

4R NUTRIENT STEWARDSHIP CERTIFICATION PROGRAM

Voluntary program in Western Lake Erie Basin (WLEB) and entire state of Ohio for agricultural retailers & nutrient service providers implementing the 4Rs

50

**CERTIFIED
BRANCH
FACILITIES**



40

FACILITIES IN WLEB



4

**NUTRIENT
STEWARDSHIP
CERTIFICATION**



6,325

CLIENTS SERVICED



4



2.91M

TOTAL ACRES



1.86M

**ACRES
IN WLEB**



1



45

GOALS

Maximize crop nutrient uptake and minimize crop loss

Positively impact local water bodies

Provide up-to-date information on nutrient stewardship

Help the agricultural sector adapt to new research and technology

REQUIREMENTS

Initial training and on-going education

Monitoring of 4R implementation

Nutrient recommendation and application

THIRD-PARTY VERIFIED

Audits review training and education, recommendations to growers and application records

Third-party auditor verification occurs each year

For more information, visit 4rcertified.org



RIGHT SOURCE - RIGHT RATE - RIGHT TIME - RIGHT PLACE

Acres represent full service or application only clients - Updated 8/16/18