FOI 034/2025 Response

Request

I would like to request the following:

- 1. A list of all -cides used by the Trust. This is inclusive of, but not limited to: any and all avicides, biocides, fungicides, herbicides, insecticides, pesticides, and rodenticides.
- 2. The annual cost and volume of purchase of each of these -cides, broken down by -cide, from January 2014 to December 2024. Please list this on a spreadsheet (CSV), broken down by:
 - a. -Cide
 - b. Product Name
 - c. Volume Purchased
 - d. Price Paid
 - e. Purchase Date
- 3. A list of each of these -cides' use, by volume. Through this I am trying to ascertain whether the purchased volume is matched by the used volume, so if there is a record of expired or unused -cides too, that would be ideal. Please add this to the above CSV as an additional column, also on an annual basis over the same time period. Please list volume in either litres or kilograms, whichever is more appropriate.
- 4. Only if available and easily accessible, the location and purpose of each specific -cide's use. For the former, this may be classified by: location grouping, address, coordinate, or otherwise.

Response

The Trust have purchased Glyphosate, which comes in a 5ltr container, and we currently have 6 in storage.

We do not have recorded the annual cost and volume of purchase.

Please note that our approach is to not use this substance rather we rely on the use of gritting salt/grit to tackle the issue of weed control.