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2008 BETTER HYBRIDS Harvest Report for North Central Tri-States [NCTS]

EARLY SEASON TEST

101-106 Day CRM

Crapp Farms, Grant County, Potosi, WI 53820 [LANCASTER]

SOIL CONDITIONS:

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Tama silty clay loam, 2.0% slope, moderately drained 3.0% o.m., 6.0 pH, moderately high P, moderately high K

PREVIOUS CROP/HERB: Corn / Lumax

Fall ripped fb spring cultivation

114 lbs N as spring Urea + 22.5 lbs N as spring 9-23-30 FERTILITY PROGRAM:

Lumax + Roundup, Force T-Band PEST MANAGEMENT:

TOP 30 OF 60 HYBRIDS FOR GROSS INCOME (SORTED BY YIELD) May 15 - 32,400 seed/A PLANTED - SEEDING: Oct. 29 - 30,400 plants/A HARVESTED - STAND: AVERAGE of (3) REPLICATIONS

| THAN VESTED - STAND. Oct. 25 30,400 plants/A | | | | | | | | 10110 | | |
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| 0 | COMPANY | HYBRID | TECHNOLOGY [†] | IST ^{††} | YIELD Bu/A | MOIST % | LODGING % | STAND (x 1000) | GROSS INCOME | \circ |
| 0 | Brownseed | 3C-408ARR/YGCB | YGCB, RR2 | P250 | 239.6 | 25.0 | 1.0 | 30.1 | \$1,114.5 | |
| | Jung | 7514VT3 | YGVT3 | P250 | 230.1 | 22.7 | 2.0 | 31.0 | \$1,101.9 | $ \circ $ |
| | Cornelius | C448XTLL | HXT | P250 | 229.8 | 22.7 | 1.0 | 27.4 | \$1,099.9 | |
| | Cornelius | C462 | None | None | 227.9 | 22.7 | 2.0 | 30.1 | \$1,091.3 | |
| | Farm Advantage | 87X04 | HXT | C250 | 227.6 | 25.1 | 1.0 | 30.1 | \$1,057.6 | |
| | Wyffels | W3944 | HXT | C250 | 227.5 | 24.7 | 2.0 | 29.2 | \$1,061.5 | |
| | Stine | 9525VT3 | YGVT3 | P250 | 226.6 | 26.0 | 1.0 | 29.2 | \$1,039.7 | |
| 0 | Croplan | 5892VT3 | YGVT3 | C250 | 226.3 | 24.5 | 9.7 | 31.9 | \$1,058.6 | |
| | AgriGold | A6279VT3 | YGVT3 | P250 | 225.4 | 21.9 | 2.0 | 31.0 | \$1,089.6 | |
| | G2 Genetics | 5H-506 | HX1, RR2 | P250 | 224.4 | 24.4 | 1.0 | 28.3 | \$1,051.7 | |
| 0 | Cornelius | C447VT3 | YGVT3 | P250 | 223.6 | 22.0 | 1.0 | 31.0 | \$1,080.2 | |
| | Wyffels | W5159 | CB,RW,LL,GT | C250 | 223.0 | 25.7 | 1.0 | 31.9 | \$1,027.4 | |
| 0 | Trelay | 5T128 | YGVT3 | P250 | 221.7 | 21.1 | 1.0 | 31.9 | \$1,083.0 | |
| | Trelay | 5T429 | YGVT3 | P250 | 221.4 | 22.0 | 1.0 | 30.1 | \$1,069.8 | $ \circ $ |
| 0 | Kruger | K-6401VT3 | YGVT3 | C250 | 220.9 | 22.1 | 1.0 | 26.6 | \$1,065.0 | |
| | G2 Genetics | 1H-005 | HX1 | P250 | 218.9 | 23.1 | 2.0 | 30.1 | \$1,043.4 | |
| | Vigoro | V4393VT3 | YGVT3 | P250 | 217.1 | 21.4 | 1.0 | 31.0 | \$1,056.6 | |
| | LG Seeds | LG2532VT3 | YGVT3 | P250 | 217.1 | 22.6 | 1.0 | 30.1 | \$1,040.2 | |
| 0 | Trelay | 6T510 | YGVT3 | P250 | 217.0 | 23.5 | 1.0 | 31.9 | \$1,029.1 | |
| | DeKalb | DKC54-20 | YGCB, RR2 | P250 | 216.8 | 22.0 | 1.0 | 31.9 | \$1,047.5 | |
| | Brownseed | 0C-404YGCB | YGCB | P250 | 216.3 | 23.7 | 2.0 | 31.9 | \$1,023.1 | |
| | Great Lakes | 5416G3VT3 | YGVT3 | P250 | 216.2 | 22.8 | 1.0 | 32.7 | \$1,033.3 | |
| | Croplan | 5338VT3 | YGVT3 | C250 | 215.5 | 22.5 | 8.0 | 29.2 | \$1,034.0 | 0 |
| | AgriGold | A6309BtRWRR | YGPL, RR2 | P250 | 214.3 | 22.6 | 2.0 | 29.2 | \$1,027.3 | |
| | FS Seeds | FS56SV3 | YGVT3 | P250 | 213.0 | 22.9 | 1.0 | 31.0 | \$1,017.6 | |
| | Renk | RK686VT3 | YGVT3 | P250 | 212.7 | 22.5 | 2.0 | 27.4 | \$1,021.1 | $ \circ $ |
| 0 | Kruger | K-6006VT3 | YGVT3 | C250 | 212.4 | 22.7 | 4.7 | 32.7 | \$1,016.7 | |
| | DeKalb | DKC52-59 | YGVT3 | P250 | 211.7 | 21.2 | 2.0 | 32.7 | \$1,033.0 | $ \circ $ |
| | Midwest Seed | 76126VT3 | YGVT3 | C250 | 211.2 | 22.1 | 2.0 | 31.0 | \$1,019.0 | |
| | Great Lakes | 5306G3VT3 | YGVT3 | P250 | 210.6 | 21.3 | 1.0 | 28.3 | \$1,026.6 | |
| | Pioneer | 35F44 CK | HXT, RR2 | P250 | 205.0 | 23.6 | 1.0 | 26.6 | \$971.0 | |
| | 1- 1 | 3 | Test | Average = | 212.1 | 23.0 | 2.6 | 30.4 | \$1,010.8 | |
| | groon ! | 7 | | lsd(.10) = | 13.5 | 1.4 | 3.5 | | | |
| | F.I.R.S.T. Manage | r | | C.V. = | 4.7 | 4.4 | | | | \circ |
| Yield & Income Factors: | | Base Moisture = 15.0% | | Shrink = 1.4 | | Drying = \$0.060 | | Price = \$5.25 | | |

RESISTANCE TECHNOLOGY: Corn Borer - CB, HX1, HXT, YGCB, YGPL, YGVT3; Corn Rootworm - HXT, RW, YGPL, YGRW, YGVT2, YGVT3; Clearfield - CL; Glyphosate - GT, RR2, YGVT2, YGVT3; Liberty - HX1, HXT, LL ^{††} <u>IST</u>: **C250, C1250** - Cruiser @ 0.250 and 1.250 g ai/seed. **P250** and **P1250** - Poncho @ 0.250 and 1.250 g ai/seed.

FIELD NOTES: The location looked phenomenal. Most of the corn hybrids were 14' tall and still had most of their green leaves that had been frosted a few day before harvest. Lancaster like most of Wisconsin was nailed with heavy rains early in the season $affecting \ a \ small \ corner \ of \ the \ plot. \ \ Plant \ health \ was \ deteriorating \ quickly \ just \ below \ the \ ear.$

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107-110 Day CRM

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LATE SEASON TEST

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FERTILITY PROGRAM: 114 lbs N as spring Urea + 22.5 lbs N as spring 9-23-30

PEST MANAGEMENT: Lumax + Roundup, Force T-Band

PLANTED - SEEDING: May 15 - 32,400 seed/A TOP 30 OF 66 HYBRIDS FOR GROSS INCOME (SORTED BY YIELD)
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| 0 | COMPANY | HYBRID | TECHNOLOGY [†] | IST ^{††} | YIELD Bu/A | MOIST % | LODGING % | STAND (x 1000) | GROSS INCOME | 0 | |
| 0 | LG Seeds | LG2545VT3 | YGVT3 | P250 | 234.4 | 27.0 | 1.0 | 31.0 | \$1,062.4 | | |
| | AgriGold | A6439VT3 | YGVT3 | P250 | 230.5 | 26.5 | 1.0 | 31.0 | \$1,051.0 | | |
| | Dairyland | 9009 | YGVT3 | P250 | 228.0 | 27.3 | 1.0 | 33.6 | \$1,028.1 | | |
| 0 | Croplan | 6331VT3 | YGVT3 | C250 | 227.3 | 28.6 | 7.0 | 32.7 | \$1,007.6 | | |
| _ | Crows | 4726Y | YGPL | C250 | 226.5 | 24.7 | 1.0 | 32.7 | \$1,057.5 | | |
| \circ | AgriGold | A6479VT3 | YGVT3 | P250 | 225.2 | 27.5 | 1.0 | 31.0 | \$1,012.8 | | |
| \sim | NuTech Seed | 3T-310VT3 | YGVT3 | C250 | 224.7 | 28.3 | 1.0 | 31.9 | \$1,000.7 | | |
| \circ | Renk | RK719VT3 | YGVT3 | P250 | 224.3 | 24.9 | 1.0 | 31.9 | \$1,044.2 | | |
| _ | DeKalb | DKC61-19 | YGVT3 | P250 | 223.6 | 24.2 | 2.0 | 33.6 | \$1,049.8 | | |
| \bigcirc | Fielders Choice | EXP776S | YGCB, RR2 | P250 | 223.5 | 27.4 | 1.0 | 29.2 | \$1,007.5 | | |
| _ | Trelay | 7T630 | YGVT3 | P250 | 223.0 | 27.8 | 1.0 | 31.0 | \$1,000.0 | | |
| \circ | Dairyland | 8208 | HXT | P250 | 221.9 | 25.6 | 1.0 | 34.5 | \$1,023.7 | | |
| _ | Jung | 7600VT3 | YGVT3 | P250 | 220.8 | 25.4 | 1.0 | 31.9 | \$1,021.7 | 0 | |
| \bigcirc | DeKalb | DKC57-43 | YGVT2 | P250 | 220.4 | 23.2 | 2.0 | 33.6 | \$1,049.0 | | |
| _ | Midwest Seed | 77015VT3 | YGVT3 | C250 | 219.7 | 27.7 | 1.0 | 31.9 | \$986.0 | 0 | |
| \bigcirc | FS Seeds | FS58SV3 | YGVT3 | P250 | 219.5 | 26.4 | 1.0 | 31.9 | \$1,001.7 | | |
| _ | LG Seeds | LG2548 | None | P250 | 219.2 | 25.9 | 1.0 | 31.0 | \$1,007.9 | | |
| \bigcirc | Midwest Seed | 76804Y | YGPL | C250 | 219.1 | 28.2 | 1.0 | 31.9 | \$976.6 | | |
| | Stine | 9624VT3 | YGVT3 | P250 | 218.8 | 25.3 | 3.7 | 31.0 | \$1,013.3 | | |
| \bigcirc | Fielders Choice | NG6781 | YGVT3 | P250 | 218.2 | 27.6 | 1.0 | 30.1 | \$980.9 | | |
| _ | Vigoro | X8093RP | YGPL, RR2 | P250 | 218.0 | 23.0 | 1.0 | 33.6 | \$1,040.2 | | |
| \bigcirc | Renk | RK822VT3 | YGVT3 | P250 | 217.1 | 27.9 | 1.0 | 31.0 | \$971.8 | | |
| _ | Crows | 4799VT3 | YGVT3 | C250 | 215.4 | 26.7 | 2.0 | 31.0 | \$980.2 | | |
| \bigcirc | Trelay | 7T202 | YGVT3 | P250 | 215.1 | 26.1 | 2.0 | 31.0 | \$986.5 | | |
| _ | Croplan | 591VT3 | YGVT3 | C250 | 213.5 | 25.3 | 1.0 | 31.9 | \$988.3 | | |
| \bigcirc | Farm Advantage | 1098 | None | C250 | 212.7 | 25.9 | 1.0 | 30.1 | \$977.4 | | |
| | Dahlco | X7091VT3 | YGVT3 | P250 | 212.6 | 25.7 | 1.0 | 32.7 | \$979.4 | | |
| \circ | Trisler | T-5N52VT3 | YGVT3 | P250 | 209.5 | 24.8 | 1.0 | 31.0 | \$976.3 | | |
| 0 | Wyffels | W5281 | YGVT3 | P250 | 206.8 | 23.1 | 1.0 | 31.0 | \$985.2 | | |
| | DeKalb | DKC58-16 | YGVT3 | P250 | 206.0 | 24.2 | 1.0 | 31.9 | \$968.3 | | |
| | Pioneer | 35F44 CK | HXT, RR2 | P250 | 208.8 | 24.7 | 1.0 | 31.0 | \$975.0 | | |
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