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“Ecological network elements” section Min. €100/MB1 method			
Hedgerows and rows of trees	 MB1.a	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Uninterrupted alignment of indigenous shrubs and trees, including gaps of max. 5 m Hedgerows cannot exceed a 10-m-width Rows of indigenous deciduous trees, excluding poplars, 10 metres maximum from each other 	€25/200 m
Trees, shrubs and copses	 MB1.b	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High stem fruit trees Indigenous deciduous trees 40 cm minimum in circumference located more than 10 m from any other tree or hedgerow Shrubs min. 1.5 m high and at a min. distance of 2 m from any wooded element 	€25/20 elements
Ponds	 MB1.c	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Body of standing water of min. 25 m² from 1/11 to 31/05 6 m non-tilled strip Fence 2 m from the banks in the case of grazing, except in a watering area of max. 25% of the perimeter of the pond 	€100/pond
“Grassland” section Permanent grasslands			
Natural grasslands	 MB2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Total commitment for min. 50 ares, with min. 10 ares plots Maximum 50% of the permanent grassland area of the farm (the first 10 hectares are exempted) No intervention before 15/06 inclusive, except for molehills leveling control or repair of damage caused by wild boars 	€200/ha
Flooded grasslands	 MC3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> AECM-advisor report required (targeted measure) River flood extended in the grassland through a green hydraulic infrastructure Naturally flooded grasslands not eligible Min. 50 ares 	€200/ha
High-nature-value grasslands	 MC4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> AECM-advisor expert required (targeted measure) Min. 10 ares 	€450/ha
“Animals” section			
Threatened local animal breeds	 MB11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bovine breeds (> 2 years): Belgian mixed white-blue; Eastern Red breed Equine animals (> 2 years): Belgian Ardennes draught horse² Ovine animals (> 6 months): Belgian milk sheep, Entre-Sambre-et-Meuse, Mergelland, Ardennes speckled, Ardennes red² 	€120/bovine animal €200/equine animal €30/ovine animal

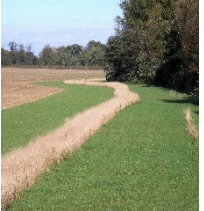



¹ Only local treatments against thistles and rumex are authorized with a selective product.

² The Belgian draught horses and Ardennes shee must belong to the main section of the herd book (born from parents and grandparents belonging to the breed).

“Arable land” section



MB5 + MC7 + MC8 methods = Max 9% of arable land area



<p>Grass margins</p> <p><u>Financial revaluation</u></p>		<p>MB5</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Total commitment min. 200 m, in sections of minimum 20 m 12 m wide at any point, at the margin of the arable field Cannot be bordered by a grassland, except if separated by a hedge, path or ditch Not accessible to motor vehicles for recreational or farming purposes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eligible diversified mix (grasses + legumes and other dicotyl plants), packaging has to be kept as proof. Mowing between 16/07 and 15/10, forage harvest mandatory An unmown strip of min. 2m wide must be maintained at each cutting Fertilizers or other soil improvement, pesticides¹, stockpiling and grazing prohibited. If Himalayan Balsam (<i>Impatiens glandulifera</i>) is present, it must be destroyed through mowing, crushing or uprooting 	<p>€24/20-m section, i.e. €1000/ha</p>
<p>Ecological crops</p> <p><u>Financial revaluation and adaptation</u></p>		<p>MB6</p>	<p><u>The crop in place on 31st May determines the eligible crop:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hemp Forage legumes: clover, alfalfa, black medick (<i>Medicago lupulina</i>), sainfoin, broad and field peas, protein peas, trefoil and other protein fodder Cereal – legume mixes: at least 20% of the second species Spring cereals, buckwheat, sorghum, quinoa, malting barley and winter rye Overwintering cereals: winter wheat, winter triticale or spelt Mixed weed control in row crops: beetroot, chicory, maize Or a mix of these different variants (in modifiable proportion every year) 	<p><u>Common conditions:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Grow one or more eligible crops on min. 1 ha and max. 30 ha The location may change each year (rotational method) Insecticides prohibited except for plots committed to overwintering cereals Committed plots not covered by a permanent grassland the previous year <p><u>Specific main conditions:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Feed legumes: unmown refuge zone of 10% of the surface except cutting after 1 October Overwintering cereals: 10% of the plot are not harvested and left standing without intervention until the end of February (block of 50 ares max., min. 100 m from each other) Mixed weed control: min. 2 mechanical weeding operations / year 	<p>€240/ha</p>
<p>Targeted plots</p>		<p>MC7</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Surface area between 0.1 and 1.5 ha Cannot be bordered by a targeted strip or grass margin Not accessible to motor vehicles for recreational or farming purposes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> AECM-advisor report required (targeted method) Different variants: erosion-control, arable plant conservation, perennial wildflowers, strips/plots for pollinators, strips/plots for arable land fauna 	<p>€1200/ha</p>
<p>Targeted strips</p>		<p>MC8</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3 to 21 m width. Commitment of min. 200 m on a standard width of 12 m Alongside an arable crop Not accessible to motor vehicles for recreational or farming purposes Tractor authorized to cross it if specified in the AECM-advisor report 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Plant species composition and management regime depending on the targeted aim No fertilization or other soil improvement, except where specified and justified in the AECM-advisor report Pesticides¹ and stockpiling prohibited 	<p>€36/2-m section for a standard width of 12 m, i.e. €1500/hectare</p>

“Global approach at farm level” section



<p>Feed autonomy</p> <p><u>Financial revaluation</u></p>		<p>MB9</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Load up to 1.4 LU/hectare of land under grass and/or dedicated to feed crops.³ If ≤ 0.6 LU/ha, subsidy is reduced Outside PGDA (nitrogen sustainable management programme) vulnerable area: load up to 1.8 LU/ha, with reduced payment Subsidy paid for permanent grassland hectares only Commitment to min. €250 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Spreading of organic fertilizers limited to farm animal droppings (possibility to use other farm fertilizers up to LS < 0.6 if no mineral nitrogen is used) Pesticides¹ prohibited in eligible grasslands (except for local treatment under electric fences) 	<p>€120/ha if < 1.4 LU/ha</p> <p>Outside PGDA vulnerable zone: €60/ha if < 1/8 LU/ha</p>
<p>Agri-environmental plan</p>		<p>MC10</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> AECM-advisor report required (targeted method) Farming using ecological agricultural practices Environmental diagnosis of farming and practices to be carried out (management of biodiversity, landscape, fertilization and soil management, pesticides use, etc.) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> List of actions and schedule pending Short-, medium- and long-term objectives pending Annual monitoring of the commitment 	<p>Payment according to a dedicated formula and level of commitment</p>