

<b>Part A IASIS CPE Credit Allocation Table for Advisors</b>		
<b>Courses and Events</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Required / Permitted Credits</b>
<u>All topics relating to IPM and the sustainable use of pesticides as listed in Annex I and III of the SUD Directive 2009/128/EC</u> (Non Commercial presentations) **	5 PA credits / 30 minutes	} <b>Minimum</b> of 65 / year
<u>All topics relating to IPM and the sustainable use of pesticides as listed in Annex I and III of the SUD Directive 2009/128/EC</u> (Commercial presentations)	3.5 PA credits / 30 minutes	
<u>Other agronomy topics, general agricultural meetings &amp; courses</u> (includes crop economics, bio-energy crops, novel crops, biotechnology)	3.5PA credits / 30 minutes but Max 30 A credits / annum	
<u>Other relevant meetings &amp; courses in any of the above</u> CPE credits allowed on a case by case basis	3.5PA credits / 30 minutes but Max 30 A credits / annum	
<u>Machinery shows, demonstrations &amp; other events</u> relevant to the work of a pesticide advisor	10PA credits / half day	<b>Maximum</b> of 20 / year
<u>Home Study</u> (a) Membership of relevant scientific or professional organizations	2 PA credits / organization / annum	<b>Maximum</b> of 10 / year
(b) <b>Specific subscription based</b> focused publications relevant to PPPs, IPM <i>etc.</i> [e.g. Teagasc Tillage Crop Reports, or HGCA, NIAB/TAG, SCRI reports (full series), Potato Review, Vegetable Farmer.	20 PA credits / series	<b>Maximum</b> of 20 / year
(c) In receipt of technical material deemed credit worthy by IASIS for which you are on a registered contact list	2 PA credits / list / annum	<b>Maximum</b> of 10 / year
<u>Mentoring</u> of UCD or WIT students who, as part of their formal training, are require to complete 6 shadowed days with a DAFM-registered pesticide advisor.	20PA credits / student mentored / annum	<b>Maximum</b> of 20 / year
<b>Minimum Credits Required for PAs = 100 PA credits per year</b>		

\*\* In cases were a relevant course or event is developed by an independent non-commercial expert, and is subsequently delivered by a representative of a commercial organisation, the course or event may nevertheless attract 5 credits / 30 minutes, subject to the course or event content being preserved

**Typical examples of topics that attract credits from Annexes I and III**

- **Selection and use of plant protection measures based upon an IPM and/or ICM approach**
- Label Information
- Risk reduction
- Calibration, maintenance and operation of application equipment
- Environmental protection
- Human and animal safety
- Symptoms of Poisoning and First Aid
- Transport
- Storage
- Record Keeping
- Emergency Procedures
- Pesticide Legislation
- Soil nutrition
- Water & Environment
- Biodiversity
- Biologicals
- Bio-stimulants
- **Upland/extensive grassland management**
- **Intensive grassland management**
- **Horticultural crops management**
- **Management of amenity crops**
- **Fruit & Vegetable crop management**
- **The management of private and commercial forestry**

**NOTE**

- Those underlined and in bold are specific to PA's only
- All other topics are relevant to either PA's or joint PA/PD's