



**BARENBRUG**

# Environmental Forage Options

**British farmers play a vital role in enhancing the British countryside, maintaining habitats for native plants and animals, protecting watercourses, and supporting wildlife.**

The Environmental Land Management (ELM) program, made up of Countryside Stewardship (CS) and the Sustainable Farming Incentive (SFI) schemes, incentivise certain production practices to promote environmental outcomes as part of the food production system.

Changes in farming practices due to a variety of internal and external pressures, has led to a fundamental change to governmental farm funding, particularly in England, with other countries considering changes.

As input costs have fluctuated and weather has become less predictable and more extreme, there has been increased interest in regenerative agriculture to improve on-farm resilience. The principles of regenerative agriculture include increasing biodiversity above and below ground, and maintaining live roots in the soil for as much of the year as possible, both of which Barenbrug UK can help with.

# Options For 2023 Applications

## Bar GS4

Our bestselling multi-species legume, grass and herb sward for increased biodiversity. Suitable for cutting and grazing in productive livestock systems.

Species	Kg
Hybrid Ryegrass Tetr.	3.00
Perennial Ryegrass Late Dip.	3.00
Timothy	1.00
Tall Fescue	2.00
Meadow Fescue	0.90
Cocksfoot	1.00
Red Clover	2.00
Sainfoin	0.50
Birdsfoot Trefoil	0.10
Alsike Clover	0.10
Chicory	0.15
Plantain	0.15
Yarrow	0.05
Sheeps Parsley	0.05

Sowing Rate: 14kg per acre, 35kg per hectare | Pack size: 14kg

## SFI Herbal Complete

Ideal for biodiversity and productivity, compliant with the SAM3 SFI scheme. Suitable for cutting and grazing, and will do best if given sufficient rest times in between defoliations.

Species	Kg
Hybrid Ryegrass Tetr.	4.00
Perennial Ryegrass Intermediate Tetr.	4.50
Timothy	0.50
Tall Fescue	1.50
Meadow Fescue	0.50
Cocksfoot	0.50
Red Clover	0.60
White Clover	0.60
Alsike Clover	0.50
Burnet	0.10
Chicory	0.25
Plantain	0.25
Yarrow	0.10
Sheeps Parsley	0.10

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## Options For 2024 & 2025 Applications

### Programme Highlights

- **3 year action** - Static when establishing, static or rotational when maintaining and existing herbal ley
- **Payment of £382/ha/year**
- **Establish a herbal ley with**
  - Varied root structure
  - Flowering plants in late spring and summer
  - Forage production using minimal inorganic fertiliser
  - Drought resilience
- **Use a seed mix with at least 1 grass, 2 legume species, 2 herb or wildflower species**
- **Managed in a way that maintains the aims of the action**
- **Minimise use of inorganic fertilisers containing nitrogen.**

- Other species, varieties, and mixtures are available. For full information please talk to your Barenbrug rep, visit us on [Barenbrug.co.uk](http://Barenbrug.co.uk), or consult our 2025 Product Guide.
- In case of unavailability, Barenbrug UK Ltd reserves the right to substitute any variety in any mixture with one of similar merit. Any change will be detailed on the bag. The placing of an order constitutes an acceptance of our terms and conditions of sale by the buyer: [www.barenbrug.co.uk/environmentalschemes](http://www.barenbrug.co.uk/environmentalschemes)
- Should scheme requirements change, products will change accordingly and be updated as soon as is practicable; ensure you are reading the most up to date version of the governmental guidance and this leaflet
- Barenbrug UK Ltd accepts no liability for products used, responsibility lies solely with scheme applicant to ensure products used will satisfy the requirements of that scheme.

## SFI CSAM3 Oversow & SFI CSAM3 Oversow (no chicory)

These options are ideal for overseeding into an existing healthy grass ley, where overseeding conditions are appropriate.

### SFI CSAM3 Oversow

In the bag	Kg	Species
<i>Commander</i>	0.75	Chicory
<i>Captain</i>	0.75	Plantain
<i>Prota Red</i>	2.10	Red Clover
<i>Prota White</i>	1.40	White Clover

5kg/ac product, in a 10kg/2ac pack; this can also be oversewn at 2.5kg/ac or 4ac pack

### SFI CSAM3 Oversow - No Chicory

In the bag	Kg	Species
<i>Captain</i>	0.75	Plantain
<i>Sheeps Parsley</i>	0.34	Herb
<i>Burnet</i>	0.30	Herb
<i>Yarrow</i>	0.11	Herb
<i>Prota Red</i>	2.10	Red Clover
<i>Prota White</i>	1.40	White Clover

5kg/ac product, in a 10kg/2ac pack; this can also be oversewn at 2.5kg/ac or 4ac pack

## SFI CSAM3 High Production Herbal & SFI CSAM3 High Production Herbal (no chicory)

Ideal for maximum biomass production and very high quality feed. With some of our very highest yielding varieties, a high tetraploid content, and short heading date window for ease of quality management, these products are for high output systems with healthy soils.

### SFI CSAM3 High Production Herbal

In the bag	Kg	Species
<i>Barwave</i>	2.00	PRG Early Tet.
<i>Bannfoot</i>	3.00	Hybrid Ryegrass Tet.
<i>Galgorm</i>	2.00	PRG Int Dip.
<i>Tollymore</i>	2.00	PRG Int Tet.
<i>Banbridge</i>	2.00	PRG Int Tet.
<i>Commander</i>	0.45	Chicory
<i>Captain</i>	0.45	Plantain
<i>Prota Red</i>	1.30	Red Clover
<i>Prota White</i>	0.80	White Clover

Pack size: 14kg

### SFI CSAM3 High Production Herbal - No Chicory

In the bag	Kg	Species
<i>Barwave</i>	2.00	PRG Early Tet.
<i>Bannfoot</i>	3.00	Hybrid Ryegrass Tet.
<i>Galgorm</i>	2.00	PRG Int Dip.
<i>Tollymore</i>	2.00	PRG Int Tet.
<i>Banbridge</i>	2.00	PRG Int Tet.
<i>Captain</i>	0.45	Plantain
<i>Sheeps Parsley</i>	0.20	Herb
<i>Burnet</i>	0.18	Herb
<i>Yarrow</i>	0.07	Herb
<i>Prota Red</i>	1.26	Red Clover
<i>Prota White</i>	0.84	White Clover

Pack size: 14kg

## SFI CSAM3 Barherbal & SFI CSAM3 Barherbal (no chicory)

Using some of our best varieties, these options are ideal for flexibility in any system. A combination of intermediate and late heading dates, as well as diploids and tetraploids, plus timothy for palatability and shoulder season growth, mean these products fit just about anywhere!

### SFI CSAM3 Barherbal

In the bag	Kg	Species
<i>Galgorm</i>	2.00	PRG Int Dip.
<i>Moira</i>	1.50	PRG Int Dip.
<i>Seagoe</i>	2.00	PRG Int Tet.
<i>Callan</i>	2.00	PRG Late Dip.
<i>Ballintoy</i>	3.00	PRG Late Tet.
<i>Baronaise</i>	0.50	Timothy
<i>Commander</i>	0.45	Chicory
<i>Captain</i>	0.45	Plantain
<i>Prota Red</i>	1.30	Red Clover
<i>Prota White</i>	0.80	White Clover

Pack size: 14kg

### SFI CSAM3 Barherbal - No Chicory

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<i>Seagoe</i>	2.00	PRG Int Tet.
<i>Callan</i>	2.00	PRG Late Dip.
<i>Ballintoy</i>	3.00	PRG Late Tet.
<i>Baronaise</i>	0.50	Timothy
<i>Captain</i>	0.45	Plantain
<i>Sheeps Parsley</i>	0.20	Herb
<i>Burnet</i>	0.18	Herb
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<i>Prota Red</i>	1.26	Red Clover
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Pack size: 14kg

## SFI CSAM3 Barmix & SFI CSAM3 Barmix (no chicory)

Includes biodiversity from the grass content as well, with tall fescue, cocksfoot and timothy growing alongside perennial ryegrass. This product is based on Barmix, one of our top-selling products that is popular for any challenging solution. Deep-rooting grass species increase sward resilience to adverse conditions, and really level up biodiversity benefits.

### SFI CSAM3 Barmix

In the bag	Kg	Species
<i>Ballyvoy</i>	2.00	PRG Late Dip.
<i>Gracehill</i>	3.00	PRG Late Tet.
<i>Bardoux</i>	2.00	Tall Fescue
<i>Barcuby</i>	2.00	Tall Fescue
<i>Archibaldi</i>	1.00	Cocksfoot
<i>Baronaise</i>	1.00	Timothy
<i>Commander</i>	0.45	Chicory
<i>Captain</i>	0.45	Plantain
<i>Prota Red</i>	1.30	Red Clover
<i>Prota White</i>	0.80	White Clover

Pack size: 14kg

### SFI CSAM3 Barmix - No Chicory

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<i>Gracehill</i>	3.00	PRG Late Tet.
<i>Bardoux</i>	2.00	Tall Fescue
<i>Barcuby</i>	2.00	Tall Fescue
<i>Archibaldi</i>	1.00	Cocksfoot
<i>Baronaise</i>	1.00	Timothy
<i>Captain</i>	0.45	Plantain
<i>Sheeps Parsley</i>	0.20	Herb
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# Barenbrug UK offers solutions for:

## Countryside Stewardship (CS) Programme

AB1 - Nectar flower mix | AB3 - Beetle banks

AB8 - Flower-rich margins and plots | AB9 - Winter bird food

AB15 - 2 year sown legume fallow

AB16 - Autumn sown bumblebird mix

GS3 - Ryegrass seed-set as winter food for birds

GS4 - Legume and herb-rich swards

GS8 - Creation of species-rich grassland

GS14 - Creation of grassland for target features

OP2 - Wild bird seed mixture | OP4 - Multi-species ley

OP5 - Undersown cereal

SW1 - 4m-6m buffer strip on cultivated land

SW2 - 4m-6m buffer strip on intensive grassland

SW3 - In-field grass strips

SW4 - 12m-24m waterhouse buffer strip on cultivated land

SW6 - Winter cover crops

SW7 - Arable reversion to grassland with low fertiliser input

## Sustainable Farming Incentive (SFI) Programme

CAHL4 - 4-12m grass buffer strip on arable and horticultural land

CIGL3 - 4-12m grass buffer strip on improved grassland

BFS1 - 12-24m watercourse buffer strip on cultivated land

BFS2 - Buffer in-field ponds on arable land

BFS3 - Buffer in-field ponds on improved grassland

CAHL1 - Pollen and nectar flower mix

CAHL2 - Winter bird food on arable and horticultural land

CAHL3 - Grassy field corners or blocks

AHW1 - Bumblebird mix | AHW3 - Beetle banks

CIPM2 - Flower-rich grass margins

CIPM3 - Companion crop on arable and horticultural land

CNUM2 - Legumes on improved grassland

CNUM3 - Legume fallow

CSAM2 - Multi-species winter cover crop | CSAM3 - Herbal leys

SOH2 - Multi-species spring-sown cover crop

SOH3 - Multi-species summer-sown cover crop

SOH4 - Winter cover following maize crops

WBD3 - In-field grass strips

For all environmental forage options contact your local Barenbrug UK agriculture representative.

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