## Create Gridded\_TR and Gridded\_REC Layers in Mapping

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There are two ways to create the foundation Grid Layer. This may be set up manually, or use the *SSI / Create SSI Grids* menu item to automatically create this layer if no special setup is required.

To set up this layer manually, right-click on the field in the *Resources Tree*, and under *Create a New Layer*, choose *Create a New Region Layer*. Enter a *Name* for the layer such as *Grid Areas* and set *Layer Type* to *Grid*.

On the Attributes tab, select Add Attribute. Enter a *Name* for the Attribute such as *SSI ID*. Change the *Decimals* to 0. Leave the other values at their default level. Select OK. (Notice that Mapping changed the Attribute's name to *SSI ID*). Select OK to finish adding the Layer.

To set up this layer automatically, select the desired Farm or Field in the *Resources Tree*. Navigate to *SSI / Create SSI Grids*. Refresh Mapping, and the Layers are created for the Field(s).

Select the *Current Test Results* layer in the *Resources Tree* for the Field, and note the layout and numbering of the samples. An example for a field is shown below. It has 24 samples in a four column, six row grid.

**Note:** Grid areas may be set up using any type of zone needed, such as Modified Soil Type Zones, Veris Data, Historic Yield Zones, Custom Management Zones, etc.



Select the *Grid Areas* layer in the *Resources Tree*, then go to *Layers / Layer Editor*. Choose the **Show Grid** icon and adjust the *Target Width* and *Target Height* to match the grid sample areas from the *Test Results* layer. Choose the **Move Grid** icon to reposition the grid as necessary to line up the grid edges with the field boundary. When the grid is set appropriately, select the *Snap Grid* icon.

The *Data* tab of the *Layer Editor* displays the *SSI\_ID* column so the grids can be numbered appropriately. Select a cell in the *SSI\_ID* column, and note the selected grid on the map. Enter the appropriate number in the cell for each grid. Choose **Save** when finished.



Select the Field in the *Resources Tree* and press **F5** on the keyboard to refresh. Navigate to *SSI / Create Grid Layers*. Choose **Grid TR** in the top left corner to create the Gridded Test Result Layer. Choose **Grid REC** to create a Gridded Recommendation Layer.

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Test Result Grid Name	Gridded_TR	Set as Derivation
Recommendation Grid Name	Gridded_REC	Set as Derivation

With the Field selected in the *Resources Tree*, press **F5** on the keyboard to refresh.

