

Information Sheet

Documenting plant production

(Clarifications concerning the documentation journal of ABG)

Recording of information in the **plant production journal**: it is important that the following processes are depicted appropriately in your record journal as described in the ABG-document "A. 1. plant production journal".

Agriculture:

- Sowing
- Plant protection measures: every time plant protection substances are used (mechanical measures, for example currying, do not have to be recorded)
- Any use of fertilizer (for arable fodder, regard fertilizing procedures for pastureland)
- Date of harvest

Grassland:

- Plant protection measures: every time plant protection substances are used
- Resowing and new seeds
- Any use of fertilizer: a general entry suffices for own operator fertilizers for example, „manure after every cut“. Use of external fertilizers must be documented according to the provided pattern.

Permanent crops:

- Date of planting for new plants
- Plant protection measures: every time plant protection substances are used
- Any use of fertilizer
- Date of harvest

Further necessary documentation for plant production:

A **crop rotation plan** (see document A.2. Crop rotation plan) for every field must only be documented, if no application for national substitution is available. The repeat application for national substitution must be available during inspection.

Acquisitions/additions of inputs must be documented on the relevant form (A.3. inputs for plant production) and the relatable receipts must be kept.

The specific **harvest- and marketed quantities** must be documented on the relevant form in the documentation journal (see A.4. harvest- and marketed quantities).

Further documentations may be required during inspection.

Please regard the information contained in the instructions for the documentation journal.