

Fertilizer Management Factor

Nitrogen source	Date applied	Score
Anhydrous ammonia	before November 1	5
Anhydrous ammonia	Nov.1 – Dec. 31	4
Anhydrous ammonia	Jan. 1 – Feb. 28	3
Anhydrous ammonia	March 1 – 31	2
Anhydrous ammonia	April 1 – 30	1
Anhydrous ammonia	May 1 or later	0
Urea	< 4 days before excess water	4
Urea	4-14 days before excess water	3
Urea	>14 days before excess water	5
Ammonium nitrate or UAN solution	before April 1	5
Ammonium nitrate or UAN solution	April 1 – 30	4
Ammonium nitrate or UAN solution	May 1 or later	3

This table has been modified slightly from the 2007 version to fit this year's conditions.

Soil Factor

Surface soil texture	Score
Loamy	2
Clayey	3
Sandy	5

Wetness Factor

Water situation	Score
Flooded 6 or more days	5
Flooded 3 to 5 days	4
Flooded 1 to 2 days	3
Never flooded but saturated 3 or more days	2
Never flooded but saturated 1 to 2 days	1
Never saturated but sandy and excess rainfall	1
Never saturated and not sandy	0