The main NBS to be tested in the UK involve diversifying arable rotations and using bio-based fertilisers, in particular: (1) Crop rotations and use of cover crops and green manure; (2) Farmyard manure (P) applications efficiency; (3) Recycled fertiliser made from abattoir by-products (primarily bones) as a source of phosphorus.



Crop rotations being investigated via the LSRE

Rothamsted Reserch is home of the world's longest-running field experiments.



Production of phosphorus fertiliser from abattoir waste

Learn more about the origin of the phosphate fertiliser industry from the video on the work to be done as trans4num NBS site, the production of phosphorus fertiliser from abattoir waste and past research conducted



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