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We cannot apply to field I- Tunnel Pasture because the soil test P is over 800. I applied the maximum amount of manure to the wheat based on the Phosphorus take-up. The rest of the manure was put on the Alfalfa field where the plant will take up the N,P, &K but the N in the manure is wasted because alfalfa is a legume and creates its own N. Based upon the soil test Phosphorus levels, neither of these fields need manure but this is all the available land. At this point it is a waste disposal instead of properly utilizing the manure.

We could apply more manure to the wheat field, but if we apply based upon the N needed by the plant we will over apply on P and see soil test phosphorus levels increase. By applying the rest of the manure to the alfalfa field the wheat will take up the N, P, K, when you look at the soil test if more nutrients is needed commercial fertilizer can be brought in.