

Payment rates for Solway Goose Scheme participants (£/ha/year)

Zone	Full Payment Rate (£/ha) is up to:	Payment Rate (£/ha) where combined with otherwise incompatible AECS/RP options is up to:
Feeding area	£396	£253
Buffer area	£107	£68
Buffer area – adjacent to NNR	£218	£139

In order to work within a given budget, Local Goose Management Groups may adjust these payment rates slightly in response to changes in goose number and goose distribution.

Lower Goose Scheme payment rates may be offered on land that would otherwise be incompatible with existing AECS/RP contracts or AECS/RP applications. See [[link to compatibility checks](#)]