

Glastir All Wales Element - Manual Stocking Diary Guidance

This template has been designed as an example of the kind of record you are required to maintain.

Step 1

Enter the **Option Description**, **Option Number**, **Parcel ID Sheet Reference**, **Parcel Number** and **Field Size (Ha)** in the boxes across the top of the table.

GLASTIR All-WALES ELEMENT EXAMPLE STOCKING DIARY / RECORD SHEET											
Option Description	<i>Management of Upland Grassland</i>			Option Number	18	Parcel ID sheet Ref.	SJ1004	Parcel Number	1234	Parcel Size (Ha)	43.00

Step 2

In the left hand columns titled **Number of Animals**, enter the number of each animal type present in the parcel on the first day of your AWE contract (e.g. 1 January 2012)

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NUMBER OF ANIMALS <i>(Enter details each time number or type of animal change (or age bracket))</i>						LIVESTOCK UNITS (LUS)								
Date	Cattle (over 24 months)	Cattle (6 - 24 months)	Breeding Ewes	Horses	Ponies	Cattle (over 24 months)	Cattle (6 - 24 months)	Breeding Ewes	Horses	Ponies	Total	LU/ Ha	Min LU/ Ha	Max LU/ Ha
1/1/12	0	0	42	2	0	1 LU	0.6 LU	0.15 LU	1 LU	0.5 LU				

Step 3

To populate the right hand columns titled **Livestock Units**, Multiply the number of each stock type by the associated Livestock Unit (LU) which are shown below the title for each stock type. Enter the result in the relevant column for each animal type present on the parcel in the right hand columns.

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1/1/12	0	0	42	2	0	0	0	6.3	2	0				

Step 4

Add up the LUs for each animal type to give a total stocking level and enter in the "Total" column.

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Step 5

Divide this figure (Total LUs) by the size of the parcel and enter in the LU/Ha column.

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Step 6

Check this figure against the maximum and minimum for the option type to ensure you are within the requirements of the scheme.

Step 7

You can enter the relevant minimum and maximum LU figures for the option in the end columns to aid this check.

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Step 8

Each time the number or type of animals change (or animals change age brackets) on the parcel, you will need to enter the new data in the relevant columns in the **Number of Animals** columns and then re calculate the LU stocking level for the parcel.

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18/2/12	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0.05		0.2

Step 9

Keep your stocking diary somewhere safe and easy to access. **The record will need to be presented at inspection to evidence that your stocking level is in line with the requirements of the AWE option.**