2019

Ontario Winter Wheat Performance Trials – *Area 5*

Data collected 2018-2019 www.gocereals.ca



Conducted by the Ontario Cereal Crop Committee

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All of the winter wheat performance trials conducted by the Ontario Cereal Crops Committee in Southern and Eastern Ontario were severely affected by the prolonged wet weather during fall 2018 and spring 2019. Additionally two locations were not planted in fall 2018. Many of the remaining locations were either lost over the winter, or the tests were discarded because of concerns over variable stands and reliable data. Consequently, there was limited if any data for Areas 1,2 and 3. Both trials in Area 5 (Northern Ontario) produced reliable data, but harvest was extremely delayed.

As a result of this outcome, the OCCC did not publish a full 2019 Winter Cereals Performance Trials Report. This report for Area 5 was released as soon as data became available. Growers looking for variety information for Area 1,2 and 3 were advised to use the 2018 report as their guide in selecting varieties for planting in fall 2019.

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This report has been prepared by the Ontario Cereal Crop Committee and contains the most recent varietal information on winter wheat that was planted in 2018 and harvested in 2019

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Additional information is available at www.gocereals.ca, including

- Map with area and individual locations
- Head to Head comparisons which give multi-year data
- Historical Performance reports

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Table 6 - Ontario Winter Wheat Performance Trial; Cumulative Yield Index¹
Summary for Area V ², OCCC, August 2019

Class ³	Variety	2 year	2019
srw	CM614	99 ⁴	100
	Marker	109	105
	Blaze (awned)	104	101
	Branson		100
	DS572SRW		101
	B654SRW		105
	Measure (awned)		98
hrw	Priesley	104	103
	AC Morley	96	86
	Lexington (awned)	91	99
	PRO 81 (awned)	112	106
	Adrianus (awned)		101
efw	Frontenac	105	101
Means (t/ha)		6.89	8.29
Means (bu/ac)		102	123
Location-Years		3	2

¹ Values differing by less than 3 within a column may not represent true differences in yield. Yield Indices are Heritability Adjusted Relative Values (HARV), which favour results from trial locations with high repeatability. For more information, see: Yan, W. Use of HARV in Variety Trial Summaries.

⁴ Cultivar yield rankings may vary from year to year. Decisions are therefore best made using data with the greatest number of years.





PBR Status; indicates varieties protected under PBR 91 or PBR 78. Visit pbrfacts.ca to learn more.

² Area V : see map of areas on www.gocereals.ca/variety_trial.php

³ sww = soft white winter, srw = soft red winter, hrw = hard red winter, efw = eastern feed winter.

Table 6a - Ontario Winter Wheat Performance Trial - Cumulative Yield Indices¹
Intensive Trials Summary for Area V ², OCCC, August 2019

			r Index icides	2019 Index Fungicides		
Class ³	Variety	No	Yes	No	Yes	
srw	Branson			100⁴	104	
	CM614	97	99	96	99	
	Marker			107	104	
	DS572SRW	100	102	102	109	
	Measure (awned)			97	99	
	B654SRW (9)	100	102	104	103	
	Blaze (awned)			104	103	
hrw	AC Morley			84	86	
	Priesley	102	99	99	99	
	Lexington (awned)			102	101	
	PRO 81 (awned)			105	103	
	Adrianus (awned)			103	101	
efw	Frontenac			96	97	
Means (t/ha)	8.56	8.54	9.46	9.57	
Means (bu/a	•	127	127	141	142	
Location-Ye	ears		2	1		

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Fungicide treatments included a T1 application of foliar fungicide at Zadoks Growth Stage 30 to 31, followed by a T3 application of fusarium fungicide during flowering.

The OCCC thanks the Grain Farmers of Ontario, BASF, Bayer and Syngenta for their financial support towards the intensive trials.



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Table 6b - Ontario Winter Wheat Performance Trials; Varietal Characteristics Based on Data from Area V OCCC, August 2019

Variety ·	Fusarium Data			Test Weight	Protein	1000 Kernel Weight	Winter Survival	Lodging	Height	Heading Date ³	Leaf Septoria	Maturity Date	Straw Yield
	Combined Fusarium Rating ¹	Don Rating ¹	Years	(kg/hL)	(%)	(g)	(%)	(0-9) ²	(cm)	(JD)	(0-9) ²	(JD)	Index
Branson 🛞	S	MS	6	75.7	11.9	32.0	85	2.3	88	171	1.3	207	86
CM614	MS	MS	6	78.4	11.8	37.0	82	1.5	95	173	1.3	208	91
Marker	MR	MR	6	75.2	11.2	30.4	85	0.0	92	173	1.8	208	105
DS572SRW 📵	S	HS	4	78.6	11.6	43.6	83	2.4	103	172	1.8	208	97
Measure	MS	MR	2	76.1	12.1	36.3	82	3.5	92	172	1.3	208	94
B654SRW 🗐	S	MS	3	76.2	11.2	36.6	85	0.7	94	172	2.5	207	97
Blaze	MR	MR	1	76.4	11.2	35.8	88	0.0	90	173	2.0	209	92
AC Morley	MR	MS	6	78.4	12.7	38.1	71	0.0	114	173	1.5	208	111
Priesley	S	S	6	77.2	12.4	39.6	90	0.0	88	172	1.8	210	100
Lexington (1)	MS	MR	1	77.9	13.0	42.4	84	0.5	92	173	2.8	209	107
PRO 81	MS	MS	1	79.7	12.6	33.6	94	0.0	102	172	1.5	210	116
Adrianus 🗐		-	-	79.1	12.5	41.8	89	0.0	98	175	2.0	211	108
Frontenac	MS	MR	4	79.3	12.0	40.0	81	2.3	105	173	1.8	205	95
Means Locations				77.6 2	12.0 1	37.5 2	84 2	1.4 2	96 2	173 2	1.8 1	208 1	6.73 t/ha 1

For traits not reported on this table see other area trait tables or previous year's performance trials. Not all traits are expressed in any given year or area. Head to Head comparisons on GoCereals.ca website give multi-year data for trait characteristics.

 $\label{eq:def:DON Ratings} \mbox{ are based only on DON levels from inoculated provincial trials.}$

 $MR = moderately \ resistant \ (best); \ MS = moderately \ susceptible; \ S = susceptible; \ HS = highly \ susceptible \ (worst).$

³ Heading may vary from year to year and should only be used to indicate relative differences.



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¹ Combined Fusarium Ratings are based on BOTH Fusarium head blight ratings and deoxynivalenol (DON) levels from inoculated provincial trials.

² For ratings 0-9, a high score is undesirable.

Table 7a - Ontario Winter Wheat Distributors for Area V, 2019

Class ³	Variety	Distributor				
srw	Branson 🐽	Brevant Seeds				
	CM614	C & M Seeds				
	Marker	Snobelen Farms				
	DS572SRW	Brevant Seeds				
	Measure (awned)	Snobelen Farms				
	B654SRW 🕦	Brevant Seeds				
	Blaze (awned)	C & M Seeds				
hrw	AC Morley	Advantage Seed Growers				
	Priesley	C & M Seeds				
	Lexington (awned) 🗐	C & M Seeds				
	PRO 81 (awned) 🐽	C & M Seeds				
	Adrianus (awned) 🐠	C & M Seeds				
efw	Frontenac	Semican Inc				

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Table 7b - Ontario Winter Wheat Distributor/Sponsor Contact Information

Distributor	Address
Advantage Seed Growers	P.O. Box 351, Lucknow, ON, N0G 2H0 Tel: 519-440-6406 Fax: 519-812-1010 Website: www.advantageseeds.com
Bramhill Seeds	5220 Hwy 23, RR#2, Palmerston, ON, N0G 2P0 Tel: 519-343-3630 Fax: 519-343-2037 Internet: www.bramhillseeds.com
Brevant Seeds	Suite 2400, 215-2nd St, SW, Calgary, AB T2P 1M4 Tel: 519-359-3934 Website: www.engage.brevant.ca
C&M Seeds	6180 5th Line, Palmerston, ON, N0G 2P0 Tel: 1-888-733-9432 Fax: 519-343-3792 Website: www.redwheat.com
Elite Seeds	Available through your local Agromart Tel: 519-282-6701 Website: www.eliteseeds.ca
Pioneer Hi-Bred	Box 730, 7398 Queen's Line, Chatham, ON, N7M 5L1 Tel: 1-800-265-9435 Website: www.pioneer.com
SeCan Association	400-300 Terry Fox Drive, Kanata, ON, K2K 0E3 Tel: 1-866-797-7874 Fax: 613-592-9497 Website: www.secan.com
Semican Inc	366, Rang 10, Plessisville, QC, G6L 2Y2 Tel: 1-866-362-3385 Fax: 819-362-3385 Website: www.semican.ca