

# Using the Rate/Acre Calculator

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**Q. How do I create a Blend Ticket by the acre but calculate certain products on the blend per ton or per 100 gallons?**

A. The *Rate/Acre Calculator* is built into the Blend Ticket and Field Plan to calculate certain products per ton or per 100 gallons when creating a Blend Ticket by the acre. This tool calculates product amounts to use in dry fertilizer and chemical blends such as Agrotain, Nutrisphere, and surfactants.

## Example 1: Dry Fertilizer Blend Ticket with Urea, DAP, Potash, and Agrotain Nitrogen Stabilizer to Treat the Urea

Select the products, input the *Rate/Acre* for all the products except Agrotain, and then select the **Recalc using Rate/Acre** button.

**Note:** An analysis can be optionally formulated to calculate the products and *Rate/Acre*.

The screenshot shows a software window titled "Add Blend Ticket # 269" with tabs for "General", "Products", "Prices", and "Blend". The "Products" tab is active, displaying a table with the following data:

	<Product Name>	Rate/Acre	Unit	Total Product	Unit	Blended	Blended Unit	Scale
1	Urea (46-0-0)	150.000	Lbs	2910.000	Lbs	2910.000	Lbs	1
2	Dap (18-46-00)	100.000	Lbs	1940.000	Lbs	1940.000	Lbs	1
3	Potash (0-0-60)	100.000	Lbs	1940.000	Lbs	1940.000	Lbs	1
4	Agrotain	0.000	Qts	0.000	Qts	0.000	Qts	2

Below the table, there are four buttons: "Recalc using Rate/Acre" (highlighted in blue), "Recalc using Total Product", "Recalc using Blended", and "Recalc using Scale".

At the bottom of the window, there are several buttons: "View Analysis", "Show Splits", "Additional Info...", "Edit to Actual", "Capture Blender", "Save", and "Cancel". A checkbox labeled "Print on Save" is checked.

Left-click in the *Rate/Acre* cell of Agrotain to highlight the cell blue. Right-click to open the *Rate/Acre Calculator* window.

Add Blend Ticket # 269

General Products Prices Blend

Acres 19.400 Set Basic Dry Target lbs of Analysis 100 Reorder Products

	<Product Name>	Rate/Acre	Unit	Total Product	Unit	Blended	Blended Unit	Scale
1	Urea (46-0-0)	150.000	Lbs	2910.000	Lbs	2910.000	Lbs	1
2	Dap (18-46-00)	100.000	Lbs	1940.000	Lbs	1940.000	Lbs	1
3	Potash (0-0-60)	100.000	Lbs	1940.000	Lbs	1940.000	Lbs	1
4	▶ Agrotain	0.000	Qts	0.000	Qts	0.000	Qts	2

Recalc using Rate/Acre Recalc using Total Product Recalc using Blended Recalc using Scale

<Ship From Location> Apply

Density	62.021	% Water	0	% Clay	0
CuFt/Acre	5.643	Total CuFt	109.474	Est Salt Out Temp	N/A
Lbs/Acre	350	Total Lbs	6790	Est Temp Change	0

View Analysis Show Splits Additional Info... Edit to Actual Capture Blender Save Cancel

Print on Save

Uncheck all products except Urea so the rate/ton of Agrotain is calculated based on only the quantity of Urea in the blend. Another option is to select the **UnTag All** button, and then select the Urea product.

Enter the rate of Agrotain per 2000 lbs of Urea to be applied. For this example, Agrotain is going to be applied at 2 Qts Per 2000 Lbs of Urea.

Rate/Acre Calculator

Enter the amount, and units, of the product needed per the indicated quantity of total product and click the Done button. This will cause the program to calculate the correct rate per acre for the product selected, and place that rate in the grid. Please ensure that all products have been entered prior to this step. You can optionally select which products contribute to the total and if you want to reset the blend back to the original total product quantity.

	Select	Product Name
1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Urea (46-0-0)
2	<input type="checkbox"/>	Dap (18-46-00)
3	<input type="checkbox"/>	Potash (0-0-60)
4	<input type="checkbox"/>	Agrotain

Untag All

2 Qts Per 2000 Pounds

Rate Rating Unit  
.150 Qts  Reset Back to Original Total Rate

Done Cancel

Click the **Done** button, and the *Rate/Acre* of Agrotain is calculated from the total quantity of Urea in the blend.

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2	Dap (18-46-00)	100.000	Lbs	1940.000	Lbs	1940.000	Lbs	1
3	Potash (0-0-60)	100.000	Lbs	1940.000	Lbs	1940.000	Lbs	1
4	Agrotain	0.150	Qts	2.910	Qts	2.900	Qts	2

Recalc using Rate/Acre Recalc using Total Product Recalc using Blended Recalc using Scale

<Ship From Location> Density 62.024 % Water 0 % Clay 0  
CuFt/Acre 5.648 Total CuFt 109.571 Est Salt Out Temp N/A  
Lbs/Acre 350.331 Total Lbs 6796.402 Est Temp Change 0

View Analysis Show Splits Additional Info... Edit to Actual Capture Blender Save Cancel

Print on Save

Example 2: Chemical Blend Ticket Using Liberty, Section 3, Amsol Dry, and Water

Select the products, and enter the *Rate/Acre* for all products except Amsol Dry. In this example, the Water was calculated using the *Adjust Water to Gal/Acre* option.

Add Blend Ticket # 269

General Products Prices Blend Automated Blender

Acres 19.400 Set Murray Unattend Target lbs of Analysis 100 Reorder Products

	<Product Name>	Rate/Acre	Unit	Total Product	Unit	Blended	Blended Unit	Scale
1	Liberty Bulk	32.000	Ozs	620.800	Ozs	5.000	Gal	4
2	Section 3	3.000	Ozs	58.200	Ozs	58.000	Ozs	4
3	Amsol Dry	0.000	Lbs	0.000	Lbs	0.000	Lbs	4
4	Chemical Spraying	1.000	Acre	19.400	Acre	19.400	Acre	5
5	Water	163.730	Lbs	3176.362	Lbs	3176.000	Lbs	3

Recalc using Rate/Acre Recalc using Total Product Recalc using Blended Recalc using Scale

Adjust Water to Gal/Acre

20 Apply <Ship From Location>

Density	8.316	% Water	98.442	% Clay	0
Gal/Acre	20	Total Gal	388	Est Salt Out Temp	N/A
Lbs/Acre	166.322	Total Lbs	3227.707	Est Temp Change	0

View Analysis Show Splits Additional Info... Edit to Actual Capture Blender Save Cancel

Print on Save

Left-click in the *Rate/Acre* cell of Amsol Dry to highlight the cell blue. Right-click to open the *Rate/Acre Calculator* window.

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Acres 19.400 Set Murray Unattend Target lbs of Analysis 100 Reorder Products

	<Product Name>	Rate/Acre	Unit	Total Product	Unit	Blended	Blended Unit	Scale
1	Liberty Bulk	32.000	Ozs	620.800	Ozs	5.000	Gal	4
2	Section 3	3.000	Ozs	58.200	Ozs	58.000	Ozs	4
3	Amsol Dry	0.000	Lbs	0.000	Lbs	0.000	Lbs	4
4	Chemical Spraying	1.000	Acre	19.400	Acre	19.400	Acre	5
5	Water	163.730	Lbs	3176.362	Lbs	3176.000	Lbs	3

Recalc using Rate/Acre Recalc using Total Product Recalc using Blended Recalc using Scale

Adjust Water to Gal/Acre 20 Apply <Ship From Location>

Density 8.316 % Water 98.442 % Clay 0  
 Gal/Acre 20 Total Gal 388 Est Salt Out Temp N/A  
 Lbs/Acre 166.322 Total Lbs 3227.707 Est Temp Change 0

View Analysis Show Splits Additional Info... Edit to Actual Capture Blender Save Cancel

Print on Save

Leave all products checked to calculate the rate of Amsol Dry based on the total gallons of solution. Enter the rate per 100 gallons of solution. This example uses a rate of 8 Lbs Per 100 Gallons of solution.

Rate/Acre Calculator

Enter the amount, and units, of the product needed per the indicated quantity of total product and click the Done button. This will cause the program to calculate the correct rate per acre for the product selected, and place that rate in the grid. Please ensure that all products have been entered prior to this step. You can optionally select which products contribute to the total and if you want to reset the blend back to the original total product quantity.

	Select	Product Name
1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Liberty Bulk
2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Section 3
3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Amsol Dry
4	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Chemical Spraying
5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Water

Untag All

8 Lbs Per 100 Gallons

Rate 1.600 Rating Unit Lbs  Reset Back to Original Total Rate Done Cancel

Once the rate per 100 gallons has been entered, select the **Done** button. The *Rate/Acre* of Amsol Dry is calculated

based on the total gallons of the solution.

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1	Liberty Bulk	32.000	Ozs	620.800	Ozs	5.000	Gal	4
2	Section 3	3.000	Ozs	58.200	Ozs	58.000	Ozs	4
3	Amsol Dry	1.600	Lbs	31.040	Lbs	31.000	Lbs	4
4	Chemical Spraying	1.000	Acre	19.400	Acre	19.400	Acre	5
5	Water	162.406	Lbs	3150.676	Lbs	3151.000	Lbs	3

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Recalc using Rate/Acre Recalc using Total Product Recalc using Blended Recalc using Scale

<Ship From Location> Apply

Density	8.33	% Water	97.484	% Clay	0
Gal/Acre	20	Total Gal	388	Est Salt Out Temp	N/A
Lbs/Acre	166.598	Total Lbs	3233.707	Est Temp Change	0

View Analysis Show Splits Additional Info... Edit to Actual Capture Blender Save Cancel

Print on Save