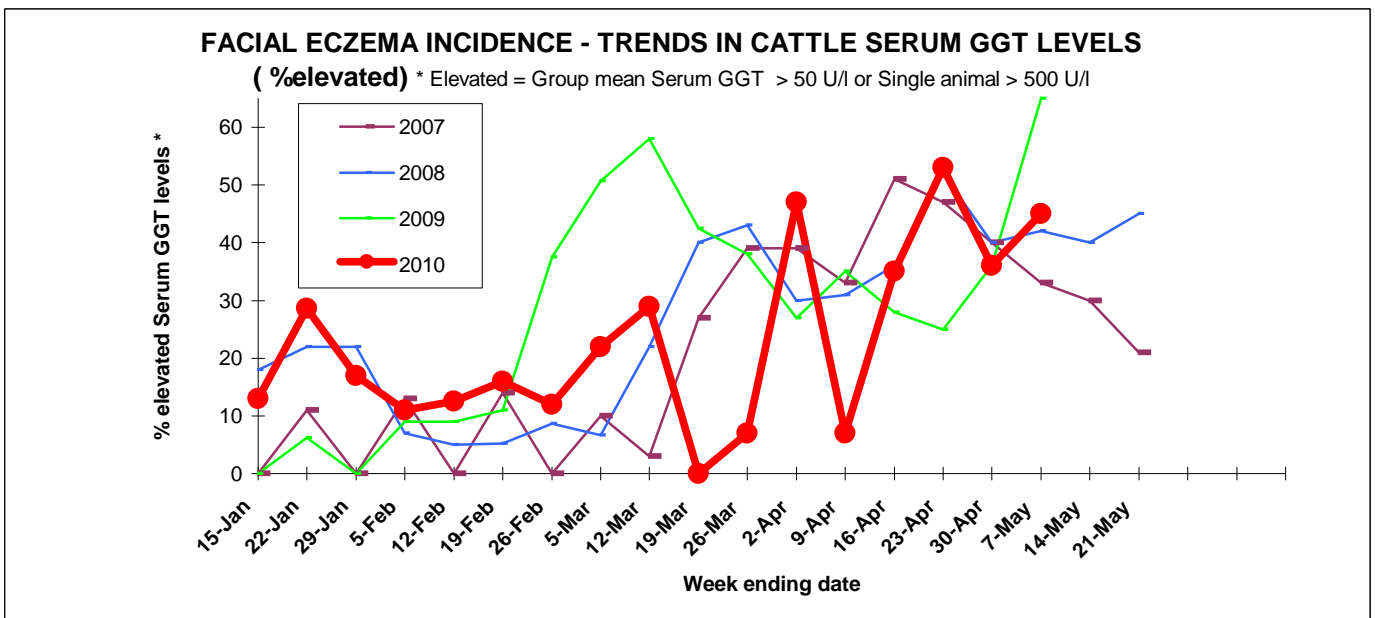
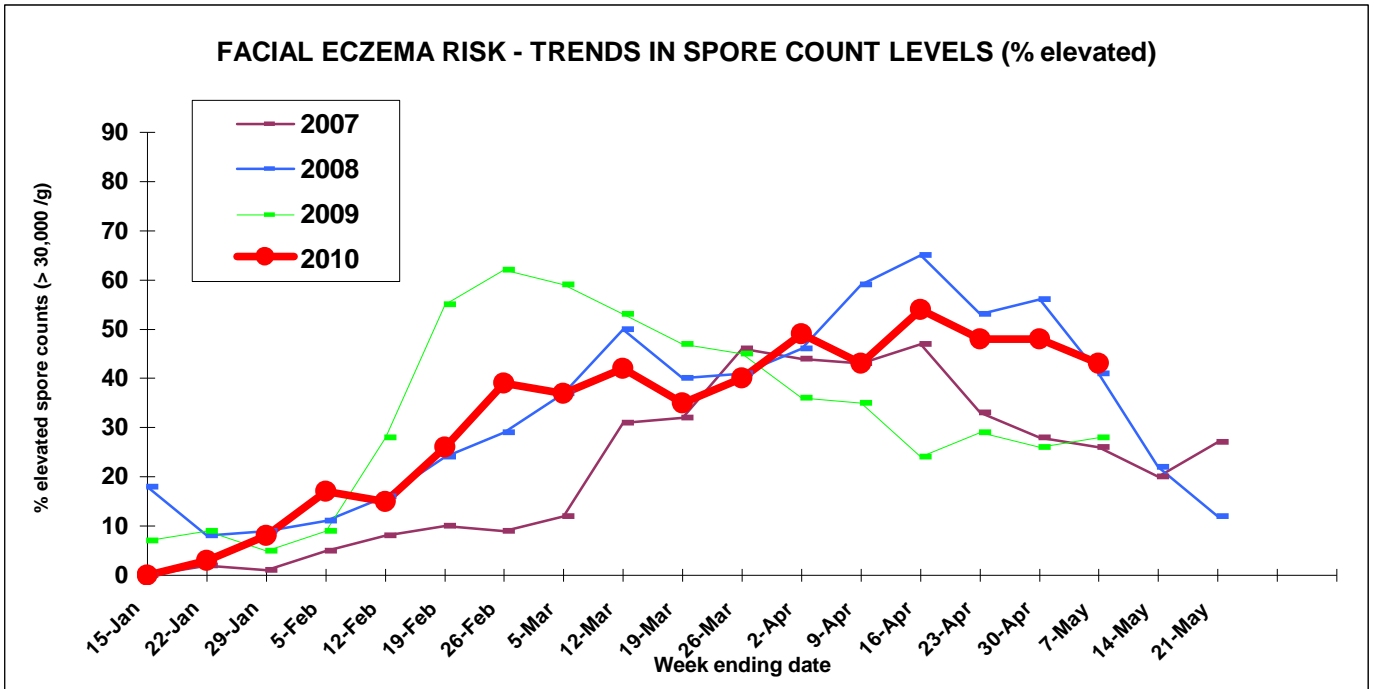


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Light frosts have been felt in some areas this week in the Waikato but counts still remain high in the Matamata district. Night temperatures have dropped but moderate to warm day temperatures are still being experienced. Counts are still elevated in Northland, BOP, Taranaki and the lower North Island. Drought areas have some grass growth but some more rain would be beneficial. Generally spore counts should start to decrease as the cooler Autumn weather sets in.

Please send counts for the report by 2pm Fridays. Fax 07 850 0770. E-mail fe@gribbles.co.nz
Report compiled by Gribbles Veterinary.

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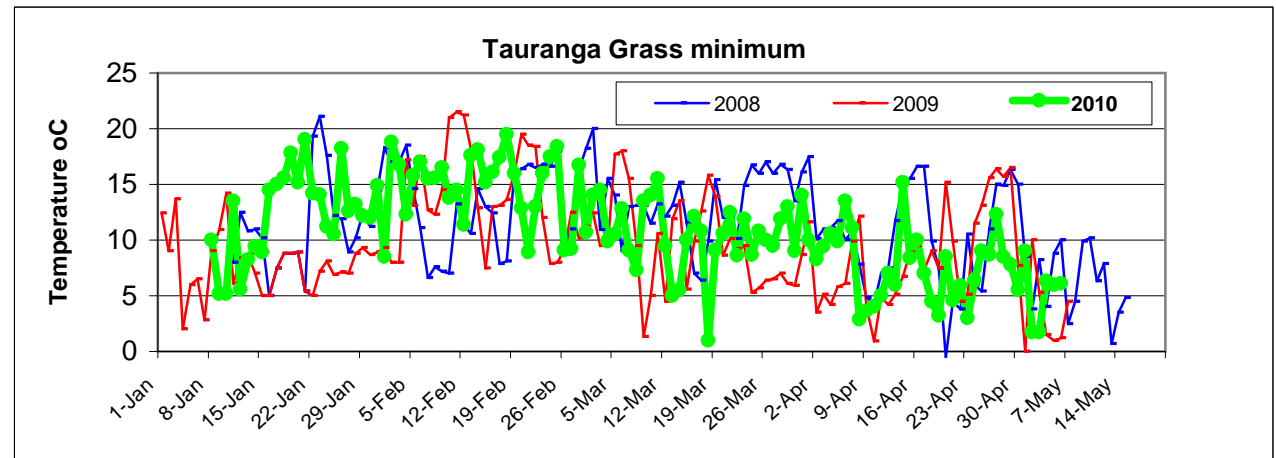
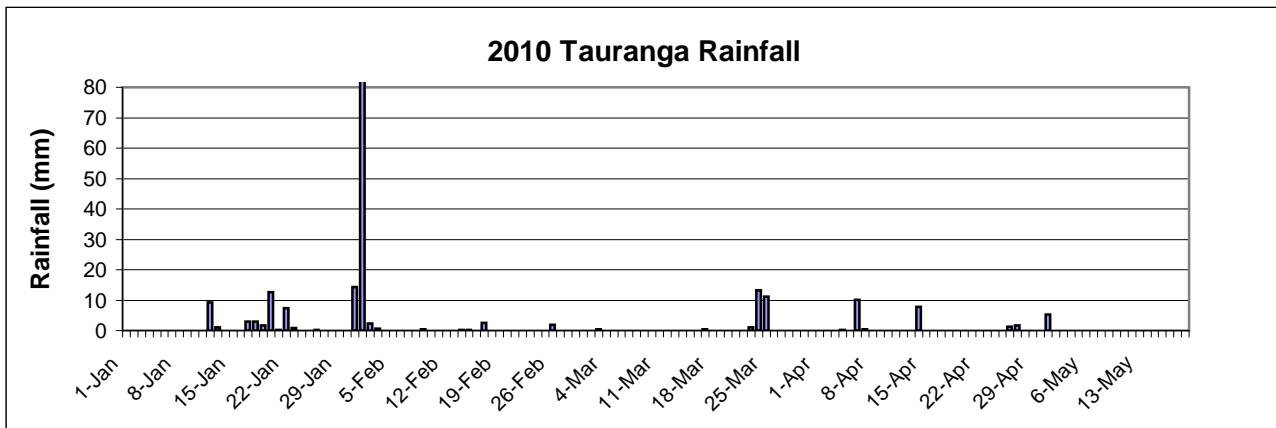
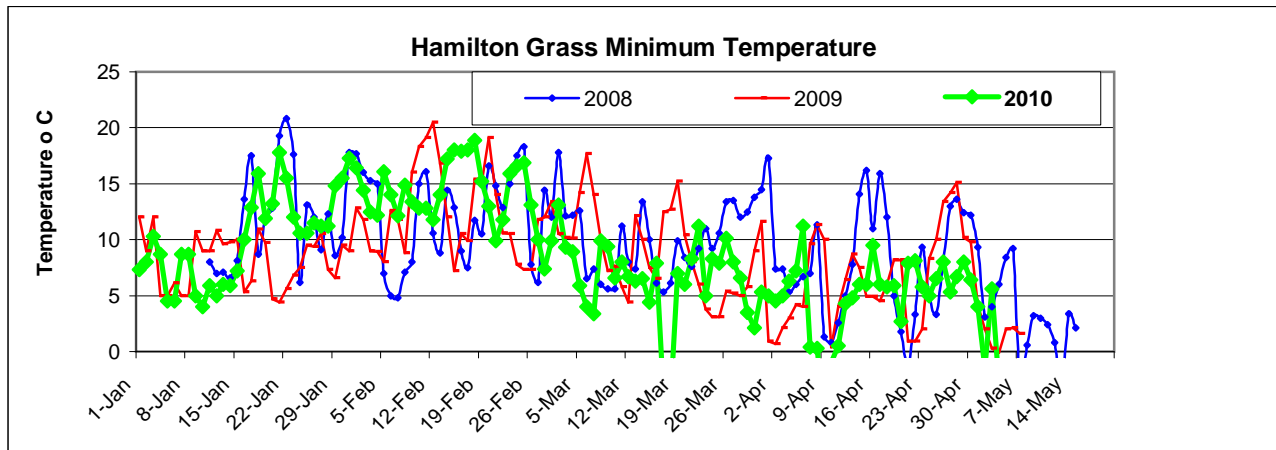
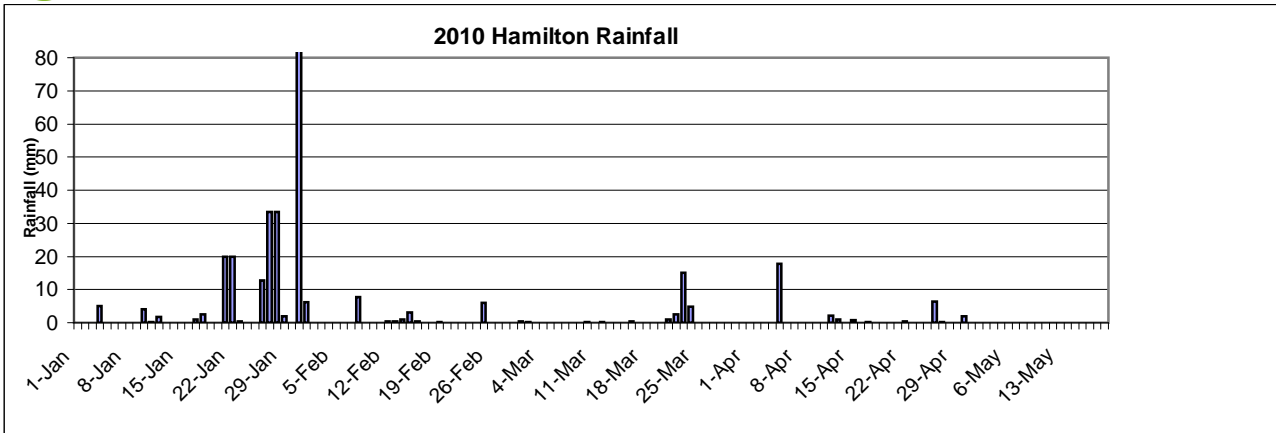
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Region	District	No of Sites Monitored	Counts for week '000's/g			FE Risk *
			Ave	Lowest	Highest	
Northland	Kaitaia	1	183	183	183	Low
	Kaikohe/BOIs.	3	15	10	20	
	Whangarei	0				
	Dargaville/Ruawai	0				
	Maungaturoto	2	150	95	205	
	Rodney	3	25	10	50	
Auckland	Franklin	4	66	45	100	High
B.O.P	Tauranga	0				Moderate
	Te Puke	2	50	15	85	
	Whakatane	0				
	Opotiki	2	130	50	210	
	Rotorua	3	7	5	10	
Waikato	Whitianga	0				Moderate
	Waihi	0				
	Hauraki Plains	6	50	0	195	
	Piako	3	25	5	35	
	Matamata	8	153	6	320	
	South Waikato	0				
	Raglan	4	146	35	275	
	Hamilton	4	101	20	202	
	Waipa	4	53	10	115	
	Otorohanga	3	68	45	110	
	Waitomo	1	15	15	15	
	Taupo	6	4	0	25	
	Taranaki	New Plymouth	3	25	15	
Stratford		4	63	10	195	High
South Taranaki		3	35	15	55	Moderate
E. Coast	Gisborne	3	19	10	29	Slight
	Hawkes Bay	0				
	Wairoa	0				
Lower N.I	Wanganui	0				Low
	Rangitikei	6	9	5	16	
	Manawatu	7	50	9	215	
	Horowhenua	3	19	10	24	
	Tararua	3	17	6	32	
	Wairarapa	3	111	7	303	
South Is	Tasman	0				

* Risk level based on average count (<= 15 low , 15 - 30 slight, 30-60 moderate, > 60 High)

Data provided by Vet Club Reporoa, The VC Otorohanga/Te Awamutu, Hauraki VS, Totally Vets Fielding, Landmark Vets, Opotiki VS, Matamata VS, FVC Ngatea, Te Puke VC, Anexa Total VS Huntly/Raglan, The Cow Vet Cambridge, Inglewood VS, Eltham District VS, Southern Rangitikei VS, Helensville VS, Fiona Ellmers, Ali Cullum, Ravensdown Ltd and AsureQuality NZ. Sponsored by Agrifeeds, Dairy NZ, RD1 Ltd, Meat & Wool NZ & AsureQuality NZ.





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