

Environmentally Sensitive Areas Information Sheet

Test Valley and Avon Valley ESA

This sheet contains essential information for farmers about the Test Valley and Avon Valley ESA. It should be read in conjunction with the booklet *Guidelines for Farmers*.

You will need to refer to this information when making an application for a Management Agreement or Conservation Plan (Forms ERDP/GEN1 and ERDP/ESA1) in the Test Valley and Avon Valley ESA.

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Tiers and Payment Rates

Tier 1A – Improved Permanent Grassland Low Fertiliser Supplement	£35 per ha £50 per ha	Tier 2A – Arable Reversion to Permanent Grassland	£300 per ha
Tier 1B – Extensive Permanent Grassland Breeding Wader Supplement	£135 per ha £40 per ha	Tier 2B – Buffer Strips Woodland Tier	£425 per ha £17 per ha
Tier 1C – Wet Grassland	£330 per ha	Public Access Tier	£350 per ha



