

Benefits of cover crops in arable systems

Build long term resilience • Improved soils for higher yields • Deliver benefits to the environment

Designed for:

Individuals who are already growing cover crops or would like to include cover crops in the rotation. This course has been developed specifically for using cover crops in an arable rotation

Entry requirements:

An advanced course is best suited to accomplished practitioners who want to implement the latest agri-tech research and knowledge on farm

Price:

£215 + VAT

Duration:

A virtual course (2 half days)

CPD points:

6 BASIS, 6 NRoSO

Learning outcomes:

At the end of this course you will be able to:

- Understand the principles of cover crops and when to use them
- Select, deploy and manage cover crops within your arable rotation
- Maximise return on investment from use of cover crops

Content:

Classroom module 1 (half day):

- Types of cover crops and the reasons for growing them
- Selecting and deploying the correct cover crop in arable rotations
- Agronomic considerations when managing cover crops
- Collecting and analysing data to assess the efficacy and value of cover crops
- Assessing the impact of cover crops on subsequent vegetable crop yields and quality

Classroom module 2 (half day):

- Workshop session to discuss deployment and management of cover crops in arable rotation, in the context of participants own farming situation

Trainers:

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