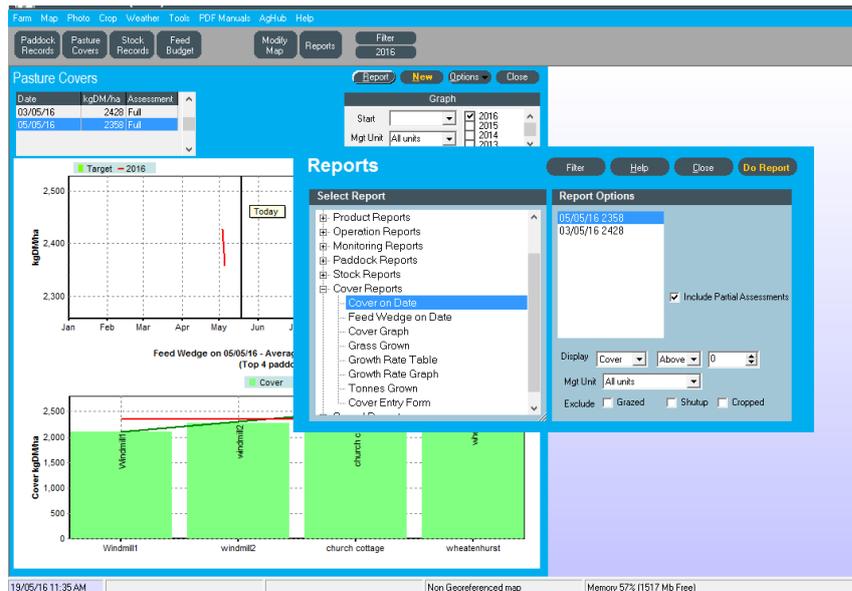


## Transferring Data From PPlus To Agrinet

Transferring pasture covers from PPlus to Agrinet.

Once paddocks are measured and data has been transferred/input into PPlus and a feed wedge created then a report needs to be made.

To do this, click on **report** in the pasture cover screen, select **cover reports** and **cover on date**. Select the date of the pasture cover walk, then click **do report**.



You will then see this screen:

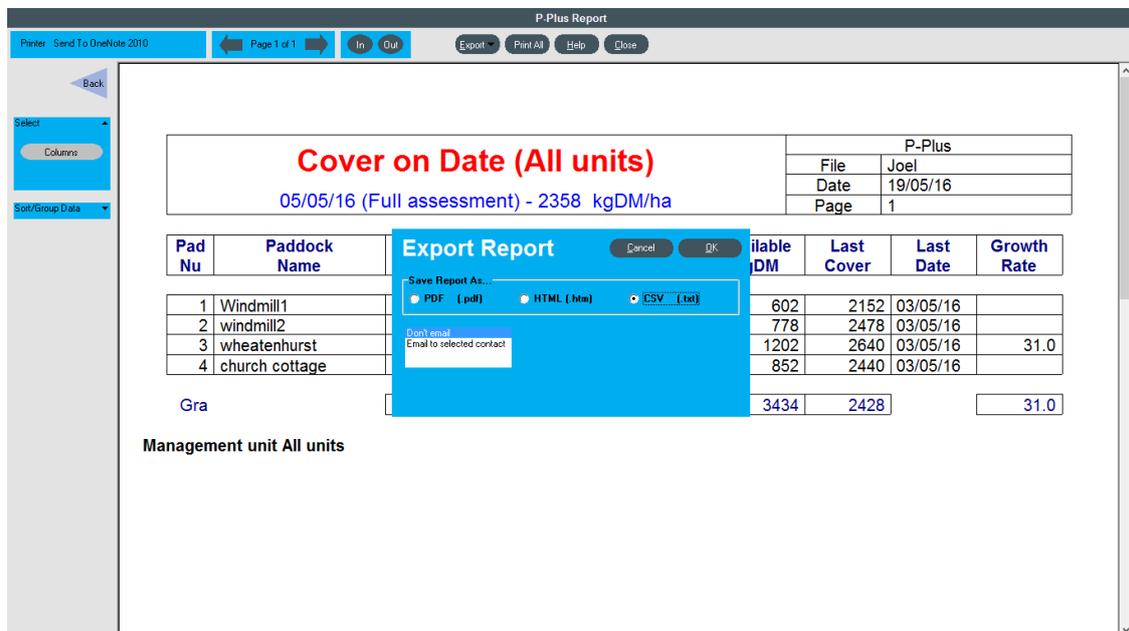
**P-Plus Report**

**Cover on Date (All units)**  
05/05/16 (Full assessment) - 2358 kgDM/ha

|                                  |                | P-Plus      |          |         |          |               |                |             |           |             |
|----------------------------------|----------------|-------------|----------|---------|----------|---------------|----------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
|                                  |                | File        | Joel     |         |          |               |                |             |           |             |
|                                  |                | Date        | 19/05/16 |         |          |               |                |             |           |             |
|                                  |                | Page        | 1        |         |          |               |                |             |           |             |
| Pad Nu                           | Paddock Name   | Area        | Graz ed  | Shut Up | Crop ped | Cover kgDM/ha | Available kgDM | Last Cover  | Last Date | Growth Rate |
| 1                                | Windmill1      | 1.00        |          |         |          | 2102          | 602            | 2152        | 03/05/16  |             |
| 2                                | windmill2      | 1.00        |          |         |          | 2278          | 778            | 2478        | 03/05/16  |             |
| 3                                | wheatenhurst   | 1.00        |          |         |          | 2702          | 1202           | 2640        | 03/05/16  | 31.0        |
| 4                                | church cottage | 1.00        |          |         |          | 2352          | 852            | 2440        | 03/05/16  |             |
| <b>Gra</b>                       |                | <b>4.00</b> |          |         |          | <b>2359</b>   | <b>3434</b>    | <b>2428</b> |           | <b>31.0</b> |
| <b>Management unit All units</b> |                |             |          |         |          |               |                |             |           |             |

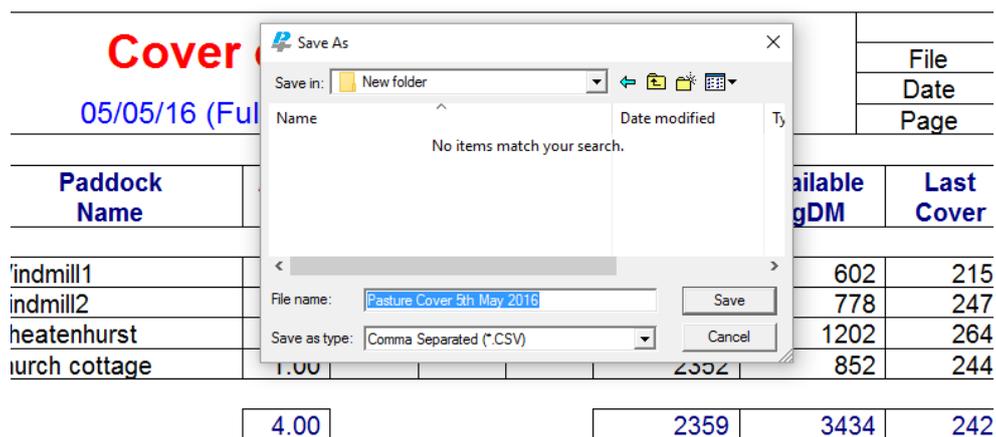
The report then needs to be saved as a CSV\* file:

To do this click on the **Export** button at the top of the screen and then select **Export report to file**.



In the dialogue box ensure that the CSV (.txt) is checked and press **ok**.

This will bring up the following dialogue box, choose somewhere memorable to save the file and rename it, for example **Pasture Cover 5<sup>th</sup> May 2016**. Press **Save**.



Log into Agrinet.

Ensure that your paddock data has been put into Agrinet, the paddock names and numbers must correspond with the Paddock names and numbers you have entered into PPlus. These instructions assume this has already been done.

On the home screen select **Grass Covers**:

On the Grass Covers click **New Grass Covers**.

| Date       | Growth | Cover | Area | LU   | SR   | Demand | Cover/LU | Edit | Delete | Grass Wedge |
|------------|--------|-------|------|------|------|--------|----------|------|--------|-------------|
| 03/05/2016 | 0.0    | 2428  | 4.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.0    | 0.00     | Edit | Delete | Grass Wedge |

On the New/Edit Grass covers screen ensure the date matches the date of the pasture cover report that you saved, in this case the 5/5/16. Next Click **Electronic Devices**.

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Back To Grass Covers

Measurement Date: 05/05/2016

Soil Temperature: (10cm Deep, 10am Soil Temp)

Rainfall: (Rainfall mm in last week)

Include grazed paddocks in growth calculation?

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In the **Select platemeter Type** make sure *Farmworks F300* is selected. Do not worry that only the F300 is listed even though you may have an F200 or F400. The Agrinet programme does not know this, it's just ensuring the format is right. Next select **Choose File**.

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Measurement Date: 05-May-2016

1. Select Platemeter Type: Farmworks F300

2. Select the file produced by your platemeter  
Choose file No file chosen

3. If you use Available Cover as a basis of measurement, click on option below to subtract 1500 from the plate reading  
 Subtract 1500

4. If you are happy with the preview of the meter readings, click to continue  
Continue

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Open

PPlus > Joel > Report Export

| Name    | Date modified      | Type                 |
|---------|--------------------|----------------------|
| 3rd May | 5/19/2016 10:46 AM | Microsoft Excel C... |
| 5th may | 5/19/2016 10:29 AM | Microsoft Excel C... |

File name: All Files

Open Cancel

Find the folder where you saved the PPlus report CSV file and select the file then press **Open**.

A preview of the readings will be shown, press **Continue** if the readings are the correct ones.

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Home | Back to New Grass Cover | Back to Grass Covers

Measurement Date: 05-May-2016

- Select Platemeter Type: Farmworks F300
- Select the file produced by your platemeter  
Choose file No file chosen
- If you use Available Cover as a basis of measurement, click on option below to subtract 1500 from the plate reading  
 Subtract 1500
- If you are happy with the preview of the meter readings, click to continue  
Continue

| Paddock Code | Cover |
|--------------|-------|
| 1            | 2102  |
| 2            | 2278  |
| 3            | 2702  |
| 4            | 2352  |

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The next screen will show all the covers, comments can be added for each paddock and the grazing state of the field can be changed on this screen (hovering the mouse over the paddock numbers will give you the paddock names):

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Measurement Date 05/05/2016 Include Grazed Paddocks No  
Soil Temperature - Pre Grazing Cover -  
Rainfall - Post Grazing Cover -

General Tips  
Silage Tips  
Smart Phone Use

Data View

| Paddock | Walk      | Prev | Cover | Comment | Status  | Grazed/Cut | Pre Cover | Post Cover |
|---------|-----------|------|-------|---------|---------|------------|-----------|------------|
| 1       |           | 1    | 2102  |         | Growing |            |           |            |
| 2       | Windmill1 | 2    | 2278  |         | Growing |            |           |            |
| 4       |           | 3    | 2352  |         | Growing |            |           |            |
| 3       |           | 4    | 2702  |         | Growing |            |           |            |

Save

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On pressing **Save** you will see your Feed Wedge and you will have successfully imported the data from PPlus into Agrinet.

