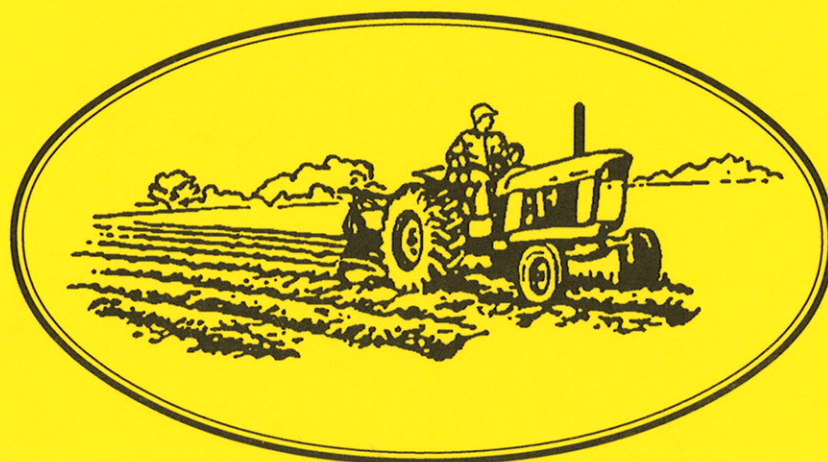


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18th Annual Western Dakota Crops Day

December 20, 2001

Hettinger Armory

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9:00 am Registration

Coffee and doughnuts. Free time to view exhibits and visit with Ag. Industry Program Sponsors.

10:00 Earlybird Drawing

10:30 Opening Announcements

10:45 Crop Variety Updates and Highlights of Ongoing Crop Production Research

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12:00 Lunch

Provided by Program Sponsors. Free time to visit with sponsors.

1:00 Ag Industry Update

1:30 Salts and Sodium - Problem and Solutions

Dr. Jim Richardson, NDSU Dept. Soil Science, Fargo, ND.

2:00 Weather Trends and Surprises

Dr. Leon Osborne, UND Reg. Weather Info. Center, Grand Forks, ND.

2:45 Conclusion

Drawing for door prizes, coffee and opportunity to visit with sponsors.

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Interpreting Statistical Analysis

Field research involves the testing of one or more variables such as crop varieties, fertilizers, tillage methods, etc. Field testing of such variables are conducted in order to determine which variety, tillage method, or fertilizer etc. is best for the particular area of production. The main objectives of crop production research are to determine the best means of producing the crop and how to maximize yield and economic return from farming.

Agricultural researchers use statistics as a tool to help differentiate production variables so that real and meaningful conclusions can be drawn from a relatively large amount of data.

One of these tools is the Coefficient of Variability (C.V.). This statistic gives an indication of the amount of variation in an experimental trial and is a measure of the precision or effectiveness of the trial and the procedures used in conducting it. Attempts are made to control human error and some environmental conditions such as soil variability by replicating the variable in question. For example, there were four plots (replications) of the variety 2375 grown in the Dickinson HRSW variety trial. The plots are mixed and dispersed throughout the trial to help eliminated differences that might be a result of soil or other variations. The numbers that you see in the tables are an average of all four replications. The C.V. for yield in the 2001 Dickinson HRSW trial was 11.1% meaning that there was an 11.1 percent average variation between high and low yields among replications. In summation, a trial with a C.V. of 6 is more precise and more can be concluded from it than a trial with a C.V. of 16.

Another important statistical tool is the Least Significant Difference or LSD. If the yield of variety A exceeds variety B by more than the LSD value, you can conclude that under like environmental conditions, variety A is expected to significantly out-yeild variety B. The LSD value allows you to separate varieties, tillage practices, or any other variable and determine whether or not they are actually different. The LSD 1% value is always larger and gives you more precision than the LSD 5% value. Little confidence can be placed in variety or treatment differences unless the results differ by more than the LSD value.

Growing Conditions

Hettinger Research Extension Center

2001

The fall of 2000 was very dry, eliminating most fall field work including the seeding of winter wheat. Research plots of HRWW were seeded into dry soil during the second week of October. Heavy snow during the last days of October kept growers out of the field for the remainder of the year. December was bitterly cold, followed by a mild January and a bitterly cold February. Rain and snow during the first two weeks of April delayed field work. Record high nitrogen fertilizer prices caused considerable concern throughout the ag. community. Soybean, legumes and crops with lower nitrogen demands saw renewed interest. Field work began during the last week of April and continued without weather interruptions. Hot and windy conditions during the first half of May dried out top soil moisture and left seed in dry soil. Cool and dry conditions persisted throughout the remainder of May. A 28 degree frost on May 25 caused scattered problems in alfalfa. Timely rain during the first week of June sprouted canola and other seed left in dry soils. A hail storm on June 18 destroyed all of the small grain research plots which were in the boot growth stage, and most of the early seeded broadleaf research plots. Recovery of these crops after this devastating storm was absolutely remarkable, although data was not collected on any of the small grain or early seeded broadleaf crops. Hot and dry weather during the first part of July shut off the canola bloom and caused some wheat varieties to show drought stress with curled flag leaves and burning of lower leaves. Heavy rains during mid-July was welcome, providing almost ideal growing conditions for late season crops and finishing the small grain crop. These rains along with warm temperatures also created a serious ascochyta infection in chickpeas, destroying the crop. Small grain harvest began during the first week of August and continued without weather interruptions through completion. Many area growers reported bumper crops with good to excellent quality and topping last year's bumper crops.

Black stem weevils infested the sunflower crop in the seedling stage causing concern but minimal damage. High levels of thistle caterpillars were observed on canola, sunflowers and soybeans and caused some sunflowers to be replanted. Heavy infestations of alfalfa web caterpillars and army worms were also observed.

All trials at the Hettinger Research Center were planted with a no-till drill. Broadleaf crops were planted into barley stubble and small grain crops were planted into soybean stubble. Soil fertility was determined and fertilizer was applied according to specific yield goals for each crop. Urea (46-0-0) was the primary nitrogen source used and was applied with a no-till drill prior to planting. Monoammonium phosphate (11-52-0) was applied directly with most seed at planting.

All HRSW, durum and barley trials were treated post-emergence for both grass weeds (foxtails and wild oats) and for broadleaf weeds (kochia, Russian thistle and wild buckwheat). Most broadleaf crops were treated with a pre-emergence burn down, and with a post-emergence treatment for grass weeds and broadleaf weeds when possible.

WEATHER DATA SUMMARY
HETTINGER

Precipitation

| Precipitation (inches) | 1998-99 | 1999-00 | 2000-01 | 46 year average |
|------------------------|---------|---------|---------|-----------------|
| Sept. - Dec. | 6.32 | 2.29 | 4.12 | 3.30 |
| Jan. - March | 1.25 | 3.45 | 1.82 | 1.34 |
| April | 2.30 | 1.40 | 2.13 | 1.68 |
| May | 2.32 | 3.87 | 1.80 | 2.67 |
| June | 3.84 | 2.80 | 3.65 | 3.44 |
| July | 3.30 | 2.97 | 4.46 | 2.05 |
| August | 3.36 | 0.78 | 0.13 | 1.70 |
| Total | 22.69 | 17.56 | 18.11 | 16.18 |

Air Temperature

| Average Temperature F | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 46 year average |
|-----------------------|------|------|------|------|-----------------|
| April | 45.6 | 41.8 | 42.6 | 43.0 | 42.5 |
| May | 56.0 | 53.5 | 55.0 | 55.2 | 54.2 |
| June | 57.8 | 61.2 | 60.5 | 62.7 | 63.5 |
| July | 69.7 | 69.9 | 71.2 | 71.6 | 69.8 |
| August | 71.7 | 68.5 | 71.8 | 73.0 | 68.8 |
| September | 65.3 | 53.3 | 58.6 | 59.1 | 57.3 |

Growing Degree Units - Corn

| Growing Degree Units (50-86) | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 29 year average |
|------------------------------|------|------|------|------|-----------------|
| May | 309 | 230 | 284 | 285 | 269 |
| June | 312 | 381 | 377 | 401 | 424 |
| July | 644 | 574 | 638 | 652 | 578 |
| August | 663 | 565 | 633 | 631 | 536 |
| September | 469 | 259 | 412 | 357 | 307 |
| Total | 2397 | 2009 | 2344 | 2326 | 2114 |

Frost Free Days

| | 28 F | 32 F | Normal 32 F |
|---------------------|--------|--------|-------------|
| Date of last frost | May 25 | May 25 | May 18 |
| Date of first frost | Sep 29 | Sep 29 | Sep 20 |
| Frost free days | 127 | 127 | 125 |

Table. 2001 Weather Summary for the Dickinson Research Extension Center, Dickinson, ND

| Month | —Maximum temp.— | | —Minimum temp.— | | —Precipitation — | | —Small grains GDD ¹ — | | —Com GDD ² — | |
|---------------|--------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|-----------------|
| | Long Term 1897 - 2000 | Current Year | Long Term 1897 - 2000 | Current Year | Long Term 1897 - 2000 | Current year | Long Term 1897 - 2000 | Current year | Long Term 1897 - 2000 | Current year |
| | °F | | °F | | inches | | | | | |
| November - 00 | 39.6 | 30.3 | 16.7 | 10.0 | 0.52 | 2.70 | | | | |
| December - 00 | 27.6 | 19.0 | 5.6 | -3.9 | 0.39 | 0.36 | | | | |
| January | 22.6 | 33.0 | -0.2 | 8.2 | 0.51 | 0.45 | | | | |
| February | 26.8 | 21.5 | 3.7 | -4.8 | 0.40 | 0.24 | | | | |
| March | 37.8 | 41.5 | 14.9 | 19.2 | 0.71 | 0.21 | | | | |
| April | 54.5 | 55.9 | 28.4 | 28.1 | 1.44 | 2.08 | 340 | 386 | 255 | 295 |
| May | 66.3 | 69.2 | 39.2 | 39.1 | 2.28 | 1.75 | 648 | 691 | 382 | 380 |
| June | 75.0 | 73.4 | 49.0 | 47.9 | 3.61 | 7.15 | 901 | 860 | 581 | 611 |
| July | 83.3 | 82.9 | 54.1 | 57.1 | 2.22 | 3.99 | 1139 | 1179 | 529 | 621 |
| August | 82.4 | 88.2 | 51.5 | 54.7 | 1.75 | 0.00 | 1083 | 1216 | 318 | 330 |
| September | 71.2 | 72.4 | 41.0 | 44.7 | 1.38 | 2.53 | 723 | 793 | | |
| October | 57.8 | 43.1 | 30.1 | 27.5 | 0.95 | 0.24 | | | | |
| Mean | 53.7 | 52.5 | 27.8 | 27.3 | | | | | | |
| Total | | | | | 16.17 | 21.70 | 4834 | 5124 | 2065 | 2236 |

¹ Small grains GDD, is growing degree days calculated with 95°F as the maximum temperature and 32°F as the base temperature.

² Corn GDD, is growing degree days calculated with 86°F as the maximum temperature and 50°F as the base temperature.

Source: Dickinson Research Extension Center. Data compiled by James Nelson, Animal Scientist; Roger Ashley, Extension Agronomist; and Lisa Vance, Information Processing Specialist.

Variety Trial Information 2001

Dickinson Research and Extension Center

| Trial | Location | Previous Crop | Seeding Rate |
|-----------------------------|-----------|---------------|--------------|
| | | | pls/ac |
| SMALL GRAINS | | | |
| Barley | Dickinson | Millet hay | 1,200,000 |
| Durum | Dickinson | Alfalfa | 1,200,000 |
| Spring wheat | Dickinson | Alfalfa | 1,200,000 |
| Winter wheat | Dickinson | Millet hay | 75 lbs* |
| Winter rye | Dickinson | Millet hay | 75 lbs* |
| Oat | Dickinson | Fallow | 1,000,000 |
| OTHER CROPS | | | |
| Field Pea | Dickinson | Wheat | 325,000 |
| Chickpea | Dickinson | Millet hay | 120-180 lbs* |
| Lentil | Dickinson | Millet hay | 550,000 |
| Cool Season Forage | Dickinson | Millet hay | Various |
| Warm Season Forage | Dickinson | Barley | Various |
| Winter/Spring Cereal Forage | Dickinson | Barley | Various |

* Rate is seed planted

Variety Trial Fertility Information 2001

Dickinson Research and Extension Center

| Trial | Location | Soil test results | | | Fertilizer applied | | |
|-----------------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----|-----|--------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|
| | | N | P | K | N | P ₂ O ₅ | Form(s) |
| | | lb/ac | ppm | ppm | lb/acre | | |
| SMALL GRAINS | | | | | | | |
| Barley | Dickinson | 37 | 6 | -- | 111 | 44 | 34-0-0, 0-44-0 |
| Durum | Dickinson | 21 | 9 | -- | 111 | 22 | 46-0-0, 0-44-0 |
| Spring wheat | Dickinson | 23 | 9 | -- | 111 | 22 | 46-0-0, 0-44-0 |
| Winter wheat | Dickinson | 37 | 6 | -- | 85 | 44 | 34-0-0, 0-44-0 |
| Winter rye | Dickinson | 37 | 6 | -- | 85 | 44 | 34-0-0, 0-44-0 |
| Oat | Dickinson | 47 | 20 | -- | 50 | -- | 46-0-0 |
| OTHER CROPS | | | | | | | |
| Field Pea | Dickinson | 34 | 21 | -- | -- | -- | |
| Chickpea | Dickinson | 34 | 21 | -- | -- | -- | |
| Lentil | Dickinson | 34 | 21 | -- | -- | -- | |
| Cool Season Forage | Dickinson | 34 | 21 | -- | 102 | -- | 34-0-0 |
| Warm Season Forage | Dickinson | 24 | 13 | -- | -- | -- | |
| Winter/Spring Cereal Forage | Dickinson | 24 | 13 | -- | -- | -- | |

2002 North Dakota hard red spring wheat variety description table, agronomic traits.

| Variety | Agent or Origin ¹ | Year Released | Beard | Height | Straw Strength | Maturity | Reaction to Disease ² | | | | |
|---------------------|------------------------------|---------------|-------|--------|----------------|----------|----------------------------------|-----------|----------------|----------|-------------|
| | | | | | | | Stem Rust | Leaf Rust | Foliar Disease | Root Rot | Head (Scab) |
| Coteau | ND | 1978 | yes | med. | m.strg. | med. | R | | M | MS | MS |
| Stoa | ND | 1984 | yes | med. | m.strg. | m.early | R | MR | MS | M | MS |
| Butte 86 | ND | 1986 | yes | med. | m.strg. | early | R | MS | MS | MS | MS |
| Amidon | ND | 1988 | yes | med. | med. | med. | R | R | M | MR | S |
| Grandin | ND | 1989 | yes | s.dwf. | strg. | early | R | S | S | M | S |
| 2370 | NDSURF | 1990 | yes | s.dwf. | v.strg. | m.early | R | NA | S | S | MS* |
| 2375 | NDSURF | 1990 | yes | s.dwf. | med. | m.early | R | S | S | M | MS* |
| Sharp | SD | 1990 | yes | med. | med. | early | R | MS | MS | S | MS* |
| AC Barrie | Can | 1994 | no | med. | med. | med. | R | S | M | M | M |
| Kulm | ND | 1994 | yes | med. | strg. | early | R | MR | MS | MS | S |
| 2398 | NDSURF | 1995 | yes | s.dwf. | strg. | m.late | R | S | MR | MS | VS |
| Ernest | ND | 1995 | yes | med. | med. | med. | R | MS | MS | MR | S |
| Giupro | ND | 1995 | yes | tall | med. | m.late | R | MS | S | | VS |
| Gunner | AgriPro | 1995 | yes | med. | m.strg. | med. | R | MS | MR | S | M |
| Hamer | AgriPro | 1995 | yes | s.dwf. | v.strg. | med. | R | MR | M | | S |
| Lars | AgriPro | 1995 | yes | s.dwf. | v.strg. | med. | R | R | MR | | S |
| McNeal | MT | 1995 | yes | med. | strg. | m.early | MS | S | M | M | VS |
| Russ | SD | 1995 | yes | med. | med. | m.early | R | R | S | S | S* |
| Trenton | ND | 1995 | yes | med. | med. | med. | R | MR | MS | S | S* |
| Verde | MN | 1995 | yes | s.dwf. | strg. | med. | R | MR | MR | M | MS* |
| Keene | ND | 1996 | yes | med. | med. | med. | R | R | MR | M | S |
| Oxen | SD | 1996 | yes | s.dwf. | strg. | m.early | R | R | S | S | S |
| Forge | SD | 1997 | yes | s.dwf. | m.strg. | early | R | S | MR | MS | MS |
| Nora | AgriPro | 1997 | yes | s.dwf. | strg. | med. | R | MS | MS | S | S |
| Argent ³ | ND | 1998 | yes | s.dwf. | strg. | early | R | S | S | S | S |
| Hagar | AgriPro | 1998 | yes | s.dwf. | strg. | med. | R | MS | M | NA | S |
| HJ98 | MN | 1998 | yes | s.dwf. | strg. | m.early | R | MS | MS | MS | MS |
| Ingot | SD | 1998 | yes | s.dwf. | med. | early | R | S | S | M | MS* |
| Dandy | N. Star G. | 1998 | yes | sdwf | v.strg. | early | R | S | MS | S | S |
| Mckenzie | Cenex | 1998 | yes | med. | med. | m.early | R | R | S | MS | S |
| Parshall | ND | 1999 | yes | med. | strg. | m.early | R ⁴ | MS | M | M | M |
| Reeder | ND | 1999 | yes | s.dwf | strg. | m.early | R | MR | M | M | S |
| McVey | MN | 1999 | yes | med. | med. | med. | R | S | S | | M |
| Ivan | AgriPro | 1999 | yes | s.dwf | v.strg. | med. | R | MR | S | MS | MS |
| Ember | SDSU | 1999 | yes | s.dwf | med. | m.early | R | S | S | | MS |
| Aurora | N. Star G. | 1999 | yes | s.dwf | strg | m.early | R | R | S | | S |
| Mercury | N. Star G. | 1999 | yes | s.dwf | strg | m.early | R | MR | S | MS | S |
| Norpro | AgriPro | 1999 | yes | s.dwf | strg | med | R | R | S | MS | MS |
| AC Intrepid | Canterra | 1999 | no | med | med | med | R | R | | | S |
| Prodigy | Sask. Wht | 1999 | yes | med | med | med | MR | MR | | | MS |
| Scholar | MT | 1999 | yes | med | med | med | R | S | | | S |
| Conan | WPB | 1999 | yes | s.dwf | v.strg | med | R | MR | | | S |
| AC Abbey | Canterra | 1999 | yes | med | med | m.early | R | | | | S |
| Alsen | ND | 2000 | yes | s.dwf | strg | m.early | R | R | S | MS | MR |

¹ Refers to agent or developer: NDSURF = North Dakota State University Research Foundation; CDC = Crop Development Center, University of Saskatchewan; Can = Agriculture Canada.; N. Star G. = North Star Genetics. ² R = resistant; MR = moderately resistant; M = intermediate; MS = moderately susceptible; S = susceptible; VS = very Susceptible. * Yield and/or quality often higher than expected based on visual head blight symptoms. ³ Argent is a hard white wheat with good bread making qualities. ⁴ MR in artificially induced epidemics.

2002 hard red spring wheat quality traits.

| Variety | Quality factors | | Quality Rating |
|-----------|-----------------|---------------|----------------|
| | Test Weight | Wheat Protein | |
| Coteau | avg. | high | Good |
| Stoa | high | avg. | Average |
| Butte 86 | high | avg. | Average |
| Amidon | high | avg. | Average |
| Grandin | high | avg. | Good |
| 2370 | high | avg. | Poor-Average |
| 2375 | high | avg. | Poor-Average |
| Sharp | high | avg. | Poor |
| AC Barrie | high | avg. | Good |
| Kulm | high | high | Average-Good |
| 2398 | avg. | low | Poor |
| Ernest | high | high | Poor-Average |
| Glupro | avg. | v.high | Good |
| Gunner | high | high | Average-Good |
| Hamer | avg. | avg. | Poor |
| Lars | avg. | low | Poor |
| McNeal | avg. | avg. | Poor-Average |
| Russ | avg. | avg. | Average |
| Trenton | high | avg. | Average |
| Verde | avg. | low | Poor |
| Keene | high | avg. | Average |
| Oxen | avg. | avg. | Average-Good |
| Forge† | high | low | Poor-Average |
| Nora† | avg. | high | Average |
| Argent | high | avg. | Good |
| Hagar† | avg. | low | Poor-Average |
| HJ98† | avg. | low | Poor |
| Ingott† | high | avg. | Poor-Average |
| Parshall | high | avg. | Good |
| Reeder | high | avg. | Average |
| McVey† | low | low | Poor |
| Ivan† | high | low | Poor |
| Alsen† | high | avg. | Average-Good |

† Based on limited testing, rating may change.

The overall HRSW quality rating is based on a large number of quality parameters. These parameters are related to the physical kernel traits including protein content; milling performance; flour attributes; dough characteristics; and baking performance. Some of these quality parameters considered in the assessment of overall quality are listed in the above table.

Both protein quantity and quality are of extreme importance in establishing the rating score for hard red spring wheat varieties. Baking

quality data given in this report is based on white sliced bread evaluation. Flour used for white sliced bread normally contains between 11.5-12.5% protein. However, the majority of hard red spring wheat used either domestically or in the export market is blended with lower protein wheat or lower quality wheat to improve baking performance. Another major use for hard red spring wheat is for specialty products such as bagels and frozen doughs that require a high protein content with strong gluten properties. In addition, the majority of hard red spring wheat is exported at the 14.0% protein level.

Hard red spring wheat produced in the Upper Midwest is purchased largely for its quality. Continued production of high quality wheat is paramount to maintaining future markets. Figure 1 illustrates the difference between bread made with poor quality wheat and that made with good quality.

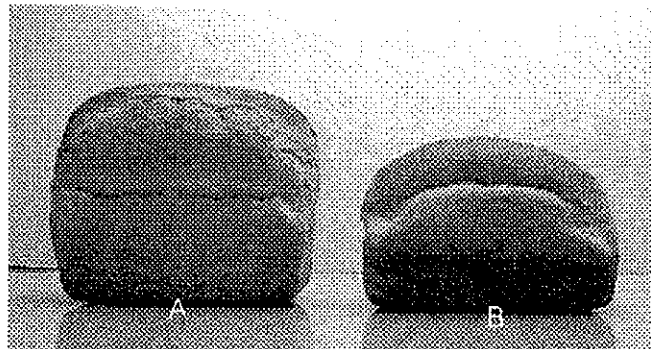


Fig. 1. Loaf A represents bread made from wheat with a quality rating of good. Loaf B represents bread made from wheat with a quality rating of poor.

| Variety | Seeds per Pound | Plant Height | Test Weight | Protein | Grain Yield | | | Returns | Average Yield | |
|-------------|-----------------------|-----------------|----------------|---------|-----------------|------|------|---------|---------------|------|
| | | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | | 2 | 3 |
| | | | | | | | | | Year | Year |
| | | in | lbs/bu | % | -----bu/ac----- | | | \$/ac | ----bu/ac---- | |
| 2375 | 13,687 | 28 | 62.7 | 15.2 | 47.1 | 63.4 | 42.6 | 132.22 | 53.0 | 51.0 |
| AC Intrepid | 14,489 | 28 | 60.8 | 16.7 | -- | -- | 32.4 | 105.18 | -- | -- |
| AC Superb | 14,731 | 27 | 61.8 | 16.1 | -- | -- | 37.6 | 111.05 | -- | -- |
| Alsen | 15,642 | 27 | 63.3 | 16.1 | 49.5 | 60.9 | 37.7 | 116.22 | 49.3 | 49.4 |
| Amidon | 15,991 | 30 | 61.9 | 15.8 | -- | -- | 43.6 | 121.46 | -- | -- |
| Argent* | 13,759 | 26 | 62.9 | 16.4 | 45.6 | 63.6 | 35.3 | -- | 49.4 | 48.2 |
| Aurora | 15,492 | 20 | 61.6 | 14.7 | 51.8 | 66.3 | 37.8 | 117.68 | 52.1 | 52.0 |
| Butte 86 | 14,405 | 26 | 61.9 | 16.5 | 44.8 | 71.8 | 38.6 | 120.96 | 55.2 | 51.7 |
| Conan | 12,850 | 25 | 62.4 | 15.5 | 44.6 | 56.8 | 36.5 | 111.57 | 46.7 | 46.0 |
| Dandy | 13,507 | 26 | 62.4 | 15.8 | 51.8 | 64.3 | 31.4 | 85.02 | 47.9 | 49.2 |
| Ember | 15,838 | 25 | 63.3 | 15.2 | 51.5 | 75.2 | 37.8 | 109.90 | 56.5 | 54.8 |
| Ernest | 14,061 | 30 | 62.8 | 16.4 | 45.3 | 57.7 | 38.6 | 108.09 | 48.2 | 47.2 |
| Forge | 15,953 | 28 | 63.8 | 15.0 | 53.9 | 65.0 | 37.9 | 108.18 | 51.4 | 52.3 |
| Grandin | 14,310 | 25 | 62.6 | 15.9 | 48.9 | 61.1 | 36.6 | 106.33 | 48.8 | 48.9 |
| Gunner | 15,486 | 27 | 63.2 | 16.7 | 47.4 | 61.8 | 40.9 | 136.59 | 51.4 | 50.0 |
| Hagar | 13,252 | 23 | 61.7 | 15.8 | 45.9 | 63.4 | 38.2 | 112.35 | 50.8 | 49.2 |
| HJ 98 | 15,452 | 26 | 62.4 | 15.3 | 51.2 | 64.4 | 41.1 | 105.11 | 52.7 | 52.2 |
| Ingot | 14,927 | 27 | 63.6 | 16.2 | 54.6 | 67.3 | 30.6 | 80.96 | 49.0 | 50.8 |
| Ivan | 15,029 | 22 | 63.0 | 14.5 | 52.9 | 59.9 | 44.9 | 121.82 | 52.4 | 52.6 |
| Keene | 16,089 | 29 | 62.8 | 16.1 | 49.1 | 70.6 | 38.9 | 113.61 | 54.8 | 52.9 |
| Keystone | 15,319 | 27 | 63.8 | 15.2 | -- | -- | 37.2 | 106.03 | -- | -- |
| Knudson | 14,847 | 23 | 63.1 | 15.5 | -- | -- | 39.5 | 110.41 | -- | -- |
| McKenzie | 16,496 | 28 | 62.6 | 16.1 | 48.3 | 73.4 | 39.7 | 127.27 | 56.6 | 53.8 |
| McVey | 14,864 | 25 | 61.3 | 13.7 | 51.6 | 66.2 | 42.7 | 120.04 | 54.4 | 53.5 |
| Mercury | 14,337 | 22 | 62.6 | 15.5 | 47.2 | 70.2 | 36.0 | 100.37 | 53.1 | 51.1 |
| Norpro | 14,739 | 24 | 62.8 | 15.5 | 54.9 | 69.5 | 42.4 | 121.17 | 56.0 | 55.6 |
| Oxen | 15,630 | 24 | 61.9 | 15.8 | 53.6 | 64.0 | 41.7 | 126.23 | 52.9 | 53.1 |
| Parshall | 15,331 | 28 | 63.2 | 16.5 | 45.1 | 59.4 | 37.0 | 112.19 | 48.2 | 47.2 |
| Pristine* | 13,079 | 22 | 63.0 | 14.9 | -- | -- | 33.2 | -- | -- | -- |
| Prodigy | 16,273 | 31 | 62.2 | 16.8 | 43.9 | 71.5 | 40.6 | 123.57 | 56.0 | 52.0 |
| Reeder | 15,038 | 26 | 62.2 | 15.8 | 48.7 | 72.0 | 42.0 | 110.61 | 57.0 | 54.2 |
| Russ | 14,688 | 25 | 62.4 | 15.6 | 53.1 | 54.6 | 36.3 | 107.64 | 45.4 | 48.0 |
| Scholar | 14,189 | 27 | 62.2 | 15.9 | 44.4 | 76.2 | 36.0 | 108.88 | 56.1 | 52.2 |
| Trenton | 13,634 | 29 | 62.4 | 16.0 | 46.7 | 68.6 | 36.6 | 110.66 | 52.6 | 50.6 |
| Walworth | 16,730 | 26 | 61.5 | 15.8 | -- | 54.1 | 43.0 | 104.11 | 48.6 | -- |
| Zeke | 13,674 | 22 | 60.6 | 15.1 | -- | 64.0 | 37.1 | 98.29 | 50.6 | -- |
| Trial Mean | 14,829 | 26 | 62.6 | 15.8 | 47.9 | 65.6 | 38.5 | 111.23 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 6.5 | 9.5 | 0.7 | -- | 8.0 | 10.6 | 11.1 | -- | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 1,348 | 3 | 0.6 | -- | 5.4 | 9.7 | 6.0 | -- | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 30

Harvest Date: August 17

*Hard White Spring Wheat

Returns were calculated by multiplying the 2001 yield by protein premium or discount paid at the Southwest Grain Terminal located at Gladstone on September 17. The price paid on this date was \$2.74/bu, assuming that grain protein concentration was 14%. An additional \$.02/bu was paid for each additional 0.25% increase in grain protein up to 15% protein, where an additional \$0.5/bu was paid. An additional \$0.01/bu was paid for each additional 0.25% increase in grain protein up to 17%, above which an additional premium was not paid. Grain was discounted \$0.05/bu for each 0.25% reduction in grain protein from 14% to 11%, below which no additional discount was not assigned. Returns factored in discounts for grain with a test weight < 58 lb/bu [-\$0.01/bu for 0.5 lb/bu between 58 and 57 lb/bu; -\$0.02/bu for 0.5 lb/bu between 57 and 55 lb/bu; -\$0.03/bu for 0.5 lb/bu between 55 and 50 lb/bu; and -\$0.04/bu for 0.5 lb/bu between 50 and 46 lb/bu].

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Hettinger

| Variety | Days to Head | Plant Height inches | Test Weight lbs/bu | Protein % | Grain Yield | | | Average Yield | |
|------------|--------------|------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|-------------|------|------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2 year | 3 year |
| Ivan | 75 | 32 | 62.4 | 12.8 | 82.8 | 87.3 | 66.3 | 76.8 | 78.8 |
| HJ98 | 74 | 36 | 62.2 | 13.8 | 83.4 | 75.1 | 68.6 | 71.8 | 75.7 |
| Reeder | 72 | 39 | 61.6 | 16.8 | 81.5 | 82.5 | 55.8 | 69.2 | 73.3 |
| 2398 | 73 | 35 | 62.2 | 13.9 | 84.7 | 73.7 | 58.2 | 66.0 | 72.2 |
| Hagar | 74 | 33 | 61.4 | 14.7 | 79.9 | 75.3 | 60.2 | 67.8 | 71.8 |
| Oxen | 71 | 37 | 61.3 | 14.9 | 68.5 | 81.5 | 61.9 | 71.7 | 70.6 |
| Forge | 68 | 40 | 62.3 | 15.2 | 81.0 | 76.5 | 50.9 | 63.7 | 69.5 |
| McVey | 75 | 40 | 60.8 | 13.5 | 73.4 | 74.5 | 58.3 | 66.4 | 68.7 |
| Ember | 71 | 38 | 62.3 | 16.1 | 78.0 | 72.3 | 53.2 | 62.8 | 67.8 |
| Russ | 72 | 40 | 61.9 | 15.7 | 76.9 | 67.8 | 54.4 | 61.1 | 66.4 |
| 2375 | 73 | 39 | 63.0 | 16.0 | 77.5 | 64.8 | 56.9 | 60.8 | 66.4 |
| Keene | 73 | 46 | 62.6 | 16.5 | 78.1 | 68.7 | 46.3 | 57.5 | 64.4 |
| Parshall | 73 | 43 | 62.6 | 17.0 | 73.6 | 68.5 | 45.1 | 56.8 | 62.4 |
| Gunner | 75 | 39 | 62.6 | 16.9 | 71.7 | 66.5 | 46.7 | 56.6 | 61.6 |
| Ernest | 74 | 42 | 62.0 | 16.3 | 69.6 | 65.8 | 48.8 | 57.3 | 61.4 |
| Grandin | 74 | 38 | 60.7 | 15.7 | 71.7 | 59.2 | 50.9 | 55.0 | 60.6 |
| Butte 86 | 71 | 41 | 61.2 | 16.0 | 72.6 | 63.9 | 43.9 | 53.9 | 60.1 |
| Scholar | 75 | 39 | 62.2 | 15.5 | 75.2 | 53.2 | 50.0 | 51.6 | 59.5 |
| Ingot | 69 | 42 | 62.6 | 16.4 | 64.1 | 67.0 | 45.0 | 56.0 | 58.7 |
| Norpro | 73 | 33 | 61.9 | 14.9 | | 86.3 | 66.9 | 76.6 | |
| Mercury | 72 | 33 | 61.7 | 15.5 | | 81.9 | 67.6 | 74.8 | |
| Aurora | 76 | 32 | 60.7 | 14.2 | | 77.7 | 63.7 | 70.7 | |
| McKenzie | 73 | 43 | 61.9 | 16.7 | | 74.7 | 52.2 | 63.4 | |
| Conan | 73 | 36 | 61.9 | 14.9 | | 67.1 | 56.9 | 62.0 | |
| Alsen | 72 | 38 | 62.4 | 16.4 | | 69.3 | 52.1 | 60.7 | |
| Dandy | 72 | 39 | 61.5 | 16.0 | | 69.0 | 51.2 | 60.1 | |
| 377S * | 74 | 37 | 59.4 | 13.9 | | 55.9 | 54.7 | 55.3 | |
| Zeke | 71 | 35 | 58.9 | 14.4 | | | 62.6 | | |
| AC Vista * | 72 | 38 | 59.3 | 13.9 | | | 59.3 | | |
| Walworth | 70 | 39 | 60.8 | 15.2 | | | 58.6 | | |
| Trial Mean | 73 | 39 | 61.8 | 15.7 | 73.9 | 70.0 | 53.0 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 1.2 | 4.4 | 0.9 | 3.3 | 8.7 | 6.2 | 6.7 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 1 | 2 | 0.8 | 0.7 | 8.9 | 6.0 | 4.9 | -- | -- |
| LSD .01 | 2 | 3 | 1.1 | 1.0 | 11.8 | 7.9 | 6.5 | -- | -- |

* Hard White Spring Wheat Planting Date: April 10, 2000 Harvest Date: August 7, 2000
 Seeding rate: 1.1 million live seeds/A (approx. 1.6 bu/A).
 Previous crop: 1998 = fallow, 1999 = field pea, 2000 = soybean.

Performance of five hard red spring (HRS) wheat cultivars following fallow, oat, and canola at Beulah, Hannover, and Glen Ullin, North Dakota.

| Crop rotation (R) | Beulah | | | Hannover | | | Glen Ullin | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------|-------------|---------------|------------|-------------|-------------------------|-------------|---------------|------------|-------------|-------------------------|----|------|------|------|--------|
| | height -in- | yield -bu/ac- | TW -lb/bu- | protein -%- | kernel weight kernel/lb | height -in- | yield -bu/ac- | TW -lb/bu- | protein -%- | kernel weight kernel/lb | | | | | |
| HRS wht-fallow | 30 | 43.6 | 60.6 | 14.5 | 15,561 | 31 | 47.8 | 59.6 | 16.0 | 15,662 | 33 | 65.7 | 60.7 | 15.8 | 14,986 |
| HRS wht-durum-oat | 31 | 45.0 | 60.0 | 13.4 | 16,257 | 32 | 47.8 | 59.6 | 15.3 | 15,831 | 34 | 65.6 | 60.6 | 14.4 | 14,800 |
| HRS wht-pea-can | 32 | 45.4 | 60.9 | 12.8 | 15,330 | 32 | 51.0 | 60.3 | 14.7 | 15,323 | 33 | 65.4 | 61.5 | 14.5 | 14,342 |
| HRS wheat cultivar | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (C) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Alsen | 29 | 42.8 | 61.4 | 14.3 | 15,314 | 31 | 47.2 | 60.4 | 15.5 | 15,347 | 32 | 62.7 | 61.5 | 15.3 | 14,446 |
| McKenzie | 34 | 42.0 | 60.2 | 13.2 | 16,974 | 35 | 49.0 | 60.1 | 15.4 | 16,106 | 37 | 64.8 | 61.5 | 14.8 | 15,399 |
| Oxen | 29 | 46.7 | 58.9 | 13.3 | 15,777 | 30 | 44.8 | 58.4 | 15.3 | 15,763 | 30 | 65.4 | 58.6 | 14.9 | 15,041 |
| Parshall | 34 | 45.1 | 61.1 | 13.7 | 15,745 | 33 | 48.6 | 61.2 | 15.3 | 15,666 | 37 | 64.5 | 62.2 | 14.8 | 14,597 |
| Reeder | 29 | 46.8 | 60.8 | 13.2 | 14,770 | 30 | 54.6 | 58.9 | 15.2 | 15,144 | 31 | 70.3 | 60.8 | 14.7 | 14,063 |
| Mean | 31 | 44.7 | 60.5 | 13.6 | 15,716 | 32 | 45.8 | 59.8 | 15.3 | 15,605 | 33 | 65.5 | 60.9 | 14.9 | 14,709 |
| R | NS | NS | * | * | * | NS | NS | NS | * | NS | NS | NS | * | * | * |
| C | * | NS | * | NS | * | * | * | * | NS | NS | * | * | * | * | * |
| R x C | NS | NS | NS | NS | NS | NS | NS | NS | * | NS | NS | NS | NS | NS | NS |

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NS = not significant; * = significant at P<0.05.

Planting Date: May 1, 2001 (Hannover, Beulah) May 2, 2001 (Glen Ullin)
 Harvest Date: August 21, 2001 (Hannover) August 22, 2001 (Glen Ullin) August 15, 2001 (Beulah)

2001 Hard Red Spring Wheat - Continuously Cropped No-till

Scranton

| Variety | Plant Height inches | Test Weight lbs/bu | Protein % | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | Average Yield | |
|------------|------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------------|------|------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 year | 3 year |
| | | | | -----bu/ac----- | | | | |
| Reeder | 32 | 59.1 | 14.9 | 40.1 | 67.0 | 60.7 | 63.8 | 55.9 |
| Oxen | 30 | 59.6 | 14.3 | 41.1 | 65.5 | 52.8 | 59.2 | 53.1 |
| Parshall | 37 | 62.2 | 15.5 | 34.6 | 64.3 | 52.9 | 58.6 | 50.6 |
| Keene | 37 | 61.0 | 15.2 | 33.4 | 61.8 | 52.6 | 57.2 | 49.3 |
| Norpro | 30 | 61.2 | 14.5 | | 67.4 | 57.5 | 62.4 | |
| Ivan | 28 | 62.1 | 13.7 | | 63.3 | 56.8 | 60.0 | |
| Ember | 32 | 62.8 | 13.7 | | 61.5 | 58.6 | 60.0 | |
| Alsen | 31 | 62.1 | 15.3 | | 63.7 | 53.4 | 58.6 | |
| Ingot | 34 | 63.7 | 14.7 | | 52.9 | 51.0 | 52.0 | |
| Walworth | 31 | 61.0 | 14.8 | | | 51.3 | | |
| Mercury | 27 | 62.1 | 14.4 | | | 50.7 | | |
| Trial Mean | 32 | 61.6 | 14.8 | 33.8 | 61.5 | 54.1 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 4.5 | 0.7 | -- | 10.1 | 8.1 | 10.9 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 2 | 0.6 | -- | 5.8 | 8.4 | 8.5 | -- | -- |
| LSD .01 | 3 | 0.9 | -- | 7.9 | 11.4 | NS | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 23, 2001

Harvest Date: August 7, 2001

Seeding rate: 1.1 million live seeds/A (approx. 1.6 bu/A).

Previous Crop: 1999 = HRSW, 2000 = HRWW, 2001 = safflower.

NS = no statistical difference between varieties.

2001 Hard Red Spring Wheat - Continuously Cropped No-till

Regent

| Variety | Plant Height | Test Weight | Protein | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | Average Yield | |
|------------|--------------|-------------|---------|-------------------------|------|------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 year | 3 year |
| | inches | lbs/bu | % | -----bu/ac----- | | | | |
| Reeder | 35 | 60.8 | 15.2 | 51.0 | 39.1 | 74.0 | 56.6 | 54.7 |
| Oxen | 32 | 59.0 | 14.8 | 56.0 | 32.3 | 69.0 | 50.6 | 52.4 |
| Keene | 38 | 61.2 | 15.1 | 50.5 | 29.8 | 66.3 | 48.0 | 48.9 |
| Parshall | 38 | 61.3 | 15.1 | 47.2 | 29.9 | 66.3 | 48.1 | 47.8 |
| Ivan | 30 | 60.1 | 13.6 | | 37.9 | 70.0 | 54.0 | |
| Norpro | 31 | 59.8 | 13.8 | | 36.2 | 69.2 | 52.7 | |
| Alsen | 34 | 61.4 | 15.1 | | 31.7 | 67.5 | 49.6 | |
| Ingot | 40 | 63.3 | 14.6 | | 29.7 | 67.0 | 48.4 | |
| Ember | 35 | 61.5 | 13.6 | | 30.4 | 62.8 | 46.6 | |
| Mercury | 30 | 60.8 | 13.5 | | | 73.5 | | |
| Walworth | 35 | 59.5 | 14.1 | | | 68.3 | | |
| Trial Mean | 35 | 60.9 | 14.6 | 50.5 | 32.2 | 68.2 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 3.3 | 0.8 | -- | 8.7 | 11.2 | 4.2 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 2 | 0.7 | -- | 7.4 | 6.1 | 4.2 | -- | -- |
| LSD .01 | 2 | 0.9 | -- | 10.0 | 8.2 | 5.6 | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 23, 2001

Harvest Date: August 7, 2001

Seeding rate: 1.1 million live seeds/A (approx. 1.6 bu/A).

Previous Crop: 1999 = HRSW, 2000 = HRWW, 2001 = safflower.

2001 Hard Red Spring Wheat - Continuously Cropped No-till

New Leipzig

| Variety | Plant Height inches | Test Weight lbs/bu | Protein % | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | Average Yield | |
|------------|------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------------|------|------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 year | 3 year |
| | | | | -----bu/ac----- | | | | |
| Reeder | 31 | 61.8 | 15.8 | 53.1 | 45.9 | 60.2 | 53.0 | 53.1 |
| Oxen | 29 | 60.3 | 15.1 | 54.5 | 44.7 | 52.4 | 48.6 | 50.5 |
| Keene | 36 | 61.6 | 15.2 | 44.9 | 41.3 | 49.3 | 45.3 | 45.2 |
| Parshall | 36 | 61.7 | 16.0 | 42.3 | 43.0 | 49.0 | 46.0 | 44.8 |
| Norpro | 28 | 61.0 | 15.1 | | 42.4 | 55.1 | 48.8 | |
| Alsen | 31 | 61.6 | 16.0 | | 43.9 | 53.3 | 48.6 | |
| Ivan | 26 | 61.4 | 14.3 | | 42.5 | 53.0 | 47.8 | |
| Ingot | 34 | 63.7 | 16.3 | | 41.6 | 46.9 | 44.2 | |
| Ember | 30 | 61.2 | 15.1 | | 39.9 | 44.4 | 42.2 | |
| Walworth | 31 | 59.7 | 15.4 | | | 52.2 | | |
| Mercury | 26 | 61.1 | 15.2 | | | 51.0 | | |
| Trial Mean | 31 | 61.3 | 15.5 | 43.7 | 42.1 | 51.1 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 3.8 | 0.7 | -- | 8.1 | 8.1 | 7.3 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 2 | 0.6 | -- | 5.1 | NS | 5.4 | -- | -- |
| LSD .01 | 3 | 0.8 | -- | 6.8 | NS | 7.2 | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 24, 2001

Harvest Date: August 8, 2001

Seeding rate: 1.1 million live seeds/A (approx. 1.6 bu/A).

Previous Crop: 1999 = HRSW, 2000 = HRWW, 2001 = safflower.

NS = no statistical difference between varieties.

2001 Hard Red Spring Wheat - Continuously Cropped No-till

Selfridge

| Variety | Plant Height | Test Weight | Protein | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | Average Yield | |
|------------|--------------|-------------|---------|-------------------------|------|------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 year | 3 year |
| | inches | lbs/bu | % | -----bu/ac----- | | | | |
| Oxen | 34 | 59.0 | 13.2 | 49.0 | 51.1 | 79.9 | 65.5 | 60.0 |
| Reeder | 34 | 61.1 | 13.8 | 44.9 | 52.3 | 82.2 | 67.2 | 59.8 |
| Parshall | 37 | 62.3 | 14.0 | 44.4 | 46.4 | 75.8 | 61.1 | 55.5 |
| Keene | 38 | 61.3 | 14.2 | 46.4 | 47.3 | 69.5 | 58.4 | 54.4 |
| Norpro | 30 | 60.0 | 13.1 | | 53.6 | 83.4 | 68.5 | |
| Ivan | 30 | 60.6 | 13.1 | | 53.6 | 76.5 | 65.0 | |
| Alsen | 33 | 61.7 | 14.3 | | 48.9 | 73.0 | 61.0 | |
| Ember | 33 | 61.6 | 13.2 | | 47.7 | 72.1 | 60.0 | |
| Ingot | 38 | 63.4 | 14.8 | | 48.9 | 70.6 | 59.8 | |
| Mercury | 29 | 60.8 | 12.8 | | | 82.4 | | |
| Walworth | 35 | 59.3 | 14.1 | | | 72.6 | | |
| Russ | 35 | 59.2 | 14.1 | | | 69.6 | | |
| Trial Mean | 34 | 60.9 | 13.8 | 40.5 | 49.3 | 74.8 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 3.7 | 0.7 | -- | 8.1 | 4.3 | 4.7 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 2 | 0.6 | -- | 4.7 | 3.6 | 5.0 | -- | -- |
| LSD .01 | 3 | 0.8 | -- | 6.3 | 4.9 | 6.7 | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 24, 2001

Harvest Date: August 9, 2001

Seeding rate: 1.1 million live seeds/A (approx. 1.6 bu/A).

Previous Crop: 1999 = HRSW, 2000 & 2001 = HRWW.

2001 Hard Red Spring Wheat - Continuously Cropped No-till

Mandan

| Variety | Plant Height | Test Weight | Protein | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | Average Yield | |
|------------|--------------|-------------|---------|-------------------------|------|------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 year | 3 year |
| | inches | lbs/bu | % | -----bu/ac----- | | | | |
| Reeder | 33 | 59.4 | 14.6 | 46.9 | 60.3 | 48.6 | 54.4 | 51.9 |
| Parshall | 38 | 61.3 | 14.2 | 42.9 | 54.1 | 45.6 | 49.8 | 47.5 |
| Oxen | 31 | 57.8 | 14.1 | 36.0 | 59.1 | 45.0 | 52.0 | 46.7 |
| Keene | 39 | 59.5 | 14.8 | 39.8 | 48.6 | 40.6 | 44.6 | 43.0 |
| Norpro | 31 | 58.2 | 14.0 | | 57.4 | 49.6 | 53.5 | |
| Ivan | 30 | 59.5 | 13.8 | | 59.7 | 46.7 | 53.2 | |
| Ingot | 36 | 63.0 | 14.7 | | 48.9 | 45.6 | 47.2 | |
| Ember | 31 | 60.6 | 13.5 | | 50.9 | 43.2 | 47.0 | |
| Alsen | 32 | 60.2 | 15.1 | | 50.2 | 42.9 | 46.6 | |
| Mercury | 29 | 59.3 | 13.3 | | | 52.3 | | |
| Walworth | 34 | 58.4 | 15.0 | | | 47.2 | | |
| Trial Mean | 34 | 59.8 | 14.4 | 39.3 | 52.7 | 45.9 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 3.3 | 1.0 | -- | 12.5 | 9.5 | 8.3 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 2 | 1.0 | -- | 8.3 | 7.2 | 6.4 | -- | -- |
| LSD .01 | 3 | 1.4 | -- | 11.3 | 9.6 | 8.7 | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 24, 2001

Harvest Date: August 9, 2001

Seeding rate: 1.1 million live seeds/A (approx. 1.6 bu/A).

Previous Crop: 1999 = HRSW, 2000 = rye, 2001 = barley.

Hard Red Spring Wheat Variety Trial – Perkins County (Bison), 1999-2001.

| Variety | Height Inches | Lodging 1-9* | Test Wt. Lb/Bu | Protein Percent | Yield Bu/A | |
|-------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|--------------------|------------|-----------|
| | | | | | 2001 | 3 Year |
| ALSEN | 28 | 1 | 64.4 | 12.7 | 41 | 40 |
| BUTTE 86 | 33 | 1 | 62.1 | 11.6 | 42 | 39 |
| CATEAU | 33 | 1 | 61.6 | 13.5 | 34 | |
| CHRIS | 36 | 1.5 | 61.7 | 12.3 | 34 | 30 |
| EMBER | 29 | 1 | 62.0 | 11.2 | 45 | 45 |
| FORGE | 31 | 1 | 62.9 | 11.3 | 47 | 46 |
| HANNA | 34 | 1 | 62.4 | 13.1 | 38 | |
| HJ98 | 29 | 1 | 61.2 | 11.6 | 47 | 45 |
| INGOT | 33 | 1 | 63.5 | 11.6 | 44 | 44 |
| IVAN | 27 | 1 | 61.8 | 11.1 | 43 | 47 |
| KEYSTONE | 30 | 1 | 63.6 | 11.3 | 40 | |
| KNUDSON | 27 | 1 | 62.8 | 12.6 | 45 | |
| NORPRO | 28 | 1 | 62.9 | 12.0 | 46 | 46 |
| OXEN | 27 | 1 | 60.9 | 11.2 | 41 | 45 |
| PARSHALL | 33 | 1 | 62.1 | 11.7 | 39 | 41 |
| REEDER | 30 | 1 | 63.2 | 12.3 | 46 | 45 |
| RUSS | 31 | 1 | 60.6 | 12.3 | 45 | 47 |
| SAXON | 30 | 1 | 61.2 | 11.6 | 47 | 46 |
| WALWORTH | 29 | 1 | 61.5 | 11.3 | 41 | 45 |
| SD 3367 | 31 | 1 | 62.3 | 11.5 | 40 | 45 |
| SD 3496 | 30 | 1 | 62.3 | 11.7 | 40 | |
| SD 3506 | 32 | 1 | 64.0 | 12.1 | 41 | |
| SD 3540 | 31 | 1 | 62.9 | 11.5 | 43 | |
| SD 3546 | 30 | 1 | 62.3 | 11.3 | 43 | |
| ND 722 | 31 | 1 | 61.8 | 12.1 | 40 | |
| GM 40002 | 28 | 1 | 60.4 | 11.4 | 39 | |
| GM 40016 | 28 | 1 | 61.8 | 11.7 | 40 | |
| GM 40019 | 25 | 1 | 61.6 | 11.0 | 42 | |
| Average | 30 | 1.0 | 62.2 | 11.8 | 42 | 44 |
| LSD (P=.05) | 2.0 | 0.2 | 1.4 | . | 5.6 | 6 |
| CV | 4.6 | 10.7 | 1.6 | . | 9.5 | 9 |

* 1=No lodging, 9 = 100% lodged.

Planted: April 18, 2001

Bronate (16 oz/A)

Harvested: Aug 8, 2001

Previous crop: Soybeans, No-till planted

Herbicide: Puma (5.3 oz/A) +

Additional Nitrogen: 80 Lb/A

Hard Red Spring Wheat Variety Trial - Harding County (Ralph), 1999-2001.

| Variety | Height | Lodging | Test Wt. | Protein | Yield | |
|-------------|--------|---------|----------|---------|-------|--------|
| | Inches | 1-9* | Lb/Bu | Percent | 2001 | 3 Year |
| ALSEN | 25 | 1 | 61.2 | 14.2 | 27 | 31 |
| BUTTE 86 | 25 | 1 | 59.4 | 13.9 | 21 | 30 |
| CATEAU | 32 | 1.3 | 58.4 | 14.1 | 25 | |
| CHRIS | 31 | 1.5 | 59.6 | 14.5 | 26 | 26 |
| EMBER | 25 | 1 | 63.6 | 13.8 | 28 | 37 |
| FORGE | 26 | 1 | 60.4 | 13.2 | 25 | 34 |
| HANNA | 30 | 1 | 60.4 | 14.2 | 26 | |
| HJ98 | 24 | 1 | 60.4 | 14.1 | 29 | 36 |
| INGOT | 28 | 1 | 64.0 | 14.4 | 26 | 32 |
| IVAN | 24 | 1 | 63.2 | 12.6 | 30 | 37 |
| KEYSTONE | 26 | 1 | 62.9 | 13.5 | 28 | |
| KNUDSON | 25 | 1 | 62.4 | 13.5 | 35 | |
| NORPRO | 25 | 1 | 61.1 | 14.3 | 31 | 37 |
| OXEN | 24 | 1 | 60.7 | 13.8 | 29 | 37 |
| PARSHALL | 27 | 1 | 61.0 | 14.5 | 25 | 32 |
| REEDER | 27 | 1 | 61.0 | 13.3 | 33 | 35 |
| RUSS | 28 | 1 | 59.5 | 13.7 | 26 | 34 |
| SAXON | 26 | 1 | 59.8 | 13.2 | 32 | 35 |
| WALWORTH | 27 | 1 | 60.6 | 13.0 | 28 | 35 |
| SD 3367 | 26 | 1 | 60.8 | 14.7 | 25 | 32 |
| SD 3496 | 26 | 1 | 62.3 | 13.5 | 24 | |
| SD 3506 | 28 | 1 | 62.2 | 13.8 | 29 | |
| SD 3540 | 26 | 1 | 61.5 | 14.4 | 28 | |
| SD 3546 | 28 | 1 | 62.6 | 13.9 | 29 | |
| ND 722 | 29 | 1 | 60.3 | 14.0 | 25 | |
| GM 40002 | 25 | 1 | 59.9 | 13.3 | 24 | |
| GM 40016 | 23 | 1 | 61.1 | 14.4 | 25 | |
| GM 40019 | 22 | 1 | 60.7 | 12.9 | 29 | |
| Average | 26 | 1.0 | 61.1 | 13.8 | 27 | 34 |
| LSD (P=.05) | 2.2 | 0.2 | 1.5 | . | 3.2 | 5 |
| CV | 5.8 | 13.9 | 1.8 | . | 8.2 | 12 |

* 1=No lodging, 9 = 100% lodged.

Planted: April 18, 2001

Harvested: August 7, 2001

Previous crop: Conventional fallow

Herbicide: Puma (10.6 oz/A) + Bronate (16 oz/A)

Additional Nitrogen: None

Spring wheat, dryland fallow, Wibaux, Montana.

| Cultivar | Yield | | TW | Protein | |
|------------------|-----------|------|------|---------|------|
| | 2001 | 3 yr | 2001 | 2001 | 3 yr |
| | - bus/a - | | lb/b | -- % -- | |
| Reeder | 49.4 | 44.0 | 60.7 | 16.3 | 15.8 |
| Amidon | 45.2 | 43.5 | 61.2 | 13.9 | 14.8 |
| Parshall | 43.0 | 41.9 | 61.2 | 15.5 | 15.6 |
| Scholar | 42.0 | 41.2 | 61.7 | 15.0 | 14.9 |
| McNeal | 48.4 | 41.0 | 60.0 | 14.4 | 14.0 |
| Ernest | 43.6 | 39.6 | 60.8 | 16.1 | 15.7 |
| Argent* | 42.4 | 39.1 | 61.0 | 16.1 | 16.4 |
| MTHW9420* | 42.4 | 39.0 | 57.8 | 14.4 | 14.2 |
| Conan | 36.7 | 33.7 | 61.3 | 16.0 | 15.2 |
| Verde | 21.5 | 29.8 | 61.5 | 17.1 | 15.4 |
| McVey | 45.3 | -- | 59.0 | 14.4 | -- |
| Alsen | 43.7 | -- | 62.0 | 16.9 | -- |
| Pristine* | 41.5 | -- | 61.8 | 15.7 | -- |
| Westbred Express | 41.2 | -- | 59.0 | 15.3 | -- |
| CDC Bounty | 40.3 | -- | 61.5 | 15.7 | -- |
| Gunner | 40.1 | -- | 63.0 | 16.5 | -- |
| NK Bounty | 38.6 | -- | 58.5 | 14.5 | -- |
| Explorer* | 35.7 | -- | 58.2 | 15.4 | -- |
| LSD 5% | 5.6 | | 1.0 | 1.0 | |

Planted: May 3

Harvested: Aug 15

*hard white wheat

**Hard Red Spring Wheat in the West River Region
Combined Means**

| Variety | Plant Height | Test Weight | Protein | Grain Yield | | | Average Yield | |
|----------------|--------------|-------------|---------|-------------------|------|------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 year | 3 year |
| | inches | lbs/bu | % | ----- bu/ac ----- | | | | |
| Reeder | 31 | 60.8 | 14.6 | 50.6 | 54.0 | 55.6 | 54.8 | 53.4 |
| Oxen | 29 | 59.6 | 14.2 | 48.2 | 48.5 | 51.6 | 50.0 | 49.4 |
| Keene | 36 | 61.2 | 15.1 | 43.8 | 49.4 | 52.9 | 51.2 | 48.7 |
| Parshall | 34 | 61.7 | 14.7 | 45.7 | 49.1 | 49.3 | 49.2 | 48.0 |
| Norpro | 28 | 60.9 | 14.0 | | 56.2 | 54.3 | 55.2 | |
| Ivan | 27 | 61.5 | 13.3 | | 54.7 | 52.6 | 53.6 | |
| Ember | 30 | 62.1 | 13.7 | | 53.0 | 49.0 | 51.0 | |
| Alsen | 30 | 61.8 | 15.1 | | 49.2 | 49.4 | 49.3 | |
| Ingot | 34 | 63.5 | 14.7 | | 48.8 | 47.7 | 48.2 | |
| Mercury | 27 | 61.1 | 14.1 | | | 57.6 | | |
| Walworth | 31 | 60.2 | 14.2 | | | 50.4 | | |
| # of locations | 12 | 12 | 12 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 23 | 33 |

Locations: Dickinson, Scranton, Regent, Selfridge, New Leipzig, Mandan, Hannover, Beulah, Glen Ullin, Wibaux MT, Ralph SD and Bison SD.



2001 North Dakota durum wheat variety descriptions, agronomic traits.

| Variety | Agent or Origin ¹ | Year Released | Chaff Color | Height | Straw | | Reaction to Disease ² | | | |
|---------------|------------------------------------|------------------|----------------|--------|---------|---------|----------------------------------|--------------|-------------------|------|
| | | | | | | | Stem Rust | Leaf Rust | Foliar Disease | Scab |
| Ward | ND | 1972 | tan | tall | v.strg. | m.early | R | R | MR | S |
| Rugby | ND | 1973 | tan | tall | v.strg. | m.early | R | R | MR | S* |
| Cando | ND | 1975 | tan | s.dwf. | v.strg. | med. | R | R | M | VS |
| Vic | ND | 1979 | white | tall | med. | m.early | R | R | MR | S* |
| Lloyd | ND | 1983 | white | s.dwf. | v.strg. | med. | R | MR | S | VS |
| Medora | Can. | 1983 | white | tall | strg. | m.early | R | R | MS | VS |
| Kyle | Can. | 1984 | white | tall | weak | med. | R | MR | M | N/A |
| Laker | WPB | 1985 | white | s.dwf. | strg. | med. | R | MR | S | S |
| Monroe | ND | 1985 | white | tall | med. | early | R | R | M | VS |
| Fjord | AgriPro | 1986 | white | tall | strg. | m.early | R | R | M | S |
| Renville | ND | 1988 | white | tall | med. | med. | R | R | M | S* |
| Plenty | Can. | 1990 | white | tall | weak | late | R | R | MR | MS |
| Voss | AgriPro | 1994 | white | s.dwf. | v.strg. | med. | R | MR | MS | S |
| Munich | ND | 1995 | white | med. | v.strg. | med. | R | R | MR | S* |
| AC Melita | Can. | 1995 | white | tall | med. | med. | R | N/A | N/A | S |
| Ben | ND | 1996 | white | med. | strong | med. | R | R | MR | S* |
| Dressler | AgriPro | 1996 | white | tall | med. | med. | R | MR | N/A | VS |
| AC Morse | Can. | 1996 | white | s.dwf. | strong | med. | R | R | M | N/A |
| AC Avonlea | Can. | 1997 | white | med | med. | med. | R | R | M | N/A |
| Belzer | ND | 1997 | white | tall | med. | late | R | R | M | MR |
| Maier | ND | 1998 | white | med | strong | m-late | R | R | M | S* |
| Mountrail | ND | 1998 | white | med | strong | late | R | R | M | S* |
| Kari | Agripro | 1998 | white | med | strong | med | R | R | M | S |
| Lebsock | ND | 1999 | white | med | strong | med | R | R | M | S |
| Plaza | ND | 1999 | white | s.dwf. | strong | late | R | R | M | MS |
| AC Pathfinder | Can. | 1999 | white | med. | weak | med. | R | R | M | N/A |
| AC Navigator | Can. | 1999 | white | s.dwf. | weak | med. | R | R | M | N/A |

1 Refers to agent or developer: WPB = Western Plant Breeder.

2 R = resistant; MR = moderately resistant (slow rusters); M = intermediate; MS = moderately susceptible; S = susceptible; VS = very susceptible; Foliar Disease = reaction to tan spot and septoria leaf spot complex. Letter ratings for head blight (scab) based on visual head symptoms. * Indicates yields and/or quality have often been higher than would be expected based on visual symptoms.

| Variety | Seeds per Pound | Plant Height in | Test Weight lbs/bu | Protein % | Grain Yield | | | Returns \$/ac | Average Yield | |
|---------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|--------------|-----------------|------|------|------------------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | | 2 Year | 3 Year |
| | | | | | -----bu/ac----- | | | | ----bu/ac---- | |
| AC Avonlea | 13,057 | 34 | 61.9 | 15.4 | 52.5 | 45.8 | 54.1 | 175.98 | 50.0 | 50.8 |
| AC Melita | 12,236 | 30 | 62.3 | 14.9 | 51.0 | 40.4 | 43.7 | 141.95 | 42.0 | 45.0 |
| AC Morse | 12,563 | 30 | 61.9 | 15.0 | 56.4 | 42.3 | 55.2 | 179.38 | 48.7 | 51.3 |
| AC Navigator | 11,714 | 32 | 62.3 | 14.8 | 56.0 | 46.3 | 48.6 | 157.99 | 47.5 | 50.3 |
| AC Pathfinder | 12,041 | 30 | 63.3 | 14.4 | 56.6 | 40.1 | 42.0 | 136.60 | 41.1 | 46.2 |
| Belzer | 11,671 | 29 | 62.0 | 14.3 | 52.9 | 39.3 | 41.9 | 136.12 | 40.6 | 44.7 |
| Ben | 12,013 | 31 | 63.9 | 14.6 | 51.7 | 40.7 | 42.2 | 137.09 | 41.4 | 44.9 |
| Dressler | 11,620 | 32 | 63.0 | 14.8 | 47.7 | 44.5 | 46.1 | 149.73 | 45.3 | 46.1 |
| Kari | 12,628 | 30 | 62.9 | 14.6 | 53.1 | 40.0 | 53.1 | 172.57 | 46.6 | 48.7 |
| Lebsock | 12,049 | 29 | 64.1 | 14.7 | 50.6 | 38.9 | 45.5 | 147.78 | 42.2 | 45.0 |
| Maier | 12,378 | 30 | 63.1 | 15.4 | 54.3 | 47.1 | 47.6 | 154.59 | 47.3 | 49.7 |
| Medora | 12,454 | 28 | 63.8 | 14.5 | 55.2 | 46.3 | 42.5 | 138.06 | 44.4 | 48.0 |
| Monroe | 13,016 | 34 | 62.8 | 14.7 | 49.0 | 39.5 | 44.0 | 142.92 | 41.7 | 44.2 |
| Mountrail | 13,070 | 31 | 62.5 | 14.4 | 55.4 | 50.4 | 51.2 | 166.26 | 50.8 | 52.3 |
| Munich | 13,863 | 28 | 62.6 | 14.6 | 54.6 | 42.2 | 44.6 | 144.87 | 43.4 | 47.1 |
| Pierce | 12,230 | 32 | 64.1 | 13.9 | 59.8 | 49.4 | 45.3 | 147.30 | 47.4 | 51.5 |
| Plaza | 12,040 | 26 | 63.8 | 14.3 | 55.4 | 44.6 | 48.3 | 157.02 | 46.5 | 49.4 |
| Renville | 12,307 | 26 | 62.4 | 14.6 | 52.4 | 44.8 | 36.6 | 119.10 | 40.7 | 44.6 |
| Rugby | 12,252 | 32 | 63.1 | 14.9 | 47.2 | 39.9 | 43.1 | 140.00 | 41.5 | 43.4 |
| Vic | 11,627 | 32 | 63.4 | 14.8 | 54.0 | 48.6 | 45.8 | 148.75 | 47.2 | 49.5 |
| Trial Mean | 12,209 | 29 | 63.1 | 14.7 | 54.6 | 43.4 | 46.6 | 151.30 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 5.0 | 13.6 | 0.7 | -- | 6.3 | 11.8 | 13.0 | 13.0 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 857 | 6 | 0.6 | -- | 4.8 | 7.1 | 8.5 | 27.50 | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 25

Harvest Date: August 20

Returns were calculated by multiplying the 2001 yield by the test weight discount paid at the Southwest Grain Terminal located at Gladstone on September 17. The price paid on this date was \$3.25/bu, assuming a minimum test weight of 60 lb/bu. Grain was discounted \$.01/bu for each 0.5 lb reduction in test weight between 60 and 59 lb/bu, \$.03/bu per 0.5 lb reduction between 59 and 58 lb/bu, \$.04/bu between 58 and 55 lb/bu, and \$.05/bu per 0.5 lb/bu reduction between 55 and 50 lb/bu.

2000 Durum - Continuously Cropped No-till

Hettinger

| Variety | Days to Head | Plant Height inches | Test Weight lbs/bu | Protein % | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | ----- Average Yield ----- | |
|------------|--------------|------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------------|------|------|---------------------------|-----------|
| | | | | | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2 year | 3 year |
| Maier | 76 | 40 | 63.8 | 14.7 | 76.3 | 84.0 | 63.9 | 74.0 | 74.7 |
| Munich | 74 | 37 | 62.8 | 14.2 | 69.5 | 86.8 | 59.6 | 73.2 | 72.0 |
| Lebsock | 74 | 39 | 63.8 | 14.8 | 75.8 | 81.8 | 57.1 | 69.4 | 71.6 |
| Plaza | 77 | 33 | 62.6 | 14.0 | 69.8 | 79.9 | 65.4 | 72.6 | 71.7 |
| Mountrail | 77 | 39 | 62.6 | 14.4 | 65.1 | 91.4 | 55.9 | 73.6 | 70.8 |
| Kari | 74 | 39 | 62.9 | 14.4 | 68.2 | 84.3 | 60.0 | 72.2 | 70.8 |
| Belzer | 76 | 42 | 62.0 | 14.3 | 69.5 | 78.4 | 60.2 | 69.3 | 69.4 |
| Ben | 76 | 42 | 63.4 | 14.8 | 69.6 | 83.7 | 54.0 | 68.8 | 69.1 |
| Renville | 75 | 44 | 63.0 | 14.5 | 69.1 | 78.3 | 58.4 | 68.4 | 68.6 |
| Dressler | 74 | 43 | 63.2 | 15.1 | 71.3 | 78.0 | 55.8 | 66.9 | 68.4 |
| Monroe | 72 | 43 | 62.7 | 14.5 | 66.9 | 76.0 | 53.8 | 64.9 | 65.6 |
| Rugby | 74 | 43 | 62.9 | 14.9 | 68.4 | 76.5 | 50.7 | 63.6 | 65.2 |
| AC Melita | 75 | 43 | 62.2 | 15.4 | 67.6 | 72.1 | 55.0 | 63.6 | 64.9 |
| Plenty | 76 | 44 | 62.7 | 14.9 | 69.7 | 66.5 | 52.7 | 59.6 | 63.0 |
| 1AS/1D2 | 76 | 46 | 61.5 | 15.4 | | 61.7 | 39.8 | 50.8 | |
| AC Avonlea | 74 | 40 | 62.1 | 15.5 | | | 55.6 | | |
| Trial Mean | 75 | 40 | 63.0 | 14.6 | 69.4 | 80.4 | 58.4 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 1.4 | 3.8 | 0.7 | 4.1 | 9.1 | 4.3 | 7.6 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 1 | 1 | 0.6 | 0.8 | NS | 4.9 | 6.2 | -- | -- |
| LSD .01 | 2 | 2 | 0.8 | 1.1 | NS | 6.4 | 8.2 | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 10, 2000 Harvest Date: August 7, 2000
 Seeding rate: 1.25 million live seeds/A (approx. 2.2 bu/A).
 Previous crop: 1998 = fallow, 1999 = field pea, 2000 = soybean
 NS = no statistical differences between varieties.

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|--------------------------------|----------------------|
| Hannover Durum - Recrop | Dickinson, ND |
|--------------------------------|----------------------|

| Variety | Seeds/ Pound | Plant Height | Test Weight | Protein | Grain Yield | | | * Returns | Average Yield | |
|------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|---------|-----------------|------|------|--------------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | | 2 Year | 3 Year |
| | | in | lbs/bu | % | -----bu/ac----- | | | \$/ac | ---bu/ac--- | |
| Lebsock | 12,024 | 29 | 61.2 | 14.0 | 15.2 | 39.4 | 35.9 | 115.37 | 37.6 | 30.1 |
| Maier | 12,005 | 30 | 60.5 | 14.2 | 12.7 | 52.8 | 38.0 | 120.40 | 45.4 | 34.5 |
| Mountrail | 11,769 | 30 | 60.3 | 14.1 | 15.1 | 49.0 | 40.2 | 127.40 | 44.6 | 34.8 |
| Pierce | 12,174 | 31 | 61.3 | 13.9 | -- | -- | 41.8 | 134.99 | -- | -- |
| Plaza | 11,815 | 28 | 59.8 | 13.9 | 10.4 | 40.5 | 40.2 | 127.87 | 40.4 | 30.4 |
| Trial Mean | 11,957 | 30 | 60.6 | 14.0 | 20.3 | 45.9 | 39.2 | 125.20 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 3.5 | 4.1 | 2.0 | 2.9 | 14.8 | 8.2 | 7.7 | 8.4 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | NS | NS | NS | NS | NS | 7.1 | NS | NS | -- | -- |

Planting Date: May 1

Harvest Date: August 21

| | |
|------------------------------|----------------------|
| Beulah Durum - Recrop | Dickinson, ND |
|------------------------------|----------------------|

| Variety | Seeds/ Pound | Plant Height | Test Weight | Protein | Grain Yield | | | * Returns | Average Yield | |
|------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|---------|-----------------|------|------|--------------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | | 2 Year | 3 Year |
| | | in | lbs/bu | % | -----bu/ac----- | | | \$/ac | ---bu/ac--- | |
| Lebsock | 13,404 | 31 | 62.3 | 10.7 | 19.7 | 42.4 | 42.5 | 138.17 | 42.4 | 34.9 |
| Maier | 13,176 | 33 | 59.5 | 11.6 | 17.1 | 37.7 | 52.7 | 168.57 | 45.2 | 35.8 |
| Mountrail | 14,571 | 33 | 59.0 | 11.7 | 20.5 | 43.3 | 50.3 | 159.26 | 46.8 | 38.0 |
| Pierce | 14,701 | 34 | 61.6 | 10.5 | -- | -- | 41.1 | 133.44 | -- | -- |
| Plaza | 13,813 | 27 | 58.1 | 11.2 | 23.1 | 45.3 | 47.0 | 144.53 | 46.1 | 38.5 |
| Trial Mean | 13,933 | 32 | 60.1 | 11.1 | 20.3 | 41.2 | 46.7 | 148.79 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 5.3 | 6.6 | 1.5 | 8.0 | 14.8 | 11.6 | 7.4 | 6.7 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | NS | 4 | 1.7 | NS | NS | NS | 6.5 | 18.78 | -- | -- |

Planting Date: May 1

Harvest Date: August 15

*Returns were calculated by multiplying the 2001 yield by the test weight discount paid at the Southwest Grain Terminal located at Gladstone on September 17. The price paid on this date was \$3.25/bu, assuming a minimum test weight of 60 lb/bu. Grain was discounted \$.01/bu for each 0.5 lb reduction in test weight between 60 and 59 lb/bu, \$.03/bu per 0.5 lb reduction between 59 and 58 lb/bu, \$.04/bu between 58 and 55 lb/bu, and \$.05/bu per 0.5 lb/bu reduction between 55 and 50 lb/bu.

Glen Ullin Durum - Recrop

Dickinson, ND

| Variety | Seeds/ Pound | Plant Height | Test Weight | Protein | Grain Yield | | | * Returns | Average Yield | |
|------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|---------|-----------------|------|------|--------------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | | 2 Year | 3 Year |
| | | in | lbs/bu | % | -----bu/ac----- | | | \$/ac | ----bu/ac---- | |
| Lebsock | 12,065 | 35 | 60.6 | 13.6 | 35.9 | 65.9 | 64.5 | 207.98 | 65.2 | 55.4 |
| Maier | 12,725 | 33 | 59.2 | 12.9 | 33.6 | 61.6 | 61.3 | 196.02 | 61.5 | 52.2 |
| Mountrail | 11,715 | 34 | 58.7 | 13.6 | 42.5 | 72.2 | 72.1 | 229.28 | 72.1 | 62.3 |
| Pierce | 12,221 | 36 | 60.8 | 13.1 | -- | -- | 62.1 | 201.68 | -- | -- |
| Plaza | 12,186 | 29 | 59.3 | 12.5 | 38.0 | 65.3 | 66.6 | 213.70 | 65.9 | 56.6 |
| Trial Mean | 12,183 | 34 | 59.7 | 13.1 | 38.0 | 65.9 | 65.3 | 209.73 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 6.7 | 5.8 | 1.2 | 5.5 | 8.7 | 9.5 | 10.4 | 10.8 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | NS | 4 | 1.3 | NS | NS | NS | NS | NS | -- | -- |

Planting Date: May 2

Harvest Date: August 22

*Returns were calculated by multiplying the 2001 yield by the test weight discount paid at the Southwest Grain Terminal located at Gladstone on September 17. The price paid on this date was \$3.25/bu, assuming a minimum test weight of 60 lb/bu. Grain was discounted \$.01/bu for each 0.5 lb reduction in test weight between 60 and 59 lb/bu, \$.03/bu per 0.5 lb reduction between 59 and 58 lb/bu, \$.04/bu between 58 and 55 lb/bu, and \$.05/bu per 0.5 lb/bu reduction between 55 and 50 lb/bu.

2001 Durum Wheat - Continuously Cropped No-till

Scranton

| Variety | Plant Height | Test Weight | Protein | Grain Yield | | | Average Yield | |
|------------|-----------------|----------------|---------|-----------------|------|------|---------------|-----------|
| | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 year | 3 year |
| | inches | lbs/bu | % | -----bu/ac----- | | | | |
| Mountrail | 31 | 61.4 | 13.8 | 40.3 | 71.1 | 49.0 | 60.0 | 53.5 |
| Ben | 32 | 63.0 | 14.2 | 42.0 | 64.1 | 52.4 | 58.2 | 52.8 |
| Maier | 30 | 61.2 | 14.8 | 35.7 | 68.5 | 45.4 | 57.0 | 49.9 |
| Plaza | 29 | 61.6 | 13.7 | 37.0 | 62.8 | 50.0 | 56.4 | 49.9 |
| Lebsock | 31 | 63.6 | 13.7 | 36.0 | 60.0 | 49.8 | 54.9 | 48.6 |
| Pierce | 32 | 62.9 | 13.3 | | | 51.4 | | |
| Trial Mean | 31 | 62.3 | 13.9 | 37.7 | 65.9 | 49.7 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 3.9 | 0.6 | -- | 11.0 | 7.2 | 5.3 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 2 | 0.5 | -- | NS | NS | 4.0 | -- | -- |
| LSD .01 | NS | 0.7 | -- | NS | NS | 5.5 | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 23, 2001

Harvest Date: August 7, 2001

Seeding rate: 1.25 million live seeds/A (approx. 2.2 bu/A).

Previous Crop: 1999 = HRSW, 2000 = HRWW, 2001 = safflower.

NS = no statistical difference between varieties.

2001 Durum Wheat - Continuously Cropped No-till

Regent

| Variety | Plant Height | Test Weight | Protein | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | Average Yield | |
|------------|--------------|-------------|---------|-------------------------|------|------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 year | 3 year |
| | inches | lbs/bu | % | -----bu/ac----- | | | | |
| Lebsock | 34 | 62.6 | 14.3 | 45.6 | 44.2 | 68.1 | 56.2 | 52.6 |
| Mountrail | 36 | 60.5 | -- | 44.5 | 44.5 | 68.2 | 56.4 | 52.4 |
| Maier | 36 | 61.4 | 14.6 | 46.9 | 41.3 | 67.0 | 54.2 | 51.7 |
| Ben | 38 | 62.7 | 14.9 | 43.7 | 41.3 | 63.9 | 52.6 | 49.6 |
| Plaza | 29 | 59.2 | 14.5 | 41.3 | 41.3 | 63.3 | 52.3 | 48.6 |
| Pierce | 38 | 62.1 | 14.3 | | | 63.8 | | |
| Trial Mean | 35 | 61.4 | 14.5 | 43.2 | 42.3 | 65.7 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 5.9 | 0.3 | -- | 7.6 | 4.0 | 2.5 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 4 | 0.3 | -- | NS | NS | 2.4 | -- | -- |
| LSD .01 | 5 | 0.4 | -- | NS | NS | 3.4 | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 23, 2001

Harvest Date: August 7, 2001

Seeding rate: 1.25 million live seeds/A (approx. 2.2 bu/A).

Previous Crop: 1999 = HRSW, 2000 = HRWW, 2001 = safflower.

NS = no statistical difference between varieties.

2001 Durum Wheat - Continuously Cropped No-till

New Leipzig

| Variety | Plant Height | Test Weight | Protein | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | Average Yield | |
|------------|--------------|-------------|---------|-------------------------|------|------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 year | 3 year |
| | inches | lbs/bu | % | -----bu/ac----- | | | | |
| Mountrail | 31 | 60.5 | 15.6 | 44.2 | 38.5 | 50.6 | 44.6 | 44.4 |
| Lebsock | 33 | 63.0 | 15.3 | 42.2 | 35.1 | 52.7 | 43.9 | 43.3 |
| Maier | 32 | 62.0 | 16.0 | 43.0 | 34.9 | 52.1 | 43.5 | 43.3 |
| Plaza | 27 | 60.7 | 15.4 | 41.8 | 39.3 | 48.2 | 43.8 | 43.1 |
| Ben | 32 | 62.5 | 15.6 | 41.7 | 32.7 | 48.6 | 40.6 | 41.0 |
| Pierce | 33 | 62.9 | 15.2 | | | 48.7 | | |
| Trial Mean | 31 | 61.9 | 15.5 | 42.2 | 35.9 | 50.1 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 6.0 | 0.6 | -- | 9.9 | 6.1 | 4.4 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 3 | 0.6 | -- | NS | 3.3 | 3.3 | -- | -- |
| LSD .01 | NS | 0.8 | -- | NS | 4.5 | NS | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 24, 2001

Harvest Date: August 8, 2001

Seeding rate: 1.25 million live seeds/A (approx. 2.2 bu/A).

Previous Crop: 1999 = HRSW, 2000 = HRWW, 2001 = safflower.

NS = no statistical difference between varieties.

2001 Durum Wheat - Continuously Cropped No-till

Selfridge

| Variety | Plant Height inches | Test Weight lbs/bu | Protein % | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | Average Yield | |
|------------|------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------------|------|------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 year | 3 year |
| | | | | -----bu/ac----- | | | | |
| Ben | 37 | 61.4 | 13.9 | 51.5 | 60.2 | 76.3 | 68.2 | 62.7 |
| Mountrail | 36 | 59.9 | 13.9 | 48.3 | 61.1 | 78.7 | 69.9 | 62.7 |
| Lebsock | 37 | 61.4 | 13.7 | 43.5 | 62.5 | 77.6 | 70.0 | 61.2 |
| Maier | 36 | 59.4 | 14.2 | 44.5 | 65.2 | 72.7 | 69.0 | 60.8 |
| Plaza | 29 | 58.0 | 13.5 | 43.4 | 59.9 | 74.1 | 67.0 | 59.1 |
| Pierce | 38 | 60.8 | 14.1 | | | 72.9 | | |
| Trial Mean | 35 | 60.2 | 13.9 | 45.0 | 62.0 | 75.4 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 5.6 | 0.5 | -- | 8.3 | 6.4 | 3.9 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 4 | 0.5 | -- | NS | NS | 4.4 | -- | -- |
| LSD .01 | 5 | 0.7 | -- | NS | NS | NS | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 24, 2001

Harvest Date: August 9, 2001

Seeding rate: 1.25 million live seeds/A (approx. 2.2 bu/A).

Previous Crop: 1999 = HRSW, 2000 & 2001 = HRWW.

NS = no statistical difference between varieties.

2001 Durum Wheat - Continuously Cropped No-till

Mandan

| Variety | Plant Height inches | Test Weight lbs/bu | Protein % | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | Average Yield | |
|------------|------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------------|------|------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 year | 3 year |
| | | | | -----bu/ac----- | | | | |
| Mountrail | 36 | 58.1 | 13.8 | 60.5 | 66.1 | 50.3 | 58.2 | 59.0 |
| Ben | 38 | 59.0 | 14.5 | 59.0 | 62.0 | 43.8 | 52.9 | 54.9 |
| Lebsock | 36 | 59.7 | 14.0 | 55.0 | 66.4 | 43.1 | 54.8 | 54.8 |
| Maier | 33 | 55.7 | 15.4 | 51.9 | 63.5 | 37.3 | 50.4 | 50.9 |
| Plaza | 28 | 56.0 | 14.0 | 45.3 | 42.2 | 42.4 | 42.3 | 43.3 |
| Pierce | 37 | 59.1 | 13.7 | | | 43.4 | | |
| Trial Mean | 35 | 57.9 | 14.2 | 54.4 | 61.3 | 43.4 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 3.5 | 1.4 | -- | 8.9 | 14.4 | 6.9 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 2 | 1.5 | -- | 8.6 | 13.2 | 5.4 | -- | -- |
| LSD .01 | 3 | 2.1 | -- | NS | 18.1 | 7.7 | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 24, 2001

Harvest Date: August 9, 2001

Seeding rate: 1.25 million live seeds/A (approx. 2.2 bu/A).

Previous Crop: 1999 = HRSW, 2000 = rye, 2001 = barley.

NS = no statistical difference between varieties.

Perkins County – Bison

Durum Wheat Variety Trial - Perkins County (Bison), 1999-2001.

| Variety | Height | Lodging | Protein | Test Wt | Yield | |
|-------------|--------|---------|---------|---------|-----------|-----------|
| | Inches | 1-9* | Percent | Lb/Bu | 2001 | 3 Year |
| BELZER | 36 | 1 | 14.4 | 60.0 | 49 | 51 |
| BEN | 34 | 1 | 14.7 | 62.9 | 50 | 47 |
| LEB SOCK | 34 | 1 | 13.4 | 63.5 | 52 | 49 |
| MAIER | 34 | 1 | 14.7 | 61.7 | 53 | 49 |
| MONROE | 33 | 1 | 15.1 | 61.8 | 42 | |
| MOUNTRAIL | 33 | 1 | 14.7 | 60.3 | 53 | 53 |
| MUNICH | 31 | 1 | 14.3 | 61.4 | 48 | 48 |
| PLAZA | 30 | 1 | 13.8 | 60.5 | 50 | 48 |
| RENVILLE | 36 | 1 | 14.9 | 59.5 | 48 | |
| VIC | 37 | 1 | 15.4 | 63.0 | 50 | |
| Average | 33.9 | 1.0 | 14.5 | 61.5 | 49.3 | 49.1 |
| LSD (P=.05) | 1.7 | 0.0 | . | 1.1 | 4.8 | 2.3 |
| CV | 3.0 | 0.0 | . | 1.2 | 6.7 | 8.7 |

Planted: April 18, 2001 Herbicide: Bronate (16 oz/A)
Harvested: Aug 8, 2001 Additional Nitrogen: 80 Lb/A
Previous crop: Soybeans, No-till planted

Harding County - Ralph

Durum Wheat Variety Trial – Harding County (Ralph), 2001.

| Variety | Height | Lodging | Test Wt | Protein | Yield |
|-------------|--------|---------|---------|---------|-----------|
| | Inches | 1-9* | Lb/Bu | Percent | Bu/A |
| BELZER | 26 | 1 | 58.9 | 11.1 | 26 |
| BEN | 27 | 1 | 62.5 | 12.0 | 29 |
| LEB SOCK | 26 | 1 | 62.5 | 10.6 | 31 |
| MAIER | 29 | 1 | 62.0 | 12.9 | 25 |
| MONROE | 28 | 1 | 61.1 | 10.9 | 28 |
| MOUNTRAIL | 27 | 1 | 61.0 | 10.3 | 33 |
| MUNICH | 26 | 1 | 60.5 | 11.0 | 33 |
| PLAZA | 25 | 1 | 61.4 | 11.7 | 29 |
| RENVILLE | 29 | 1 | 61.2 | 11.1 | 30 |
| VIC | 31 | 1 | 62.4 | 11.6 | 30 |
| Average | 27.4 | 1.0 | 61.4 | 11.3 | 29.4 |
| LSD (P=.05) | 3.1 | 0.0 | 1.5 | . | 3.3 |
| CV | 6.5 | 0.0 | 1.7 | . | 7.8 |

* 1=No lodging, 9 = 100% lodged.

Planted: April 18, 2001 Herbicide: Puma (10.6 oz/A) + Bronate (16 oz/A)
Harvested: August 7, 2001 Additional Nitrogen: None

Durum, dryland fallow, Wibaux, Montana.

| Cultivar | Yield | | TW | Protein | |
|-----------------------|-----------|------|--------------------------|---------|------|
| | 2001 | 3 yr | 2001 | 2001 | 2 yr |
| | - bus/a - | | lb/b | -- % -- | |
| Lebsock | 39.4 | 41.8 | 62.7 | 14.8 | 15.4 |
| Plaza | 38.0 | 41.5 | 60.7 | 15.6 | 15.2 |
| Mountrail | 37.7 | 41.1 | 60.0 | 16.0 | 15.4 |
| Kyle | 39.2 | 40.9 | 61.2 | 15.5 | 15.5 |
| Maier | 41.3 | 39.7 | 61.8 | 15.7 | 16.0 |
| Ben | 38.6 | 38.1 | 61.8 | 16.0 | 15.9 |
| Sceptre | 36.7 | 37.7 | 60.3 | 15.4 | 15.3 |
| Renville | 37.0 | 36.9 | 61.0 | 15.8 | 15.6 |
| AC Navigator | 40.8 | -- | 61.3 | 14.9 | -- |
| AC Avonlea | 38.8 | -- | 60.5 | 15.9 | -- |
| Belzer | 38.6 | -- | 60.8 | 15.2 | -- |
| AC Pathfinder | 38.7 | -- | 61.5 | 15.0 | -- |
| Pierce | 36.9 | -- | 61.3 | 15.9 | -- |
| AC Morse | 39.5 | -- | 60.8 | 16.1 | -- |
| AC Napoleon | 36.1 | -- | 59.5 | 16.2 | -- |
| AC Melita | 36.2 | -- | 61.2 | 15.6 | -- |
| LSD 5% | 2.2 | | 0.6 | 0.6 | |
| Planted: May 3 | | | Harvested: Aug 15 | | |

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| Durum in the West River Region Combined Means |
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| Variety | Plant Height | Test Weight | Protein | Grain Yield | | | Average Yield | |
|----------------|--------------|-------------|---------|-------------------|------|------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 year | 3 year |
| | inches | lbs/bu | % | ----- bu/ac ----- | | | | |
| Mountrail | 32 | 60.2 | 13.8 | 48.5 | 54.6 | 52.9 | 53.8 | 52.0 |
| Ben | 33 | 62.2 | 14.5 | 50.7 | 49.8 | 49.1 | 49.4 | 49.9 |
| Maier | 32 | 60.6 | 14.4 | 45.0 | 52.3 | 49.1 | 50.7 | 48.8 |
| Lebsock | 32 | 62.3 | 13.6 | 45.4 | 50.4 | 49.9 | 50.2 | 48.6 |
| Plaza | 28 | 59.9 | 13.7 | 44.5 | 50.3 | 49.6 | 50.0 | 48.1 |
| Pierce | 34 | 61.7 | 13.8 | | | 50.7 | | |
| # of locations | 12 | 12 | 12 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 23 | 33 |

Locations: Dickinson, Scranton, Regent, Selfridge, New Leipzig, Mandan, Hannover, Beulah, Glen Ullin, Wibaux MT, Ralph SD and Bison SD.

2002 North Dakota barley variety descriptions

| Variety | Use ¹ | Origin | Year Released | Awn Type ² | Aleurone Color | Height | Straw Strength | Relative Maturity | Reaction to Disease ³ | | | |
|-------------------------|------------------|--------|---------------|-----------------------|----------------|----------|----------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|------------|-------------|------------|
| | | | | | | | | | Stem Rust | Loose Smut | Spot Blotch | Net Blotch |
| Six-row | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Azure | M/F | ND | 1982 | S | blue | med. | m. strg. | m. early | S | S | MR-R | MS-S |
| Excel | M/F | MN | 1990 | S | white | m. short | strg. | med. | S | S | MR-R | MS-S |
| Foster | M/F | ND | 1995 | S | white | m. short | strg. | med. | S | S | MR-R | MS-S |
| Hazen | F | ND | 1984 | S | white | med. | m. strg. | med. | S | S | MR-R | MS-S |
| Morex | M/F | MN | 1978 | S | white | tall | med. | early | S | S | MR | S |
| Robust | M/F | MN | 1983 | S | white | med | m.strg. | med. | S | S | MR-R | MS-S |
| Stander | F | MN | 1993 | S | white | m. short | v.strg. | m. late | S | S | MR-R | MS-S |
| MNBrite* | F | MN | 1997 | S | white | tall | med | early | S | S | MR-R | MS-S |
| Lacey | F† | MN | 1999 | S | white | m. short | strg. | med. | S | S | MR-R | MS-S |
| Drummond | F† | ND | 2000 | S | w | m. short | v strg | med | S | S | MR-R | MS-S |
| Legacy | F† | BARI | 2000 | S | w | med | strg | m. late | S | S | MR-R | MS-S |
| Two-row | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bowman | F | ND | 1984 | S | white | m.short | med. | early | S | S | MS-S | S-MS |
| Conlon ⁴ | M/F | ND | 1996 | S | white | m.short | med. | early | S | S | MS-MR | MR-R |
| Gallatin | F | MT | 1986 | R | white | med. | med. | late | S | S | MS | MS |
| Harrington ⁵ | F | Can. | 1981 | R | white | med. | m.weak | v.late | S | S | S | MR-MS |
| Logan | F | ND | 1995 | S | white | med. | strg. | med. | S | S | MS-MR | MR |
| Stark | F | ND | 1991 | S | white | m.tall | med. | late | S | S | S-MS | MS-S |
| Merit ⁶ | F | AB | 1998 | R | white | med | m.weak | v.late | S | S | MS | MR |
| Specialty | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Wanubet | SP | MT | 1990 | R | white | med. | weak | late | S | S | S | S |

† Malting designation pending.

* Moderately resistant to Fusarium head blight.

¹ M = malting; F = feed; SP = special uses (hulles).

² Rough or smooth awned.

³ R = resistant; MR = moderately resistant; MS = moderately susceptible; S = susceptible; N/A = not available.

⁴ Lower DON accumulation than other varieties tested.

⁵ Recommended as a malting barley in western US.

| Variety | Days to Head | Seeds per Pound | Plant Height | Test Weight | Protein | Lodging | % Plump | Grain Yield | | | Average Yield | |
|----------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|-------------|---------|---------|---------|-----------------|------|-------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 Year | 3 Year |
| | | | in | lbs/bu | % | | >6/64 | -----bu/ac----- | | | | |
| Six Row | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Drummond | 60 | 12,981 | 31 | 42.4 | 13.8 | 8 | 81.0 | 91.0 | 45.0 | 110.3 | 77.7 | 82.1 |
| Excel | 61 | 12,635 | 33 | 42.4 | 12.1 | 6 | 76.9 | 94.6 | 58.9 | 110.9 | 84.9 | 88.1 |
| Foster | 62 | 11,983 | 32 | 41.8 | 12.7 | 6 | 86.9 | 94.2 | 54.1 | 109.0 | 81.5 | 85.8 |
| Lacey | 60 | 12,326 | 32 | 42.9 | 12.4 | 7 | 81.1 | 87.6 | 51.2 | 105.6 | 78.4 | 81.5 |
| Legacy | 62 | 13,922 | 30 | 40.2 | 12.6 | 8 | 71.6 | 84.5 | 55.1 | 105.2 | 80.1 | 81.6 |
| MN Brite | 62 | 13,785 | 32 | 42.1 | 13.9 | 8 | 79.3 | 84.1 | 50.0 | 101.5 | 75.8 | 78.5 |
| Morex | 60 | 12,873 | 33 | 41.3 | 12.8 | 8 | 73.0 | 82.8 | 43.3 | 99.6 | 71.5 | 75.2 |
| Robust | 62 | 12,460 | 31 | 42.9 | 13.0 | 7 | 80.3 | 82.8 | 51.6 | 104.3 | 78.0 | 79.6 |
| Stander | 61 | 11,389 | 31 | 44.2 | 13.5 | 5 | 88.5 | 94.3 | 55.6 | 111.1 | 83.3 | 87.0 |
| Two Row | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bowman | 60 | 11,183 | 31 | 45.4 | 13.1 | 8 | 87.9 | 79.0 | 43.2 | 86.6 | 64.9 | 69.6 |
| Conlon | 58 | 10,962 | 30 | 45.4 | 13.3 | 8 | 88.9 | 83.9 | 41.6 | 95.4 | 68.5 | 73.6 |
| Harrington | 64 | 12,579 | 33 | 38.6 | 12.9 | 5 | 74.8 | 73.3 | 46.4 | 91.5 | 68.9 | 70.4 |
| Logan | 60 | 10,214 | 32 | 44.0 | 13.2 | 4 | 84.8 | 90.6 | 46.1 | 91.1 | 68.6 | 75.9 |
| Merit | 68 | 11,363 | 30 | 45.2 | 12.8 | 1 | 83.3 | 80.6 | 45.6 | 118.8 | 82.2 | 81.7 |
| Stark | 61 | 10,911 | 30 | 46.3 | 13.0 | 5 | 84.5 | 89.3 | 51.3 | 98.4 | 74.9 | 79.7 |
| Valier | 65 | 11,509 | 34 | 48.5 | 14.7 | 2 | 81.8 | -- | -- | 109.4 | -- | -- |
| Trial Mean | 61 | 12,101 | 32 | 43.3 | 13.1 | 6 | 82.8 | 86.8 | 49.5 | 104.9 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 1.0 | 5.3 | 9.1 | 2.3 | -- | 24.2 | 3.8 | 4.6 | 11.2 | 5.5 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 1 | 900 | 4 | 1.4 | -- | 2 | 4.4 | 5.7 | 7.8 | 8.1 | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 24

Harvest Date: August 3

Lodging 0=No lodging, 9=Completely flat

2000 Barley - Continuously Cropped No-till

Hettinger

| Variety | Days to Head | Plant Height | Test Weight | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | Average Yield | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------|-------|------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2 year | 3 year |
| | | inches | lbs/bu | -----bu/ac----- | | | | |
| 2 Row | | | | | | | | |
| Logan | 70 | 32 | 49.4 | 128.9 | 110.4 | 77.2 | 93.8 | 105.5 |
| Conlon | 72 | 33 | 49.5 | 132.8 | 96.3 | 77.8 | 87.0 | 102.3 |
| Stark | 73 | 34 | 49.7 | 101.8 | 92.4 | 72.6 | 82.5 | 88.9 |
| Bowman | 72 | 33 | 48.8 | 103.3 | 87.9 | 71.7 | 79.8 | 87.6 |
| Harrington | 83 | 34 | 47.0 | 100.0 | 91.4 | 70.1 | 80.8 | 87.2 |
| Merit | 83 | 30 | 44.8 | | 115.5 | 78.2 | 96.8 | |
| 6 Row | | | | | | | | |
| Excel | 73 | 36 | 46.2 | 128.2 | 103.0 | 83.9 | 93.4 | 105.0 |
| B2978 | 75 | 35 | 45.9 | 121.8 | 93.3 | 80.2 | 86.8 | 98.4 |
| Drummond | 72 | 36 | 47.0 | 115.3 | 96.8 | 82.2 | 89.5 | 98.1 |
| Robust | 74 | 40 | 48.1 | 102.6 | 87.0 | 69.1 | 78.0 | 86.2 |
| Morex | 74 | 37 | 47.6 | | 105.2 | 84.5 | 94.8 | |
| Stander | 74 | 36 | 47.8 | | 97.9 | 85.9 | 91.9 | |
| Lacey | 72 | 35 | 48.0 | | 93.4 | 84.1 | 88.8 | |
| Foster | 74 | 36 | 45.9 | | 99.1 | 77.4 | 88.2 | |
| Trial Mean | 74 | 35 | 47.5 | 113.4 | 98.6 | 79.1 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 1.5 | 4.1 | 1.3 | 6.4 | 7.5 | 6.6 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 2 | 2 | 0.9 | 10.3 | 10.5 | 7.4 | -- | -- |
| LSD .01 | 2 | 3 | 1.2 | 13.8 | 14.0 | 9.9 | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 10, 2000

Harvest Date: July 31, 2000

Seeding rate: 750,000 live seeds/A (approx. 1.4 bu/A).

Previous Crop: 1998 = fallow, 1999 = field pea, 2000 = soybean.

Notes: Minor hail damage. Moderate Puma herbicide injury.

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| 2001 Barley - Continuously Cropped No-till | Scranton |
|---|-----------------|

| Variety | Plant Height | Test Weight | Protein | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | Average Yield | |
|------------|--------------|-------------|---------|-------------------------|------|------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 year | 3 year |
| | inches | lbs/bu | % | -----bu/ac----- | | | | |
| Stark | 28 | 50.8 | 13.0 | 36.3 | 69.3 | 69.2 | 69.2 | 58.3 |
| Conlon | 25 | 49.9 | 12.6 | 47.4 | 63.9 | 55.3 | 59.6 | 55.5 |
| Robust | 29 | 48.6 | 12.2 | | 63.0 | 79.7 | 71.4 | |
| Trial Mean | 27 | 49.7 | 12.6 | 47.5 | 66.1 | 68.1 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 3.6 | 0.5 | -- | 17.6 | 5.4 | 9.2 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 2 | 0.4 | -- | 13.0 | NS | 10.8 | -- | -- |
| LSD .01 | NS | 0.6 | -- | NS | NS | 16.4 | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 23, 2001 Harvest Date: August 7, 2001
 Seeding rate: 750,000 live seeds/A (approx. 1.4 bu/A).
 Previous Crop: 1999 = HRSW, 2000 = HRWW, 2001 = safflower.
 NS = no statistical difference between varieties.

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| 2001 Barley - Continuously Cropped No-till | Regent |
|---|---------------|

| Variety | Plant Height | Test Weight | Protein | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | Average Yield | |
|------------|--------------|-------------|---------|-------------------------|------|------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 year | 3 year |
| | inches | lbs/bu | % | -----bu/ac----- | | | | |
| Conlon | 28 | 50.0 | 12.3 | 92.6 | 64.9 | 97.8 | 81.4 | 85.1 |
| Stark | 33 | 51.3 | 12.1 | 87.8 | 66.5 | 93.9 | 80.2 | 82.7 |
| Robust | 33 | 48.6 | 12.1 | | 63.1 | 90.6 | 76.8 | |
| Trial Mean | 31 | 50.0 | 12.2 | 92.6 | 65.7 | 94.1 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 6.3 | 1.1 | -- | 5.7 | 10.2 | 6.2 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 4 | 1.0 | -- | NS | NS | NS | -- | -- |
| LSD .01 | NS | 1.5 | -- | NS | NS | NS | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 23, 2001 Harvest Date: August 7, 2001
 Seeding rate: 750,000 live seeds/A (approx. 1.4 bu/A).
 Previous Crop: 1999 = HRSW, 2000 = HRWW, 2001 = safflower.
 NS = no statistical difference between varieties.

2001 Barley - Continuously Cropped No-till

New Leipzig

| Variety | Plant Height | Test Weight | Protein | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | Average Yield | |
|------------|--------------|-------------|---------|-------------------------|------|------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 year | 3 year |
| | inches | lbs/bu | % | -----bu/ac----- | | | | |
| Stark | 29 | 51.3 | 13.0 | 76.1 | 40.5 | 84.3 | 62.4 | 67.0 |
| Conlon | 27 | 50.9 | 12.8 | 76.5 | 36.1 | 67.4 | 51.8 | 60.0 |
| Robust | 29 | 48.3 | 12.9 | | 38.6 | 75.6 | 57.1 | |
| Trial Mean | 29 | 50.2 | 12.9 | 78.0 | 38.8 | 75.7 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 9.8 | 0.5 | -- | 7.7 | 9.7 | 1.9 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | NS | 0.5 | -- | NS | NS | 2.4 | -- | -- |
| LSD .01 | NS | 0.7 | -- | NS | NS | 3.7 | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 24, 2001

Harvest Date: August 8, 2001

Seeding rate: 750,000 live seeds/A (approx. 1.4 bu/A).

Previous Crop: 1999 = HRSW, 2000 = HRWW, 2001 = safflower.

NS = no statistical difference between varieties.

2001 Barley - Continuously Cropped No-till

Selfridge

| Variety | Plant Height | Test Weight | Protein | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | Average Yield | |
|------------|--------------|-------------|---------|-------------------------|------|-------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 year | 3 year |
| | inches | lbs/bu | % | -----bu/ac----- | | | | |
| Conlon | 35 | 51.3 | 11.7 | 67.6 | 56.0 | 120.0 | 88.0 | 81.2 |
| Stark | 36 | 50.9 | 12.1 | 73.7 | 51.9 | 98.4 | 75.2 | 74.7 |
| Robust | 38 | 48.2 | 12.3 | | 57.0 | 95.6 | 76.3 | |
| Trial Mean | 36 | 50.5 | 12.0 | 71.0 | 54.3 | 104.7 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 4.1 | 0.8 | -- | 8.4 | 11.1 | 5.1 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | NS | 0.7 | -- | NS | NS | 9.3 | -- | -- |
| LSD .01 | NS | 1.0 | -- | NS | NS | 14.1 | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 24, 2001

Harvest Date: August 9, 2001

Seeding rate: 750,000 live seeds/A (approx. 1.4 bu/A).

Previous Crop: 1999 = HRSW, 2000 & 2001 = HRWW.

NS = no statistical difference between varieties.

Spring Barley Variety Trial - Perkins County (Bison), 1999-2001.

| Variety | Height Inches | Lodging 1-9* | Test Wt Lb/Bu | Protein Percent | Yield Bu/A | |
|----------------|------------------|-----------------|------------------|--------------------|------------|-----------|
| | | | | | 2001 | 3 Year |
| TWO ROW | | | | | | |
| CONLON | 26 | 1 | 49.9 | 10.6 | 43 | 51 |
| LOGAN | 27 | 1 | 51.3 | 10.9 | 47 | 55 |
| SIX ROW | | | | | | |
| DRUMMOND | 28 | 1 | 48.1 | 11.3 | 38 | 48 |
| EXCEL | 26 | 1 | 46.8 | 10.6 | 38 | 47 |
| FOSTER | 30 | 1 | 47.7 | 10.9 | 44 | 53 |
| LACEY | 27 | 1 | 48.6 | 10.7 | 38 | 52 |
| LEGACY | 27 | 1 | 46.9 | 11.0 | 43 | . |
| MNBRITE | 28 | 1 | 48.2 | 11.8 | 32 | 48 |
| ROBUST | 29 | 1 | 48.6 | 11.6 | 37 | 50 |
| STANDER | 28 | 1 | 48.7 | 11.3 | 43 | 55 |
| Average | 27 | 1.0 | 48.5 | 11.1 | 40.4 | 51.0 |
| LSD (P=.05) | 3.7 | 0.0 | 1.1 | . | 6.9 | 5 |
| CV | 9.4 | 0.0 | 1.6 | . | 11.7 | 13 |

Planted: April 18, 2001 Herbicide: Bronate (16 oz/A)
Harvested: Aug 7, 2001 Additional Nitrogen: 80 Lb/A
Previous crop: Soybeans, No-till planted * 1 = no lodging, 9 = 100% lodged.

Spring Barley Variety Trial - Harding County (Ralph), 1999-2001.

| Variety | Height Inches | Lodging 1-9* | Test Wt Lb/Bu | Protein Percent | Yield Bu/A | |
|----------------|------------------|-----------------|------------------|--------------------|------------|--------|
| | | | | | 2001 | 3 Year |
| TWO ROW | | | | | | |
| CONLON | 20.5 | 1 | 48.5 | 9.9 | 42 | 42 |
| LOGAN | 18.5 | 1 | 48.9 | 9.5 | 45 | 46 |
| SIX ROW | | | | | | |
| DRUMMOND | 24.0 | 1 | 48.3 | 11.0 | 30 | 40 |
| EXCEL | 21.0 | 1 | 47.9 | 10.0 | 36 | 46 |
| FOSTER | 21.5 | 1 | 48.5 | 9.8 | 37 | 44 |
| LACEY | 23.0 | 1 | 49.0 | 10.4 | 36 | 49 |
| LEGACY | 20.5 | 1 | 49.1 | 9.9 | 42 | . |
| MNBRITE | 24.0 | 1 | 48.9 | 10.5 | 33 | 41 |
| ROBUST | 22.5 | 1 | 49.2 | 10.6 | 25 | 40 |
| STANDER | 23.0 | 1 | 49.1 | 9.8 | 33 | 45 |
| Average | 21.9 | 1.0 | 48.7 | 10.1 | 35.6 | 43.7 |
| LSD (P=.05) | 5.3 | 0.0 | 1.5 | . | 3.2 | NS |
| CV | 10.6 | 0.0 | 2.1 | . | 6.2 | 10 |

Planted: April 18, 2001 Herbicide: Puma (10.6 oz/A) + Bronate (16 oz/A)
Harvested: August 7, 2001 Additional Nitrogen: None
Previous crop: Conventional fallow *1 = no lodging, 9 = 100% lodged.

Barley Varieties Wibaux, MT, 2001

| Variety | Grain yield bushels/acre | Test weight lb/bu |
|---------|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| Stander | 40.6 | 43.7 |
| Robust | 35.7 | 43.5 |
| Mean | 38.2 | 43.6 |
| CV% | 20.9 | 1.2 |
| LSD .05 | NS | NS |

2001 Barley Mandan

| Variety | Plant Height inches | Test Weight lbs/bu | Protein % | Grain Yield bu/ac |
|------------|------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|----------------------|
| Conlon | 32 | 50.3 | 12.3 | 104.9 |
| Robust | 37 | 47.9 | 12.4 | 85.8 |
| Stark | 31 | 51.2 | 12.5 | 72.2 |
| Trial Mean | 33 | 49.8 | 12.4 | 87.6 |
| C.V. % | 4.6 | 0.7 | -- | 5.9 |
| LSD .05 | 3 | 0.8 | -- | 11.8 |
| LSD .01 | NS | 1.3 | -- | 19.6 |

Planting Date: April 24, 2001
 Harvest Date: August 9, 2001
 Seeding rate: 750,000 live seeds/A (approx. 1.4 bu/A).
 Previous Crop: Barley.
 NS = no statistical difference between varieties.

Barley in the West River Region Combined Means

| Variety | Plant Height inches | Test Weight lbs/bu | Protein % | Grain Yield | | | Average Yield | |
|----------------|------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|-------------|------|------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 year | 3 year |
| Stark | 31 | 50.3 | 12.6 | 75.9 | 58.7 | 86.1 | 72.4 | 73.6 |
| Conlon | 28 | 49.5 | 11.9 | 77.4 | 56.7 | 78.2 | 67.4 | 70.8 |
| Robust | 31 | 47.3 | 12.1 | | 57.1 | 69.9 | 63.5 | |
| # of locations | 8 | 9 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 9 | 15 | 21 |

Locations: Dickinson, Scranton, Regent, Selfridge, New Leipzig, Mandan, Wibaux MT, Ralph SD and Bison SD.

2002 North Dakota Oat Variety Descriptions

| Variety* | Origin | Year Released | Grain | | Straw | | Reaction to Diseases | | | Quality Factors | | |
|---------------|----------|---------------|--------|--------|----------|-----------------------|------------------------|------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|--------|----------------------|
| | | | Color | Height | Strength | Maturity ² | Stem rust ¹ | Crown rust | Barley Y. Dwf. ⁴ | Rel. Yield | bu/Wt | Protein ³ |
| Hyttest | SD | 1986 | white | tall | m.strg. | E | S | MS | S | fair | v.good | H |
| Prairie | WI | 1991 | white | short | strg. | E | S | S | T | good | good | M |
| Premier | MN | 1990 | yellow | short | med. | M | R | MS | MT | v.good | v.good | H |
| Milton | MN | 1994 | yellow | med. | strg. | L | S | MS | MT | v.good | v.good | M |
| Jerry | ND | 1994 | white | tall | strg. | M | R | MS | MT | v.good | v.good | M |
| Newdak | ND/NY | 1990 | white | med. | strg. | M | R | S | T | v.good | good | M |
| Jim | MN | 1995 | yellow | med. | strg. | M | S | MS | MT | good | good | M |
| Brawn | IL | 1993 | yellow | short | v.strg. | M | S | S | T | v.good | good | M |
| Killdeer | ND | 2000 | white | med | strong | M | R | MR | MT | v.good | good | M |
| Richard | MN | 2000 | yellow | tall | strong | M | S | MR | T | v.good | good | M |
| Valley | ND | 1988 | ivory | short | strg. | L | R | MS | MT | v.good | v.good | M |
| Whitestone | ND | 1994 | white | short | strg. | L | R | MS | MT | v.good | good | L |
| Otana | MT | 1977 | white | m.tall | m.weak | L | S | S | S | v.good | v.good | ML |
| CDC Boyer | SVAS | 1994 | white | tall | m.strg. | L | S | MR | S | good | v.good | ML |
| Jud | ND | 1997 | ivory | tall | med. | L | R | MR | T | v. good | good | MH |
| Troy | SD | 1991 | ivory | tall | m.strg. | L | S | MS | T | good | good | M |
| AC Belmont | Can. | 1993 | naked | med. | strg. | L | R | S | MT | good | v.good | M |
| CDC Pacer | SVAS | 1996 | white | tall | m.strg. | L | S | S | S | good | good | L |
| Paul | ND | 1994 | naked | v.tail | strg. | L | R | R-MR | T | v.good | good | H |
| AC Medallion | Cargill | 1997 | white | tall | med. | L | R | R | MT | good | good | ML |
| Dumont | Can. | 1982 | white | m.tall | m.weak | L | R | S | MS | good | good | ML |
| AC Preakness | Proven | 1996 | white | tall | strong | L | R | S | M | good | good | L |
| Bay | WI | 1993 | yellow | med. | v.strg. | L | S | MR-S | T | good | fair | H |
| Youngs | ND | 1999 | white | med. | strong | L | R | MR | MT | v.good | good | M |
| AC Assiniboia | Proven | 1997 | red | med | strong | L | R | R | T | v. good | good | ML |
| Triple Crown | Canterra | 1998 | white | tall | strong | L | S | R | S | good | good | L |
| Loyal | SD | 2000 | ivory | tall | m.strong | L | MS | R-MR | T | v.good | good | MH |
| Vista | WI | 2000 | yellow | tall | strong | L | S | R | MT | v.good | good | M |
| Gen | WI | 1996 | yellow | tall | strong | L | S | R | MT | good | good | MH |
| Belle | WI | 1995 | yellow | tall | strong | L | S | R | MT | good | good | M |
| Ebeltoft | ND | 1999 | white | tall | strong | VL | R | MR | S | good | v.good | M |
| AC Marie | Can. | 1992 | white | tall | weak | VL | R | S | MT | fair | fair | ML |

* Varieties listed in order of maturity.

1 Stem rust races most prevalent now. S = susceptible; M = moderately; R = resistant; VS = very susceptible.

2 E = early; M = medium; L = late.

3 H = high; M = medium; L = low; V = very; VL = very low.

4 S= susceptible; MS = moderately susceptible; MT = moderately tolerant; T = tolerant. Varieties rated MT or T have a relatively good degree of protection against barley yellow dwarf virus.

| Variety | Days to Head | Seeds per Pound | Plant Height | Lodging | Test Weight | Grain Yield | | | Returns | Average Yield | |
|---------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|---------|-------------|-------------|-------|-------|---------|---------------|-------|
| | | | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | | 2 | 3 |
| | | | | | | bu/ac | bu/ac | bu/ac | | Year | Year |
| | | | in | 0 - 9 | lbs/bu | | | | \$/ac | | |
| AC Assiniboia | 67 | 10,971 | 41 | 2.3 | 32.2 | 112.5 | 122.6 | 139.2 | 103.54 | 130.9 | 124.8 |
| AC Medallion | 66 | 12,262 | 41 | 6.3 | 32.0 | 116.1 | 123.6 | 138.1 | 104.79 | 130.9 | 125.9 |
| Belle | 65 | 13,147 | 38 | 0.8 | 33.4 | 118.1 | 106.4 | 128.9 | 101.67 | 117.6 | 117.8 |
| Brawn | 63 | 10,892 | 36 | 0.8 | 31.7 | 131.5 | 131.5 | 134.9 | 94.02 | 133.2 | 132.6 |
| CDC Boyer | 65 | 11,670 | 44 | 3.5 | 31.4 | 111.1 | 128.6 | 135.6 | 93.83 | 132.1 | 125.1 |
| CDC Pacer | 65 | 11,601 | 39 | 1.8 | 32.8 | 125.0 | 131.2 | 158.8 | 121.87 | 145.0 | 138.3 |
| Ebeltoft | 68 | 11,055 | 36 | 1.3 | 31.9 | 133.5 | 142.1 | 154.2 | 116.14 | 148.1 | 143.3 |
| HiFi | 64 | 14,752 | 41 | 4.8 | 33.3 | 119.6 | 129.1 | 132.0 | 101.52 | 130.6 | 126.9 |
| Hyttest | 61 | 12,091 | 42 | 1.8 | 35.4 | 115.5 | 87.2 | 118.4 | 104.99 | 102.8 | 107.0 |
| Jerry | 60 | 12,762 | 40 | 2.0 | 34.6 | 122.0 | 85.3 | 133.6 | 112.30 | 109.5 | 113.6 |
| Jud | 64 | 13,813 | 44 | 3.8 | 33.1 | 107.3 | 127.2 | 136.6 | 104.03 | 131.9 | 123.7 |
| Killdeer | 62 | 14,034 | 36 | 3.8 | 31.7 | 128.9 | 125.4 | 139.3 | 99.82 | 132.3 | 131.2 |
| Loyal | 65 | 15,533 | 42 | 2.0 | 34.4 | 116.5 | 124.4 | 122.1 | 98.71 | 123.2 | 121.0 |
| Monida | 66 | 14,930 | 39 | 6.3 | 30.9 | 134.2 | 147.3 | 148.0 | 98.75 | 147.6 | 143.2 |
| Morton | 65 | 12,586 | 42 | 2.0 | 35.4 | 119.4 | 112.1 | 128.8 | 112.24 | 120.5 | 120.1 |
| Otana | 64 | 15,209 | 43 | 3.8 | 33.4 | 134.9 | 130.0 | 134.1 | 104.70 | 132.0 | 133.0 |
| Paul* | 68 | 14,057 | 40 | 3.0 | 38.1 | 64.5 | 88.6 | 105.1 | -- | 96.8 | 86.1 |
| Triple Crown | 68 | 12,950 | 41 | 2.0 | 32.6 | 121.2 | 131.4 | 148.1 | 110.62 | 139.7 | 133.6 |
| Vista | 62 | 12,526 | 40 | 1.3 | 34.0 | -- | -- | 146.8 | 120.07 | -- | -- |
| Whitestone | 66 | 14,146 | 38 | 7.0 | 30.7 | 131.1 | 140.7 | 142.0 | 95.62 | 141.4 | 137.9 |
| Youngs | 65 | 10,473 | 41 | 4.0 | 30.7 | 135.1 | 137.3 | 139.7 | 94.53 | 138.5 | 137.4 |
| Trial Mean | 64 | 13,020 | 40 | 3.3 | 33.4 | 119.7 | 123.5 | 137.3 | 107.60 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 1.4 | 6.7 | 4.7 | 55.2 | 3.1 | 6.2 | 6.7 | 7.6 | 11.9 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 1 | 1,229 | 3 | 2.6 | 1.5 | 10.4 | 11.7 | 14.7 | 17.97 | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 24

Harvest Date: August 6

Lodging 0 = No lodging, 9 = Completely flat

* Naked

Returns were calculated by multiplying the 2001 yield by the test weight discount paid at the Southwest Grain Terminal located in Gladstone on September 17. The price paid was \$.95/bu, assuming that the test weight was heavier than 37 lb/bu. Grain with a test weight of 37 lb/bu was discounted \$.04/bu, with an additional discount of \$.04/bu per pound down to 30 lb/bu. Below 30 lb/bu, an additional discount of \$.07/bu occurred per pound.

2000 Oats - Continuously Cropped No-till

Hettinger

| Variety | Days to head | Plant Height | Test Weight | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | Average Yield | |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------|-------|-------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2 year | 3 year |
| | | inches | lbs/bu | ----- bu/ac ----- | | | | |
| Killdeer | 64 | 38 | 38.4 | 150.5 | 155.3 | 108.2 | 131.8 | 138.0 |
| Whitestone | 67 | 39 | 38.2 | 131.2 | 157.1 | 114.3 | 135.7 | 134.2 |
| Ebeltoft | 70 | 37 | 37.6 | 126.7 | 151.7 | 109.7 | 130.7 | 129.4 |
| Monida | 70 | 39 | 35.0 | 135.2 | 142.8 | 95.9 | 119.4 | 124.6 |
| Brawn | 63 | 38 | 37.5 | 135.3 | 132.1 | 96.0 | 114.0 | 121.1 |
| Otana | 67 | 44 | 38.2 | 126.5 | 131.0 | 100.6 | 115.8 | 119.4 |
| Youngs | 68 | 44 | 37.8 | 126.1 | 139.6 | 90.4 | 115.0 | 118.7 |
| Jerry | 63 | 42 | 39.6 | 127.6 | 137.2 | 90.8 | 114.0 | 118.5 |
| AC Assiniboia | 69 | 38 | 37.2 | 127.2 | 127.7 | 93.9 | 100.8 | 116.3 |
| Troy | 66 | 44 | 39.0 | 122.9 | 128.9 | 91.9 | 110.4 | 114.6 |
| Morton | 66 | 42 | 39.0 | 129.1 | 125.3 | 79.7 | 102.5 | 111.4 |
| AC Medallion | 68 | 42 | 36.0 | 123.2 | 116.4 | 91.5 | 104.0 | 110.4 |
| Jud | 67 | 44 | 38.6 | 121.2 | 115.8 | 91.2 | 103.5 | 109.4 |
| CDC Boyer | 69 | 42 | 36.2 | 126.1 | 108.4 | 78.3 | 93.4 | 104.3 |
| Hyttest | 63 | 44 | 39.9 | 121.2 | 94.4 | 65.1 | 79.8 | 93.6 |
| Paul* | 71 | 41 | 43.0 | 88.5 | 70.7 | 55.8 | 63.2 | 71.7 |
| HiFi | 66 | 43 | 37.5 | | 139.9 | 91.0 | 115.4 | |
| Gem | 64 | 39 | 37.7 | | 129.8 | 92.5 | 111.2 | |
| Triple Crown | 73 | 40 | 36.2 | | 124.4 | 92.8 | 108.6 | |
| Belle | 71 | 39 | 37.8 | | 121.5 | 87.8 | 104.6 | |
| CDC Pacer | 66 | 42 | 36.0 | | 114.0 | 84.2 | 99.1 | |
| Loyal | 68 | 44 | 38.6 | | | 97.9 | | |
| Riser | 55 | 36 | 37.0 | | | 58.5 | | |
| Trial Mean | 67 | 41 | 38.3 | 124.9 | 128.4 | 91.2 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 1.3 | 5.1 | 2.0 | 5.9 | 11.8 | 10.5 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 1 | 3 | 1.1 | 10.3 | 21.3 | 13.5 | -- | -- |
| LSD .01 | 2 | 4 | 1.5 | 13.7 | 28.2 | 17.9 | -- | -- |

* = Naked (hulless) type.

Planting Date: April 11, 2000

Harvest Date: July 31, 2000

Seeding Rate: 750,000 live seeds/A (approx. 1.7 bu/A).

Previous Crop: 1998 = fallow, 1999 & 2000 = soybean.

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|------------------------------|----------------------|
| Hannover Oat - Recrop | Dickinson, ND |
|------------------------------|----------------------|

| Variety | Seeds/ Pound | Plant Height | Test Weight | Grain Yield | | * Returns | 2 Year Average |
|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|-------------------|
| | | | | 2000 | 2001 | | |
| | | in | lbs/bu | ----bu/ac---- | | \$/ac | |
| HiFi | 14,048 | 38 | 31.1 | -- | 141.0 | 98.13 | -- |
| Killdeer | 13,659 | 33 | 33.5 | 160.4 | 126.8 | 101.45 | 143.6 |
| Morton | 13,169 | 39 | 33.4 | -- | 136.2 | 107.55 | -- |
| Paul** | 17,006 | 41 | 38.5 | -- | 83.1 | -- | -- |
| Trial Mean | 14,519 | 38 | 34.8 | 150.7 | 118.2 | 102.38 | -- |
| C.V. % | 6.1 | 6.0 | 2.7 | 8.6 | 8.8 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 1,671 | 4 | 1.7 | NS | 19.7 | -- | -- |

Planting Date: May 1

Harvest Date: August 21

** Naked

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|----------------------------|----------------------|
| Beulah Oat - Recrop | Dickinson, ND |
|----------------------------|----------------------|

| Variety | Seeds/ Pound | Plant Height | Test Weight | Grain Yield | | * Returns | 2 Year Average |
|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|---------------|-------------|--------------|-------------------|
| | | | | 2000 | 2001 | | |
| | | in | lbs/bu | ----bu/ac---- | | \$/ac | |
| HiFi | 13,187 | 31 | 30.3 | -- | 56.6 | 37.62 | -- |
| Killdeer | 12,095 | 28 | 35.2 | 78.5 | 42.1 | 35.66 | 60.3 |
| Morton | 12,762 | 31 | 34.3 | -- | 57.7 | 47.23 | -- |
| Paul** | 15,560 | 36 | 42.0 | -- | 39.1 | -- | -- |
| Trial Mean | 13,526 | 32 | 36.8 | 84.3 | 47.2 | 40.17 | -- |
| C.V. % | 5.2 | 8.5 | 3.6 | 15.6 | 11.4 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 1,323 | NS | 2.5 | NS | 10.1 | -- | -- |

Planting Date: May 1

Harvest Date: August 15

** Naked

*Returns were calculated by multiplying the 2001 yield by test weight discount paid at the Southwest Grain Terminal located at Gladstone on September 17. The price paid on this date was \$.95/bu, assuming that the test weight was heavier than 37 lb/bu. Grain with a test weight of 37 lb/bu was discounted \$.04/bu, with an additional discount of \$.04/bu per pound down to 30 lb/bu. Below 30 lb/bu, an additional discount of \$.07/bu occurred per pound.

Glen Ullin Oat - Recrop

Dickinson, ND

| Variety | Seeds/ Pound | Plant Height | Test Weight | Grain Yield | | * Returns | 2 Year Average |
|------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|-------------|-------|--------------|-------------------|
| | | | | 2000 | 2001 | | |
| | | in | lbs/bu | ---bu/ac--- | | \$/ac | |
| HiFi | 12,958 | 38 | 34.6 | -- | 164.7 | 138.54 | -- |
| Killdeer | 13,990 | 33 | 34.3 | 159.0 | 149.3 | 126.06 | 154.2 |
| Morton | 13,186 | 40 | 36.0 | -- | 179.0 | 158.67 | -- |
| Paul** | 17,865 | 41 | 40.4 | -- | 127.4 | -- | -- |
| Trial Mean | 14,654 | 38 | 36.9 | 152.2 | 153.8 | 141.09 | -- |
| C.V. % | 4.7 | 4.8 | 2.2 | 5.5 | 8.5 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 1,301 | 4 | 1.5 | NS | 24.6 | -- | -- |

Planting Date: May 2

Harvest Date: August 22

** Naked

*Returns were calculated by multiplying the 2001 yield by test weight discount paid at the Southwest Grain Terminal located at Gladstone on September 17. The price paid on this date was \$.95/bu, assuming that the test weight was heavier than 37 lb/bu. Grain with a test weight of 37 lb/bu was discounted \$.04/bu, with an additional discount of \$.04/bu per pound down to 30 lb/bu. Below 30 lb/bu, an additional discount of \$.07/bu occurred per pound.

2001 Oats - Continuously Cropped No-till

Scranton

| Variety | Plant Height | Test Weight | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | Average Yield | |
|------------|-----------------|----------------|-------------------------|------|-------|---------------|-----------|
| | | | 1997 | 1999 | 2001 | 2 year | 3 year |
| | inches | lbs/bu | -----bu/ac----- | | | | |
| Jud | 37 | 36.4 | 90.2 | 52.3 | 121.4 | 86.8 | 88.0 |
| Jerry | 35 | 37.4 | 92.3 | 53.2 | 111.1 | 82.2 | 85.5 |
| Ebeltoft | 40 | 36.4 | | 67.3 | 117.2 | 92.2 | |
| Youngs | 36 | 35.8 | | 71.0 | 109.8 | 90.4 | |
| Killdeer | 35 | 36.6 | | | 130.4 | | |
| Morton | 36 | 37.9 | | | 118.7 | | |
| HiFi | 36 | 37.2 | | | 117.2 | | |
| Trial Mean | 36 | 36.8 | 94.1 | 55.9 | 118.0 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 10.8 | 0.7 | 9.7 | 14.9 | 11.4 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | NS | 0.4 | NS | 15.4 | NS | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 23, 2001

Harvest Date: August 7, 2001

Seeding rate: 750,000 live seeds/A (approx. 1.7 bu/A).

Previous Crop: 1997 = fallow, 1999 = HRSW, 2001 = safflower.

NS = no statistical difference between varieties.

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|---|---------------|
| 2001 Oats - Continuously Cropped No-till | Regent |
|---|---------------|

| Variety | Plant Height inches | Test Weight lbs/bu | -- Grain Yield -- | | Average Yield |
|------------|------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|-------|---------------|
| | | | 2000 | 2001 | 2 year |
| Killdeer | 40 | 37.3 | 130.4 | 124.0 | 127.2 |
| Youngs | 44 | 38.2 | 127.1 | 111.5 | 119.3 |
| Ebeltoft | 37 | 38.6 | 118.3 | 108.9 | 113.6 |
| Jud | 37 | 36.4 | 101.7 | 117.2 | 109.4 |
| Jerry | 41 | 36.0 | 117.5 | 101.1 | 109.3 |
| Morton | 40 | 39.5 | | 130.2 | |
| HiFi | 34 | 37.4 | | 104.7 | |
| Trial Mean | 39 | 37.6 | 111.5 | 113.9 | -- |
| C.V. % | 6.9 | 4.3 | 5.6 | 15.8 | -- |
| LSD .05 | NS | NS | 15.3 | NS | -- |

Planting Date: April 23, 2001 Harvest Date: August 7, 2001
 Seeding rate: 750,000 live seeds/A (approx. 1.7 bu/A).
 Previous Crop: 1999 = HRSW, 2000 = HRWW, 2001 = safflower.
 NS = no statistical difference between varieties.

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|---|--------------------|
| 2001 Oats - Continuously Cropped No-till | New Leipzig |
|---|--------------------|

| Variety | Plant Height inches | Test Weight lbs/bu | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | Average Yield | |
|------------|------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|------|-------|---------------|--------|
| | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 year | 3 year |
| Ebeltoft | 35 | 36.1 | 101.5 | 78.8 | 87.9 | 83.4 | 89.4 |
| Youngs | 36 | 36.6 | 83.2 | 81.0 | 94.4 | 87.7 | 86.2 |
| Jud | 34 | 35.2 | 76.2 | 78.5 | 88.8 | 83.6 | 81.2 |
| Jerry | 37 | 36.3 | 75.7 | 57.9 | 96.5 | 77.2 | 76.7 |
| Killdeer | 37 | 35.7 | | 87.9 | 91.3 | 89.6 | |
| HiFi | 31 | 35.2 | | | 102.9 | | |
| Morton | 33 | 34.7 | | | 98.8 | | |
| Trial Mean | 35 | 35.7 | 75.6 | 71.9 | 94.4 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 9.6 | 3.8 | 12.3 | 17.7 | 13.0 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | NS | NS | 14.1 | 18.8 | NS | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 24, 2001 Harvest Date: August 8, 2001
 Seeding rate: 750,000 live seeds/A (approx. 1.7 bu/A).
 Previous Crop: 1999 = HRSW, 2000 = HRWW, 2001 = safflower.
 NS = no statistical difference between varieties.

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Selfridge

| Variety | Plant Height | Test Weight | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | ----- Average Yield ----- | |
|------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------|-------|-------|---------------------------|--------|
| | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 year | 3 year |
| | inches | lbs/bu | -----bu/ac----- | | | | |
| Ebeltoft | 41 | 38.4 | 38.4 | 116.9 | 116.6 | 116.8 | 90.6 |
| Jud | 38 | 36.0 | 35.6 | 96.6 | 137.5 | 117.0 | 89.9 |
| Youngs | 40 | 36.8 | 26.1 | 107.9 | 118.2 | 113.0 | 84.1 |
| Jerry | 39 | 35.3 | 32.0 | 100.0 | 118.9 | 109.4 | 83.6 |
| Killdeer | 42 | 37.5 | | 109.0 | 104.4 | 106.7 | |
| HiFi | 37 | 35.6 | | | 128.5 | | |
| Morton | 41 | 36.6 | | | 111.7 | | |
| Trial Mean | 40 | 36.6 | 30.8 | 99.5 | 119.4 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 6.3 | 4.5 | 43.4 | 7.8 | 17.0 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | NS | NS | NS | 11.5 | NS | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 24, 2001 Harvest Date: August 9, 2001
 Seeding rate: 750,000 live seeds/A (approx. 1.7 bu/A).
 Previous Crop: 1999 = HRSW, 2000 & 2001 = HRWW.
 NS = no statistical difference between varieties.

2001 Oats - Continuously Cropped No-till

Mandan

| Variety | Plant Height | Test Weight | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | ----- Average Yield ----- | |
|------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------|-------|------|---------------------------|--------|
| | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 year | 3 year |
| | inches | lbs/bu | -----bu/ac----- | | | | |
| Ebeltoft | 40 | 36.1 | 99.2 | 110.2 | 84.1 | 97.2 | 97.8 |
| Youngs | 40 | 34.5 | 84.1 | 110.0 | 97.8 | 103.9 | 97.3 |
| Jud | 38 | 35.1 | 91.0 | 97.0 | 81.3 | 89.2 | 89.8 |
| Jerry | 39 | 33.6 | 58.7 | 89.4 | 90.9 | 90.2 | 79.7 |
| Killdeer | 42 | 35.5 | | 121.1 | 89.2 | 105.2 | |
| HiFi | 35 | 33.3 | | | 98.9 | | |
| Morton | 39 | 35.3 | | | 82.2 | | |
| Trial Mean | 39 | 34.8 | 76.3 | 98.8 | 89.2 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 7.9 | 2.7 | 5.9 | 10.4 | 20.8 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | NS | 1.6 | 8.3 | 15.2 | NS | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 24, 2001 Harvest Date: August 9, 2001
 Seeding rate: 750,000 live seeds/A (approx. 1.7 bu/A).
 Previous Crop: 1999 = HRSW, 2000 = rye, 2001 = barley.
 NS = no statistical difference between varieties.

Oat Variety Trial - Perkins County (Bison), 1999-2001

| Variety | Height | Lodging | Test Wt | Yield | Bu/A |
|------------------|--------|---------|---------|-------|------------|
| | Inches | 1-9* | Lb/Bu | 2001 | 3 Year |
| DON | 28 | 5.0 | 40.8 | 76 | 95 |
| EBELTOFT | 30 | 3.3 | 38.4 | 82 | 113 |
| HYTEST | 33 | 4.0 | 44.1 | 62 | 75 |
| JERRY | 34 | 3.0 | 41.2 | 71 | 98 |
| KILLDEER | 30 | 3.5 | 39.2 | 91 | |
| LOYAL | 34 | 5.0 | 39.5 | 78 | 103 |
| | | | | | |
| RICHARD | 34 | 3.8 | 40.1 | 73 | 104 |
| RISER | 30 | 6.3 | 40.6 | 67 | 79 |
| SETTLER | 34 | 8.3 | 39.3 | 66 | 90 |
| TROY | 35 | 5.8 | 39.5 | 69 | 95 |
| YOUNGS | 34 | 4.3 | 39.7 | 77 | 99 |
| | | | | | |
| SD 96024 | 34 | 7.0 | 37.3 | 88 | |
| SD 97525 | 34 | 6.5 | 42.1 | 75 | |
| SD 97039 | 32 | 6.5 | 41.1 | 69 | |
| SD 97250 | 32 | 2.0 | 41.7 | 85 | |
| MN 97239 | 33 | 4.3 | 38.4 | 78 | |
| | | | | | |
| PAUL HULLESS | 34 | 4.3 | 47.9 | 60 | 76 |
| SD 97839 HULLESS | 29 | 2.8 | 43.1 | 65 | |
| | | | | | |
| Average | 32.4 | 4.7 | 40.8 | 74.0 | 93 |
| LSD (P=.05) | 2.8 | 1.3 | 1.0 | 10.5 | 12 |
| CV | 6.1 | 18.9 | 1.7 | 10.1 | 9 |

* 1 = No Lodging, 9 = 100% lodged.

Planted: April 18, 2001

Herbicide: Bronate (16 oz/A)

Harvested: Aug 7, 2001

Additional Nitrogen: 80 Lb/A

Previous crop: Soybeans, No-till planted

Oat Varieties at Wibaux, MT, 2001

| Variety | Grain yield bu/acre | Test weight lb/bushel |
|--------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
| Ebeltoft | 102.5 | 34.7 |
| Otana | 100.4 | 36.2 |
| Brawn | 98.5 | 35.2 |
| AC Medallion | 93.4 | 34.7 |
| Jerry | 85.2 | 39.5 |
| Paul | 80.0 | 40.5 |
| Mean | 93.3 | 36.8 |
| CV% | 12.1 | 8.2 |
| LSD .05 | NS | NS |

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| <p>Oats in the West River Region Combined Means</p> |
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| Variety | Plant Height inches | Test Weight lbs/bu | Grain Yield | | | Average Yield | |
|----------------|------------------------|-----------------------|-------------|-------|-------|---------------|--------|
| | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 year | 3 year |
| Ebeltoft | 37 | 36.3 | 76.9 | 113.7 | 106.7 | 110.2 | 99.1 |
| Jud | 38 | 35.4 | 79.7 | 98.7 | 113.8 | 106.2 | 97.4 |
| Youngs | 39 | 36.0 | 74.5 | 110.1 | 106.9 | 108.5 | 97.2 |
| Jerry | 38 | 36.7 | 77.9 | 90.2 | 101.0 | 95.6 | 89.7 |
| Killdeer | 36 | 35.6 | | 115.0 | 108.8 | 111.9 | |
| HIFi | 36 | 34.2 | | | 116.3 | | |
| Morton | 38 | 36.4 | | | 115.9 | | |
| # of locations | 10 | 11 | 10 | 10 | 11 | 21 | 31 |

Locations: Dickinson, Scranton, Regent, Selfridge, New Leipzig, Mandan, Beulah, Hannover, Glen Ullin, Wibaux MT, and Bison SD.

2001 Hard Red Winter Wheat Variety Descriptions

| Variety | Agent or Origin | Year | Quality | Leaf rust ² | Stem rust ² | Maturity | Straw strength | Height | Winter ¹ hardiness |
|----------------------|-----------------|------|-----------------|------------------------|------------------------|----------|----------------|----------|-------------------------------|
| Roughrider | ND | 1975 | Good | S | R ³ | med. | m. strong | med. | good |
| Norstar | Can. | 1977 | Average | S | S | late | med. | tall | good |
| Rita | SD | 1980 | Average | MS | MR ⁴ | early | strong | med. | fair |
| Rose | SD | 1981 | Poor | S | MS ⁴ | early | v. strong | short | fair |
| Agassiz | ND | 1983 | Average | S | R | med. | med. | med. | good |
| Seward | ND | 1987 | Poor | S | R | med. | m. strong | med. | good |
| Arapahoe | NE | 1989 | Poor | MS | MR | med. | med. | med. | fair |
| CDC Kestrel | Can. | 1994 | Poor | S | S | med. | m. strong | med. | good |
| Elkhorn | ND | 1995 | Average | MR | R ⁵ | med. | med. | med. | good |
| AC Readymade | Can. | 1996 | NA | S | S | med. | strong | med. | good |
| Erhardt | MT | 1996 | NA ⁶ | S | R | med. | strong | med | good |
| McGuire | MT | 1996 | NA | S | R | m. early | strong | m. tall | fair |
| Morgan | WPB | 1996 | NA | NA | NA | med. | m. strong | med. | good. |
| Rampart ⁷ | MT | 1996 | NA | S | R | med. | strong | med. | poor |
| Alliance | NE | 1997 | NA | S | NA | early | strong | short | good |
| Crimson | SD | 1997 | NA | MS | NA | med. | m. strong | med. | NA |
| Nekota | SD/NE | 1997 | NA | MS | NA | early | v. strong | v. short | good |
| Tandem | SD | 1997 | Good | S | NA | early | med. | med. | NA |
| Windstar | NE | 1997 | NA | MS | NA | early | med. | med. | NA |
| Ransom | ND | 1998 | Good | R | NA | m. early | med. | med. | good |
| Culver | NE | 1999 | NA | NA | NA | m. early | m. strong | med. | good |
| Harding | SD | 1999 | NA | MS/MR | NA | med. | m. strong | med. | good |
| Millenium | NE/SD | 1999 | NA | NA | NA | med. | strong | m. short | fair |
| CDC Raptor | Can | | NA | NA | NA | med. | m. strong | m. short | good |
| CDC Falcon | Can/WPB | 2000 | NA | NA | NA | med. | m. strong | short | good |
| Nuplains | NE | 2000 | NA | NA | NA | med. | m. strong | short | fair-poor |
| Wesley | NE/SD/WY | 2000 | NA | NA | NA | m. early | m. strong | short | fair |
| Jerry | ND | 2001 | Good | MR | R | med. | strong | med. | good |

¹ Varieties with less than good winterhardness should be seeded only in tall stubble. ² R = resistant; MR = moderately resistant; MS = moderately susceptible; S = susceptible. ⁴ Susceptible in artificially induced epidemics. ³ Slow rusting type of resistance to race 15. ⁵ Occasionally mixed with some susceptible plants. ⁶ NA = data not available, or data insufficient to give rating. ⁷ Saw fly resistant.

| Variety | Winter Surviv. | Seeds per Pound | Height | Lodging Score | Test Weight | Protein | Grain Yield | | | Average Yield | | |
|-------------|----------------|-----------------|--------|---------------|-------------|---------|-----------------|------|------|---------------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | Returns | 2 Year | 3 Year |
| | % | | in | 0-9 | lbs/bu | % | -----bu/ac----- | | | \$/ac | ----bu/ac---- | |
| Agassiz | 76 | 15,773 | 41 | 4.3 | 58.3 | 14.2 | 71.2 | 73.5 | 51.7 | 107.61 | 62.6 | 65.5 |
| Alliance | 61 | 15,388 | 30 | 2.8 | 55.3 | 12.5 | 61.6 | 75.9 | 32.7 | 63.43 | 54.3 | 56.7 |
| Arapahoe | 76 | 15,684 | 34 | 3.0 | 58.3 | 12.9 | 73.3 | 84.0 | 48.7 | 102.04 | 66.3 | 68.7 |
| CDC Kestrel | 74 | 16,189 | 33 | 3.5 | 56.4 | 12.7 | 81.5 | 77.9 | 48.7 | 96.60 | 63.3 | 69.4 |
| Crimson | 57 | 14,855 | 29 | 2.0 | 58.1 | 14.1 | 71.8 | 79.6 | 34.3 | 71.43 | 56.9 | 61.9 |
| Elkhorn | 75 | 16,924 | 37 | 4.0 | 56.3 | 13.4 | 68.9 | 73.5 | 50.1 | 99.65 | 61.8 | 64.2 |
| Erhardt | 71 | 16,003 | 32 | 1.0 | 57.3 | 14.4 | 66.0 | 72.9 | 43.3 | 89.63 | 58.1 | 60.7 |
| Harding | 74 | 15,246 | 34 | 2.5 | 56.9 | 13.8 | 78.0 | 82.6 | 42.1 | 85.97 | 62.3 | 67.6 |
| Jerry | 68 | 14,163 | 32 | 3.0 | 56.5 | 13.5 | 74.8 | 81.0 | 43.4 | 88.12 | 62.2 | 66.4 |
| Nekota | 68 | 14,127 | 28 | 1.5 | 58.3 | 13.6 | 61.6 | 75.1 | 35.1 | 72.53 | 55.1 | 57.3 |
| Norstar | 84 | 16,176 | 42 | 3.8 | 58.5 | 13.1 | 70.1 | 72.2 | 51.6 | 107.85 | 61.9 | 64.6 |
| Ransom | 80 | 18,587 | 33 | 4.5 | 55.4 | 13.3 | 67.3 | 79.0 | 45.4 | 88.82 | 62.2 | 63.9 |
| Roughrider | 76 | 16,997 | 40 | 5.0 | 58.1 | 14.2 | 59.1 | 70.2 | 46.1 | 96.53 | 58.2 | 58.5 |
| Seward | 76 | 15,987 | 38 | 4.3 | 58.5 | 12.9 | 76.0 | 68.7 | 42.4 | 86.22 | 55.6 | 62.4 |
| Tandem | 56 | 13,738 | 31 | 2.3 | 56.5 | 14.2 | 63.1 | 81.6 | 32.3 | 64.73 | 56.9 | 59.0 |
| Windstar | 71 | 16,483 | 34 | 3.8 | 59.1 | 13.4 | 63.5 | 76.1 | 42.0 | 89.34 | 59.1 | 60.5 |
| Trial Mean | 71 | 15,770 | 34 | 3.2 | 57.3 | 13.5 | 69.2 | 74.8 | 43.1 | 88.16 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 13.2 | 5.9 | 10.3 | 27.8 | 2.2 | -- | 7.5 | 6.2 | 13.9 | -- | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 13 | 1,332 | 5 | 1.3 | 1.8 | -- | 7.3 | 6.5 | 8.6 | -- | -- | -- |

Planting Date: September 18, 2000

Harvest Date: August 7, 2001

Lodging 0 = No lodging, 9 = Completely flat

Returns were calculated by multiplying the 2001 yield by protein premium or discount paid at the Southwest Grain Terminal located at Gladstone on September 17. The price paid on this date was \$2.39/bu, assuming that grain protein concentration was 12%. An additional \$.02/bu was paid for each additional 0.25% increase in grain protein up to 14% protein. Grain was discounted \$0.04/bu for each 0.2% reduction in grain protein from 12% to 10%, below which no additional discount was assigned. Returns factored in discounts for grain with a test weight < 60 lb/bu [-\$0.01/bu per 1 lb/bu between 60 and 58 lb/bu; -\$0.01/bu per 0.5 lb/bu between 58 and 57 lb/bu; -\$0.02/bu per 0.5 lb/bu between 57 and 55 lb/bu; and -\$0.04/bu per 0.5 lb/bu between 55 and 50 lb/bu; and -\$0.06/bu per 0.5 lb/bu between 50 and 46 lb/bu].

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| Variety | Days to Head | Plant Height | Test Weight | Grain Protein | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | Average Yield | |
|-------------|--------------------|-----------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------------|------|------|---------------|-----------|
| | | | | | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2 year | 3 year |
| | | | | | -----bu/ac----- | | | | |
| Morgan | 161 | 36 | 60.0 | 12.6 | 77.1 | 81.7 | 88.0 | 84.8 | 82.3 |
| Ransom | 158 | 35 | 59.4 | 13.4 | 62.3 | 71.8 | 93.3 | 82.6 | 75.8 |
| Arapahoe | 154 | 34 | 59.8 | 14.4 | 61.1 | 74.5 | 91.3 | 82.9 | 75.6 |
| CDC Kestrel | 160 | 37 | 59.0 | 13.0 | 66.5 | 73.0 | 86.9 | 80.0 | 75.5 |
| Jerry | 158 | 36 | 59.6 | 14.3 | 58.4 | 73.7 | 87.4 | 80.6 | 73.2 |
| Erhardt | 158 | 32 | 60.5 | 15.3 | 65.2 | 71.3 | 82.5 | 76.9 | 73.0 |
| Norstar | 161 | 43 | 60.9 | 13.9 | 70.4 | 68.2 | 75.0 | 71.6 | 71.2 |
| Nekota | 151 | 33 | 60.6 | 13.4 | 50.6 | 71.6 | 91.2 | 81.4 | 71.1 |
| Windstar | 155 | 35 | 61.4 | 14.6 | 63.1 | 72.2 | 74.4 | 73.3 | 69.9 |
| Crimson | 159 | 36 | 62.1 | 15.5 | 61.4 | 66.9 | 81.0 | 74.0 | 69.8 |
| Tandem | 153 | 36 | 61.7 | 13.9 | 62.7 | 66.5 | 78.1 | 72.3 | 69.1 |
| Alliance | 151 | 31 | 60.4 | 12.4 | 47.3 | 68.6 | 89.2 | 78.9 | 68.4 |
| Seward | 162 | 41 | 60.8 | 14.2 | 68.0 | 67.3 | 67.3 | 67.3 | 67.5 |
| Roughrider | 159 | 40 | 61.2 | 14.7 | 58.2 | 69.1 | 72.5 | 70.8 | 66.6 |
| Elkhorn | 161 | 40 | 60.6 | 14.5 | 65.4 | 60.6 | 70.4 | 65.5 | 65.5 |
| Agassiz | 160 | 40 | 60.0 | 15.8 | 56.6 | 61.5 | 66.8 | 64.2 | 61.6 |
| Harding | 157 | 34 | 59.4 | 15.3 | | 64.7 | 84.2 | 74.4 | |
| CDC Falcon | 159 | 34 | 60.2 | 13.9 | | | 99.6 | | |
| Daws* | 162 | 33 | 53.7 | 12.6 | | | 74.0 | | |
| Eltan* | 164 | 34 | 53.7 | 12.5 | | | 66.5 | | |
| Trial Mean | 156 | 36 | 60.0 | 14.0 | 58.8 | 70.0 | 80.3 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 0.5 | 6.1 | 0.9 | -- | 14.7 | 14.3 | 7.5 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 1 | 4 | 0.9 | -- | 14.1 | NS | 9.8 | -- | -- |
| LSD .01 | 2 | 5 | 1.2 | -- | 18.8 | NS | 13.1 | -- | -- |

Planting Date: September 13, 1999

Harvest Date: July 27, 2000

Seeding Rate: 1.1 million live seeds/A (approx. 1.6 bu/A).

Previous Crop: Field Pea

No winter kill observed.

NS = no statistical difference between varieties.

*Soft white winter wheat

2002 North Dakota Winter Rye Variety Descriptions

| Variety | Origin | Year Released | Height | Straw Strength | Maturity | Seed Color | Seed Size | Test Weight | Winter hardiness |
|-----------|--------|---------------|--------|-------------------|----------|------------|-----------|-------------|-------------------|
| Dacold | ND | 1989 | med. | good ¹ | v.late | bl-grn. | med. | low | good |
| Prima | Can | 1984 | tall | good | med. | blue | large | med. | v.good |
| Frederick | SD | 1984 | tall | fair | late | tan | med. | high | good |
| Musketeer | Can | 1980 | tall | good | m.early | blue | large | med. | v.good |
| Rymin | MN | 1973 | tall | v.good | late | grn-gray | large | high | fair ² |

1 Under certain environments lodging has been observed.

2 Varieties with fair winter hardiness should not be seeded on bare soil.

Winter Rye - Recrop

Dickinson, ND

| Variety | Days to Head | Winter Survival | Seeds per Pound | Plant Height | Lodging Score | Test Weight | Grain Yield | | | Average Yield | |
|------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------|---------------|-------------|-----------------|-------|------|---------------|--------|
| | | | | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 Year | 3 Year |
| | fr 1/1 | | | in | | lbs/bu | -----bu/ac----- | | | | |
| AC Rifle | 157 | 99 | 19,607 | 33 | 1.0 | 49.9 | 69.6 | 65.9 | 70.0 | 68.0 | 68.5 |
| Dacold | 160 | 94 | 18,787 | 40 | 2.3 | 48.3 | 88.8 | 102.1 | 77.4 | 89.8 | 89.5 |
| Musketeer | 155 | 95 | 17,024 | 45 | 2.0 | 52.5 | -- | 76.5 | 83.8 | 80.1 | -- |
| Prima | 157 | 91 | 16,817 | 40 | 1.3 | 51.1 | 72.5 | 74.9 | 79.6 | 77.3 | 75.7 |
| Warko | 157 | 94 | 17,185 | 43 | 1.0 | 52.3 | -- | -- | 80.3 | -- | -- |
| Trial Mean | 157 | 95 | 17,884 | 40 | 1.5 | 50.8 | 78.1 | 79.9 | 78.2 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 0.1 | 2.7 | 5.7 | 9.9 | 18.3 | 1.4 | 5.1 | 5.3 | 3.6 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 0 | 4 | 1,567 | 6 | 0.4 | 1.1 | 6.3 | 6.8 | 4.3 | -- | -- |

Planting Date: September 18, 2000

Harvest Date: August 7, 2001

Lodging 0 = No lodging, 9 = Completely flat

2001 Confection Sunflower - Continuously Cropped No-till

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| Brand | Hybrid | Yield | Test weight | Days to mature | Plant height | Seed over Screen | | |
|-----------------|--------|--------|-------------|----------------|--------------|------------------|-------|-------|
| | | | | | | 22/64 | 20/64 | 18/64 |
| | | lbs/ac | lbs/bu | days | inches | % | | |
| Red River Com. | 2213 | 1721 | 27.4 | 111 | 55 | 8.3 | 50.8 | 40.9 |
| Red River Com. | 2413 | 1266 | 26.9 | 114 | 54 | 8.7 | 54.6 | 36.7 |
| Red River Com. | 2582 | 1050 | 27.1 | 114 | 49 | 7.9 | 50.2 | 41.9 |
| Interstate Seed | IS8048 | 1272 | 27.1 | 113 | 51 | 11.7 | 56.0 | 32.3 |
| Interstate Seed | F89008 | 1173 | 27.0 | 112 | 56 | 5.5 | 49.6 | 44.9 |
| Proseed | C9802 | 1581 | 28.1 | 110 | 54 | 3.4 | 42.1 | 54.5 |
| USDA Check | 924 | 1219 | 26.6 | 113 | 54 | 10.3 | 54.7 | 35.0 |
| Trial Mean | | 1326 | 27.2 | 112 | 53 | 8.0 | 51.1 | 40.9 |
| C.V. % | | 13.3 | 3.0 | 0.8 | 4.3 | 43.4 | 12.4 | 20.3 |
| LSD .05 | | 261 | NS | 1 | 3 | 5.1 | NS | 12.3 |
| LSD .01 | | 358 | NS | 2 | 5 | NS | NS | NS |

Planting date: June 8, 2001 Harvest date: October 19, 2001
 Seeding rate: 20,000 seeds/acre, thinned to 18,000 plants/acre.
 Row spacing: 28" Previous crop: HRSW
 NS = no statistical difference between hybrids.

2001 Crambe - Continuously Cropped No-till

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| Variety | Oil | Test Weight | Yield | | | Avg. Yield* | |
|------------|------|-------------|--------|------|------|-------------|--------|
| | | | 1998 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 Year | 3 Year |
| | % | lbs/bu | lbs/ac | | | | |
| Belann | 32.1 | 27.8 | 1876 | 1953 | 1260 | 1914 | 2261 |
| Meyer | 31.4 | 26.7 | 1325 | 1987 | 1180 | 1656 | 1828 |
| Carmen | 33.4 | 27.4 | | 1640 | 1165 | | |
| Trial Mean | 34.4 | 27.5 | 1337 | 2038 | 1213 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 9.6 | 5.4 | 15.7 | 12.7 | 17.5 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | NS | NS | 347 | NS | NS | -- | -- |

*2 and 3 year average yields do not include 2001 data.
 Planting Date: May 2, 2001 Harvest Date: August 13, 2001
 Seeding Rate: 20 lbs/ac.
 Previous Crop: 1998 = Durum, 2000 = Field pea, 2001 = soybean.
 NS = no statistical difference between varieties.
 Notes: The 2001 trial sustained moderate hail damage on June 18.

2002 North Dakota Flax Variety Descriptions

| Variety ¹ | Origin | Year Released | Relative Maturity ² | Seed Color ³ | Plant Height | Wilt | Relative Yield |
|----------------------|--------|---------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------|------|----------------|
| NorLin | Can. | 1982 | early | br. | med. | MS | good |
| AC-Watson | Can. | 1996 | early | br. | short | MR | v.good |
| CDC-Valour | Can. | 1996 | early | br. | short | MR | v.good |
| Linton | ND | 1985 | early | br. | med. | R | v.good |
| Prompt | SD | 1988 | early | br. | med. | MR | good |
| AC-Emerson | Can. | 1994 | mid. | br. | med. | VR | v.good |
| CDC-Normandy | Can. | 1995 | mid. | br. | short | MR | v.good |
| Cathay | ND | 1998 | mid | br. | med | MR | v. good |
| Pembina | ND | 1998 | mid | br. | med | MR | v. good |
| Nече | ND | 1988 | mid | br. | med. | R | good |
| Omega | ND | 1989 | mid | yel. | med. | MS | v.good |
| NorMan | Can. | 1984 | mid | br. | med. | MR | good |
| Rahab 94 | SD | 1994 | mid | br. | med. | MR | good |
| CDC Arras | Can. | 1999 | mid. | br. | med. | MR | v.good |
| CDC Bethume | Can. | 1999 | mid./late | br. | med. tall | MR | v.good |
| AC Carnduff | Can. | 1998 | mid/late | br. | med. tall | MR | v.good |
| Flanders | Can. | 1989 | late | br. | med. | MS | good |
| Webster | SD | 1998 | late | br | tall | MR | v. good |
| McDuff | Can. | 1993 | late | br. | med.tall | MR | v.good |
| AC Linora | Can. | 1993 | late | br. | tall | R | v.good |
| McGregor | Can. | 1980 | late | br. | tall | R | v.good |
| Shelby | SD | 2000 | late | br | tall | MR | good |

¹ All varieties have resistance to prevalent races of rust; all have good oil yield and oil quality.

² Varieties listed order of maturity.

³ br = brown, yel = yellow.

2001 Flax

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| Variety | Test Weight lbs/bu | Grain Yield | | | Average Yield | |
|--------------|-----------------------|-------------|------|------|---------------|--------|
| | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 Year | 3 Year |
| | | bu/ac | | | | |
| CDC Bethume | 55.1 | 36.9 | 31.4 | 32.0 | 31.7 | 33.4 |
| CDC Arras | 55.0 | 35.8 | 28.4 | 31.4 | 29.9 | 31.9 |
| Webster | 55.9 | 34.7 | 29.5 | 29.0 | 29.2 | 31.1 |
| CDC Carnduff | 55.4 | 34.4 | 28.5 | 28.9 | 28.7 | 30.6 |
| CDC Normandy | 56.0 | 34.0 | 27.6 | 30.3 | 29.0 | 30.6 |
| AC Watson | 54.8 | 33.3 | 27.6 | 29.0 | 28.3 | 30.0 |
| Pembina | 55.5 | 35.7 | 26.6 | 26.6 | 26.6 | 29.6 |
| Rahab 94 | 55.8 | 33.5 | 27.6 | 26.7 | 27.2 | 29.3 |
| Norlin | 56.0 | 30.4 | 27.5 | 30.1 | 28.8 | 29.3 |
| AC Linora | 55.6 | 30.1 | 27.5 | 27.6 | 27.6 | 28.4 |
| Prompt | 55.8 | 30.8 | 25.9 | 26.6 | 26.2 | 27.8 |
| AC Emerson | 55.5 | 31.4 | 24.3 | 27.4 | 25.8 | 27.7 |
| Cathay | 55.2 | 30.4 | 24.1 | 28.6 | 26.4 | 27.7 |
| Neché | 55.6 | 27.3 | 27.5 | 27.9 | 27.7 | 27.6 |
| Omega | 55.2 | 30.4 | 23.9 | 25.3 | 24.6 | 26.5 |
| Shelby | 55.9 | | 27.4 | 29.8 | 28.6 | |
| Flanders | 55.6 | | | 32.3 | | |
| McDuff | 55.6 | | | 27.7 | | |
| N9606 | 55.8 | | | 34.6 | | |
| N9719 | 55.8 | | | 25.0 | | |
| Trial Mean | 55.6 | 32.9 | 27.2 | 28.8 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 0.5 | 12.8 | 5.3 | 8.5 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 0.4 | NS | 2.0 | 3.5 | -- | -- |
| LSD .01 | 0.5 | NS | 2.7 | 4.6 | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 18, 2001

Harvest Date: August 24, 2001

Seeding rate: 32 lbs/Acre

Previous crop: 1999 = HRSW, 2000 = soybean, 2001 = fallow.

NS = no statistical difference between varieties.

Note: The 2001 trial sustained minor hail damage on June 18.

2001 Oil Type Sunflower - Continuously Cropped No-till

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| Brand | Hybrid | Days to Mature | Plant Height | Test Weight | Oil Content | Yield | | | Avg. Yield | |
|--------------|------------|----------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|--------|------|------|------------|------|
| | | | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 | 3 |
| | | days | inches | lbs/bu | % | lbs/ac | | | | |
| Croplan Gen. | 322* | 108 | 49 | 33.0 | 39.4 | | | 1857 | | |
| Croplan Gen. | 345* | 109 | 51 | 32.6 | 38.8 | | 1654 | 1256 | 1455 | |
| Dekalb | DKF29-90 | 107 | 55 | 34.8 | 42.6 | | 2205 | 1929 | 2067 | |
| Dekalb | DKF31-01* | 110 | 55 | 35.5 | 35.9 | | 2024 | 1628 | 1826 | |
| Dekalb | DKF36-40* | 110 | 55 | 35.2 | 35.8 | | 1605 | 1628 | 1616 | |
| Dekalb | EX3804* | 106 | 50 | 33.6 | 34.9 | | | 1797 | | |
| Dekalb | DK3868 | 108 | 52 | 34.6 | 41.9 | 1784 | 2394 | 2139 | 2266 | 2106 |
| Dekalb | DK3875 | 108 | 52 | 34.0 | 40.8 | 2088 | 3029 | 3293 | 3161 | 2803 |
| Interstate | IS4049 | 111 | 58 | 33.4 | 40.1 | | 1668 | 2686 | 2177 | |
| Interstate | Hysun 450* | 112 | 53 | 30.8 | 40.2 | | | 2434 | | |
| Interstate | IS5030 | 106 | 49 | 32.2 | 40.4 | | | 1586 | | |
| Interstate | Hysun 521* | 107 | 46 | 33.6 | 39.3 | | | 2049 | | |
| Interstate | Hysun 530* | 108 | 47 | 33.1 | 39.4 | | | 1821 | | |
| Interstate | IS5331 | 112 | 42 | 32.8 | 41.1 | | | 1538 | | |
| Interstate | IS6039 | 108 | 52 | 33.2 | 42.3 | 1050 | 2031 | 2097 | 2064 | 1726 |
| Interstate | IS6521 | 108 | 46 | 33.7 | 40.7 | | 2401 | 2043 | 2222 | |
| Interstate | F84021 | 109 | 52 | 33.6 | 40.7 | | | 2548 | | |
| Kaystar | 8300 | 104 | 49 | 31.6 | 42.3 | 837 | 1898 | 1568 | 1733 | 1434 |
| Kaystar | 9404 | 110 | 53 | 33.5 | 38.8 | | 2317 | 2289 | 2303 | |
| Mycogen | SF187 | 110 | 48 | 31.5 | 40.6 | | | 2548 | | |
| Mycogen | SF260 | 108 | 54 | 32.8 | 41.3 | | | 2476 | | |
| Mycogen | SF290 | 108 | 48 | 31.2 | 42.1 | | | 2404 | | |
| Mycogen | 8377NS* | 112 | 53 | 32.8 | 38.7 | | 1738 | 1238 | 1488 | |
| Mycogen | 8488NS* | 111 | 52 | 33.7 | 38.9 | | 1891 | 1845 | 1868 | |
| Mycogen | Cavalry | 111 | 60 | 34.0 | 40.2 | | 2345 | 1887 | 2116 | |
| NK | 278 | 109 | 49 | 31.9 | 42.5 | | | 2518 | | |

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2001 Oil Type Sunflower - continued

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| Brand | Hybrid | Days to Mature | Plant Height | Test Weight | Oil Content | Yield | | | Avg. Yield | |
|---------------|-----------|----------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|--------|------|------|------------|--------|
| | | | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 Year | 3 Year |
| | | days | inches | lbs/bu | % | lbs/ac | | | | |
| NK | T46-R9 | 109 | 55 | 32.0 | 38.0 | | | 2133 | | |
| Proseed | 9612 | 113 | 54 | 33.4 | 34.1 | | 1856 | 1803 | 1830 | |
| Seeds 2000 | Bronco* | 110 | 51 | 30.9 | 38.9 | 1749 | 2205 | 2025 | 2115 | 1993 |
| Seeds 2000 | Maverick* | 110 | 46 | 32.2 | 37.4 | 941 | 1766 | 1677 | 1722 | 1461 |
| Seeds 2000 | Ranger* | 110 | 47 | 32.7 | 39.1 | | | 1923 | | |
| E. Mat. check | Hysun 311 | 104 | | | | | | | | |
| M. Mat. check | C270 | 109 | | | | | | | | |
| L. Mat. check | P6451 | 112 | | | | | | | | |
| Oil check | USDA 894 | | | | 38.3 | | | | | |
| Trial Mean | | 109 | 51 | 33.0 | 39.7 | 1233 | 1950 | 2002 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | | 1.5 | 5.6 | 2.5 | 3.3 | 20.3 | 14.0 | 12.6 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | | 2 | 4 | 1.1 | 1.8 | 349 | 442 | 356 | -- | -- |
| LSD .01 | | 3 | 5 | 1.5 | 2.4 | 461 | 587 | 469 | -- | -- |

* Nusun

Planting date: June 8, 2001

Harvest date: October 19, 2001

Seeding rate: 21,000 seeds/acre, thinned to 18,000 plants/acre.

Row spacing: 28"

Previous crop: HRSW

Yields and oil content are adjusted to 10% moisture. Oil content has been adjusted for nusun types.

Notes: The 1999 crop sustained moderate hail damage.



Sunflower Date of Planting Study in Western North Dakota, 2001

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Summary: An early-season NuSun sunflower (*Helianthus annuus* L. c.v. Mycogen 8242 NS) cultivar was planted on five different dates in an on-farm research trial in southwest North Dakota. Cold soil temperatures reduced plant stands for the first two planting dates at the Bowman, ND site. Downey mildew reduced plant stands in the fourth planting date. Seed yield and seed oil content were significantly greater for the fifth planting date compared to the previous four planting dates. However, Oleic fatty acid content of oil produced by the fifth planting date was the lowest of the planting dates in this study. Oleic fatty acid content of this last planting date was less than the minimum required by processors.

Materials and Methods: A site was selected in southwest North Dakota for the third and final year of this study. This site was on the Miles Hansen Farm located near Bowman, ND. A randomized complete block design with four replications for each seeding date was used. Size of the plots was 40 feet by 1875 feet. The soil was sampled and analyzed in the fall, 2000, and fertilized according to soil test results for a 1500 to 2000 pound per acre yield. Anhydrous ammonia was used as the source of nitrogen and applied at the time of seeding using Anderson openers on a no-till drill. Additional nitrogen, phosphorous, potassium, and a micronutrient mix were applied through the drill at seeding time.

Stored soil moisture was estimated at the first planting date using the Brown soil moisture probe. Stored soil moisture at this site was estimated to be 4.4 inches. Precipitation was measured with an automated self-tipping bucket as well as at the farmstead. Heat units were calculated from the North Dakota Agricultural Weather Network site near Bowman, ND.

Roundup Ultra at the rate of 16 oz per acre + spray grade ammonium sulfate at the rate of 16 pounds per 100 gallons of solution was tank mixed with Spartan (sulfentrazone) herbicide at the rate of 3.5 oz per acre, and applied preplant. Rainfall and soil disturbance from the seeding operation were the only factors that incorporated Spartan. Poast (sethoxydim) was applied post-emergence at the rate of one pint per acre for grassy weed control. The first and second planting dates required a second application of Poast after above average rainfall occurred in June.

The NuSun sunflower cultivar 8242 NS was planted with a 40-foot Concord air drill with low disturbance Anderson points. The seeding rate was adjusted for a final harvest population of 23,000 plants per acre at Bowman. Seed rate was increase 15% for the first planting date and 10% increase for the second planting date over the planting rates used for the remaining three planting dates.

Fields were scouted on a regular basis for stage of crop development, pests, and beneficial insects. Birdshield, a chemical protect ant was used to prevent damage from black birds.

The center 30 feet of each plot was harvested using producer equipment and seed weight taken for each plot using a digital weigh scale at the farmstead. Dr. Jerry Miller, ARS, NDSU, Fargo, ND analyzed seed for oil content using Nuclear magnetic Resonance (NMR) and fatty acid profile using gas-liquid chromatography (GLC).

Results and Discussion: June was cooler and wetter than normal while August and September were warmer than normal. More favorable weather occurred during development of plants with a seeding date of June 20. Seed yield for the third planting date (Table 1) was significantly greater than seed yield for the first two planting dates. Seed yield for the fifth planting date, June 20, was

highest for this trial this year. Also seed oil content, test weight, and pounds of oil produced per acre was highest for the fifth planting date. Oleic fatty acid content was lowest for the fifth planting date – so low that it was less than the minimum acceptable content required by processors. Oleic fatty acid content was greater than 50 percent for all remaining planting dates in 2001. In 1999 the first and last planting dates at this site produced the lowest oleic content while in 2000 oleic content was lowest in the first date.

Implications: In a year where rainfall and temperature patterns favor late planted sunflower yields can be expected to be greatest for late seeded sunflower. However planting dates that occur from mid May to early June may be more consistent in producing yield and quality. A combined analysis of all three years will be completed and that information made available to producers.

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Table 1. Harvest plant population, grain yield, test weight, oil content, and pounds of oil produced per acre in the Sunflower Date of Seeding Study on the Miles Hansen Farm, Bowman, ND, 2001.

| Date | Plant population no. | Seed ¹ yield lb/ac | Test ¹ weight lb/bu | Seed oil content % | Oil produced lb/ac | -----Fatty acids ----- | | | |
|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|---------|-------|----------|
| | | | | | | Palmitic | Stearic | Oleic | Linoleic |
| | | | | | | ----- % ----- | | | |
| 25 Apr | 16008 | 1116.2 | 28.7 | 40.8 | 455.0 | 5.00 | 3.94 | 60.63 | 28.96 |
| 9 May | 16117 | 1137.1 | 28.7 | 39.1 | 445.3 | 4.44 | 4.27 | 74.25 | 15.03 |
| 23 May | 20364 | 1398.3 | 28.1 | 41.7 | 583.1 | 4.44 | 4.29 | 70.95 | 18.32 |
| 7 Jun | 19058 | 1324.4 | 29.7 | 42.5 | 562.5 | 4.57 | 4.20 | 63.28 | 26.00 |
| 20 Jun | 20909 | 1581.3 | 30.1 | 44.5 | 703.0 | 4.91 | 4.82 | 41.96 | 46.75 |
| Mean | 18491 | 1311.5 | 29.1 | 41.7 | 549.8 | | | | |
| CV% | 8.7 | 6.3 | 3.1 | 1.6 | 7.0 | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| LSD _{.05} | 2473 | 128.3 | 1.4 | 1.1 | 59.7 | -- | -- | -- | -- |

1 Adjusted to 10% moisture basis.

| Variety | Type | Days to Flower | Flower Duration | Seeds per Pound | Plant Height | Protein | Test Weight | Grain Yield | | 2 Year Average |
|------------|------|----------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|---------|----------------|------------------|-------|----------------------|
| | | | | | | | | 1999 | 2001 | |
| | | | | | | | | -----lbs/ac----- | | lbs/ac |
| | | | | | | in | % | lbs/bu | | |
| B-90 | K | 64 | 13 | 1,556 | 17 | 24.5 | 60.3 | -- | 1,894 | -- |
| CA 97831 | K | 63 | 13 | 898 | 18 | 23.6 | 60.0 | -- | 1,283 | -- |
| CDC Yuma | K | 62 | 15 | 957 | 18 | 24.2 | 60.3 | -- | 1,847 | -- |
| Dwelley | K | 64 | 12 | 1,078 | 18 | 23.6 | 60.0 | 683 | 998 | 840 |
| Myles | D | 61 | 14 | 2,320 | 15 | 24.4 | 57.1 | 716 | 2,368 | 1,542 |
| Sanford | K | 63 | 13 | 1,342 | 20 | 24.2 | 60.6 | 937 | 843 | 890 |
| Trial Mean | -- | 63 | 13 | 1,359 | 18 | 24.1 | 59.7 | 882 | 1,539 | -- |
| C.V. % | -- | 1.6 | 7.2 | 9.6 | 10.8 | 1.5 | 2.2 | 19.0 | 23.5 | -- |
| LSD .05 | -- | 2 | 1 | 197 | 3 | 0.6 | 2.0 | NS | NS | -- |

Planting Date: April 25

Harvest Date: September 24

Type: K = Kabuli, D = Desi

2001 Chickpea - Continuously Cropped No-till

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| Variety | Dis * | Plant Height | 1000 Kernel wt. | Test Weight | Yield | | | |
|----------------------|-------|--------------|-----------------|-------------|--------|------|------|------|
| | | | | | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 |
| | 0-9 | inches | grams | lbs/bu | lbs/ac | | | |
| Kabuli: | | | | | | | | |
| Sanford | 8.8 | -- | 90 | -- | 1607 | 1860 | 267 | 113 |
| Dwellely | 8.8 | -- | 82 | -- | 1427 | 1533 | 0 | 80 |
| CDC Yuma | 3.8 | 20 | 239 | 61.8 | | 1773 | 587 | 1387 |
| Evans | 9.0 | -- | 104 | -- | | 1620 | 0 | 80 |
| CDC Xena | 8.5 | -- | 120 | -- | | | 0 | 200 |
| CA9783152C | 5.7 | -- | 118 | -- | | | 0 | 187 |
| CA9783165C | 7.0 | -- | 84 | -- | | | 187 | 60 |
| Small Kabuli: | | | | | | | | |
| B-90 | 2.0 | 15 | 230 | 64.8 | | 2380 | 1627 | 2400 |
| CDC Chico | 3.8 | 17 | 153 | 60.4 | | 2307 | 787 | 1313 |
| Green Kabuli: | | | | | | | | |
| CDC Verano | 4.2 | -- | 76 | -- | | | 0 | 167 |
| Desi: | | | | | | | | |
| Myles | 2.8 | 14 | 146 | 60.9 | 2047 | 2667 | 1860 | 1860 |
| CDC Desiray | 3.0 | 13 | 136 | 61.0 | | | 1553 | 1773 |
| CDC Anna | 2.2 | 16 | 152 | 63.6 | | | | 2507 |
| Large Desi: | | | | | | | | |
| CDC Nika | 2.5 | 18 | 228 | 62.8 | | | | 2040 |
| Trial Mean | 5.1 | 16 | 140 | 62.2 | 1693 | 2026 | 1215 | 1011 |
| C.V. % | 13.0 | 4.7 | 12.4 | 1.7 | 9.3 | 17.9 | 28.6 | 17.7 |
| LSD .05 | 1.0 | 1 | 25 | 1.6 | 246 | 531 | 531 | 255 |
| LSD .01 | 1.3 | 2 | 33 | 2.2 | 347 | 720 | 740 | 342 |

Planting Date: April 25, 2001

Harvest Date: September 6, 2001

Previous Crop: 1998 - 2000 = Field pea, 2001 = Barley.

**Ascochyta* Disease Rating: 0 = disease free, 9 = dead plants.

Notes: 2000 & 2001 trials had severe ascochyta infestations.

The 2001 trial sustained moderate hail damage on June 18.

| Variety | Days to Flower | Flower Duration | Seeds per Pound | Plant Height | Protein | Test Weight | Grain Yield | | Returns | 2 Year Average |
|---------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------|---------|-------------|----------------|-------|---------|----------------|
| | | | | | | | 1999 | 2001 | | |
| | | | | in | % | lbs/bu | ----lbs/ac---- | \$/ac | lbs/ac | |
| CDC Glamis | 62 | 18 | 7,435 | 14.0 | 24.4 | 60.3 | -- | 895 | 80.59 | -- |
| CDC Grandora | 63 | 17 | 6,474 | 16.2 | 24.6 | 59.9 | -- | 933 | 83.93 | -- |
| CDC Milestone | 59 | 16 | 12,825 | 10.9 | 23.1 | 62.1 | 1,015 | 1,290 | 116.14 | 1,153 |
| CDC Richlea | 61 | 14 | 8,872 | 12.7 | 22.0 | 61.4 | 851 | 1,373 | 123.56 | 1,112 |
| CDC Sovereign | 61 | 15 | 6,973 | 15.1 | 25.1 | 60.6 | -- | 1,151 | 103.63 | -- |
| CDC Vantage | 60 | 15 | 9,243 | 12.1 | 24.1 | 61.4 | 958 | 1,058 | 95.21 | 1,008 |
| Crimson | 60 | 14 | 13,189 | 10.8 | 24.1 | 63.0 | 877 | 1,342 | 120.76 | 1,109 |
| Laird | 63 | 16 | 6,529 | 13.3 | 24.3 | 59.5 | -- | 955 | 85.96 | -- |
| Trial Mean | 61 | 16 | 8,943 | 13.0 | 24.0 | 61.0 | 925 | 1,125 | 101.22 | -- |
| C.V. % | 0.7 | 7.7 | 3.0 | 13.5 | 3.5 | 0.9 | 12.4 | 19.1 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 1 | 2 | 400 | 2.6 | 1.2 | 0.8 | NS | NS | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 25

Harvest Date: August 13 (Crimson, CDC Vantage, CDC Milestone, CDC Richlea) August 31 (CDC Glamis, CDC Grandora, CDC Sovereign, Laird)

Returns calculated using a market value of \$9.00/cwt

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| 2001 Lentils - Continuously Cropped No-till | Hettinger |
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| Variety | Harvest Height | 250 Kernel wt. | Test Weight | Yield | | | Average Yield | |
|---------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|--------|------|------|---------------|-----------|
| | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | * 2 year | ** 3 year |
| | inches | grams | lbs/bu | lbs/ac | | | | |
| CDC Richela | 11 | 12.6 | 57.1 | 1160 | 680 | 1587 | 1374 | 1700 |
| Crimson | 9 | 9.6 | 58.0 | 1113 | 800 | 933 | 1023 | 1535 |
| Laird | 12 | 15.2 | 55.8 | 673 | 140 | 947 | 810 | 1167 |
| CDC Milestone | 11 | 9.4 | 58.0 | 1220 | 740 | 1547 | 1384 | |
| CDC Vantage | 10 | 12.5 | 56.4 | 1248 | 800 | 1120 | 1184 | |
| CDC Glamis | 10 | 14.8 | 56.8 | 587 | 173 | 733 | 660 | |
| CDC Sovereign | 11 | 14.0 | 55.8 | | | 1493 | | |
| CDC Grandora | 13 | 15.0 | 55.2 | | | 733 | | |
| Trial Mean | 11 | 12.9 | 56.8 | 1017 | 524 | 1137 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 15.1 | 8.0 | 3.4 | 20.9 | 29.2 | 9.1 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | NS | 1.5 | NS | 311 | 225 | 245 | -- | -- |
| LSD .01 | NS | 2.1 | NS | 422 | 307 | 363 | -- | -- |

*2 year average yield (1999 and 2001).
 **3 year average yield (1998, 99 & 2001).
 Planting Date: April 19, 2001
 Harvest Date: September 6, 2001
 Seeding Rate: 550,000 live seed/acre.
 Previous Crop: 1999 = HRSW, 2000 = Field pea, 2001 = Barley.
 NS = no statistical difference between varieties.
 Notes: The 2000 trial had moderate disease (ascochyta) injury.
 The 2001 trial sustained moderate hail damage on June 18.

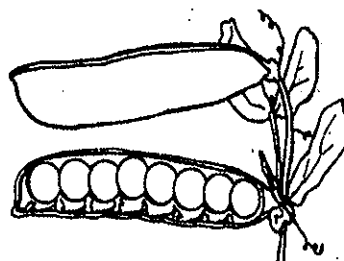
| Variety | Type | Days to Flower | Flower Duration | Seeds per Pound | Plant Height | Lodging Score | Protein % | Test Weight lbs/bu | Grain Yield | | | 2 Year Average bu/ac |
|------------|------|----------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|------------------|-------------------------------|
| | | | | | | | | | 2000 bu/ac | 2001 bu/ac | Returns \$/ac | |
| Atomic | G | 61 | 10 | 1,584 | 20 | 2 | 26.0 | 64.5 | 37.0 | 47.9 | 95.77 | 42.4 |
| Carneval | Y | 60 | 11 | 1,949 | 25 | 3 | 26.0 | 64.6 | 40.9 | 50.5 | 101.07 | 45.7 |
| Integra | Y | 59 | 12 | 1,733 | 22 | 3 | 28.7 | 64.0 | -- | 42.4 | 84.75 | -- |
| Majoret | G | 60 | 11 | 1,787 | 23 | 4 | 28.5 | 65.0 | 43.9 | 47.4 | 94.85 | 45.7 |
| Marble | G | 60 | 11 | 1,653 | 21 | 2 | 27.2 | 64.1 | -- | 50.4 | 100.71 | -- |
| Scuba | G | 59 | 12 | 1,896 | 21 | 4 | 25.5 | 64.4 | -- | 44.9 | 89.85 | -- |
| Trapper | Y | 63 | -- | 3,781 | 30 | 7 | 30.9 | 63.6 | 44.0 | 34.1 | 68.15 | 39.0 |
| Trial Mean | -- | 60 | 11 | 2,055 | 23 | 4 | 27.6 | 64.3 | 43.2 | 45.4 | 90.74 | -- |
| C.V. % | -- | 1.0 | 5.2 | 5.4 | 14.8 | 31.4 | 1.8 | 0.6 | 8.6 | 7.4 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | -- | 1 | 1 | 164 | 5 | 2 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 5.4 | 5.0 | -- | -- |

Planting Date: April 25

Harvest Date: July 31 (Atomic, Carneval, Integra, Majoret, Marble, Scuba) August 7 (Trapper)

Type: Y=Yellow, G=Green

Returns calculated using market value of \$2.00/bu



2001 Field Pea Variety Trial - Continuously Cropped No-till

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| Variety | Seed Type | Test Weight | 1000 Kernel Weight | Yield | | | Average Yield* | |
|------------|-----------|-------------|--------------------|-------|------|------|----------------|--------|
| | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 year | 3 year |
| | ** | lbs/bu | grams | bu/ac | | | | |
| Atomic | G | 63.6 | 250 | 65.7 | 47.0 | 45.4 | 56.4 | 57.2 |
| Majoret | G | 64.0 | 209 | 55.1 | 35.1 | 42.3 | 45.1 | 50.3 |
| Carneval | Y | 63.6 | 191 | 56.2 | 30.2 | 48.4 | 43.2 | 47.3 |
| Toledo | G | 62.6 | 216 | 59.9 | 36.8 | 48.1 | 48.4 | |
| Trapper | Y | 64.6 | 114 | 32.2 | 12.0 | 50.9 | 22.1 | |
| Integra | Y | 63.1 | 224 | | 38.8 | 43.4 | | |
| CEB 1171 | G | 63.0 | 266 | | | 50.3 | | |
| CEB 1475 | Y | 64.3 | 231 | | | 44.3 | | |
| Scuba | G | 62.9 | 180 | | | 35.2 | | |
| Trial Mean | | 63.6 | 209 | 58.8 | 35.3 | 45.4 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | | 0.4 | 6.9 | 10.1 | 11.4 | 7.5 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | | 0.4 | 21 | 8.6 | 5.7 | 5.0 | -- | -- |
| LSD .01 | | 0.5 | 28 | 11.6 | 7.7 | 6.8 | -- | -- |

*Average Yield: 2 year = 1999 & 2000, 3 year = 1998, 1999 & 2000.

**Seed Type: Y = Yellow, G = Green.

Seeding Rate: 250,000 live seeds/acre.

Planting Date: April 20, 2000

Harvest Date: August 1, 2000

Previous Crop: 1999 = HRSW, 2000 = Field Pea, 2001 = Barley.

Note: The 2001 trial sustained severe hail damage on June 18.

2001 Field Pea Seed Treatment Trial

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| Treatment | Rate | Grain Yield | Test Weight | 1000 KWT |
|----------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|----------|
| Product | oz/cwt | bu/A | lbs/bu | grams |
| Captan 400 + Allegiance FL | 2.5 + 0.2 | 32.7 | 63.1 | 214 |
| Maxim 4FS + Apron XL | 0.12 + 0.48 | 33.1 | 63.2 | 221 |
| Thiram 42-S | 3.0 | 34.4 | 63.1 | 223 |
| TJ1300 | | 31.7 | 63.2 | 224 |
| TJ1300BM | | 34.7 | 63.2 | 216 |
| Untreated | | 34.2 | 63.2 | 213 |
| Trial mean | | 33.5 | 63.2 | 218 |
| C.V. % | | 5.1 | 0.2 | 7.6 |
| LSD .05 | | NS | NS | NS |

Variety: Integra Planting Date: May 2 Harvest Date: August 24

Seeding rate: 300,000 pls/A

Previous crop: Barley

NS = no statistical difference between treatments.

Note: The trial sustained severe hail damage on June 18.

2001 Dry Edible Beans - Continuously Cropped No-till

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| Variety | Days to Bloom | Plant Ht. inches | Yield | | | Average Yield | |
|-------------------------|---------------|---------------------|--------|------|------|---------------|--------|
| | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 Year | 3 Year |
| | | | lbs/ac | | | | |
| Pinto: | | | | | | | |
| Othello | 70 | 13 | 910 | 1575 | 1558 | 1566 | 1348 |
| Maverick | 68 | 12 | 712 | 1517 | 1138 | 1324 | 1122 |
| Topaz | 71 | 11 | | 1435 | 922 | 1178 | |
| Winchester | 68 | 15 | | 1353 | 805 | 1079 | |
| Montrose | 74 | 9 | | | 1569 | | |
| CO75511 | 72 | 13 | | | 1138 | | |
| Navy: | | | | | | | |
| Mayflower | 74 | 19 | 916 | 996 | 887 | 942 | 933 |
| Norstar | 69 | 12 | 945 | 1338 | 508 | 923 | 930 |
| Arthur | 73 | 15 | | 1167 | 391 | 779 | |
| Dark Red Kidney: | | | | | | | |
| Redhawk | 69 | 12 | | | 601 | | |
| Montcalm | 70 | 13 | | | 449 | | |
| Black: | | | | | | | |
| T-39 | 74 | 13 | | | 852 | | |
| Jaguar | 74 | 16 | | | 712 | | |
| Great Northern: | | | | | | | |
| Matterhorn | 67 | 14 | | | 1313 | | |
| Trial Mean | 71 | 14 | -- | -- | 917 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 2.8 | 14.9 | -- | -- | 9.9 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 3 | 3 | -- | -- | 130 | -- | -- |
| LSD .01 | 4 | 4 | -- | -- | 174 | -- | -- |

Planting Date: May 10, 2001

Harvest Date: October 9, 2001

Previous crop: 1999 & 2000 = HRSW, 2001 = Barley.

Notes: The 2001 trial sustained moderate hail damage on June 18.

Soybean Production Trial at Hettinger 2000 & 2001

The trial was planted on May 10, 2000 into HRSW stubble and on May 8, 2001 into barley stubble that was either no-till or tilled once with a light field cultivator. Seed was inoculated prior to planting. Two varieties were used, Daksoy and Traill. These varieties were randomized within 7, 21 and 30 inch row spacings and at a seeding rate of 100, 150 and 200 thousand live seeds per acre. The trial was harvested on September 14, 2000 and on September 21, 2001. The 2001 trial sustained severe hail damage on June 18 however, the crop recovered nicely with axillary bud regrowth.

Summary of Results

Tillage system had the greatest impact on yield with the no-till system averaging 76 percent higher yields than the minimum tillage system. No-till crop maturity was 2 days later, plants were taller and oil content was similar to the minimum tillage system. Row spacing had the least impact on yield, quality and other agronomic characteristics, although there were more weeds with the wider row spacings (personal observation). Yields tended to increase with increasing seeding rates. Other agronomic and quality characteristics remained the same for seeding rates. Varietal differences were observed. Growers should select adapted varieties based on variety trial information.

2000/01 Soybean Production Trial - Combined Means - No-till

| Row Spacing | Seeding Rate | Variety | Days to Bloom | Days to Canopy Closure | Days to Mature | Plant Height | Pod Height | Test Weight | Oil Content | Yield |
|-------------|--------------|---------|---------------|------------------------|----------------|--------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------|
| inches | 1000's | | | | | cm | cm | lbs/bu | % | bu/ac |
| 7 | 100 | Daksoy | 66 | 88 | 116 | 48 | 0.5 | 57.2 | 21.0 | 12.3 |
| | | Traill | 67 | 82 | 115 | 48 | 1.1 | 58.0 | 20.6 | 19.2 |
| | 150 | Daksoy | 66 | 84 | 114 | 45 | 0.4 | 57.2 | 21.0 | 17.3 |
| | | Traill | 66 | 78 | 115 | 46 | 0.7 | 58.2 | 20.5 | 24.1 |
| | 200 | Daksoy | 66 | 83 | 115 | 42 | 0.3 | 57.6 | 20.9 | 18.8 |
| | | Traill | 66 | 77 | 116 | 47 | 1.2 | 58.2 | 20.4 | 25.4 |
| 21 | 100 | Daksoy | 66 | 94 | 114 | 48 | 0.4 | 57.4 | 21.0 | 13.5 |
| | | Traill | 66 | 90 | 115 | 53 | 1.0 | 58.0 | 20.6 | 21.6 |
| | 150 | Daksoy | 64 | 92 | 114 | 47 | 0.8 | 57.3 | 20.8 | 17.7 |
| | | Traill | 66 | 89 | 114 | 54 | 1.3 | 58.0 | 20.6 | 25.5 |
| | 200 | Daksoy | 66 | 92 | 113 | 49 | 0.9 | 57.4 | 20.9 | 20.1 |
| | | Traill | 66 | 86 | 115 | 54 | 1.0 | 58.2 | 20.4 | 25.6 |
| 30 | 100 | Daksoy | 66 | -- | 114 | 51 | 0.5 | 57.0 | 21.0 | 12.9 |
| | | Traill | 66 | -- | 113 | 53 | 1.1 | 58.4 | 20.8 | 18.2 |
| | 150 | Daksoy | 66 | -- | 113 | 50 | 1.8 | 57.2 | 21.1 | 14.9 |
| | | Traill | 66 | -- | 113 | 52 | 1.1 | 57.6 | 20.7 | 20.6 |
| | 200 | Daksoy | 66 | -- | 114 | 52 | 1.4 | 57.2 | 21.0 | 17.2 |
| | | Traill | 65 | -- | 113 | 55 | 1.4 | 58.0 | 20.8 | 23.8 |

2000/01 Soybean Production Trial - Combined Means - Minimum Till

| Row Spacing | Seeding Rate | Variety | Days to Bloom | Days to Canopy Closure | Days to Mature | Plant Height | Pod Height | Test Weight | Oil Content | Yield |
|-------------|--------------|---------|---------------|------------------------|----------------|--------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------|
|-------------|--------------|---------|---------------|------------------------|----------------|--------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------|

| inches | 1000's | | | | | cm | cm | lbs/bu | % | bu/ac |
|--------|--------|--------|----|----|-----|----|-----|--------|------|-------|
| 7 | 100 | Daksoy | 66 | -- | 113 | 42 | 0.6 | -- | 21.0 | 7.0 |
| | | Traill | 66 | -- | 114 | 45 | 0.6 | 57.4 | 20.6 | 9.1 |
| | 150 | Daksoy | 67 | -- | 116 | 42 | 0.4 | -- | 20.8 | 7.9 |
| | | Traill | 66 | -- | 114 | 47 | 0.8 | 57.8 | 20.5 | 11.7 |
| | 200 | Daksoy | 66 | -- | 113 | 43 | 0.7 | 55.7 | 20.8 | 8.4 |
| | | Traill | 66 | 82 | 114 | 45 | 0.4 | 57.4 | 20.4 | 14.1 |
| 21 | 100 | Daksoy | 66 | -- | 111 | 44 | 0.3 | -- | 20.9 | 6.7 |
| | | Traill | 66 | -- | 112 | 43 | 0.6 | -- | 20.6 | 12.4 |
| | 150 | Daksoy | 66 | -- | 110 | 40 | 0.8 | -- | 20.7 | 9.8 |
| | | Traill | 66 | -- | 111 | 40 | 0.4 | -- | 20.5 | 10.2 |
| | 200 | Daksoy | 66 | -- | 110 | 42 | 0.7 | -- | 20.5 | 8.8 |
| | | Traill | 66 | -- | 112 | 42 | 0.2 | -- | 20.4 | 11.8 |
| 30 | 100 | Daksoy | 66 | -- | 110 | 42 | 0.8 | 56.6 | 21.0 | 10.6 |
| | | Traill | 66 | -- | 112 | 45 | 0.1 | 57.8 | 20.7 | 14.2 |
| | 150 | Daksoy | 66 | -- | 111 | 43 | 0.4 | 56.7 | 21.0 | 10.8 |
| | | Traill | 66 | -- | 112 | 44 | 0.8 | 57.9 | 20.6 | 15.4 |
| | 200 | Daksoy | 66 | -- | 110 | 45 | 0.1 | 57.3 | 20.9 | 12.8 |
| | | Traill | 65 | -- | 112 | 44 | 0.5 | 58.0 | 20.6 | 16.2 |

Combined Means - Tillage Systems

| Tillage System | Days to Bloom | Days to Mature | Plant Height | Pod Height | Test Weight | Oil Content | Yield |
|----------------|---------------|----------------|--------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------|
| | | | cm | cm | lbs/bu | % | bu/ac |
| No-till | 66 | 114 | 50 | 1.0 | 57.7 | 20.8 | 19.4 |
| Minimum | 66 | 112 | 43 | 0.5 | 57.4 | 20.7 | 11.0 |

Combined Means - Row Spacing

| Row Spacing | Days to Bloom | Days to Mature | Plant Height | Pod Height | Test Weight | Oil Content | Yield |
|-------------|---------------|----------------|--------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------|
| inches | | | cm | cm | lbs/bu | % | bu/ac |
| 7 | 66 | 114 | 45 | 0.6 | 57.6 | 20.6 | 14.8 |
| 21 | 66 | 112 | 46 | 0.6 | 57.7 | 20.7 | 15.4 |
| 30 | 66 | 112 | 48 | 0.8 | 57.6 | 20.9 | 15.7 |

Combined Means - Seeding Rate

| Seeding Rate | Days to Bloom | Days to Mature | Plant Height | Pod Height | Test Weight | Oil Content | Yield |
|--------------|---------------|----------------|--------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------|
| 1000's | | | cm | cm | lbs/bu | % | bu/ac |
| 100 | 66 | 113 | 46 | 0.6 | 57.6 | 20.8 | 13.2 |
| 150 | 66 | 113 | 46 | 0.8 | 57.6 | 20.8 | 15.6 |
| 200 | 66 | 113 | 46 | 0.7 | 57.6 | 20.7 | 17.1 |

Combined Means - Varieties

| Variety | Days to Bloom | Days to Mature | Plant Height | Pod Height | Test Weight | Oil Content | Yield |
|---------|---------------|----------------|--------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------|
| | | | cm | cm | lbs/bu | % | bu/ac |
| Daksoy | 66 | 112 | 45 | 0.7 | 57.2 | 20.9 | 12.8 |
| Traill | 66 | 114 | 48 | 0.8 | 58.0 | 20.6 | 17.8 |

2001 Soybeans - Continuously Cropped No-till **Hettinger**

| Variety | Plant Height | Test Weight | Grain Yield | | 2 year Avg. Yield |
|------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|------|-------------------|
| | | | 2000 | 2001 | |
| | inches | lbs/bu | bu/ac | | |
| Barnes | 21 | 58.3 | 30.4 | 26.3 | 28.4 |
| Traill | 22 | 58.5 | 26.4 | 19.9 | 23.2 |
| Jim | 20 | 57.1 | 23.9 | 21.3 | 22.6 |
| Walsh | 19 | 57.6 | | 23.8 | |
| Traill RR | 20 | 58.2 | | 23.2 | |
| Trial Mean | 20 | 57.9 | 26.1 | 22.9 | -- |
| C.V. % | 4.8 | 1.2 | 6.7 | 11.4 | -- |
| LSD .05 | 1 | 1.1 | 2.7 | 4.0 | -- |
| LSD .01 | 2 | NS | 3.8 | 5.7 | -- |

Planting Date: May 8 Harvest Date: September 21
 Seeding rate: 150,000 live seeds/acre
 Previous crop: 2000 = HRSW, 2001 = barley
 NS = no statistical difference between varieties.
 Notes: The 2001 trial sustained severe hail injury on June 18.

2001 Grain Sorghum - No-till **Hettinger**

| Hybrid | Days to Head | Test Weight | --- Grain Yield --- | | 2 Year Avg. |
|--------------|--------------|-------------|---------------------|------|-------------|
| | | | 2000 | 2001 | |
| | | lbs/bu | bu/ac | | |
| Pioneer 8925 | 62 | 56.6 | 67.8 | 52.5 | 60.2 |
| Dekalb 28E | 63 | 56.4 | 34.6 | 58.3 | 46.4 |
| Agripro 2020 | 60 | 55.0 | 33.5 | 56.3 | 44.9 |
| Agripro 2140 | 64 | 55.8 | 44.3 | 45.2 | 44.8 |
| NK 251 | 60 | 57.1 | 45.6 | 38.5 | 42.0 |
| Dekalb 18 | 60 | 56.4 | | 58.1 | |
| FX-R44X | 64 | 54.8 | | 52.3 | |
| FX-RP | 65 | 54.8 | | 48.3 | |
| FX-00106 | 71 | 52.7 | | 40.0 | |
| FX-00103 | 68 | 52.9 | | 33.5 | |
| Trial Mean | 64 | 55.2 | 45.2 | 48.3 | -- |
| C.V. % | 1.4 | 1.5 | 22.5 | 18.0 | -- |
| LSD .05 | 1 | 2.2 | 18.8 | 12.6 | -- |
| LSD .01 | 2 | 2.9 | 27.0 | 16.6 | -- |

Planting Date: June 11, 2001 Harvest Date: October 9, 2001
 Seeding rate: 120,000 live seeds/A.
 Previous Crop: 2000 = HRSW, 2001 = Soybeans

2001 Proso Millet Continuously Cropped No-till

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| Variety | Days to Head | Plant Height | Lodg. | Test Weight | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | Avg. Yield | |
|------------|--------------|--------------|-------|-------------|-------------------------|------|------|------------|--------|
| | | | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2 year | 3 year |
| | | inches | 0-9* | lbs/bu | -----lbs/ac----- | | | | |
| Manta** | 56 | 37 | 1.8 | 55.9 | 2720 | 1938 | 2513 | 2226 | 2390 |
| Siberian** | 54 | 35 | 1.5 | 56.0 | 2660 | 1689 | 2347 | 2018 | 2232 |
| Earlybird | 56 | 42 | 4.8 | 55.4 | 2260 | 1327 | 2033 | 1680 | 1873 |
| Sunup | 54 | 40 | 3.8 | 55.4 | 2040 | 1207 | 1880 | 1544 | 1709 |
| Huntsman | 58 | 42 | 4.2 | 55.8 | 2107 | 951 | 2067 | 1509 | 1708 |
| Rise | 52 | 38 | 4.2 | 55.2 | 2067 | 1280 | 1647 | 1464 | 1665 |
| Sunrise | 59 | 42 | 2.8 | 55.6 | 1953 | 1147 | 1860 | 1504 | 1653 |
| Dawn | 49 | 40 | 7.0 | 53.6 | 1713 | 1333 | 1207 | 1270 | 1418 |
| Snowbird | 52 | 46 | 4.5 | 55.9 | 1753 | 860 | 1620 | 1240 | 1411 |
| Minsum | 51 | 44 | 5.8 | 54.8 | 1873 | 773 | 1353 | 1063 | 1333 |
| Cerise | 47 | 38 | 4.8 | 57.7 | 1560 | 660 | 1120 | 890 | 1113 |
| Turghai | 48 | 42 | 3.0 | 58.4 | 1147 | 647 | 1407 | 1027 | 1067 |
| Trial mean | 53 | 40 | 4.0 | 55.8 | 2006 | 1131 | 1755 | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 3.8 | 6.4 | 42.2 | 0.6 | 15.8 | 10.5 | 18.2 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 3 | 4 | 2.4 | 0.5 | 455 | 171 | 460 | -- | -- |
| LSD .01 | 4 | 5 | 3.3 | 0.7 | 611 | 231 | 619 | -- | -- |

*Lodging: 0 = no lodging, 9 = lying flat on ground.

**Foxtail millets

Planting Date: June 11

Harvest Date: September 18

Seeding rate: 25 lbs/Ac.

Previous crop: 1999 = HRSW, 2000 & 01 = Soybean.

Notes: 2000 trial had moderate European corn borer damage to proso types.

Corn Production in Southwestern North Dakota

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Corn production using narrow row techniques and high plant populations is the current trend throughout much of the corn growing regions of the U.S. Interest has also been increasing throughout North Dakota. Limited studies on row spacing were conducted in the early 1970's and mid 80's in eastern and northwestern North Dakota. In western North Dakota where moisture tends to be a limiting factor, wider row spacings and/or lower plant populations may be more conducive to grain production than narrow row, high population practices.

The **objectives** of this project were to determine optimal management factors (row spacing, plant populations and hybrid maturities) and to better understand the relationships between these factors for grain corn production in southwestern North Dakota.

The trial was conducted at Hettinger in 1998, 1999 and 2001 using a randomized complete block design with a split-split plot arrangement and three replications. Row spacing was the main plot factor with plant population as the subplot factor and hybrid maturities as the sub-subplot factor. Row spacings were 14 inches, 28 inches and 42 inches. Four plant populations were utilized; 12,000, 18,000, 24,000 and 30,000 plants per acre. Plant populations were achieved by over planting and then by hand thinning to exact populations. Three hybrids were utilized; Pioneer 3963, Pioneer 3921 and Pioneer 3861 with 79, 86 and 93 day relative maturities, respectively. All combinations of row spacing by plant population by hybrid were evaluated for ear height (distance from soil surface to the shank of the ear), test weight and grain yield.

The trial was planted on May 5, 1998, on May 3, 1999 and on May 2, 2001 and harvested on September 29, 1998, on October 14, 1999, and on October 11, 2001. The 1998 trial was grown under conventional tillage practices on ground that was fallow the previous year. The 1999 trial was grown under conventional tillage practices on ground that was in canola the previous year, and the 2001 trial was grown under no-till on ground that was in buckwheat the previous year. Growing conditions at Hettinger during 1998 started out cool and dry, warming up in August and ending up with about 13 ½ inches of precipitation for the season. Corn growing degree units for the season was 2397. Growing conditions during 1999 was generally ideal with above normal precipitation in June, July and August and totaling over 22 ½ inches for the season. Air temperatures were generally mild with cooler than normal temps during May, June, August and September and an accumulation of 2009 corn growing degree units for the season. Growing conditions during 2001 was again ideal for corn production with generally warm and moist conditions. A severe hail storm on June 18 shredded the trial almost to the soil surface, however, the trial recovered very nicely with very little stand loss. Precipitation was above normal for the season with the month of July receiving almost 4 ½ inches, over 2 inches above normal. Monthly air temperatures were generally above normal except for June. August and September were hot and dry. Total corn growing degree units for the season was 2387.

On average, plant population had the most variability followed by relative maturity and finally, row spacing. Significant differences between plant populations were observed for ear height and grain yield. Both ear height and grain yields tended to increase with increasing population and

optimum yields were achieved at 24,000 plants per acre. Weeds became more prevalent as plant populations decreased (personal observation). Significant differences between relative maturities (hybrids) were observed for ear height, test weight and grain yield. The early maturing hybrid had a shorter ear height, a heavier test weight and was lower yielding than the later maturing hybrids. The 86 and 93 day maturing hybrids had similar ear height and grain yield. Test weight for the 93 day hybrid was 53.9 pounds per bushel vs. 57.0 pounds per bushel for the 86 day hybrid and 58.0 pounds per bushel for the 79 day hybrid. Grain yields were similar between hybrids in 1998 and 1999, but the 79 day hybrid had significantly lower yields in 2001. The optimum relative maturity for this area was for the 86 day hybrid. Significant differences between row spacing was observed for ear height and grain yield. Ear height tended to increase with increasing row spacing. Grain yield tended to increase slightly from the 14 inch to the 28 inch row spacing and then leveled off with the 42 inch row spacing. Row spacing had a greater effect on grain yield during the dry year (1998) than on relatively wet years (1999 and 2001) with increasing yields as row spacing increased. Weeds tended to be more prevalent with wider row spacings (personal observation). Wider row spacings tend to favor optimum grain yields. Row spacing and plant population interactions were observed with grain yields tending to increase with higher populations grown under wider row spacings.

In conclusion, corn production practices in southwestern North Dakota should focus on achieving a relatively heavy plant stand with an adapted hybrid, and wider row spacings favor higher grain yields, especially during dry years.

| Plant Population | | | Combined Means | | | |
|------------------|------------|-------------|------------------------------|------|------|------|
| Plant Pop. | Ear Height | Test Weight | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | Avg. |
| | | | 1998 | 1999 | 2001 | |
| plants/A | cm | lbs/bu | ----- bushels per acre ----- | | | |
| 12,000 | 74 | 56.0 | 42.9 | 58.0 | 51.5 | 50.8 |
| 18,000 | 75 | 56.4 | 34.5 | 58.7 | 51.4 | 48.2 |
| 24,000 | 78 | 56.4 | 49.5 | 67.8 | 56.9 | 58.1 |
| 30,000 | 76 | 56.3 | 46.5 | 72.8 | 52.6 | 57.3 |
| LSD .05 | 2 | NS | 8.9 | 7.5 | 1.5 | 1.8 |

| Relative Maturity (hybrid) | | | Combined Means | | | |
|----------------------------|------------|-------------|------------------------------|------|------|------|
| Relative Maturity | Ear Height | Test Weight | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | Avg. |
| | | | 1998 | 1999 | 2001 | |
| * | cm | lbs/bu | ----- bushels per acre ----- | | | |
| 79 | 71 | 58.0 | 42.9 | 62.8 | 34.0 | 46.6 |
| 86 | 78 | 57.0 | 43.2 | 67.6 | 59.8 | 56.9 |
| 93 | 79 | 53.9 | 44.0 | 62.6 | 65.5 | 57.4 |
| LSD .05 | 7 | 3.3 | NS | NS | 10.6 | 2.3 |

| Row Spacing | | | Combined Means | | | |
|-------------|------------|-------------|------------------------------|------|------|------|
| Row Spacing | Ear Height | Test Weight | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | |
| | | | 1998 | 1999 | 2001 | Avg. |
| Inches | cm | lbs/bu | ----- bushels per acre ----- | | | |
| 14 | 73 | 56.1 | 31.8 | 63.7 | 53.7 | 49.7 |
| 28 | 76 | 56.7 | 44.7 | 64.7 | 56.3 | 55.2 |
| 42 | 79 | 56.2 | 53.5 | 64.5 | 49.2 | 55.7 |
| LSD .05 | 5 | NS | 15.2 | NS | 5.9 | 3.9 |

| Row Spacing X Plant Population | | | | Combined Means | | | |
|--------------------------------|------------|------------|-------------|------------------------------|------|------|------|
| Row Spacing | Plant Pop. | Ear Height | Test Weight | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | |
| | | | | 1998 | 1999 | 2001 | Avg. |
| Inches | plants/A | cm | lbs/bu | ----- bushels per acre ----- | | | |
| 14 | 12,000 | 70 | 55.7 | 25.6 | 62.5 | 40.7 | 42.9 |
| | 18,000 | 72 | 56.3 | 16.8 | 53.8 | 52.2 | 40.9 |
| | 24,000 | 75 | 56.2 | 41.4 | 61.1 | 61.8 | 54.8 |
| | 30,000 | 73 | 56.0 | 43.5 | 77.5 | 54.7 | 58.6 |
| 28 | 12,000 | 74 | 56.6 | 45.7 | 55.8 | 63.6 | 55.0 |
| | 18,000 | 75 | 56.7 | 38.9 | 64.5 | 48.9 | 50.8 |
| | 24,000 | 76 | 56.5 | 46.8 | 69.6 | 65.6 | 60.7 |
| | 30,000 | 77 | 56.8 | 47.4 | 69.0 | 54.7 | 57.0 |
| 42 | 12,000 | 78 | 55.7 | 57.2 | 55.7 | 49.3 | 54.1 |
| | 18,000 | 78 | 56.3 | 47.9 | 57.7 | 46.5 | 50.7 |
| | 24,000 | 82 | 56.4 | 60.2 | 72.7 | 52.8 | 61.9 |
| | 30,000 | 79 | 56.2 | 48.6 | 71.9 | 48.6 | 56.4 |
| LSD .05 | | NS | NS | 19.8 | NS | 12.2 | 13.0 |

| Grain Corn Production at Hettinger, ND | | | | | 1998 - 2001 Combined Means | | | |
|--|------------|-------------------|------------|-------------|----------------------------|------|------|------|
| Row Spacing | Plant Pop. | Relative Maturity | Ear Height | Test Weight | ----- Grain Yield ----- | | | |
| Inches | plants/A | * | cm | lbs/bu | 1998 | 1999 | 2001 | Avg. |
| ----- bushels per acre ----- | | | | | | | | |
| 14 | 12,000 | 79 | 66 | 57.4 | 22.0 | 58.5 | 28.0 | 36.2 |
| | | 86 | 70 | 56.0 | 28.2 | 65.0 | 44.7 | 46.0 |
| | | 93 | 75 | 53.8 | 26.7 | 63.9 | 49.4 | 46.7 |
| | 18,000 | 79 | 68 | 58.1 | 22.9 | 58.8 | 23.4 | 35.0 |
| | | 86 | 75 | 56.9 | 14.6 | 52.6 | 65.6 | 44.3 |
| | | 93 | 74 | 53.8 | 12.8 | 50.0 | 67.6 | 43.5 |
| | 24,000 | 79 | 68 | 57.7 | 40.7 | 57.6 | 32.3 | 43.5 |
| | | 86 | 80 | 57.3 | 37.9 | 72.6 | 75.2 | 61.9 |
| | | 93 | 78 | 53.8 | 45.6 | 53.2 | 77.8 | 58.9 |
| 30,000 | 79 | 70 | 57.6 | 38.9 | 77.4 | 30.4 | 48.9 | |
| | 86 | 72 | 56.9 | 44.5 | 82.7 | 72.2 | 66.5 | |
| | 93 | 79 | 53.5 | 47.0 | 72.4 | 61.6 | 60.3 | |
| 28 | 12,000 | 79 | 70 | 58.2 | 41.4 | 53.2 | 36.6 | 43.7 |
| | | 86 | 75 | 57.1 | 49.3 | 56.8 | 74.2 | 60.1 |
| | | 93 | 78 | 54.5 | 46.5 | 57.5 | 79.9 | 61.3 |
| | 18,000 | 79 | 69 | 58.5 | 40.7 | 59.8 | 23.7 | 41.4 |
| | | 86 | 76 | 57.4 | 40.7 | 64.5 | 61.9 | 55.7 |
| | | 93 | 80 | 54.2 | 35.4 | 69.2 | 61.0 | 55.2 |
| | 24,000 | 79 | 69 | 57.8 | 52.5 | 63.8 | 37.1 | 51.1 |
| | | 86 | 80 | 57.3 | 46.1 | 72.4 | 77.2 | 65.2 |
| | | 93 | 80 | 54.3 | 41.9 | 72.5 | 82.4 | 65.6 |
| 30,000 | 79 | 70 | 58.3 | 47.4 | 69.2 | 35.1 | 50.6 | |
| | 86 | 80 | 57.7 | 46.4 | 72.0 | 64.4 | 60.9 | |
| | 93 | 80 | 54.4 | 48.5 | 65.8 | 64.6 | 59.6 | |

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| continued | | | | | | | | |
|-------------|------------|-------------------|------------|-------------|------------------------------|------|------|------|
| Row Spacing | Plant Pop. | Relative Maturity | Ear Height | Test Weight | ---- Grain Yield ---- | | | |
| Inches | plants/A | * | cm | lbs/bu | 1998 | 1999 | 2001 | Avg. |
| | | | | | ----- bushels per acre ----- | | | |
| 42 | 12,000 | 79 | 74 | 57.2 | 53.6 | 54.7 | 40.0 | 49.4 |
| | | 86 | 77 | 56.4 | 59.0 | 55.8 | 41.3 | 55.4 |
| | | 93 | 83 | 53.6 | 59.0 | 56.4 | 56.7 | 57.4 |
| | 18,000 | 79 | 77 | 57.7 | 48.8 | 51.0 | 27.7 | 42.5 |
| | | 86 | 78 | 57.3 | 46.2 | 65.8 | 54.5 | 55.5 |
| | | 93 | 80 | 53.8 | 48.7 | 56.3 | 57.2 | 54.1 |
| | 24,000 | 79 | 77 | 58.2 | 56.7 | 74.3 | 37.0 | 56.0 |
| | | 86 | 84 | 57.4 | 59.6 | 73.8 | 56.3 | 63.2 |
| | | 93 | 84 | 53.7 | 64.4 | 70.0 | 65.2 | 66.5 |
| 30,000 | 79 | 74 | 58.0 | 48.8 | 74.8 | 32.2 | 51.9 | |
| | 86 | 80 | 57.0 | 45.4 | 76.6 | 56.1 | 59.4 | |
| | 93 | 83 | 53.5 | 51.6 | 64.3 | 57.4 | 57.8 | |
| C.V. % | | | 11.5 | 2.3 | 19.5 | 14.4 | 12.5 | 33 |
| LSD .05 | | | 2 | 0.3 | 13.9 | 15.2 | 10.9 | 4.9 |

Yields are adjusted to 13.5% moisture.
NS = no statistical difference.

*RM Hybrid
79 = P3963
86 = P3921
93 = P3861

Seed provided by Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc.

2001 Corn - Continuously Cropped No-till

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| Brand | Hybrid | Rel. matur. | Days to silk | Silage | | | Ear ht. | Test weight | Grain Yield | |
|------------|-----------|-------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|------|---------|-------------|-------------------|------|
| | | | | Harvest moist. | 2000 | 2001 | | | 2000 | 2001 |
| | | days | days | % | -----Tons/ac*----- | | in | lbs/bu | -----bu/ac**----- | |
| Garst | 155 | 80 | 88 | 61 | 4.23 | 5.70 | 26 | 54.0 | 57.4 | 53.6 |
| Garst | 8992 | 83 | 90 | 70 | | 3.02 | 23 | 54.7 | | 54.6 |
| Garst | 4X309 | 85 | 95 | 56 | 4.61 | 6.79 | 30 | 52.8 | 54.2 | 60.7 |
| Garst | 8972IT | 87 | 96 | 67 | 6.45 | 5.21 | 33 | 55.5 | 68.1 | 63.5 |
| Garst | 8966 | 87 | 94 | 69 | 5.39 | 4.92 | 32 | 54.0 | 65.5 | 55.6 |
| Garst | 8909Bt | 87 | 94 | 67 | | 4.97 | 28 | 52.8 | | 60.5 |
| Garst | 8991Bt | 89 | 92 | 64 | | 6.33 | 29 | 52.8 | | 63.3 |
| Garst | 3X417A | 91 | 95 | 68 | 4.39 | 5.61 | 31 | 53.2 | 63.6 | 69.7 |
| Dekalb | 37-81RR | 87 | 92 | 66 | | 6.12 | 29 | 54.2 | | 61.7 |
| Dekalb | 39-47RR | 89 | 91 | 70 | | 5.21 | 34 | 53.0 | | 85.9 |
| Dekalb | 440RR/BT | 94 | 94 | 68 | | 6.71 | 32 | 50.7 | | 92.3 |
| Proseed | XES755 | 75 | 87 | 68 | | 3.79 | 25 | 56.0 | | 49.2 |
| Proseed | XET83 | 82 | 91 | 68 | | 3.89 | 24 | 56.2 | | 58.2 |
| Proseed | XES86RR | 86 | 94 | 69 | | 5.60 | 32 | 53.4 | | 72.8 |
| Proseed | XES92RR | 92 | 94 | 69 | | 5.58 | 31 | 52.2 | | 78.2 |
| | Canamaise | | 82 | 62 | | 1.26 | 6 | 60.9 | | 25.3 |
| Trial Mean | | | 92 | | 4.65 | 5.30 | 29 | 53.7 | 66.2 | 65.3 |
| C.V. % | | | 2.3 | | 18.3 | 18.9 | 11 | 2.8 | 12.6 | 19.2 |
| LSD .05 | | | 3 | | 1.22 | 1.43 | 5 | 2.2 | 12.0 | 17.9 |
| LSD .01 | | | 4 | | 1.64 | 1.91 | 6 | 2.9 | NS | 24.0 |

Planting date: May 2, 2001

Seeding rate: 24,000 seeds/acre, thinned to 20,000 plants/acre.

Row spacing: 28"

Harvest date: Silage = September 4, Grain = October 9

Previous crop: 2000 = Soybean, 2001 = Buckwheat.

*Silage yields are adjusted to 0% moisture.

**Grain yields are adjusted to 13.5% moisture.

2001 Cool Season Forage Trial - Recrop

Dickinson, ND

| Variety | Cereal | Harvest | Growth | ----- DM----- | | | | |
|-----------------------|--------|-------------|--------|---------------|---------------|-----|-----|-----|
| | Height | Moisture | Stage | Yield | CP | ADF | NDF | RFV |
| | inches | -----%----- | | Tons/a | ----- % ----- | | | |
| Conlon barley | 34 | 76 | 1 | 2.6 | 14.8 | 39 | 56 | 96 |
| Foster barley | 39 | 76 | 1 | 2.7 | 12.2 | 39 | 67 | 80 |
| Haybet barley | 34 | 73 | 2 | 3.1 | 13.9 | 40 | 70 | 76 |
| Lewis barley | 36 | 74 | 2 | 3.2 | 13.2 | 40 | 66 | 79 |
| Logan barley | 34 | 79 | 2 | 2.3 | 15.1 | 41 | 65 | 80 |
| Robust barley | 38 | 81 | 1 | 2.1 | 13.5 | 42 | 66 | 78 |
| Stander barley | 36 | 82 | 1 | 2.1 | 15.1 | 42 | 64 | 80 |
| Stark barley | 36 | 78 | 1 | 2.7 | 14.8 | 41 | 61 | 85 |
| Washford barley | 34 | 79 | 1 | 2.6 | 11.4 | 44 | 66 | 77 |
| Westford barley | 30 | 73 | 2 | 3.3 | 11.5 | 41 | 66 | 79 |
| Celsia oat | 36 | 76 | 2 | 3.0 | 12.7 | 42 | 69 | 76 |
| Forage Plus oat | 38 | 73 | 1 | 3.7 | 12.1 | 43 | 66 | 77 |
| Paul oat | 41 | 71 | 1 | 3.2 | 10.4 | 39 | 64 | 84 |
| Mammoth oat | 49 | 71 | 1 | 3.0 | 9.5 | 39 | 59 | 90 |
| Otana oat | 41 | 77 | 2 | 3.0 | 11.7 | 45 | 73 | 67 |
| Triple Crown oat | 43 | 74 | 2 | 3.3 | 10.6 | 43 | 69 | 73 |
| Triple Crown/Arvika | 40 | 73 | 2 | 3.0 | 12.9 | 42 | 71 | 73 |
| Triple Crown/Carneval | 40 | 75 | 2 | 2.9 | 11.9 | 43 | 68 | 74 |
| Triple Crown/Trapper | 40 | 74 | 2 | 2.9 | 12.7 | 43 | 65 | 78 |
| Pronghorn triticale | 39 | 64 | 2 | 3.5 | 10.8 | 40 | 66 | 81 |
| Sandro triticale | 48 | 62 | 3 | 4.1 | 9.0 | 44 | 70 | 71 |
| Gazelle spring rye | 52 | 58 | 3 | 3.7 | 8.1 | 45 | 69 | 72 |
| Lucille emmer | 41 | 63 | 3 | 3.5 | 9.9 | 47 | 69 | 70 |
| SK3P spelt | 42 | 65 | 1 | 3.3 | 11.8 | 42 | 65 | 80 |
| 93-ST-5-9 wheat/spelt | 42 | 66 | 2 | 3.3 | 12.0 | 41 | 63 | 84 |
| Trial Mean | 39 | 73 | 1.0 | 3.0 | 12.1 | 42 | 67 | 79 |
| C.V. % | 6.7 | 1.9 | 10.7 | 11.3 | 9.0 | 4.2 | 6.9 | 8.5 |
| LSD .05 | 4 | 2 | NS | 0.5 | 1.8 | 3 | 8 | 11 |

Lodging for all varieties was 0, with the exception of Lucille Emmer which was a 7.

Growth Stage: 1 = Milk, 2 = Early Soft Dough, 3 = Soft Dough, CP = Crude Protein, ADF = Acid Detergens Fiber, NDF = Neutral Detergens Fiber, RFV = Relative Feed Value

2001 Warm Season Annual Forages - Recrop

Dickinson, ND

| Crop | Variety | Height | | Harvest | | 12% Moisture | | Yield | | DM Basis | | | | | | |
|------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------|-----------------|-----------------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|
| | | 1 st Cut | 2 nd Cut | 1 st | 2 nd | 1 st | 2 nd | Tota | 1 st | 2 nd | Tota | CP | AD | ND | TD | RF |
| | | inches | % | % | | tons/ac | | % | | % | | | | | | |
| forage sorghum | Mor-Cane 2 | 53 | 80 | -- | -- | 2.6 | -- | 2.6 | 2.3 | -- | 2.3 | 9.8 | 40 | 63 | 50 | 86 |
| foxtail millet | German | 36 | 72 | -- | -- | 2.2 | -- | 2.2 | 1.9 | -- | 1.9 | 7.5 | 40 | 68 | 49 | 79 |
| foxtail millet | Manta | 35 | 67 | -- | -- | 2.2 | -- | 2.2 | 1.9 | -- | 1.9 | 10. | 42 | 69 | 48 | 76 |
| pearl millet | Tifleaf 3 | 34 | 74 | 77 | -- | 1.9 | 0.3 | 2.2 | 1.7 | 0.3 | 2.0 | 11. | 40 | 64 | 50 | 85 |
| red proso millet | Cerise | 38 | 69 | -- | -- | 2.2 | -- | 2.2 | 1.9 | -- | 1.9 | 10. | 39 | 65 | 51 | 85 |
| foxtail millet | Siberian | 34 | 64 | -- | -- | 2.1 | -- | 2.1 | 1.9 | -- | 1.9 | 11. | 40 | 55 | 50 | 101 |
| sorghum/ sudangrass | Highland Sweet | 55 | 75 | 73 | -- | 2.3 | 0.3 | 2.6 | 2.1 | 0.2 | 2.3 | 9.2 | 43 | 73 | 46 | 71 |
| sudangrass | Piper | 58 | 72 | 74 | -- | 2.2 | 0.5 | 2.7 | 2.0 | 0.4 | 2.4 | 11. | 39 | 62 | 52 | 89 |
| Trial Mean | | 43 | 72 | 75 | -- | 2.2 | 0.4 | 2.4 | 1.9 | 0.3 | 2.1 | 10. | 40 | 65 | 50 | 84 |
| C.V. % | | 7.7 | 2.8 | 1.7 | -- | 12.6 | 33.9 | -- | 12.6 | 33.9 | -- | 7.6 | 7.9 | 9.1 | 8.3 | 13.4 |
| LSD .05 | | 5 | 3 | 2 | -- | NS | NS | -- | NS | NS | -- | 1.8 | NS | NS | NS | NS |

Seeding date= May 10
 Harvest date = 1st Cutting: August 6, 2nd Cutting: September 20
 NS = No Statistical Difference
 Quality on 1st Cutting only
 CP=Crude Protein
 ADF=Acid Detergent Fiber
 NDF=Neutral Detergent Fiber
 TDN = Total Digestible Nutrients
 RFV=Relative Feed Value

2001 Cool Season Barley and Oats Forage Trial - Recrop

Dickinson, ND

| Variety | Harvest Moisture | 12% Moisture | Yield ----- | | | |
|-----------------------|---------------------|-----------------|----------------------|------|------|----------|
| | | | ----- DM basis ----- | | | |
| | | | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 3 yr avg |
| | % | Tons/ac | ----- Tons/ac ----- | | | |
| Conlon barley | 76 | 3.0 | 1.7 | 0.7 | 2.6 | 1.6 |
| Foster barley | 76 | 3.1 | 1.6 | 0.9 | 2.7 | 1.7 |
| Haybet barley | 73 | 3.6 | 1.9 | 1.1 | 3.1 | 2.0 |
| Lewis barley | 74 | 3.7 | -- | -- | 3.2 | |
| Logan barley | 79 | 2.6 | 1.6 | 0.7 | 2.3 | |
| Robust barley | 81 | 2.4 | 1.7 | 0.7 | 2.1 | 1.5 |
| Stander barley | 82 | 2.4 | 1.5 | 1.0 | 2.1 | 1.5 |
| Stark barley | 78 | 3.0 | 1.6 | 0.7 | 2.7 | 1.5 |
| Washford barley | 79 | 3.0 | -- | -- | 2.6 | 1.6 |
| Westford barley | 73 | 3.7 | 2.0 | 0.9 | 3.3 | 2.0 |
| Celsia oat | 76 | 3.5 | 2.3 | 1.0 | 3.0 | 2.1 |
| Forage Plus oat | 73 | 4.2 | -- | -- | 3.7 | |
| Mammoth oat | 71 | 3.4 | 2.4 | 1.2 | 3.0 | 2.2 |
| Otana oat | 77 | 3.4 | -- | -- | 3.0 | |
| Paul oat | 71 | 3.6 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 3.2 | 2.0 |
| Triple Crown oat | 74 | 3.7 | 2.5 | 2.3 | 3.3 | 2.7 |
| Triple Crown/Arvika | 73 | 3.4 | -- | -- | 3.0 | |
| Triple/Carneval | 75 | 3.3 | -- | -- | 2.9 | |
| Triple Crown/Trapper | 74 | 3.3 | -- | -- | 2.9 | |
| Pronghorn triticale | 64 | 3.9 | -- | -- | 3.5 | |
| Sandro triticale | 62 | 4.6 | 2.0 | 0.8 | 4.1 | 2.3 |
| Gazelle spring rye | 58 | 4.2 | 1.5 | 1.6 | 3.7 | 2.2 |
| Lucille emmer | 63 | 4.0 | -- | -- | 3.5 | |
| SK3P spelt | 65 | 3.7 | -- | -- | 3.3 | |
| 93-ST-5-9 wheat/spelt | 66 | 3.7 | -- | -- | 3.3 | |
| Trial Mean | 73 | 3.5 | 2.0 | 1.3 | 3.0 | |
| C.V. % | 1.9 | 11.3 | 13.5 | 24.2 | 11.3 | |
| LSD .05 | 2 | 0.6 | 0.4 | NS | 0.5 | |

Forage yield of oat harvested on July 13, 2001 at the David Maus Farm, Wibaux, MT.

| Variety | Stage at harvest | Dry matter basis | | | | |
|---------|------------------|------------------|---------------|------|------|------|
| | | Hay yield | Crude protein | ADF | NDF | TDN |
| | | tons/acre | % | % | % | % |
| Otana | Milk-soft dough | 1.91 | 10.6 | 47.5 | 66.7 | 40.1 |
| Derby | Milk-soft dough | 1.88 | 12.1 | 40.6 | 63.5 | 48.9 |
| Paul | Flowering | 1.87 | 12.5 | 41.5 | 63.1 | 47.9 |
| Mean | | 1.89 | 11.7 | 43.2 | 64.4 | 45.6 |
| CV% | | 7.0 | | | | |
| LSD .05 | | NS | | | | |

Planted May 3, 2001.

Barley and Oat Dissection Forage Trial 2001 **Dickinson, ND**

| Variety | Growth Stage | -----Moisture----- | | | -----Contribution to Yield----- | | | | | |
|--------------------------|--------------|--------------------|------|------|---------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|
| | | Head | Leaf | Stem | Head | Leaf | Stem | Head | Leaf | Stem |
| -----%----- | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3-Year Average | | | | | | | | | | |
| 93-ST-5-9 wheat/spelt | 2 | 65 | 56 | 64 | 27 | 17 | 56 | -- | -- | -- |
| Conlon barley | 1 | 62 | 64 | 71 | 29 | 15 | 56 | 39 | 18 | 34 |
| Forage Plus oat | 2 | 60 | 69 | 69 | 30 | 16 | 54 | -- | -- | -- |
| Haybet barley | 2 | 65 | 61 | 71 | 20 | 22 | 58 | 28 | 24 | 36 |
| Lucille emmer | 3 | 51 | 45 | 59 | 29 | 16 | 55 | -- | -- | -- |
| Robust barley | 1 | 66 | 69 | 75 | 21 | 25 | 54 | 35 | 23 | 33 |
| SK3P spelt | 1 | 60 | 49 | 59 | 24 | 16 | 59 | -- | -- | -- |
| Sandro triticale | 3 | 37 | 47 | 53 | 45 | 10 | 45 | -- | -- | -- |
| Trapper pea | -- | 61 | 75 | 77 | 35 | 20 | 45 | -- | -- | -- |
| Triple Crown oat | 2 | 60 | 72 | 74 | 35 | 18 | 48 | 44 | 18 | 30 |
| Trial Mean | 2 | 59 | 61 | 67 | 30 | 17 | 53 | -- | -- | -- |
| C.V. % | 9.9 | 3.3 | 7.0 | 3.9 | 10.9 | 12.2 | 5.2 | -- | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 0 | 3 | 6 | 4 | 5 | 3 | 4 | -- | -- | -- |

Growth stage 1=Milk, 2= Early soft dough, 3= Soft dough

2001 Winter/Spring Intercrop Trial-Recrop Dickinson, ND

| Variety | Yield-----tons/ac----- | | | | 12% Moisture | | Harvest Moisture | | Spring Cereal Height 1 st Cut | Growth Stage 1 st Cut | DM Yield 2 Year Average |
|---|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--|----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| | Dry Matter | | Total | | 1 st Cutting | 2 nd Cutting | 1 st Cutting | 2 nd Cutting | | | |
| | 1 st Cutting | 2 nd Cutting | 1 st Cutting | 2 nd Cutting | 1 st Cutting | 2 nd Cutting | 1 st Cutting | 2 nd Cutting | inches | % | |
| 2700 Spring Triticale | 3.6 | -- | 3.6 | 4.0 | -- | -- | 57 | -- | 41 | 3 | 2.6 |
| 2700 Triticale / Dacold Winter Rye | 2.5 | 0.1 | 2.6 | 2.8 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 59 | 68 | 41 | 3 | 2.1 |
| 2700 Triticale / Frostat Winter Triticale | 2.8 | 0.2 | 3.0 | 3.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 61 | 73 | 42 | 3 | -- |
| 2700 Triticale /Roughrider W. wheat | 2.8 | 0.1 | 2.9 | 3.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 60 | 64 | 40 | 3 | 2.1 |
| Dumont Oat | 2.6 | -- | 2.6 | 3.0 | -- | -- | 69 | -- | 33 | 1 | 2.1 |
| Dumont oat / Dacold Winter Rye | 1.8 | 0.2 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 74 | 65 | 31 | 1 | -- |
| Dumont oat / Frostat Winter Triticale | 2.1 | 0.3 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 76 | 70 | 29 | 1 | -- |
| Dumont oat /Roughrider W. wheat | 1.9 | 0.1 | 2.0 | 2.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 72 | 60 | 32 | 1 | 1.5 |
| Haybet Barley | 2.5 | -- | 2.5 | 2.8 | -- | -- | 70 | -- | 29 | 2 | 2.0 |
| Haybet barley / Dacold Winter Rye | 2.2 | 0.1 | 2.3 | 2.5 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 73 | 67 | 28 | 2 | -- |
| Haybet barley / Frostat Winter Triticale | 2.0 | 0.2 | 2.2 | 2.3 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 75 | 70 | 29 | 2 | -- |
| Haybet barley / Roughrider W. wheat | 2.2 | 0.1 | 2.3 | 2.5 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 74 | 64 | 29 | 2 | 1.7 |
| Trial Mean | 2.4 | 0.2 | 2.5 | 2.7 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 68 | 67 | 34 | 2 | 2.0 |
| C.V. % | 13.6 | 44.6 | -- | 13.6 | 44.6 | 44.6 | 2.7 | 3.6 | 4.5 | -- | -- |
| LSD .05 | 0.5 | NS | -- | 0.5 | NS | NS | 3 | 3 | 2 | -- | -- |

Seeding date: May 5
 Harvest date: 1st cut according to the growth stage 2nd cut 45 days later
 NS=no statistical difference
 Growth Stage: 1 = Milk, 2 = Early Soft Dough, 3 = Soft Dough

| Variety | CP | ADF | NDF | TDN | RFV |
|---|-------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | -----%----- | | | | |
| 2700 Spring Triticale | 9.0 | 44 | 70 | 44 | 73 |
| 2700 Triticale / Dacold Winter Rye | 9.1 | 40 | 66 | 50 | 83 |
| 2700 Triticale / Froststat Winter Triticale | 9.7 | 43 | 67 | 46 | 76 |
| 2700 Triticale / Roughrider W. wheat | 10.2 | 39 | 65 | 51 | 83 |
| Dumont Oat | 11.4 | 42 | 66 | 48 | 80 |
| Dumont oat / Dacold Winter Rye | 11.4 | 40 | 65 | 49 | 83 |
| Dumont oat / Froststat Winter Triticale | 11.9 | 42 | 64 | 47 | 83 |
| Dumont oat / Roughrider W. wheat | 11.7 | 41 | 66 | 49 | 80 |
| Haybet Barley | 11.7 | 43 | 69 | 46 | 75 |
| Haybet barley / Dacold Winter Rye | 11.8 | 40 | 66 | 49 | 81 |
| Haybet barley / Froststat Winter Triticale | 11.8 | 41 | 65 | 49 | 82 |
| Haybet barley / Roughrider W. wheat | 12.0 | 41 | 68 | 48 | 77 |
| Trial Mean | 11.0 | 41 | 66 | 48 | 80 |
| C.V. % | 8.2 | 4.9 | 5.1 | 5.4 | 7.3 |
| LSD .05 | 1.5 | NS | NS | NS | NS |

CP =Crude Protein

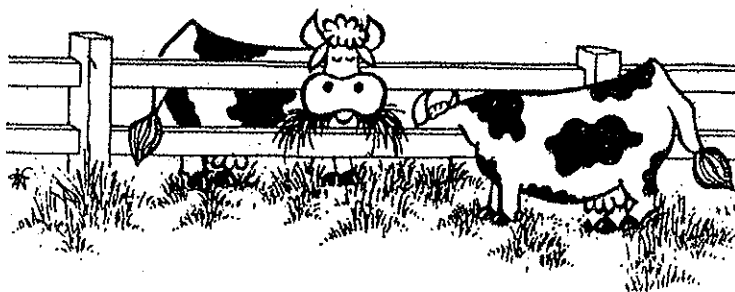
ADF = Acid Detergent Fiber

NDF = Neutral Detergent Fiber

TDN = Total Digestible Nutrients

RFV = Relative Feed Value

NS = No Statistical Difference



Wheat-Pea Tillage Trial, Wheat 2001

Dickinson, ND

| | Soil Moisture | Plant Stand | Tillers per Plant | Growth Stage | Days to Head | Spike Count | Residue |
|-----------------|------------------|----------------|-------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|----------------|---------|
| | feet | plants/acre | | leaves | | spikes/acre | % |
| Tillage | | | | | | | |
| Conventional | 1.3 | 558,922 | 3.2 | 8.8 | 64 | 1,278,259 | 21 |
| Reduced | 1.4 | 690,493 | 3.9 | 9.3 | 63 | 1,619,837 | 33 |
| None | 2.1 | 962,237 | 2.7 | 8.9 | 63 | 1,804,542 | 94 |
| F-test | * | * | NS | NS | NS | * | * |
| Rotation | | | | | | | |
| Wheat/Pea | 1.5 | 739,157 | 3.4 | 9.0 | 63 | 1,600,776 | 41 |
| Wheat/Wheat | 1.7 | 735,277 | 3.0 | 9.0 | 63 | 1,534,316 | 58 |
| F-test | NS | NS | NS | NS | NS | NS | * |
| Trial Mean | 1.6 | 737,217 | 3.2 | 9.0 | 63 | 1,567,546 | 49 |
| C.V.% | 21.3 | 12.3 | 24.6 | 9.7 | 3.4 | 9.4 | 14 |

* = significant at the P<.05 level

NS = not significant

Wheat-Pea Tillage Trial, Wheat 2001

Dickinson, ND

| | Plant Height | Yield | Test Weight | Protein | Seeds per Pound | Returns |
|-----------------|-----------------|-------|----------------|---------|-----------------------|---------|
| | inches | bu/ac | lbs/bu | % | | \$/ac |
| Tillage | | | | | | |
| Conventional | 34 | 46.5 | 56.8 | 15.5 | 16,020 | 131.71 |
| Reduced | 34 | 47.0 | 57.3 | 15.2 | 17,327 | 133.23 |
| None | 35 | 55.9 | 58.8 | 14.3 | 16,677 | 151.38 |
| F-test | NS | * | * | * | NS | NS |
| Rotation | | | | | | |
| Wheat/Pea | 35 | 53.7 | 57.9 | 15.0 | 16,391 | 149.10 |
| Wheat/Wheat | 33 | 45.9 | 57.3 | 15.0 | 16,958 | 128.45 |
| F-test | * | * | NS | NS | NS | * |
| Trial Mean | 34 | 49.8 | 57.6 | 15.0 | 16,675 | 138.78 |
| C.V.% | 2.6 | 8.5 | 1.7 | 2.7 | 5.5 | 10.5 |

* = significant at the P<.05 level

NS = not significant

Wheat-Pea Tillage Trial, Pea 2001

Dickinson, ND

| | Height | Test Weight | Crude Protein | Grain Yield | | Returns | 2 Year Average |
|----------------|--------|-------------|---------------|-------------|-------|---------|----------------|
| | | | | 2000 | 2001 | | |
| | in | lbs/bu | % | lbs/ac | | \$/ac | lbs/ac |
| Tillage | | | | | | | |
| Conventional | 26.8 | 62.9 | 25.8 | 2,035 | 2,761 | 92.05 | 2,398 |
| Reduced | 25.5 | 62.1 | 25.3 | 2,611 | 2,762 | 92.05 | 2,687 |
| None | 26.5 | 62.8 | 25.1 | 3,472 | 3,011 | 100.37 | 3,242 |
| Trial Mean | 26.2 | 62.6 | 25.4 | 2,706 | 2,845 | 94.82 | 2,775 |
| C.V. % | 13.6 | 1.2 | 1.4 | 11.5 | 9.8 | 9.8 | -- |
| LSD .05 | NS | NS | NS | 539 | NS | NS | -- |

NS = not significant

Returns calculated using market value of \$2.00/bu

Wheat-Pea Tillage Trial, Pea 2001

Dickinson, ND

| | Seeds per Pound | Soil Moisture | Residue Cover | Plant Count | Days to Flower | Flower Duration |
|----------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|----------------|-----------------|
| | | feet | % | plants/acre | | days |
| Tillage | | | | | | |
| Conventional | 2,058 | 1.6 | 26 | 233,791 | 59 | 14 |
| Reduced | 2,046 | 1.6 | 58 | 264,153 | 58 | 15 |
| None | 2,050 | 2.4 | 93 | 260,105 | 60 | 14 |
| Trial Mean | 2,051 | 1.9 | 59 | 252,683 | 58.8 | 14.3 |
| C.V. % | 10.7 | 17.4 | 12.3 | 13.5 | 1.6 | 6.3 |
| LSD .05 | NS | 0.6 | 12 | NS | NS | NS |

NS = not significant

Wheat-Canola Tillage Trial, Wheat 2001

Dickinson, ND

| | Soil Moisture | Plant Stand | Tillers per plant | Growth Stage | Days to Head | Spike Count | Residue |
|-----------------|---------------|-------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|---------|
| | feet | plants/acre | | leaves | | spikes/acre | % |
| Tillage | | | | | | | |
| Conventional | 1.1 | 556,139 | 3.0 | 9.3 | 65 | 1,493,832 | 11 |
| Reduced | 1.6 | 659,371 | 3.8 | 9.1 | 63 | 1,523,869 | 29 |
| None | 1.8 | 870,896 | 2.6 | 9.3 | 61 | 1,727,623 | 88 |
| F-test | * | * | NS | NS | NS | NS | * |
| Rotation | | | | | | | |
| Wheat/Canola | 1.5 | 702,891 | 3.0 | 9.3 | 63 | 1,586,269 | 34 |
| Wheat/Wheat | 1.6 | 688,047 | 3.3 | 9.2 | 63 | 1,577,161 | 52 |
| F-test | NS | NS | NS | NS | NS | NS | * |
| Trial Mean | 1.5 | 695,469 | 3.1 | 9.2 | 63 | 1,581,715 | 43 |
| C.V.% | 17.8 | 18.0 | 31.9 | 5.1 | 2.5 | 18.4 | 18.1 |

* = significant at the P<.05 level

NS = not significant

Wheat-Canola Tillage Trial, Wheat 2001

Dickinson, ND

| | Plant Height | Yield | Test Weight | Protein | Seeds per Pound | Returns |
|-----------------|--------------|-------|-------------|---------|-----------------|---------|
| | inches | bu/ac | lbs/bu | % | | \$/ac |
| Tillage | | | | | | |
| Conventional | 32 | 37.6 | 56.8 | 16.3 | 17,066 | 108.31 |
| Reduced | 33 | 44.3 | 57.2 | 15.4 | 16,986 | 125.94 |
| None | 33 | 44.9 | 58.3 | 14.9 | 17,304 | 125.14 |
| F-test | NS | NS | * | * | NS | NS |
| Rotation | | | | | | |
| Wheat/Canola | 33 | 42.2 | 57.5 | 15.6 | 16,970 | 119.74 |
| Wheat/Wheat | 33 | 42.3 | 57.3 | 15.4 | 17,267 | 119.85 |
| F-test | NS | NS | NS | NS | NS | NS |
| Trial Mean | 24 | 42.3 | 57.4 | 15.5 | 17,119 | 119.79 |
| C.V.% | 2.3 | 10.9 | 2.0 | 2.3 | 7.3 | 11.5 |

* = significant at the P<.05 level

NS = not significant

| | |
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| Wheat-Canola Tillage Trial, Canola 2001 | Dickinson, ND |
|--|----------------------|

| | Residue Cover | Test Weight | Oil @ 8.5% Moisture | Grain Yield | | 2 Year Average |
|----------------|---------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|------|----------------|
| | | | | 2000 | 2001 | |
| | % | lbs/bu | % | lbs/ac | | lbs/ac |
| Tillage | | | | | | |
| Conventional | 16 | 46.3 | 43.3 | 391 | 926 | 659 |
| Reduced | 39 | 46.2 | 43.9 | 638 | 999 | 819 |
| None | 85 | 47.6 | 44.2 | 860 | 1117 | 989 |
| Trial Mean | 47 | 46.7 | 43.8 | 630 | 1014 | 822 |
| C.V. % | 35.2 | 4.3 | 2.9 | 23.8 | 20.2 | -- |
| LSD .05 | 28 | NS | NS | NS | NS | -- |

NS = not significant

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| Wheat-Canola Tillage Trial, Canola 2001 | Dickinson, ND |
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| | Seeds per Pound | Soil Moisture | Days to Flower | Flower Duration | Plant Count |
|----------------|-----------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|
| | | | | | |
| Tillage | | | | | |
| Conventional | 142,028 | 1.4 | 55 | 21 | 400,278 |
| Reduced | 142,218 | 1.3 | 53 | 22 | 268,202 |
| None | 143,841 | 1.8 | 50 | 24 | 248,466 |
| Trial Mean | 142,696 | 2 | 53 | 22 | 305,649 |
| C.V. % | 6.8 | 21.3 | 2.1 | 9.0 | 29.5 |
| LSD .05 | NS | NS | 2 | NS | NS |

NS = not significant

| Rotation ¹ | Yield | Height | Seeds per Pound | Test Weight | Protein | Returns |
|-----------------------|-------|--------|-----------------------|----------------|---------|---------|
| | bu/ac | inches | | lbs/bu | % | \$/ac |
| Organic -(1) | 45.2 | 39 | 15,112 | 57.8 | 13.8 | 226.00* |
| Organic -(4) | 45.4 | 38 | 14,638 | 59.4 | 13.9 | 227.00* |
| Continuous | 44.8 | 34 | 14,774 | 60.2 | 15.5 | 129.38 |
| Cool (1) | 46.5 | 39 | 14,880 | 60.1 | 14.9 | 130.61 |
| Cool (3) | 49.3 | 39 | 15,314 | 59.3 | 13.6 | 129.67 |
| Cool/Warm | 56.0 | 36 | 13,704 | 58.7 | 14.9 | 156.76 |
| Trial Mean | 47.9 | 37 | 14,737 | 59.3 | 14.4 | 131.02 |
| C.V. % | 10.9 | 7.3 | 4.6 | 2.1 | 5.4 | 12.9 |
| LSD .05 | 6.9 | NS | 887 | NS | 1.0 | 22.34 |

NS = No Statistical Difference

¹ **Organic** = (1) hard red spring(HRS) wheat + alfalfa - (2) alfalfa - (3) alfalfa plowdown - (4) HRS wheat - (5) corn - (6) oat + pea(hayed)

Continuous = HRS wheat grown continuously

Cool = (1) HRS wheat - (2) field pea - (3) HRS wheat - (4) canola

Cool/Warm = (1) HRS wheat - (2) field pea - (3) corn - (4) buckwheat

*Organic returns were calculated based on a \$5 per bushel rate.

Returns were calculated by multiplying the 2001 yield by protein premium or discount paid at the Southwest Grain Terminal located at Gladstone on September 17. The price paid on this date was \$2.74/bu, assuming that grain protein concentration was 14%. An additional \$.02/bu was paid for each additional 0.25% increase in grain protein up to 15% protein, where an additional \$0.5/bu was paid. An additional \$0.01/bu was paid for each additional 0.25% increase in grain protein up to 17%, above which an additional premium was not paid. Grain was discounted \$0.05/bu for each 0.25% reduction in grain protein from 14% to 11%, below which no additional discount was not assigned. Returns factored in discounts for grain with a test weight <58 lb/bu [-\$.01/bu for 0.5 lb/bu between 58 and 57 lb/bu; -\$.02/bu for 0.5 lb/bu between 57 and 55 lb/bu; -\$.03/bu for 0.5 lb/bu between 55 and 50 lb/bu; and -\$.04/bu for 0.5 lb/bu between 50 and 46 lb/bu].

2001 Long Term Weed Management Trial, Wheat

Dickinson, ND

| Treatment | Residue | Seeds per Pound | Plant Height | Yield | Test Weight |
|-------------------|---------|-----------------------|-----------------|-------|----------------|
| | % | | inches | bu/ac | lbs/bu |
| Conventional Till | 7 | 15,186 | 38 | 64.6 | 58.2 |
| No-Till | 97 | 14,543 | 39 | 64.9 | 58.6 |
| Low - input | 18 | 14,833 | 34 | 61.9 | 60.6 |
| Trial Mean | 41 | 14,854 | 37 | 63.8 | 59.2 |
| C.V. % | 11.6 | 7.6 | 7.3 | 9.6 | 3.3 |
| LSD .05 | 11 | NS | NS | NS | NS |

NS = not significant

2001 Long Term Weed Management Trial, Corn

Dickinson, ND

| Treatment | Harvest Moisture | Residue* | Silage Yield | | Plant Height |
|-------------------|---------------------|----------|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | | | Dry Matter Basis | 70% Moisture | |
| | % | % | tons/ac | tons/ac | inches |
| Conventional Till | 55 | 95 | 3.7 | 12.3 | 68 |
| No-Till | 50 | 95 | 4.2 | 14.1 | 72 |
| Low - input | 44 | 90 | 2.8 | 9.4 | 67 |
| Trial Mean | 49 | 93 | 3.6 | 11.9 | 69 |
| C.V. % | 10.3 | 5.5 | 20.2 | 20.2 | 4.7 |
| LSD .05 | NS | NS | NS | NS | NS |

NS = not significant

* Residue count for corn was done before tillage

Evaluation of Fungicides to Control Ascochyta in Chickpea Hettinger, North Dakota

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Dwelley chickpea was seeded on May 4. Seed was inoculated with rhizobia and treated with LSP and Apron prior to seeding. 50 lbs/acre 11-52-0 plus 10 lbs/acre 'Roughrider' (3 lbs/ac copper) fertilizer were applied with the seed. The first treatment application was on July 2 to chickpeas in early bloom. The second treatment application was on July 16 to chickpeas in late bloom. A third treatment application was applied on July 30 to chickpeas that were completely podded and developing peas. Treatments were applied with a tractor mounted CO₂ propelled plot sprayer delivering 17 gpa at 40psi through 8001 flat fan nozzles to a 5 foot wide area the length of 10 by 28 foot plots. The experiment was a randomized complete block design with four replications. Visual evaluations for ascochyta infection on crop leaves and pods were on July 13, July 23, July 30, August 6 and on August 13. The trial was harvested on September 6. Harvested seed was cleaned with a clipper mill to remove chaff and weed seeds and then graded according to seed size.

Summary

Weather conditions were ideal for ascochyta development during the month of July with 15 days of measurable precipitation totaling almost 4 ½ inches of rain. Hot and dry August weather conditions ceased the progression of ascochyta with only 2 days of measurable precipitation totaling 0.13 inches. Evaluations on July 13 showed minor levels of visual ascochyta on all treatments (data not shown). Split applications of BAS 500, BAS 516 and Quadris (trts 4 - 9) provided good season long control of ascochyta, had the highest seed yields, the highest test weights and the highest % of large seed. Split applications of Bravo WeatherStik and Bravo Zn (trts 20 & 21) also provided relatively good seed yields. The single early application of BAS 500 (trts 2 & 3) provided good initial ascochyta control but deteriorated as the season progressed. Seed yield, test weight, seed weight and % large seed from these two treatments were still significantly higher than the untreated check. The second application of BAS 500 (trts 4 & 5) significantly enhanced ascochyta control and seed yields over the single BAS 500 application (trts 2 & 3). Split applications of Bravo Ultrex and Topsin M were not effective in controlling ascochyta. The addition of Scalia to the Bravo Ultrex/Topsin M mixture (trts 12 & 24) did not significantly enhance ascochyta control or seed yield over the single product mixture (trts 10 & 13). Higher fungicide application rates did not significantly enhance ascochyta control or seed yields (trt 3 vs.2, trt 5 vs.4, trt 7 vs.9).

| Treatment | Product Rate oz/A | Ascochyta Rating | | | Seed Yield lbs/A | TWT lbs/bu | 1000 KWT g | Seed Size (mm) | | |
|-----------|---|------------------|------|------|------------------------|---------------|------------------|----------------|------|------|
| | | 7/23 | 7/30 | 8/6 | | | | 8/13 | >9 | 8-9 |
| # | Product | 0-9* | | | | | | % | | |
| 1 | Untreated | 3.0 | 5.2 | 6.8 | 7.5 | 462 | 256 | 26 | 29 | 45 |
| 2 | BAS 500 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 3.5 | 3.8 | 1306 | 408 | 70 | 20 | 10 |
| 3 | BAS 500 | 1.3 | 1.7 | 4.0 | 4.7 | 1156 | 383 | 55 | 26 | 19 |
| 4 | BAS 500 / BAS 500 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 1.8 | 1.2 | 1803 | 405 | 80 | 15 | 5 |
| 5 | BAS 500 / BAS 500 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.5 | 1.8 | 1725 | 411 | 80 | 14 | 6 |
| 6 | BAS 516 / BAS 516 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.5 | 1.2 | 1631 | 417 | 79 | 15 | 6 |
| 7 | Quadris / Quadris | 1.0 | 1.0 | 2.2 | 2.0 | 1794 | 400 | 78 | 15 | 7 |
| 8 | Quadris / BAS 516 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 1761 | 386 | 77 | 16 | 7 |
| 9 | Quadris / Quadris | 1.0 | 1.2 | 2.0 | 2.2 | 1643 | 425 | 77 | 16 | 7 |
| 10 | Bravo Ult / Bravo Ult | 2.0 | 3.0 | 5.5 | 6.2 | 806 | 346 | 45 | 29 | 26 |
| 11 | Bravo Ult / Quadris | 1.2 | 1.5 | 2.8 | 2.5 | 1543 | 430 | 75 | 16 | 9 |
| 12 | Scalia + Bravo Ult / Scalia + Bravo Ult | 1.5 | 2.2 | 4.0 | 4.8 | 1134 | 378 | 54 | 28 | 18 |
| 13 | Topsin M / Topsin M | 2.0 | 3.5 | 5.2 | 6.2 | 767 | 347 | 45 | 29 | 26 |
| 14 | Topsin M / Topsin M | 2.7 | 4.3 | 6.0 | 7.0 | 590 | 279 | 31 | 26 | 43 |
| 15 | Topsin M / Topsin M | 2.0 | 4.0 | 6.0 | 6.2 | 562 | 271 | 34 | 26 | 40 |
| 16 | Topsin M / Topsin M | 1.6 | 2.0 | 4.0 | 4.3 | 961 | 353 | 55 | 25 | 20 |
| 17 | Topsin M / Quadris / Topsin M | 2.2 | 1.8 | 2.8 | 2.5 | 1326 | 396 | 65 | 23 | 12 |
| 18 | Topsin M / Bravo Ult / Topsin M | 3.0 | 3.5 | 5.0 | 6.2 | 694 | 318 | 46 | 27 | 27 |
| 19 | Topsin M / Quadris / Bravo Ult | 1.8 | 2.0 | 3.5 | 3.8 | 1351 | 375 | 67 | 20 | 12 |
| 20 | Bravo WeatherStik / Bravo WeatherStik | 1.0 | 1.8 | 2.8 | 3.0 | 1444 | 426 | 70 | 19 | 11 |
| 21 | Bravo Zn / Bravo Zn | 1.3 | 1.3 | 2.3 | 4.0 | 1495 | 341 | 65 | 21 | 14 |
| 22 | BAS 500 + Topsin M | 1.2 | 2.5 | 3.8 | 5.2 | 1119 | 374 | 57 | 26 | 17 |
| 23 | Topsin M / BAS 500 | 2.5 | 1.8 | 2.5 | 3.0 | 1312 | 416 | 72 | 18 | 10 |
| 24 | Topsin M / Scalia | 1.3 | 2.7 | 4.0 | 4.7 | 907 | 354 | 44 | 31 | 25 |
| C.V. % | | 55.2 | 44.3 | 30.4 | 29.2 | 24.6 | 1.6 | 13.4 | 14.8 | 46.8 |
| LSD 5% | | 1.3 | 1.4 | 1.5 | 1.6 | 429 | 1.3 | 71 | 13 | 5 |

*Ascochyta Rating (0-9): 0 = no visual ascochyta on leaves or pods, 9 = dead plants

Seed Treatment Demonstration – Regent, ND 2001

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Summary: Nineteen registered and experimental seed treatments were evaluated for the control of fungal root and crown diseases on hard red spring wheat (*Triticum aestivum* L. c.v. Trenton) by comparing disease, growth, and yield parameters of treated plots to those in untreated check and fumigated plots in southwest North Dakota. Seed treatments with known activity against root rot tended to have greater seminal and crown root counts compared to the untreated check. Root mass and root color were significantly improved for selected seed treatments compared to the untreated check. Grain yield for the fumigated and three registered and experimental treatments was greater than the untreated check.

Methods: The demonstration was located on the August and Perry Kirschmann Farm near Regent, ND, at a site that had been in spring wheat continuously since 1993. Soil tests indicated that P, K, S, and Cl were adequate however nitrogen was required for an expected yield of 65 bushel per acre. Ammonium sulfate (21-0-0-24) was applied at the rate of 200 pounds per acre on May 5, 2001. Rainfall of over a quarter of an inch occurred shortly after application. Roundup (glyphosate) was applied May 3, 2001 preplant to control volunteer and emerged weeds. Trenton hard red spring wheat was treated with various seed treatment fungicides prior to planting (Table 1). Seed that was planted in the fumigated-check (FUMIGATED) and the check (CHECK) plot were untreated. A no-till drill with double disk openers was used to seed the plot.

A randomized complete block design with six replications was used in this demonstration. Plots were 10 feet wide by 45 feet long with a four foot buffer strip of winter wheat seeded between each plot. Plots to be fumigated were covered with a six mil clear plastic sheet, edges buried in trenches four to six inches deep to seal the covered area, and methyl bromide was metered through plastic hoses at the rate of one pound per 100 ft² (50 g m⁻²), on April 30, 2001. The fumigated plots remained covered for 48 hours after which time the plastic was removed.

Trenton hard red spring wheat was seeded on May 8, 2001 at a rate of 1.5 million seeds per acre. Post emergence weed control consisted of an application of a tank mix of 2/3 pint per acre Puma with 1 pint per acre Buctril, applied on May 27, 2001. A second post emergence herbicide application was required on June 13, 2001. One pint of Bronate was applied. In addition to the herbicide, two fluid ounces of Tilt fungicide was tank mixed with the Bronate for control of tan spot.

Root and crown samples from four plots per treatment were evaluated twice during the growing season. The first evaluation occurred between the six- and seven-leaf stage on June 12, and the second evaluation occurred at soft dough stage on July 31. During the second evaluation, selected plants were placed in a cooler and shipped overnight to the Plant Pest Diagnostic Laboratory at NDSU, Fargo, ND. Agar plate cultures were conducted on these selected root samples to determine fungi present.

Soil samples were taken from a check plot and a fumigated plot at the one-leaf and soft dough stages and submitted to Riberio Plant Lab Inc., Bainbridge Island, Washington, to determine the level of propagules per gram of soil for three species of fungi.

Rainfall was recorded on site using a RainWise electronic self-tipping bucket and a Hobo event logger. Air and soil temperatures were record with a Hobo H8 Pro Series temperature data logger.

Prior to harvest, mature plant height and head densities were determined. The plots were harvested on August 16, 2001 with a Massy Ferguson 8XP combine, which measured grain weight harvested, percent moisture of harvested grain, and test weight. Harvested area was measured and yields calculated. Protein was determined at Southwest Grain, Inc., Dickinson, ND. Grain yield, test weight, and protein were adjusted to a 12% moisture basis.

All data were statistically analyzed using SAS Statistical software version 6.12.

Results and Discussion: Grain yields (Table 2) for Raxil MD, Raxil MD extra, and Charter Max were significantly greater than that of the untreated CHECK but were significantly less than the FUMIGATED treatment. Products labeled for the control of root pathogens tended to produce higher yields than the CHECK. Reducing the application rate of Raxil MD (Raxil MD-L) did not improve grain yield significantly over the untreated CHECK. Treatments that contained an insecticide such as lindane or thiamethoxam yielded no more than registered treatments without the insecticide. Wireworms were not found at this site and therefore a response to insecticide would not be expected. However, producers should consider the use of insecticides in fields where wireworm infestations are thought to exist.

Test weight (Table 2) for a few of the experimental and registered products was significantly greater than the FUMIGATED treatment. These differences may have been due to the maturity of the plants in relation to moisture stress during grain fill. No significant differences in grain protein content were observed between the untreated CHECK and seed treatments.

Root Evaluations: Seminal and crown root counts (Table 3) tended to be greater for seed treatments registered for the control of root diseases but not significantly. Fewer lesions were noted on subcrown internode, root mass was larger and roots were healthier than the CHECK for seed treatments registered for the control of root disease (Table 4).

Root tissue samples analyzed indicated that Pythium, Fusarium, and Rhizoctonia were present. Symptoms found on the subcrown internodes were consistent with the type of lesions produced by *Bipolaris sorokiniana* L. (Common root rot) but no cultures of this disease from tissue samples submitted were found. Fungi propagule counts (Table 5) indicated that Fusarium levels were very high in non-fumigated soils at the beginning of the growing season. Not all Fusarium propagules detected by this analysis are pathogenic. Pythium propagule levels at the beginning of the season were approaching levels that are thought to cause economic losses and benefit from seed treatments that control Pythium. Rhizoctonia propagule levels were considered low and less likely to cause economic loss than Fusarium.

Implications of Demonstration: Seed treatments do provide some protection against root pathogens that infect wheat as evidenced by root and yield data in this demonstration. Fungicidal seed treatments with activity against Fusarium, Pythium, and common root rot tended to promote healthier root systems. Soil fumigation reduces soil-born pathogens and may modify nutrient availability in soil, both of which affects yield.

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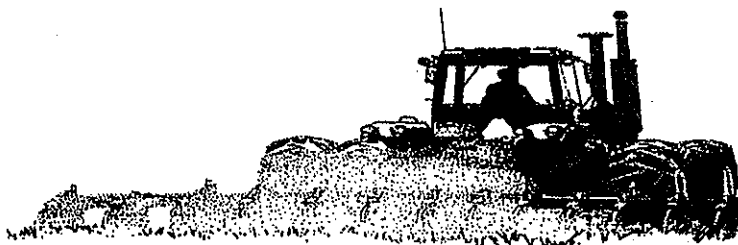


Table 1. Active ingredients of seed treatments used at Regent, ND, 2000.

| Treatment | Status | Active ingredient and percent concentration in product | Product application rate | Active on disease ¹ |
|------------------------------|-----------------------|--|--------------------------|--|
| Charter MAX | Not Registered in USA | Triticonazole 1.3 Metalaxyl 0.5 | 5.8 fl oz/cwt | NA ² |
| Charter PB | Not Registered in USA | Triticonazole 1.3 Thiram 13.0 | 5.5 fl oz/cwt | NA ² |
| DB Green L | Registered | Maneb 25.6 Lindane 8.6 | 5 fl oz/cwt | Seedling Blight |
| DB Green L + RR | Registered | Maneb 25.6 Imazalil 10.0 Lindane 8.6 | 5.6 fl oz/cwt | Seedling Blight, Common Root Rot |
| Dividend XL 1.6 FS | Registered | Difenoconazole 16.5 Mefenoxam 1.38 | 1 fl oz/cwt | Common Root Rot, Pythium, Seedling Blight, Loose Smut |
| RTU Vitavax - Thiram | Registered | Carboxin 10.0 Thiram 10.0 | 6.0 fl oz/cwt | Seedling Blight, Loose Smut |
| Raxil MD | Registered | Tebuconazole 0.48 Metalaxyl 0.64 | 5 fl oz/cwt | Seedling Blight, Pythium, Common Root Rot, Loose Smut |
| Raxil MD - L | Registered | Tebuconazole 0.48 Metalaxyl 0.64 | 3 fl oz wt/cwt | Seedling Blight, Pythium, Common Root Rot, Loose Smut |
| Gustafson Exp Trt #1 | Not Registered | NA | NA | NA |
| Syngenta Exp Trt #4 - #10 | Not Registered | NA | NA | NA |

¹ Registered seed treatment for wheat has activity on seed-borne and/or soil-borne pathogen that causes these diseases.

² NA = Not Available.

³ Lindane and Adage are insecticides.

Table 2. Grain yield, test weight, protein, height and head density at harvest of Trenton hard red spring wheat grown under various seed treatments, August and Perry Kirschmann Farm, Regent, ND, 2001.

| Treatment | ----- Grain ¹ ----- | | | | |
|---------------------------|--------------------------------|--------|-------|-------------|---------|
| | Head density | Height | Yield | Test weight | Protein |
| | no/yd ² | inches | bu/a | lb/bu | % |
| CHECK | 329.4 | 36.1 | 56.5 | 60.6 | 15.4 |
| FUMIGATED | 390.2 | 36.8 | 63.1 | 60.1 | 15.8 |
| Raxil MD | 329.6 | 36.9 | 59.0 | 60.4 | 15.5 |
| Raxil MD + Gaucho | 336.5 | 36.8 | 58.3 | 60.5 | 15.2 |
| Raxil MD extra | 325.5 | 37.1 | 59.1 | 60.4 | 15.5 |
| Gustafson Exp Trt #1 | 337.4 | 36.7 | 57.8 | 60.1 | 15.5 |
| RTU Vitavax + Thiram | 312.3 | 36.4 | 58.2 | 60.8 | 15.6 |
| DB Green L | 329.2 | 35.7 | 57.7 | 60.9 | 15.4 |
| DB Green L + RR II | 327.6 | 36.3 | 58.0 | 60.9 | 15.5 |
| Charter PB | 330.3 | 36.7 | 57.7 | 60.7 | 15.5 |
| Charter Max | 337.4 | 37.0 | 59.2 | 60.8 | 15.5 |
| Vitavax 200 + Flo Pro IMZ | 326.0 | 36.2 | 57.3 | 60.9 | 15.7 |
| Dividend XL | 318.4 | 37.0 | 58.2 | 60.7 | 15.3 |
| Raxil MD - L ² | 322.1 | 36.3 | 57.2 | 60.4 | 15.6 |
| Syngenta Exp Trt #4 | 325.3 | 36.8 | 57.3 | 60.3 | 15.6 |
| Syngenta Exp Trt #5 | 348.2 | 36.6 | 57.0 | 60.7 | 15.5 |
| Syngenta Exp Trt #6 | 332.2 | 35.9 | 58.2 | 60.4 | 15.6 |
| Syngenta Exp Trt #7 | 333.8 | 36.1 | 58.0 | 60.9 | 15.5 |
| Syngenta Exp Trt #8 | 338.1 | 35.5 | 58.2 | 60.9 | 15.4 |
| Syngenta Exp Trt #9 | 326.4 | 36.1 | 58.3 | 61.1 | 15.6 |
| Syngenta Exp Trt #10 | 342.9 | 36.0 | 57.9 | 61.0 | 15.6 |
| Mean | 333.3 | 36.4 | 58.2 | 60.6 | 15.5 |
| CV % | 7.3 | 2.6 | 3.3 | 0.8 | 1.8 |
| LSD _{.05} | 27.7 | NS | 2.2 | 0.6 | 0.3 |

1 All grain yields, test weights, and proteins are adjusted to 12% moisture basis.

2 Raxil MD - L is Raxil MD applied at a rate less than current labeled rate.

Table 3. Initial root and plant evaluations of Trenton hard red spring wheat with various seed treatments, August and Perry Kirschmann Farm, Regent, ND, 2001.

| Treatment | Development | | Tillers no./plant | Subcrown internode rating ² | Seminal roots no./plant | Crown roots no./plant |
|---------------------------|-------------|---------------------------|----------------------|---|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| | stage | Length ¹ mm | | | | |
| CHECK | 6.4 | 385.1 | 2.9 | 1.45 | 4.9 | 9.9 |
| FUMIGATED | 6.6 | 431.2 | 3.6 | 1.33 | 5.6 | 14.1 |
| Raxil MD | 6.4 | 402.9 | 3.1 | 1.13 | 4.8 | 11.5 |
| Raxil MD + Gaucho | 6.3 | 400.3 | 2.6 | 1.00 | 5.0 | 9.4 |
| Raxil MD extra | 6.5 | 396.0 | 2.8 | 1.00 | 5.3 | 10.2 |
| Gustafson Exp Trt #1 | 6.3 | 399.2 | 2.9 | 1.25 | 5.3 | 10.3 |
| RTU Vitavax – Thiram | 6.4 | 404.1 | 2.6 | 1.10 | 5.5 | 10.3 |
| DB Green L | 6.3 | 373.0 | 3.1 | 1.00 | 4.9 | 8.9 |
| DB Green L + RR II | 6.2 | 384.3 | 3.0 | 1.03 | 5.6 | 10.7 |
| Charter PB | 6.2 | 388.4 | 3.2 | 1.03 | 5.6 | 9.4 |
| Charter Max | 6.3 | 393.4 | 3.4 | 1.00 | 5.0 | 10.1 |
| Vitavax 200 + Flo Pro IMZ | 6.1 | 370.3 | 3.5 | 1.45 | 5.3 | 8.9 |
| Dividend XL | 6.3 | 388.2 | 3.2 | 1.38 | 5.1 | 10.4 |
| Raxil MD – L ³ | 6.3 | 385.7 | 3.2 | 1.38 | 5.3 | 9.6 |
| Syngenta Exp Trt #4 | 6.2 | 380.8 | 3.1 | 1.18 | 5.3 | 9.6 |
| Syngenta Exp Trt #5 | 6.3 | 372.1 | 3.4 | 1.13 | 5.0 | 10.3 |
| Syngenta Exp Trt #6 | 6.1 | 365.8 | 3.3 | 1.10 | 5.3 | 9.0 |
| Syngenta Exp Trt #7 | 6.2 | 355.8 | 3.1 | 1.10 | 4.9 | 9.0 |
| Syngenta Exp Trt #8 | 6.1 | 376.2 | 3.1 | 1.20 | 4.5 | 10.0 |
| Syngenta Exp Trt #9 | 6.3 | 378.8 | 3.2 | 1.08 | 4.9 | 10.3 |
| Syngenta Exp Trt #10 | 6.3 | 395.2 | 3.2 | 1.10 | 5.2 | 11.2 |
| Mean | 6.3 | 387.0 | 3.1 | 1.16 | 5.1 | 10.1 |
| CV% | 2.3 | 4.4 | 16.7 | 20.4 | 8.4 | 11.7 |
| LSD .05 | 0.2 | 23.9 | NS | NS | 0.6 | 1.7 |

1 Length measured from the crown to the tip of the last fully extended leaf of the plant.

2 Subcrown internode rating, 1 to 4. 1 = less than 25% of the internode infected, 2 = 25 to 50% of the internode infected, 3 = 50 to 75% of the internode infected, multiple lesions, and 4 = 75 to 100% of the internode infected, lesions coalesced.

3 Raxil MD – L is Raxil MD applied at a rate less than the current labeled rate.

Table 4. Root evaluation at the soft dough stage, August and Perry Kirschmann Farm, Regent, ND, 2001.

| Treatment | Subcrown internode | | |
|---------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| | rating ¹ | Root color ² | Root Mass ³ |
| CHECK | 1.87 | 2.30 | 2.42 |
| FUMIGATED | 1.55 | 1.84 | 3.08 |
| Raxil MD | 1.41 | 2.09 | 2.63 |
| Raxil MD + Gaucho | 1.40 | 2.16 | 2.45 |
| Raxil MD extra | 1.37 | 2.12 | 2.52 |
| Gustafson Exp Trt #1 | 1.25 | 2.07 | 2.73 |
| RTU Vitavax + Thiram | 1.80 | 2.36 | 2.27 |
| DB Green L | 1.98 | 2.30 | 2.40 |
| DG Green L + RR II | 1.37 | 2.39 | 2.56 |
| Charter PB | 1.51 | 2.21 | 2.62 |
| Charter Max | 1.60 | 2.09 | 2.70 |
| Vitavax 200 + Flo Pro IMZ | 1.42 | 2.22 | 2.57 |
| Dividend XL | 1.40 | 2.06 | 2.59 |
| Raxil MD - L ⁴ | 1.80 | 2.28 | 2.24 |
| Syngenta Exp Trt #4 | 1.66 | 2.02 | 2.59 |
| Syngenta Exp Trt #5 | 1.65 | 2.12 | 2.71 |
| Syngenta Exp Trt #6 | 1.69 | 2.07 | 2.65 |
| Syngenta Exp Trt #7 | 1.83 | 2.19 | 2.52 |
| Syngenta Exp Trt #8 | 1.45 | 2.19 | 2.51 |
| Syngenta Exp Trt #9 | 1.44 | 2.08 | 2.66 |
| Syngenta Exp Trt #10 | 1.84 | 2.11 | 2.68 |
| Mean | 1.58 | 2.16 | 2.58 |
| CV% | 16.0 | 5.9 | 6.7 |
| LSD .05 | 0.36 | 0.18 | 0.25 |

1 Subcrown internode rating, 1-4. 1 = less than 25% internode infected, 2 = 25 - 50% of internode infected, 3 = 51-75% infected, multiple lesions, and 4 = 75-100% of internode infected, lesions coalesced.

2 Root color index, 1 to 4. 1 = white and 4 = dark brown.

3 Root mass 1 to 4. 1 = few roots and 4 = substantial root system.

4 Raxil MD - L is Raxil MD applied at a rate less than current labeled rate.

Table 5. Soil-borne pathogen survey of the August and Perry Kirschmann site, Regent, ND, 2001.

| Pathogen | May 16 | | August 5 | |
|-------------|---|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| | Fumigated | Natural | Fumigated | Natural |
| | ----- Propagules g ⁻¹ soil ----- | | | |
| Fusarium | 90 (VL) | 1760 (VH) | 110 (L) | 1840 (VH) |
| Pythium | 280 (L) | 360 (M) | 320 (M) | 300 (M) |
| Rhizoctonia | 0 | 10 (L) | 0 | 10 (L) |

(VL) = very low number of propagules of pathogen isolated per gram of soil sample tested; (L) = low numbers; (M) = moderate numbers; (H) = high numbers; (VH) = very high numbers of propagules isolated.

2001 Reduced Rates and Application Timing of Wild Oat Herbicides at Hettinger.

(Eriksmoen) The objective of this trial was to look at the relationship between various rates of wild oat herbicides applied at 3 different growth stages of HRSW. Reeder HRSW was planted on April 26. The first post-applied treatments were applied to 1 leaf wheat and to 1 leaf wild oats on May 8 with 65 deg. F, 26% RH, sunny sky and 10 mph wind. The second post-applied treatments were applied to 3 leaf wheat and to 1 to 3 leaf wild oats on May 17 with 44 deg. F, 53% RH, sunny sky and 12 mph wind. The third post-applied treatments were applied to 5 leaf wheat and to 2 to 5 leaf wild oats on June 11 with 63 deg. F, 44% RH, sunny sky and 5 mph wind. All treatments were applied with a tractor mounted CO₂ propelled plot sprayer delivering 17 gpa at 40 psi through 8001 flat fan nozzles to a 5 foot wide area the length of 10 by 22 foot plots. The trial was sprayed with 10 ounces/Ac Starane + 1 pint/Ac Buctril + 1/3 ounce/Ac Express on June 7 to control broadleaf weeds. The experiment was a randomized complete block design with four replications. Wild oat populations were 8 plants per sq. foot on May 8, 38 plants per sq. foot on May 17 and 44 plants per sq. foot on June 11. Evaluations for wild oat control were on June 12 for the first two application dates and on July 3 for the third application date. The trial sustained severe hail damage on June 18 and was not harvested.

Summary

Crop injury was not observed on any treatment (data not shown). All treatments applied at the one leaf growth stage provided poor season long wild oat control, although there does appear to be some residual control with the Everest treatments. Wild oats at the first application were still emerging and the crop did not provide much competition. Wild oat control with Puma treatments tended to increase with the higher rates and later applications. Everest treatments were very effective at controlling wild oats at all treatment rates when applied at the 3 leaf stage. Everest treatments were less effective when applied at the 5 leaf stage than at the 3 leaf stage. Discover treatments provided excellent wild oat control at all three treatment rates when applied at the 3 and 5 leaf stages. The 5.25 ounce per acre rate of Achieve had better wild oat control (although not significantly) than the 7 ounce per acre rate when applied at the 3 and 5 leaf stages. The trial sustained severe hail damage on June 18 and was not harvested.



2001 Reduced Rates and Application Timing of Wild Oat Herbicides at Hettinger.

| App. Timing | Treatment | Product Rate | Wild Oat RateBasis | Wild Oat Control |
|-------------|---------------------|------------------|--------------------|------------------|
| HRSW | | oz/acre | | % |
| 1 leaf | Puma | 10.6 | Full | 2 |
| 1 leaf | Puma | 7.9 | 3/4 | 0 |
| 1 leaf | Puma | 5.3 | 1/2 | 2 |
| 3 leaf | Puma | 10.6 | Full | 72 |
| 3 leaf | Puma | 7.9 | 3/4 | 59 |
| 3 leaf | Puma | 5.3 | 1/2 | 25 |
| 5 leaf | Puma | 10.6 | Full | 92 |
| 5 leaf | Puma | 7.9 | 3/4 | 82 |
| 5 leaf | Puma | 5.3 | 1/2 | 62 |
| 1 leaf | Everest + NIS* | 0.60 + 0.25% | Full | 40 |
| 1 leaf | Everest + NIS | 0.45 + 0.25% | 3/4 | 31 |
| 1 leaf | Everest + NIS | 0.30 + 0.25% | 1/2 | 25 |
| 3 leaf | Everest + NIS | 0.60 + 0.25% | Full | 90 |
| 3 leaf | Everest + NIS | 0.45 + 0.25% | 3/4 | 89 |
| 3 leaf | Everest + NIS | 0.30 + 0.25% | 1/2 | 88 |
| 5 leaf | Everest + NIS | 0.60 + 0.25% | Full | 62 |
| 5 leaf | Everest + NIS | 0.45 + 0.25% | 3/4 | 84 |
| 5 leaf | Everest + NIS | 0.30 + 0.25% | 1/2 | 72 |
| 1 leaf | Discover + DSV* | 3.20 + 12.8 | Full | 10 |
| 1 leaf | Discover + DSV | 2.40 + 12.8 | 3/4 | 18 |
| 1 leaf | Discover + DSV | 1.60 + 12.8 | 1/2 | 1 |
| 3 leaf | Discover + DSV | 3.20 + 12.8 | Full | 90 |
| 3 leaf | Discover + DSV | 2.40 + 12.8 | 3/4 | 90 |
| 3 leaf | Discover + DSV | 1.60 + 12.8 | 1/2 | 86 |
| 5 leaf | Discover + DSV | 3.20 + 12.8 | Full | 95 |
| 5 leaf | Discover + DSV | 2.40 + 12.8 | 3/4 | 95 |
| 5 leaf | Discover + DSV | 1.60 + 12.8 | 1/2 | 92 |
| 1 leaf | Achieve + SC*+ AMS* | 7.0 + 0.5% + 1% | Full | 12 |
| 1 leaf | Achieve + SC+ AMS | 5.25 + 0.5% + 1% | 3/4 | 2 |
| 1 leaf | Achieve + SC+ AMS | 3.50 + 0.5% + 1% | 1/2 | 6 |
| 3 leaf | Achieve + SC+ AMS | 7.0 + 0.5% + 1% | Full | 71 |
| 3 leaf | Achieve + SC+ AMS | 5.25 + 0.5% + 1% | 3/4 | 84 |
| 3 leaf | Achieve + SC+ AMS | 3.50 + 0.5% + 1% | 1/2 | 75 |
| 5 leaf | Achieve + SC+ AMS | 7.0 + 0.5% + 1% | Full | 81 |
| 5 leaf | Achieve + SC+ AMS | 5.25 + 0.5% + 1% | 3/4 | 89 |
| 5 leaf | Achieve + SC+ AMS | 3.50 + 0.5% + 1% | 1/2 | 52 |
| C.V. % | | | | 32.9 |
| LSD 5% | | | | 25 |
| # of Reps | | | | 4 |

*NIS=non ionic surfactant, DSV adjuvant, SC=super charge, AMS=ammonium sulfate.

2001 Corn Herbicide Trial at Hettinger. (Eriksmoen) Pre-plant incorporated treatments were applied on May 17 and then planted on the same day. Post applied treatments were applied to 4 leaf corn and to 1 to 5 leaf wild oats and to 1 inch to 6 inch field bindweed on June 12 with 57 deg. F, 74% RH, cloudy sky and 6 mph wind. Treatments were applied with a tractor mounted CO2 propelled plot sprayer delivering 17 gpa at 40 psi through 8001 flat fan nozzles to a 5 foot wide by 20 foot long area. The experiment was a randomized complete block design with four replications. The trial sustained severe hail damage on June 18. Evaluations were on July 3 and on July 18 for weed control. The trial was not harvested.

| Application Timing | Treatment | Product Rate | July 3 | | July 18 | |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|------|---------|------|
| | | | Wioa | Fibw | Wioa | Fibw |
| | | oz/acre | ----- % Control ----- | | | |
| PPI | DoublePlay | 96 | 76 | 0 | 90 | 1 |
| PPI | Define | 18 | 80 | 0 | 75 | 0 |
| PPI | Balance Pro | 2.25 | 45 | 0 | 65 | 6 |
| POST | Accent + Banvel + Quad 7 | 0.67 + 8 + 1% | 99 | 85 | 99 | 81 |
| POST | Basis + Callisto + Quad 7 | 0.33 + 3 + 1% | 98 | 61 | 98 | 35 |
| POST | Outlook + MVO | 11 + 1% | 0 | 2 | 12 | 0 |
| POST | Steadfast + Quad 7 | 0.75 + 1% | 99 | 18 | 99 | 4 |
| POST | Accent Gold + MVO | 2.9 + 1% | 99 | 50 | 99 | 28 |
| POST | Hornet + Accent + NIS | 2 + 0.67 + 0.25% | 96 | 61 | 90 | 28 |
| POST | Callisto + Accent + MSO + AMS | 3 + 0.67 + 1% + 1% | 99 | 52 | 99 | 32 |
| POST | Distinct + Accent + NIS + AMS | 6 + 0.67 + 0.25% + 1% | 94 | 89 | 88 | 86 |
| POST | Permit + Accent + NIS + AMS | 0.67 + 0.67 + 0.25% + 1% | 99 | 1 | 99 | 2 |
| POST | Starane + Accent + NIS + AMS | 10.7 + 0.67 + 0.25% + 1% | 99 | 58 | 99 | 70 |
| | Untreated | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| C.V. % | | | 10.2 | 35.7 | 11.9 | 56.3 |
| LSD 5% | | | 11 | 17 | 14 | 21 |
| # of Reps | | | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 |

Summary

Crop injury was not observed on any treatment (data not shown). DoublePlay, Basis, Steadfast, Accent and Accent Gold treatments had very good season long wild oat control. Outlook and Balance Pro treatments provided poor wild oat control. Treatments containing Banvel, Distinct and Starane provided good season long control of field bindweed.

2001 Broadleaf Weed Control in Spring Wheat at Hettinger. (Eriksmoen) Reeder hard red spring wheat was seeded on April 26. Treatments were applied to 3 ½ leaf wheat and to ½ inch tall kochia on May 25 with 47 F, 78 % RH, clear sky and 5 mph wind. There was a light frost 2 ½ hours prior to application. Treatments were applied with a tractor mounted CO2 propelled plot sprayer delivering 17 gpa at 40psi through 8001 flat fan nozzles to a 5 foot wide area the length of 10 by 28 foot plots. The experiment was a randomized complete block design with four replications. Kochia population was 24 plants per sq. foot. The trial was sprayed with 10 oz/A Puma on June 7 to control wild oats. Evaluations for crop injury were on May 29 and June 7, and for kochia control on June 12 and July 30. The trial was severely damaged by hail on June 18 and was not harvested.

| Treatment | Product Rate | 5/29 | 6/7 | 6/12 | 7/30 |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|----------|------|-----------|------|
| | | HRSW | HRSW | Kocz | Kocz |
| | | % Injury | | % Control | |
| 1 Fluroxypyr | 0.25 | 0 | 0 | 86 | 70 |
| 2 Fluroxypyr | 0.5 | 0 | 0 | 94 | 86 |
| 3 Fluroxypyr | 1 | 0 | 0 | 94 | 89 |
| 4 Fluroxypyr | 1.5 | 0 | 0 | 95 | 79 |
| 5 Fluroxypyr | 2 | 0 | 5 | 95 | 82 |
| 6 Brox & MCPA (4 lb formulation) | 8 | 0 | 1 | 95 | 94 |
| 7 Brox & MCPA (5 lb formulation) | 8 | 2 | 1 | 95 | 92 |
| 8 Fluroxypyr & MCPA | 8 | 0 | 2 | 95 | 95 |
| 9 Fluroxypyr & 2,4-D | 7.5 | 1 | 0 | 95 | 94 |
| 10 Dicamba + MCPA | 1.5 + 4 | 2 | 7 | 95 | 94 |
| 11 Thif & Trib + Flox & MCPA | 0.22 + 5.4 | 6 | 3 | 95 | 94 |
| 12 Thif&Trib+Carf+MCPA+Act 90+UAN | 0.22+0.128+4+.25%+4% | 6 | 5 | 95 | 94 |
| 13 Carf + MCPA + Act 90 + UAN | 0.128 + 6 + .25% + 4% | 14 | 4 | 94 | 95 |
| 14 Carf + Flox & MCPA + Act 90 + UAN | 0.128 + 5.6 + .25% + 4% | 15 | 0 | 95 | 91 |
| 15 Untreated | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| C.V. % | | 47.9 | 230 | 2.6 | 14.7 |
| LSD 5% | | 2 | ns | 3 | 17 |

Summary

Carfentrazone treatments (trts 13 & 14) caused significant but temporary crop injury (chlorosis). All herbicide treatments provided excellent season long kochia control except for the low rate of Fluroxypyr (trt 1) and the two high rates of Fluroxypyr (trts 4 & 5) which had good initial levels of control but declined after that point.

2001 Wild Oat Control in Spring Wheat at Hettinger. (Eriksmoen) Reeder hard red spring wheat was seeded on April 26. Treatments were applied to 3 ½ leaf wheat and to 2 to 3 ½ leaf wild oats on May 25 with 40 F, 96 % RH, clear sky and 2 mph wind. There was a light frost 2 hours prior to application. Treatments were applied with a tractor mounted CO2 propelled plot sprayer delivering 17 gpa at 40psi through 8001 flat fan nozzles to a 5 foot wide area the length of 10 by 28 foot plots. The experiment was a randomized complete block design with four replications. Wild oat population was 47 plants per sq. foot. The trial was sprayed with 10 oz/A Starane + 1 pt/A Buctril + 1/3 oz/A Express on June 7 to control Broadleaf weeds. Evaluations for crop injury were on June 7, and for wild oat control on June 12, July 3 and on July 18. The trial was severely damaged by hail on June 18 and was not harvested.

| Treatment | Product Rate | 6/12 | 7/3 | 7/18 |
|---|-----------------------|-----------------------|------|------|
| | | Wioa | Wioa | Wioa |
| | oz/A | ----- % Control ----- | | |
| 1 Immb+Thif&Trib+Act 90 | 5+0.22+0.25% | 76 | 85 | 96 |
| 2 Dife+Thif&Trib | 12+0.22 | 68 | 60 | 50 |
| 3 Tral+Brox&MCPA+Supercharge+AMS | 2.9+8+0.5%+20.4 | 85 | 85 | 81 |
| 4 Clodinafop+Brox&MCPA+DSV | 0.8+8+0.8% | 90 | 90 | 85 |
| 5 Fenoxaprop+Brox&MCPA | 1.32+8 | 72 | 76 | 82 |
| 6 Flcz+Thif&Trib+2,4-Dioe+Act 90 | 0.42+0.22+4+0.25% | 90 | 94 | 99 |
| 7 Immb+Dife+Thif&Trib+Act 90 | 3.7+8+0.22+0.25% | 78 | 74 | 88 |
| 8 Flcz+Fenoxaprop+Brox&MCPA+Act 90 | 0.28+0.48+8+0.25% | 86 | 91 | 92 |
| 9 Flcz+Fenoxaprop+Brox&MCPA+Act 90 | 0.28+0.66+8+0.25% | 91 | 88 | 92 |
| 10 Flucarbazone+Fenoxaprop+Brox&MCPA | 0.28+0.66+8 | 78 | 94 | 96 |
| 11 Flcz+Clodinafop+Brox&MCPA+DSV+Act 90 | 0.28+0.5+8+0.8%+0.25% | 89 | 96 | 97 |
| 12 Untreated | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| C.V. % | | 16.3 | 18.3 | 13.1 |
| LSD 5% | | 18 | 20 | 15 |

Summary

Crop injury was not observed on any treatment (data not shown). The difenzoquat treatment (trt 2) had poor season long wild oat control and had significantly lower wild oat control than the other treatments. Flucarbazone treatments (trts 6, 8, 9, 10 & 11) provided excellent season long wild oat control. Flucarbazone tank mix partners did not enhance or decrease wild oat control.

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