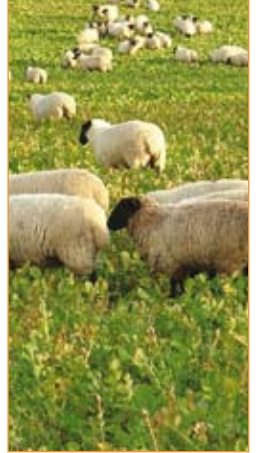


Forage Guide



2nd Edition

Spunhill Farm Sales was established in 1980 and founded on providing agronomic advice and services. Our BASIS and FACTS qualified agronomists offer a free field walking service and can provide a tailor-made package specific to your cropping needs. Specific advice on animal health issues can also be obtained from our experienced AMTRA-qualified (SQP) staff.

Spunhill's team of agronomists and animal health specialists provide help and advice to farmers in the counties of Shropshire, Staffordshire, Cheshire, Herefordshire, Denbighshire, Flintshire, Gwynedd and Wrexham.

This Forage Guide brings together all the products and services available from Spunhill which relate to forage production and its utilisation, and highlights some key agronomic aspects of successful crop growing.

As we say throughout this Guide, if you would like more information or to discuss any issues, then please contact Spunhill Farm Sales through our stores, and we will be happy to help you.

Spunhill stores

A range of farm supplies can be ordered or purchased direct from our stores at Mold, Shrewsbury and Ellesmere. Spunhill's van drivers provide prompt and free delivery direct to farm. Advice from our technical staff on crop care and animal health is also available either in person, or by telephone.

Normal opening times:

Ellesmere:

Mon-Fri 8:00am - 5:00pm, Sat 8:30am - 12:30pm

Mold:

Mon-Fri 8:30am - 5:00pm, Sat 8:30am - 12:00 noon

Shrewsbury:

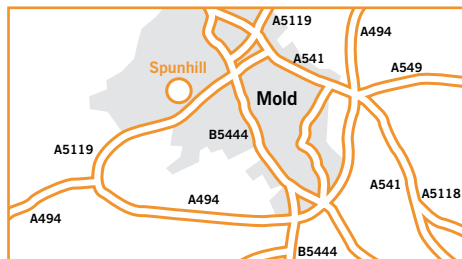
Mon-Fri 8:00am - 1:00pm (Tues open to 3pm)

Ellesmere store (Sat Nav postcode: SY12 0EW)



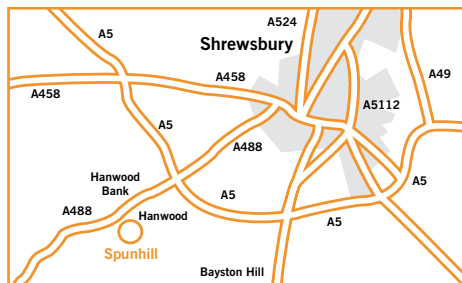
Spunhill's head office and depot is situated on the Ellesmere Business Park on the A495 to Oswestry.
Tel: 01691 626000.

Mold store (Sat Nav postcode: CH7 1QQ)



The store is located on the left hand side as you head into Mold on the A5119. Tel: 01352 759189.

Shrewsbury store (Sat Nav postcode: SY5 8NY)



Head west on the A5 ring road around Shrewsbury, then turn left onto the A488, towards Bishops Castle. The store is 500 yards on the left. Tel: 01743 861911.

Spunhill mineral premixes

A range of granulated mineral premixes are available including **Dry Cow** for the months prior to calving and **Dairy Phos** which contains phosphorous to help improve fertility. The full Spunhill mineral premix range is shown below.

On farms where specific mineral deficiencies are identified, then the cost-effective solution is to have a customised premix made by Spunhill.

Other feed supplements

Mineral supplements are also available in buckets, feed blocks and mineral licks. Products include: Spunhill's own brand supplements, the **Crystalx** range, the **Supalix** range, and **Rockies Chelated** range. Other feed ingredients available include: salt, sodium bicarbonate, feed grade urea and yeast products.

Mineral specifications of Spunhill's premix range								
Product		Dry Cow FA	Super Dairy IF	Cattle High Mag IF & FA	Cattle GP IF & FA	Dairy Phos IF	Mag Phos IF	Sheep GP FA
Vitamin A	iu/kg	400,000	500,000	320,000	320,000	320,000	400,000	320,000
Vitamin D	iu/kg	100,000	100,000	80,000	80,000	80,000	80,000	80,000
Vitamin E	iu/kg	1,000	2,200	250	250	1,000	1,000	1,000
Vitamin B12	mcg/kg	–	1,000	–	–	1,000	–	–
Cobalt	mg/kg	150	120	100	100	80	150	150
Manganese	mg/kg	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	2,000	–
Total Copper	mg/kg	2,000	3,500	2,000	2,000	2,500	3,250	–
Iron	mg/kg	2,500	–	–	2,750	–	–	–
Zinc	mg/kg	5,000	6,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	4,000	–
Iodine	mg/kg	400	600	200	200	150	300	250
Selenium	mg/kg	30	40	20	20	30	30	30
Calcium	%	–	21.0	9.5	25.0	16.0	10.0	19.0
Phosphorus	%	8.0	9.0	3.0	4.0	10.0	7.0	6.0
Sodium	%	12.5	4.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	12.0	8.0
Magnesium	%	15.0	9.0	25.0	3.0	5.0	12.0	4.0

IF= In feed, FA = Free access. All supplied in 25kg bags.



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