

SPECIFICATION 18 – TRIAL MEASUREMENTS

CONTRACT JOB SPECIFICATIONS TRIAL MEASUREMENTS

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1. INTRODUCTION

This Contract Job Specification covers work associated with the establishment, remeasurement or maintenance of trials.

2. OBJECTIVE

To provide a description of the work Pan Pac would like to be carried out by the contractor.

3. ALLOCATION OF WORK

- The Company shall from time to time during the continuance of this agreement allocate the Contractor work relating to trials.
- The company will supply details of the work required. Where appropriate the company will provide maps that will show stand boundaries, known hazards and restrictions.
- A priority list for the work required.
- Target completion date.
- The Contractor will thereafter proceed in a proper and professional manner with the required work. This may include some or all of the following tasks.

New Trials

- The company will supply a work plan describing the preferred location and dimensions of the trial.
- The contractor will need to lay out the trial boundaries using pegs or by painting boundary trees in accordance with the work plan.
- Labelling pegs.
- Taking and recording measurements as described in the work plan.
- Measurements will be recorded electronically unless specifically requested to do otherwise.

Remeasuring existing trials

- Where possible the company will supply electronic records of the previous measurement and existing plot design.
- The contractor will record measurements in line with the trial work plan or any request in writing from the company.

Maintaining Trials

- The contractor will need to maintain trials to allow access and easy identification of pegs and tree numbering. Where weather or other events prevent maintenance at the time of measurement a note of the future work required should be provided to the Technical Forester.