

## Consent Statement

Global Farm Metric Research Tool (UK) sustainability assessment trial (“trial”) with the Sustainable Food Trust (SFT) and Monmouthshire County Council (MCC)

In order to process the data provided as part of the trial, we need your permission in order to contact you and to find out more information about your farm, including your name, contact details and address. This allows us to share the Global Farm Metric assessment tool with you for data collection and to contact you for enquiries.

We will process this data in accordance with our privacy notices and terms and conditions, provided alongside this consent statement.

**In addition to name and contact details we will also collect and process data about your farm this will include, but is not limited to the following:**

- Cropping areas and livestock numbers
- Productivity metrics such as sales volumes and prices, income and costs
- Soil management practices
- Water management practices including irrigation, flooding and quality measures
- Energy and resource use including fuel use and waste management
- Nutrient management
- Livestock management including grazing, housing, feeding and animal health
- Plant and crop health
- Biodiversity
- Social capital such as community engagement and public access
- Human capital including employment, workforce skills, health and wellbeing
- Views and perspectives on sustainability, on the pilot assessment process and on the uses and consequences of the assessment

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I have been provided with a copy of the terms and conditions, which covers the handling of the personal data and farm data I share whilst working with the Sustainable Food Trust and Monmouthshire County Council (MCC)

I consent to my farm data being used as set out in the terms and conditions by:

- SFT to inform further development of the Global Farm Metric and create benchmarking data sets (Schedule 1, 1. Data Usage (a) i-ii)
- MCC to positively inform and influence future food development and support for food producers in the future

If at any point during the pilot I no longer wish to take part, I understand I can withdraw my consent by contacting the SFT at: [info@globalfarmmetric.org](mailto:info@globalfarmmetric.org) and any data I have provided up to that point will be destroyed. I understand that this will not be possible for any data that has been anonymised as it can no longer be associated with me.