

## Northern Ireland

**19 farms have participated. In Northern Ireland, the use of concentrates is very low. Consequently the yield is lower.**

	Pure HOL	Pure NRF
<b>1<sup>st</sup> Lactation</b>		
Cows (no.)	130	154
Milk yield (kg)	6264	5956
Fat + Protein (%)	7.07	7.17
SCS (log base10)	1.93	1.77
1st service conception rate (%)	41	55
Calving interval (days)	399	389
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Lactation</b>		
Cows (no.)	96	107
Milk yield (kg)	6789	6550
Fat + Protein (%)	6.94	7.08
SCS (log base10)	2.01	1.88
1st service conception rate (%)	39	60
Calving interval (days)	390	379
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Lactation</b>		
Cows (no.)	54	71
Cow survival (%)	41.54	46.10
Milk yield (kg)	7415	7257
Fat + Protein (%)	6.96	7.17
SCS (log base10)	2.21	1.95
1st service conception rate (%)	35	65
Calving interval (days)	397	376