welfare of calves	11	8
SMR17 - Welfare of pigs	3	2
SMR18 - Welfare of farmed animals	66	60
GAEC - Set aside management	1	N/A

Cross Compliance Requirements	2008	2009
GAEC1 - Post harvest management of land	0	0
GAEC2 - Wind erosion	0	0
GAEC3 - Soil capping	0	0
GAEC4 - Erosion caused by livestock	1	0
GAEC5 - Maintenance of function field drainage systems	0	0
GAEC6 - Muirburn code	0	0
GAEC7 - Arable crop rotation standards	0	0
GAEC8 - Arable Stubble management	0	0
GAEC9 - Appropriate machinery use	0	0
GAEC10 - Undergrazing	0	1
GAEC11 - Overgrazing	0	0
GAEC12 - Ploughing pasture of a high environmental/archaeological value	1	0
GAEC13 - Protection of rough grazings/semi natural areas	6	2
GAEC14 - Application of lime and fertiliser on rough grazings/semi natural areas	1	1

Cross Compliance Requirements	2008	2009
GAEC15 - Field Boundaries	2	5
GAEC16 - Non-production landscape features	0	1
GAEC17 - Historic features	0	1
GAEC18 - Encroachment of unwanted vegetation	1	1

3) The Payment Reduction Table -

Level of Payment Reduction	2008	2009
Warning Letter	75	24
1% Reduction	169	88
2% Reduction	3	1
3% Reduction	34	203
4% Reduction	1	0
5% Reduction	23	107
>5% Reduction	20	30
Total number of breaches	325	453
Total value of support payments before reductions were applied	£12,943,323.21	£31,991,672.65

Level of Payment Reduction	2008	2009
Total value of support payments after reductions were applied	£12,692,435.82	£30,597,263.53
Total value of reductions	£250,887.39	£1,394,409.12