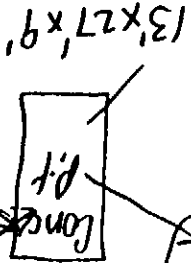
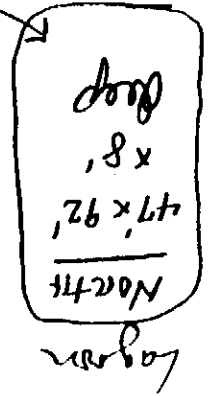
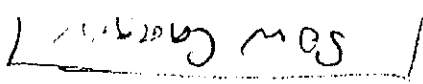
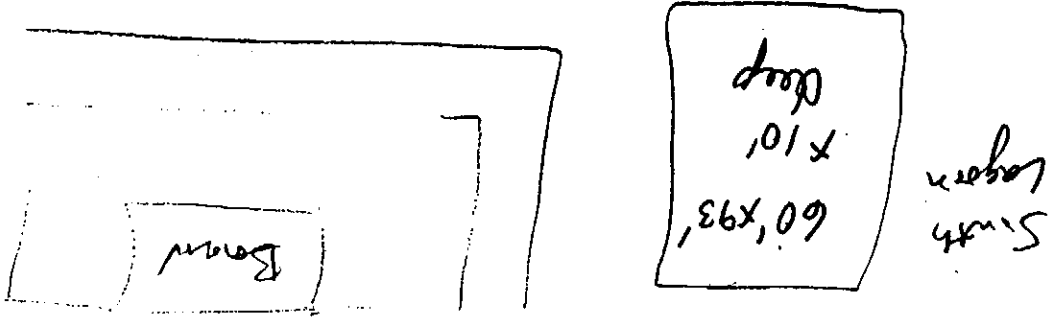
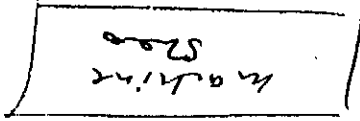
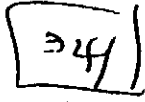
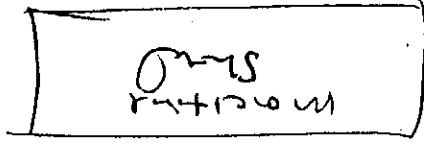
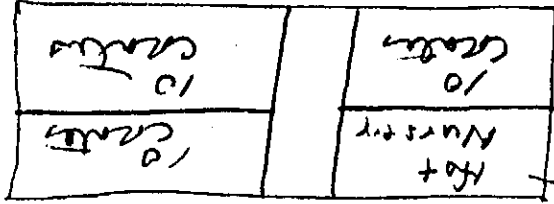
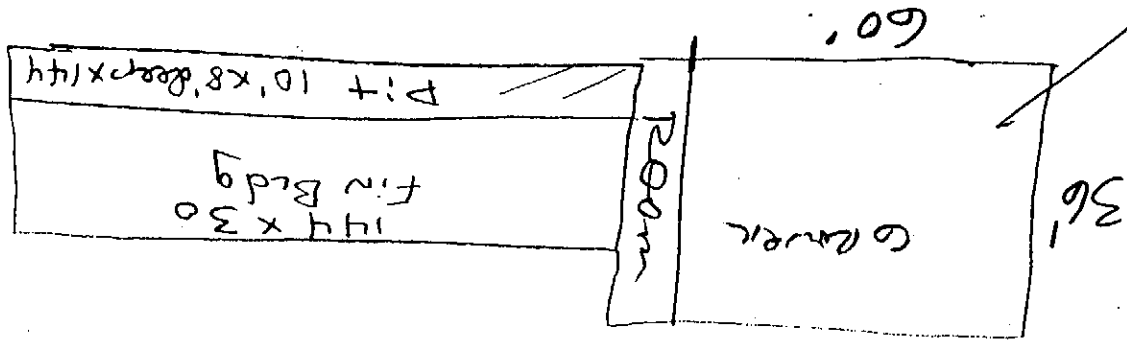
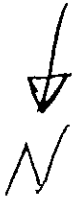


E. GENERAL APPLICATION STATEMENTS



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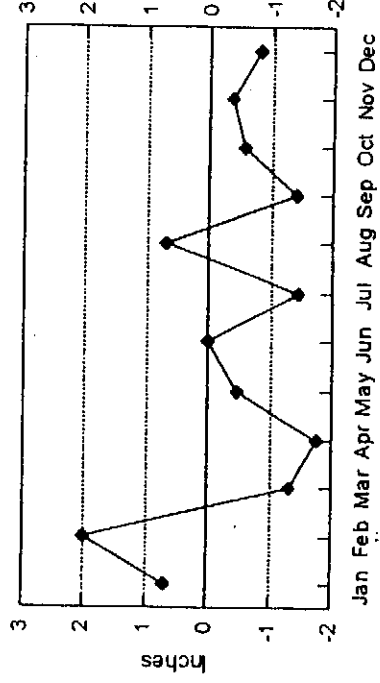
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Illinois - 1997



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Illinois - 1997

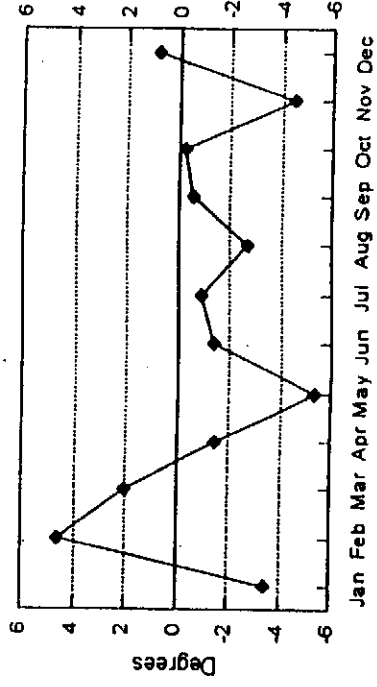


Table 4: Annual manure production and composition*:

Type off livestock	SOLID MANURE				
	Total N		P ₂ O ₅		K ₂ O
	Manure produced	Nutrients produced, pounds/yr			
Ton/yr					
Farrow (per S&L cap)	2.4	21.6	8.4	14.4	9.6
Nursery (per pig cap.)	0.2	3.2	1.2	1.9	1.0
Grow-Fin (per pig cap.)	1.1	16.8	6.3	9.5	5.3
Breed-Gest (per sow cap.)	1.0	9.0	5.0	7.0	5.0
Far-Finish (per prod. sow)	8.6	124	48	73	41
Feeder-pig (per prod. sow)	2.3	24	10	16	10
Far-Finish (per pig sold/yr)	0.48	7	3	4	2
Dairy Cow (per mature cow)	14.0	126	31	49	91
Dairy Heifer (per heifer cap.)	6.5	63	15	24	44
Dairy Calf (per calf cap.)	1.5	14	3	5	8
Veal Calf (per calf cap.)	1.1	10	6	4	7
Dairy Herd (per mature cow)	20.1	185	45	72	132
Beef Cows (per mature cow)	6.7	47	20	27	47
Feeder Calves (per 500# calf cap.)	3.5	31	11	16	29
Fattening Cattle (per calf cap.)	5.9	65	24	41	62
Broilers (per bird cap.)	0.009	0A5	0.07	0.36	0.27
Pullets (per bird cap.)	0.011	0.53	0.10	0.39	0.30
Layers (per bird cap.)	0.016	0.61	0.29	0.56	0.35
Tom Turkeys (per bird cap.)	0.023	0.87	0.18	0.69	0.51
Hen Turkeys (per bird cap.)	0.023	0.83	0.18	0.62	0.46
Ducks (per bird cap.)	0.030	0.60	0.15	0.54	0.33
Lamb (per lamb cap.)	0.5	9.0	2.5	5.5	13
Ewe (per ewe)	1.2	16.8	6	10.8	30
Horse (per 1000# horse)	5.2	72.8	20.8	20.8	72.8

*As manure leaves storage for land application.

Table 4: Annual manure production and composition (continued)*:

Type of livestock	Manure produced gal/yr	LIQUID MANURE PIT		
		Total N NH ₄	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O
		Nutrients produced,	pounds/yr	
Farrow(per s & l cap)	1,400	21	11	17
Nursery (per pig cap.)	130	3	2	2
Grow-Fin(per pig cap.)	530	17	10	14
Breed-Gest (per sow cap.)	450	11	5	11
Far-Finish (per prod. sow)	4,544	130	74	106
Feeder-pig (per prod. sow)	1,184	25	13	22
Far-Finish (per pig sold/yr)	252	7	4	6
Dairy Cow (per mature cow)	6,000	186	39	90
				114

Table 10-7. Nutrients in liquid manure.

Approximate fertilizer value of manure from liquid handling systems. Boxed values refer to Example 10-3.

Species	Waste handling	Dry matter, %	Ammonium N	Total N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O
..... lb/1,000 gal raw waste						
Swine	Liquid pit Lagoon*	4	<u>24</u>	<u>36</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>22</u>
		1	4	5	3	4
Beef	Liquid pit Lagoon*	9	10	29	18	26
		1	2	4	3	4
Dairy	Liquid pit Lagoon*	8	7	31	15	19
		1	2	4	3	4
Veal calf	Liquid pit	3	21	27	22	40
Poultry	Liquid pit	10	13	60	45	30

*Includes lot runoff water.

A worksheet is provided to help you find proper application rates. The procedure uses five sections:

- Manure composition and soil information.
- Nutrient needs of crop.

Worksheet to Determine Manure Application Rates and Disposal Area

Example 10-3:

A swine producer has a 1,500 head (one time capacity) farrow-to-finish operation (average weight 125 lb/market animal; 250 lb/breeding animal) in enclosed buildings. Manure is handled in liquid pits and injected into the soil. The area to be manured had received 6,000 gal/ac of manure last year.

Calculations

Section A. Manure composition and soil information

- Manure composition.

- Values from chemical analysis of manure.

Composition*	Your farm
Total N	_____ %
Ammonium N	_____ %
Nitrate N	_____ %
P ₂ O ₅	_____ %
K ₂ O	_____ %

*Laboratory data are often given in ppm. To convert ppm to %, divide by 10,000. If composition data are not available, use Table 10-6 or Table 10-7.

- Determine the amount of each nutrient per ton of solid manure or per 1,000 gal of liquid manure. If nutrient contents are given in %:

% nutrient in manure $\times 20 =$ lb nutrients/ton;
 or $\times 85 =$ lb nutrients/1,000 gal (e.g. 0.5%
 Total N = 10 lb/ton or 42.5 lb/1,000 gal)

Composition	Example (Table 10-7)	Your farm
Total N	<u>3.6</u> lb/1,000 gal	_____ lb/_____
Ammonium N	<u>2.4</u> lb/1,000 gal	_____ lb/_____
Nitrate N	_____ lb/_____	_____ lb/_____
P ₂ O ₅	<u>2.5</u> lb/1,000 gal	_____ lb/_____
K ₂ O	<u>2.2</u> lb/1,000 gal	_____ lb/_____

Table 10-8. Annual manure production.

Raw manure includes feces and urine. Boxed values refer to Example 10-3.

Animal	Raw manure production/1,000 lb animal weight
ton/yr	
Dairy cow	15.7
Veal calf	3,787
Beef feeder	2,730
Beef cow	10.6
	2,514
	2,730
Swine feeder	11.5
Swine breeding herd	15.3
	<u>3,699</u>
	<u>1,453</u>
Sheep	6.0
	1,706
Poultry layer	7.3
Poultry broiler	11.7
	2,912
Turkey	15.5
	3,684
Horse	8.6
	2,037
	9.3
	2,210

- Annual rate of manure application.

- Amount of additional fertilizer needed.

- Amount of land required to dispose of annual manure production.

To maximize the manure as fertilizer, what is the proper manure application rate, how much supplemental commercial fertilizer will be needed and how many acres of cropland can utilize the manure?

2. Soil information:

Soil information	Example	Your soil
Texture	Silty Clay loam	_____
Soil pH	<u>6.2</u>	_____
Available P	_____ lb/ac	_____ lb/ac
Exchangeable K	_____ lb/ac	_____ lb/ac

Section B. Nutrient needs of crop

	Example	Your crop
Crop to be grown	Corn	_____
Expected yield/acre	<u>150</u> bu	_____
Nutrients required/acre	N = <u>18.5</u> lb/ac	_____ lb/ac
(based on soil test report or Table 10-3)	P ₂ O ₅ = <u>80</u> lb/ac	_____ lb/ac
	K ₂ O = <u>2.15</u> lb/ac	_____ lb/ac

Section C. Annual rate of manure application

- Calculate amount of organic N in manure (either per ton or per 1,000 gal):

lb total N - (lb ammonium N + lb nitrate N) =
 lb organic N

Example:

3.6 - (2.4 + _____) = 1.2 lb organic N/1,000 gal

Your manure:

_____ - (_____ + _____) = _____ lb organic N/_____

For the greatest return, apply manure first to corn and small cereal grains, then to sorghum and forages, and finally to pasture.

Before heavy manure applications, have your soil tested for fertilizer needs and nutrient imbalance. Adjust waste application rates for your soil conditions against soil tests for nitrogen, phosphorus, and potassium.

Example 10-1:

How much N, P₂O₅, and K₂O are utilized by a corn yield of 150 bu/acre?

Solution:

From Table 10-3, this crop uses 185 lb/acre of N, 80 lb/acre of P₂O₅, and 215 lb/acre of K₂O.

Table 10-3. Crop nutrient utilization.

Values are for the total above-ground portion of the plants. When only grain is removed, many nutrients are left in the residues but are temporarily tied up in them and are not readily available. Estimate nutrient requirements for one crop year by assuming complete crop removal. Alfalfa and soybeans get most of their N from the air, so additional N from manure is usually not needed.

Source: Potash Phosphate Institute of America.

Boxed values refer to Examples 10-1, 10-2, and 10-3.

Crop	Yield	N	P ₂ O ₅	K ₂ O
			lb/acre	
Corn	80 bu	121	42	77
	100 bu	160	60	120
	150 bu	185	80	215
	180 bu	240	100	240
Corn silage	16 tons	130	45	102
	32 tons	200	80	245
Soybeans	30 bu	123	32	52
	40 bu	180	45	80
	50 bu	257	48	120
	60 bu	336	65	145
Grain sorghum	4 tons	250	90	200
	40 bu	70	30	50
Wheat	60 bu	125	50	110
	80 bu	186	54	162
Oats	80 bu	75	35	95
	100 bu	150	55	150
Barley	65 bu	74	32	63
	100 bu	150	55	150
Alfalfa	4 tons	180	40	180
	8 tons	450	80	480
Orchardgrass	6 tons	300	100	375
	5 tons	166	66	254
	3.5 tons	135	65	185
	3 tons	200	55	180
Clover-grass	4 tons	225	40	160
	10 tons	535	145	410
Sugar beets	4.5 tons	185	60	175
	6 tons	300	90	360
Rice	30 tons	275	85	550
Timothy	2.25 tons	110	45	110
	3.5 tons	112	60	168
Sorghum-Sudan grass	4 tons	150	55	250
	12 tons	299	108	430
	8 tons	319	122	467

Nutrient Value per Animal Unit

The fertilizer value of manure depends upon live-stock species and handling and disposal methods. Table 10-4 estimates the acres needed per 100 animal units for land application of manure. Table values consider nutrient losses from handling and disposal. Use Tables 10-3 and 10-4 to estimate the number of acres needed for a specific livestock and cropping operation.

Example 10-2:

A swine producer has a 50-sow farrow-to-finish operation. Liquid waste is stored in an anaerobic pit. The producer intends to broadcast and cultivate the liquid manure into the ground to produce 150 bu/acre corn. How many crop acres are needed?

Solution:

1. From Table 10-4, 152 ac are needed to apply 100 lb N/acre from 100 productive sows.

50 productive sows \times (152 ac \div 100 productive sows) = 76 ac fertilized to 100 lb N/acre

2. From Table 10-3, 150 bu/acre corn requires 185 lb N/acre.

3. How many acres can be fertilized to 185 lb N/acre? Multiply the value from Step 1 by the ratio of 100 lb N/acre to the required lb N/acre.

$76 \text{ ac} \times (100 \div 185 \text{ lb N/acre}) = 41.1 \text{ ac}$ fertilized to 185 lb N/acre

4. Apply the liquid waste to 41.1 acres to fully utilize the N fertilizer value of the manure to meet N requirements more than adequately meets crop P₂O₅ and K₂O needs.

Nutrient Value for Crop Production

Tables 10-6 and 10-7 show estimated fertilizer compositions of waste applied to the land (wet basis). Nutrient contents vary widely, so these data are guidelines. For specific situations, have your manure analyzed. Conversion factors:

- Multiply P₂O₅ by 0.44 to convert to elemental P.
- Multiply K₂O by 0.83 to convert to elemental K.
- 27,150 gal = 1 acre-inch (a-in).

Available N is nitrogen the plant can use. Total N is mostly organic and ammonium nitrogen. Organic N is slow releasing N. Ammonium N is equivalent to commercial fertilizer and, except for that lost to the air, can be used by plants in the application year. Organic nitrogen must be released before plants can use it.

Variable amounts of organic nitrogen are released in a plant-available form during the first cropping year after application. Table 10-5 summarizes the percentages of organic nitrogen released (mineralized) during the first cropping season. Organic N released during the second, third, and fourth crop-

10. ANIMAL WASTE UTILIZATION

Most operators use wastes for an economic return, or at least to reduce costs. Animal manure is most commonly used as a fertilizer and soil conditioner.

Other established or potential practices include:

- Irrigation with waste effluent to supplement water needs for crop production.

- Reuse of liquids to flush and transport manure.
- Use of processed solids as bedding or litter.
- Use of processed solids for off-farm fertilizer, soil additive, or mulch.
- Salvage of energy from methane production.
- Reuse as feed ingredients for livestock, poultry, and aquatic life.

Land Application

Effects

Manure nutrients help build and maintain soil fertility. Manure also improves tilth, increases water-holding capacity, lessens wind and water erosion, improves aeration, and promotes beneficial organisms. When wastes include runoff or dilution water, they can supply water as well as nutrients to crops.

The economic value of manure fertilizer is calculated from its available N, P, and K at commercial fertilizer prices. These values change with the costs of fertilizer and handling practices.

Applying excess wastes can harm crop growth, contaminate soil, cause surface and groundwater pollution, and waste nutrients. While most soils have a tremendous capacity to absorb phosphorus, very high soil phosphorus levels can interfere with plant nutrition by inhibiting uptake of metallic trace elements such as iron, zinc, and copper. When plant residue or manure is added to soil, there is an immediate and marked drop in O_2 and an increase in CO_2 in the soil air, which can inhibit plant growth.

The carbon-nitrogen ratio (C/N) of applied wastes affects both microbial and plant growth. If a waste having a high C/N ratio, such as manure with a lot of bedding, is added to a soil, organisms decomposing the organic matter grow until available mineral and nitrogen become limiting. All the immediately available nitrogen is bound by the microorganisms. In the short run, nitrogen is unavailable for plant use and more chemical fertilizer may have to be added than before the waste application.

Heavy manure applications can increase soil salinity, especially in arid regions where little or no leaching occurs. Salts can inhibit plant growth and depress yields. If salinity becomes a problem, consult a crop specialist.

Sodium and potassium can alter soil structure and reduce water movement rates. Field equipment, such as heavy manure wagons, compacts wet soils, alters soil structure, and reduces water movement. Yield reduction can result.

Surface and Groundwater Quality

Several diseases that might infect both animals and man can be transmitted in waterborne livestock wastes. Land application can successfully interrupt infection cycles if water pollution is prevented.

Surface runoff contains pollutants, including plant nutrients, oxygen demanding material, and some infectious agents. Excessive nitrogen applications can cause nitrate pollution of water—the cause of infant cyanosis (blue babies) and perhaps chemical diarrhea.

Nitrogen in excess of crop requirements leaches through the soil once it is in the nitrate form. For local application rates to avoid groundwater pollution, consult your state extension crop and soil specialist or the SCS. Reducing excess nitrogen without pollution is difficult.

Excess nutrients in surface water can cause algae blooms, impaired fisheries, fish kills, odors, and increased turbidity. Nutrients in runoff from land where manure was applied and incorporated in the summer are less than in runoff where no manure was applied. But large nutrient losses can occur in spring runoff from land where manure was applied on frozen ground.

Nutrient Losses During Collection and Storage

Housing and waste handling systems affect the nutrient composition of wastes. Bedding and water dilute manure, resulting in less nutrient value per pound. Much nitrogen can be lost to the air as ammonia. Runoff and leaching in open lots can remove nitrogen. There is much less nitrogen loss from compost pits, liquid storage systems, or roofed feeding areas. See Table 10-1.

Phosphorus and potassium losses are negligible except for open lots or lagoons. About 20%-40% of the phosphorus and 30%-50% of the potassium can be lost by runoff and leaching in open lots. However, much of the P and K can be recovered by runoff control systems such as settling basins and holding ponds. Up to 80% of the phosphorus in lagoons can accumulate in bottom sludges and is not applied to land unless the sludge is removed.

Application

Manure is usually:

- Broadcast (top dressed) with plowdown or disking.
- Broadcast without plowdown or disking.
- Knifed (injected under the soil surface).
- Irrigated.

Table 10-2 shows average nitrogen losses by method of application.

The greatest nutrient response follows land application and immediate incorporation into the soil.

D. REFERENCE TABLES - STANDARD VALUES

C. MANURE LABORATORY ANALYSIS

B. APPLICATION AGREEMENTS

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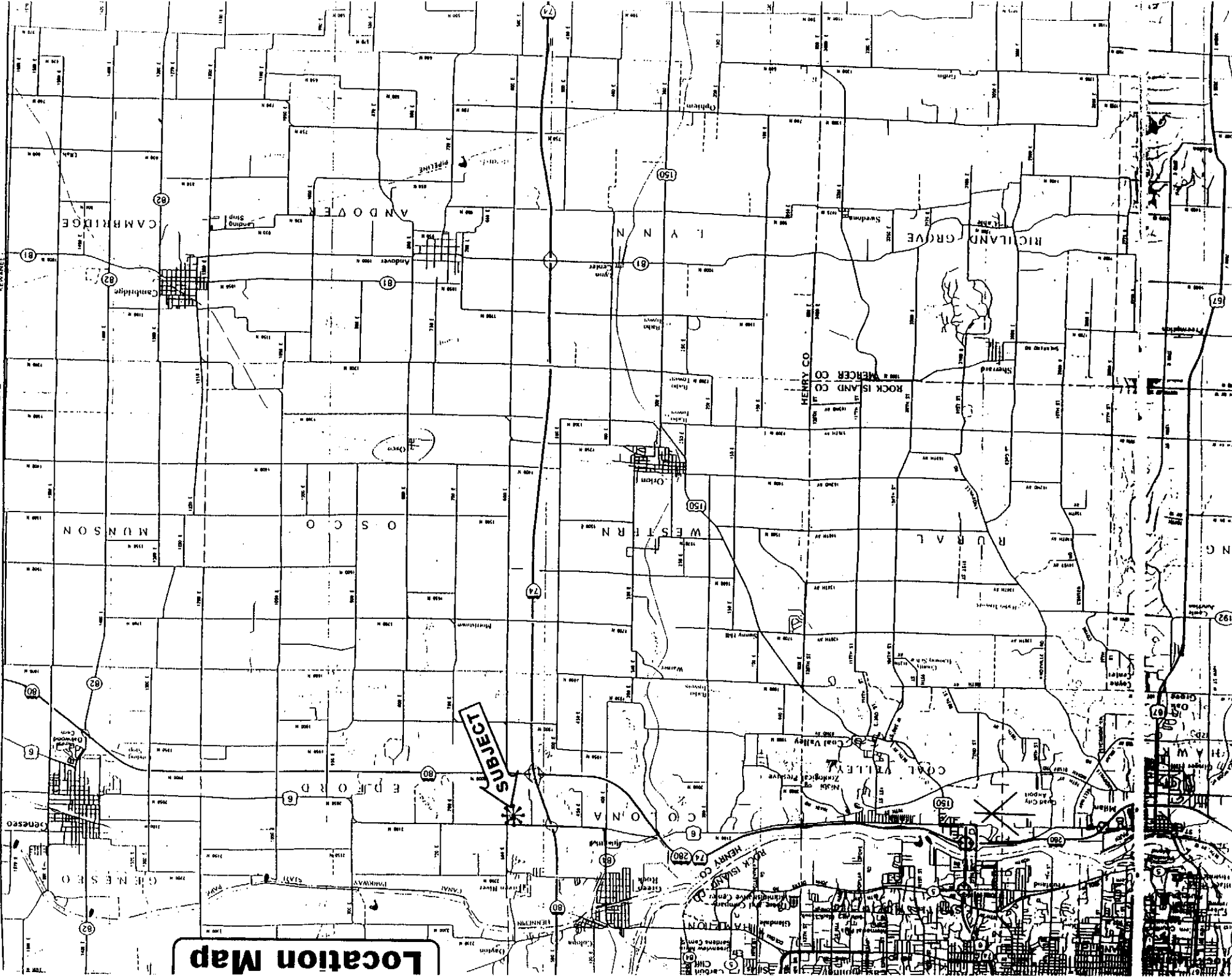
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A. FIELD LOCATIONS AND MAPS

Comments:

Rainfall data for last 2 years and annual average is given in Appendix D. An acre-inch of water equals 27,150 gallons in Appendix D. Runoff area feeding the South lagoon is only about 1/3 A. However, client must pay particular attention to the lagoon after heavy rains or draw it down in anticipation of heavy rain to keep freeboard within limits.

IV. FIELD IDENTIFICATION

North	Field 1	21 A	1998	1999	2000
	Field 2	21 A	corn	corn	oats
	Field 3	21 A	corn	corn	corn
	Field 4	21 A	corn	corn	corn
South	Field 1	21 A	oats	corn	corn
	Field 2	21 A	corn	corn	corn
	Field 3	21 A	corn	oats	corn
	Field 4	12A	corn	corn	corn
	Field 4A	15 A	hog past.	corn	corn

West Field 1 61.6 A soybeans

- this acreage used only if access to North and South fields is limited.
 Manure incorporation and application statements in Appendix will be followed.

Application calculations are based on 1,116,600 gallons/year in 3 major application times:

Spring	pits	100,000 gallons
	lagoons	280,300
Summer	lagoons	400,000
Fall	pits	100,000
	lagoons	280,300
		<u>1,116,600 gallons</u>

II. MANURE STORAGE AND NITROGEN PRODUCTION

Type of waste storage: X Liquid X Slurry store/Pit
 X Earthen storage
 Lagoon

Number of animal units:

Swine: 475 farrow to finish x 0.4 = 70
500 feeders x 0.03 = 15
800 finish x 0.4 = 320
 sow + litter x 0.4 =
Total = 405

Nutrient content of waste:

 X Table value (pit)
 X Lab Analysis (lagoons) 8-4-8 (see Appendix)

Application method:

 X surface apply @ 20% N loss
 broadcast - immediate cultivation @ 10% N loss
 injected (no inhibitor) @ 2% N loss
 injected (inhibitor used) @ 0% N loss
 sprinkler irrigation @ 33% N loss

Annual volume of waste generated:

150 sows (farrow-finish) x 7737 gal/year = **1,160,550 gal**
(Purdue data - see Appendix)

Calculation of waste holding capacity:

Lagoons - 190,580 gal See attached calculation (Swine Building Systems Design)

Pit: Finish - 144x10x8 = 86,170 gal
Concrete storage - 27x13x9 = 23,629 gal

TOTAL STORAGE CAPACITY: 300,379 Gallons

Annual amount of Total Nitrogen from waste:

1,050,550 gal x 8 # N/1000 gal = 8404 # total N
less storage loss (20%) = 6723.5 # total N
110,000 gal x 36 # N/1000 gal = 3960 # total N
less storage loss (20%) = 3168 # total N
TOTAL = 9891.5 # N

Plant Available Nitrogen :

Lagoon: 5.1 # N available each year + organic N contribution
Pit: 23.0 # N available each year + organic N

MANURE MANAGEMENT PLAN & ENGINEERING STUDY

I. GENERAL INFORMATION

Owner and name of the operation

Owner: Robert Andrews phone 209/521-5334
Owner: _____ phone _____

Name of operation : Robert Andrews Swine Farm

Address: 2717 Surrey Ave
Modesto, CA 95355

Contact person :

Name Charles Taets Phone 309/949-2207
Address 20820 Osco Road
Geneseo, IL 61254

Type of facility :

☒ swine confinement
☐ beef
☐ dairy
☐ poultry

Facility location (legal description):

E1/2 of the NE ¼ Section 24 T17N R1E
Henry County, IL

Directions from nearest Post Office:

From the Colona Post Office, go south 1.0 miles on Rt 84 to Rt 6, then 2 miles east to Osco Road (600 E). Farm is on the SW corner.

Current Status of Operations:

The operation has 211 sows in a confinement and pasture farrow to finish system. The pasture system will be eliminated in the next year and 150 sows will be in the confinement system. A grower and farrow/nursery building use the North lagoon while the other sows are housed on outdoor pads that use the south lagoon. Manure has been hauled to owner fields usually every month. Oats and pasture acreage is available for summer manure application when crop land is unavailable.

