

# **Westland Monitor Farm Project**

**Weekly Update** as at week ending Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> July 2021.

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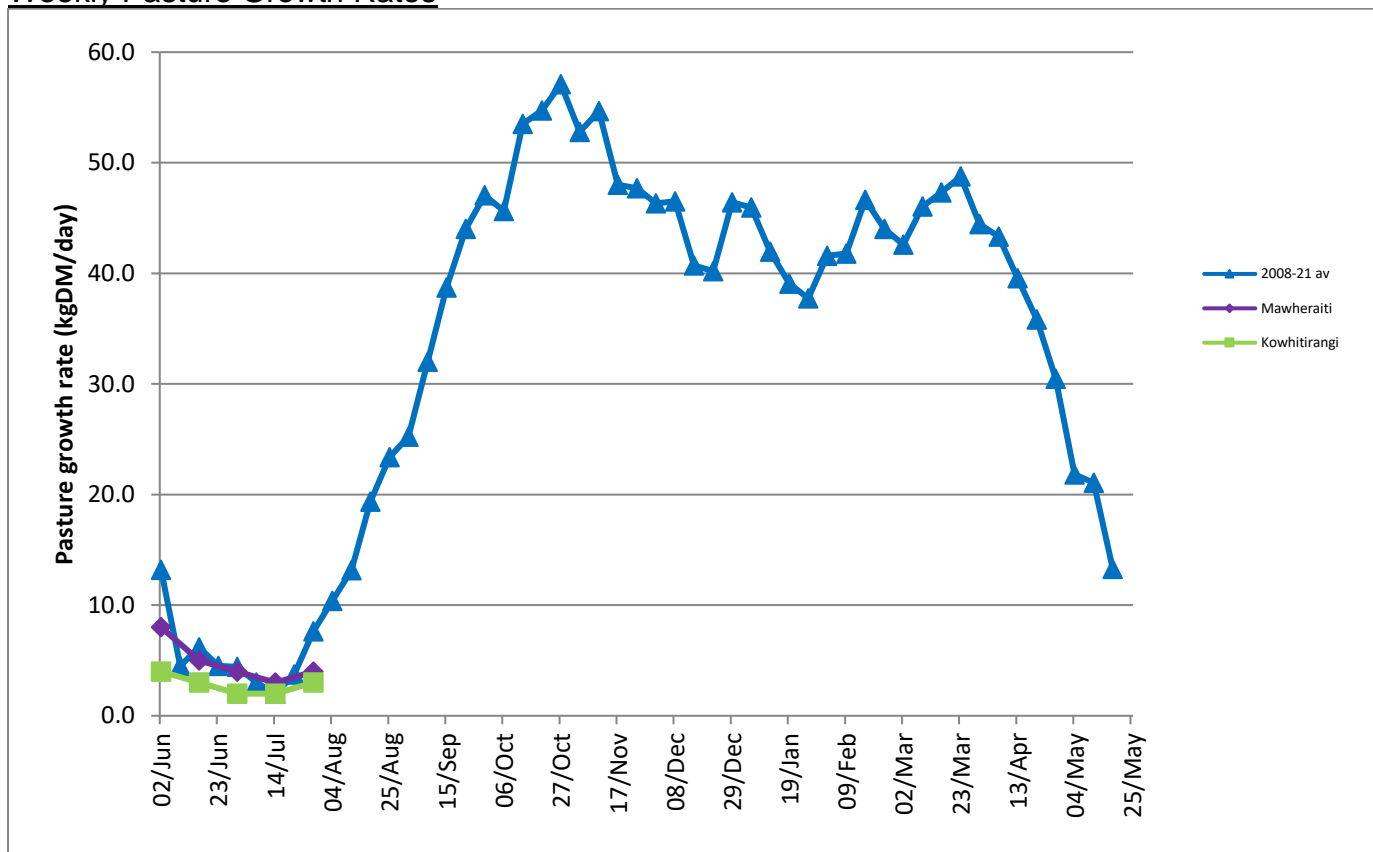
Comments will resume in August.

## Farm Summary

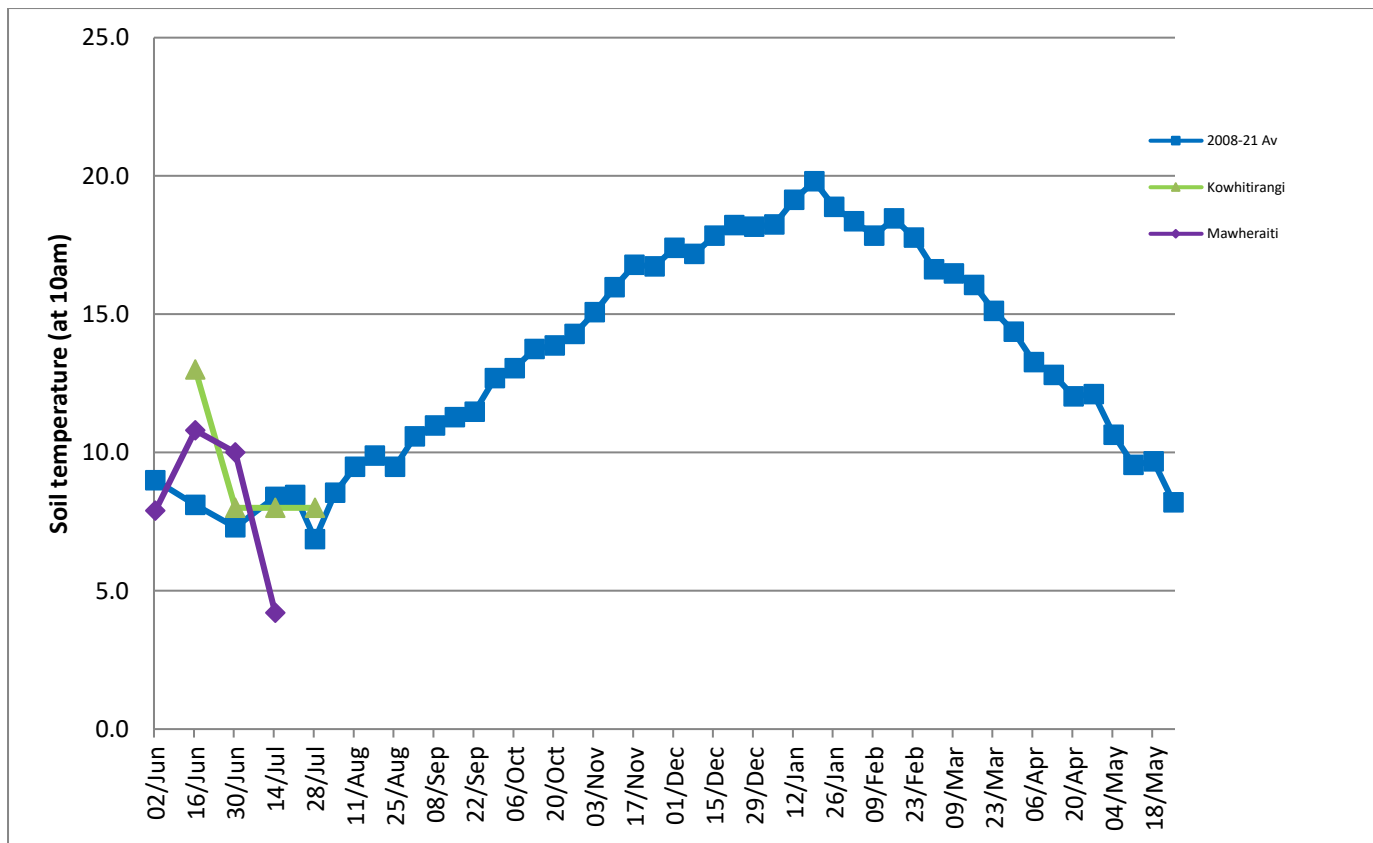
	Mawheraiti	Kowhitirangi
Average cover (kg DM/ha)	2227	1929
APC (14 July)	2160	1902
Rotation length (days)		
Stocking rate		
Percentage in milk	0	0
Milksolids kg/cow		
Milksolids kg/ha		
MS/cow (season to date)		
MS/ha (season to date)		
N (kg/ha) year to date		
Current N application rate kg N/ha		
	31 May	12 April
DM%	11.8	9.8
Pasture ME	12.7	11.8
Pasture NDF	38.8	46.5
Pasture CP	33.2	26.0
Target Intake (kg DM/cow/d)		
Supplement (kg/cow/day)	Mob 1 - 10.8 Mob 2 - 13	13
Soil temperature (°C)		8.0
Growth Rate (kg DM/day)	4	3
Rainfall	48	100
Conditions for farmwalk	Heavy rain	
Notes:	<p>253mm rain week of 19<sup>th</sup>. Moirs stop bank washed out causing river to go through our farm, washing our stop bank out and drowning water pump.</p> <p>Took a few internal fences out and wrote boundary fence off.</p> <p>Farm looking good for grass although ground conditions very soft on off-grazing springers.</p> <p>Workshop finally usable so good to start on equipment maintenance, although a bit close to calving than normal.</p>	

NB: pasture quality data are for 1 sample collected from each farm.

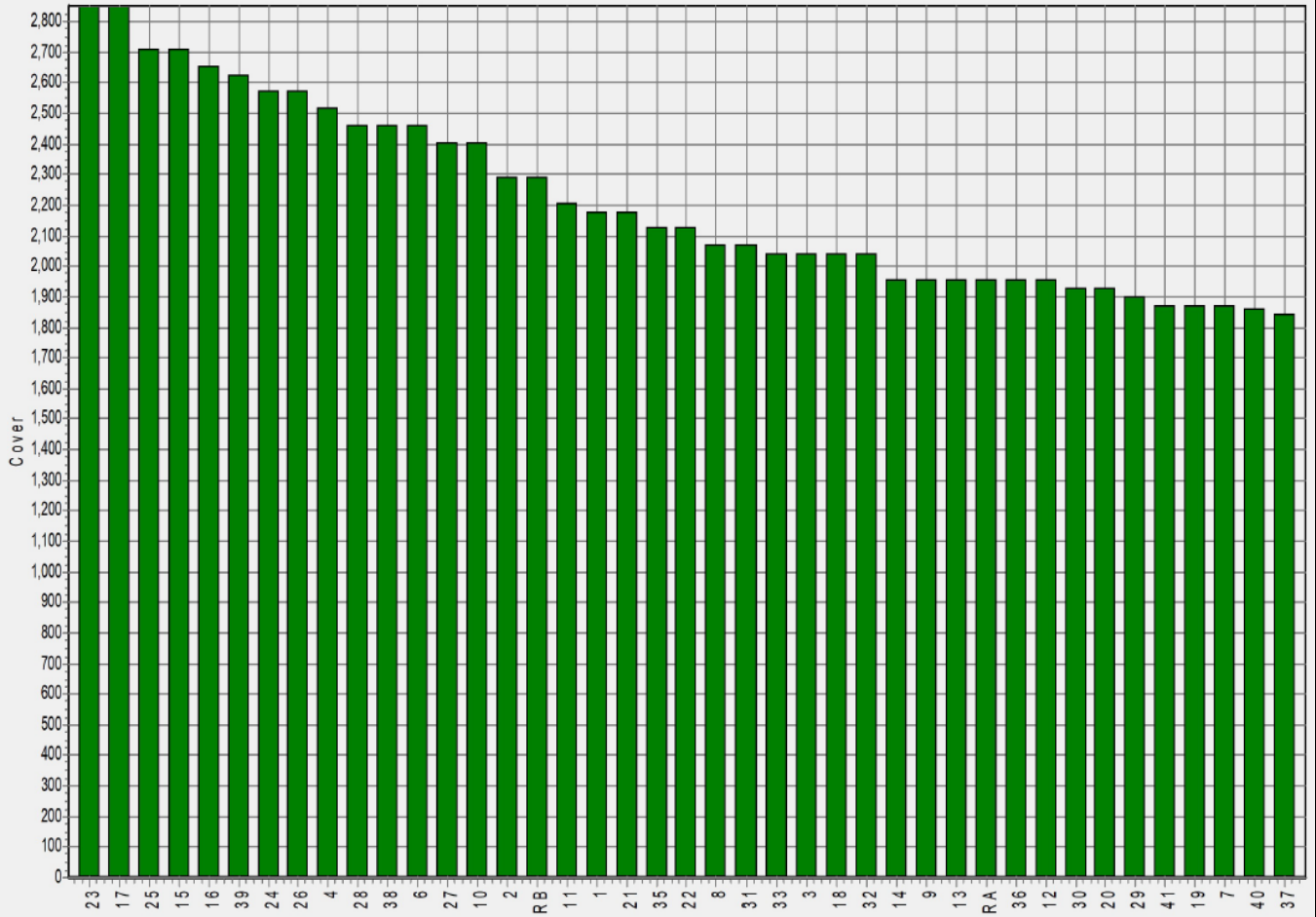
### Weekly Pasture Growth Rates



### Weekly Soil Temperature



## Mawheraiti



## Kowhitirangi

