K-State Wheat Variety Demonstration Plots

Wallace County

Plot Location: 3 miles west of Weskan, 6 mi south

Cooperator: E & H Farms



| Variety       |            |                | Yield | Test Weight | Moisture | Protein | Yie  | eld  |             |
|---------------|------------|----------------|-------|-------------|----------|---------|------|------|-------------|
|               |            |                | bu/ac | lb/bu       | %        | %       | 2019 | 2017 | 3 year avg  |
| Avery         |            | Colorado State | 44.0  | 56.9        | 12.4     | 12.2    | 72.2 | 26.6 | 47.6        |
| KS Dallas     |            | K-State        | 41.8  | 58.8        | 12.3     | 11.9    | -    | -    | -           |
| WB4792        |            | WestBred       | 38.5  | 59.8        | 12.3     | 12.0    | -    | -    | -           |
| TAM 114       |            | Agseco         | 38.4  | 57.2        | 12.5     | 12.8    | 61.8 | 24.8 | 41.7        |
| Langin        |            | Colorado State | 38.3  | 57.8        | 12.9     | 11.7    | 76.5 | 37.8 | 50.9        |
| TAM 115       |            |                | 37.5  | 59.8        | 12.1     | 13.6    | -    | -    | -           |
| LCS Fusion AX | CoAXium    | LimaGrain      | 37.3  | 56.6        | 12.6     | 12.8    | 75.1 | -    | -           |
| Tatanka       |            | K-State        | 36.1  | 56.8        | 12.8     | 12.1    | 61.8 | 26.7 | 41.5        |
| LCS Chrome    |            | LimaGrain      | 35.1  | 56.9        | 12.7     | 13.7    | 66.6 | 12.8 | 38.2        |
| WB Grainfield |            | WestBred       | 34.0  | 59.6        | 12.7     | 12.7    | 62.3 | 18.9 | 38.4        |
| Oakley CL     | Clearfield | K-State        | 32.9  | 58.4        | 12.5     | 13.5    | 65.6 | 33.4 | 44.0        |
| LCS Revere    |            | LimaGrain      | 31.8  | 57.5        | 12.6     | 12.2    | 65.7 | -    | -           |
| Average       |            |                | 63.9  | 58.0        | 12.5     | 12.6    | 63.9 | 23.8 | (plot avgs) |

Drilled: 9/30/19
50 lbs at 1.5" deep
No-till wheat - corn - fallow rotation

## Fertilizer:

60 pounds of 40 Rock prior to drilling Topdress nitrogen

Harvest: 7/10/20

## Overview of the plot:

- The plot had a decent stand. Although, dry conditions in October and a cold snap in November did not help the establishment of many fall tillers.
- Two cold events in April caused tiller loss and set back the growth of the wheat. Smaller wheat was more affected by the cold temperatures with increased loss of tillers, compared to larger wheat.
- High temperatures and several days of wind from both north and south directions, during rain fill stressed the wheat.

Solid and semi-solid stemmed varieties may be useful in the fight against wheat stem sawfly (currently found in NE Colorado)

CoAXium and Clearfield wheat varieties can be sprayed with herbicides to control grassy and some broadleaf weeds.

CoAxium wheat can be sprayed with Aggressor herbicide. Clearfield wheat can be sprayed with Beyond herbicide (1- and 2-gene). Check herbicide labels and variety information prior to spraying.

A big THANK YOU to E&H Farms for being great wheat plot cooperators!

This data is from demonstration plots. It should be used with replicated performance test data for variety selection.

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