



HGCA / SAC Workshops

**Thainstone House Hotel
Inverurie, Aberdeen
20 January 2011**

Agenda

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| 9.00 | Registration and refreshments |
| 9.20 | Chairman's welcome
<i>David Houghton – Board Member, HGCA</i> |
| 9.30 | Global markets – local impacts
<i>Julian Bell – Rural Business Consultant, SAC</i> |
| 10.00 | Varieties
<i>Steve Hoad – Researcher (Cereals), SAC</i> |
| 10.30 | Wheat disease management
<i>Fiona Burnett – Researcher (Plant Pathology), SAC</i> |
| 11.00 | Refreshments |
| 11.30 | Barley disease management
<i>Simon Oxley – Senior Pathologist, SAC</i> |
| 11.55 | Oilseed rape disease management
<i>Fiona Burnett - Researcher (Plant Pathology), SAC</i> |
| 12.10 | Emerging diseases
<i>Simon Oxley - Senior Pathologist, SAC</i> |
| 12.30 | Lunch |
| 13.30 | Weed management in an arable rotation
<i>Ken Davies – Weeds and Vegetation Management Specialist</i> |
| 14.00 | Precision farming
<i>Ian Beecher-Jones</i> |
| 14.30 | SAC's research priorities and HGCA's new R&D Strategy |
| 15.00 | Closing and refreshments |

