

## **Keith County Rainfed 2023 Winter Wheat Variety Trial**

| Name          | Company               | Yield<br>(bu/ac)¹ | Test<br>Weight<br>(lb/bu) | Protein<br>(%)² | Plant<br>Height<br>(in) | Seed<br>Weight<br>(1000<br>seeds/lb) |
|---------------|-----------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| ARMOR EXP55   | ARMOR                 | 94.1              | 57.7                      | 9.8             | 30.4                    | 12.5                                 |
| WB4422        | WestBred              | 93.4              | 59.3                      | 10.1            | 31.3                    | 15.0                                 |
| High Country  | Polansky Seed, Inc.   | 90.9              | 58.6                      | 10.0            | 29.6                    | 16.0                                 |
| NE19619       | UNL-Experimental      | 90.4              | 58.4                      | 9.6             | 37.6                    | 12.9                                 |
| Ruth          | Husker Genetics       | 89.0              | 58.1                      | 10.0            | 33.4                    | 14.6                                 |
| NE18455       | UNL-Experimental      | 88.5              | 57.3                      | 9.8             | 30.6                    | 17.0                                 |
| ARMOR EXP65AX | ARMOR                 | 88.3              | 58.5                      | 10.0            | 30.0                    | 14.3                                 |
| AP Bigfoot    | AgriPro               | 87.9              | 58.5                      | 10.5            | 29.9                    | 16.5                                 |
| MS Maverick   | Meridian Seeds        | 87.9              | 59.7                      | 9.9             | 31.2                    | 13.0                                 |
| MS Sundown    | Meridian Seeds        | 86.0              | 58.9                      | 10.0            | 31.3                    | 14.6                                 |
| LCS Valiant   | Limagrain             | 85.1              | 57.2                      | 10.0            | 29.8                    | 14.9                                 |
| WB4418        | WestBred              | 84.9              | 57.8                      | 10.2            | 28.8                    | 16.9                                 |
| NE16562       | UNL-Experimental      | 83.7              | 59.0                      | 10.2            | 30.4                    | 15.4                                 |
| LCS Steel AX  | Limagrain             | 83.3              | 54.1                      | 8.3             | 34.8                    | 19.1                                 |
| Canvas        | PlainsGold            | 83.2              | 58.3                      | 9.7             | 32.2                    | 17.1                                 |
| NW15443       | UNL-Experimental      | 82.7              | 58.3                      | 9.9             | 35.9                    | 12.2                                 |
| NE17441       | UNL-Experimental      | 82.3              | 59.5                      | 10.1            | 32.2                    | 13.5                                 |
| NHH17450      | UNL-Experimental      | 81.4              | 57.5                      | 10.6            | 33.4                    | 16.1                                 |
| KS Territory  | Kansas Wheat Alliance | 81.4              | 59.1                      | 9.7             | 30.8                    | 13.6                                 |
| NHH19668      | UNL-Experimental      | 81.0              | 58.7                      | 10.0            | 30.6                    | 14.6                                 |
| NHH17612      | UNL-Experimental      | 80.7              | 59.3                      | 10.9            | 31.3                    | 15.9                                 |
| CP7017AX      | CROPLAN               | 80.4              | 57.9                      | 10.4            | 28.8                    | 16.6                                 |
| CP7266AX      | CROPLAN               | 80.2              | 57.8                      | 9.6             | 32.0                    | 14.7                                 |
| Rockstar      | Polansky Seed, Inc.   | 80.1              | 58.5                      | 11.1            | 28.2                    | 13.5                                 |
| Wesley        | Husker Genetics       | 79.5              | 56.5                      | 10.9            | 30.3                    | 12.8                                 |
| LCS Julep     | Limagrain             | 78.8              | 58.9                      | 9.7             | 30.8                    | 13.6                                 |
| WB4595        | WestBred              | 76.7              | 60.3                      | 10.2            | 31.4                    | 15.1                                 |
| AP 18AX       | AgriPro               | 76.7              | 56.0                      | 9.7             | 28.4                    | 14.7                                 |
| NE17443       | UNL-Experimental      | 76.7              | 57.2                      | 10.1            | 30.2                    | 14.5                                 |
| SY Wolverine  | AgriPro               | 74.1              | 57.1                      | 9.8             | 27.4                    | 15.0                                 |
| Freeman       | Husker Genetics       | 73.8              | 56.8                      | 9.6             | 31.4                    | 14.5                                 |
| LCS Atomic AX | Limagrain             | 73.6              | 56.8                      | 9.6             | 28.5                    | 15.4                                 |

 $^{1}$  Yield values corrected to 12% moisture. Bolded values indicate highest LSD grouping.  $^{2}$  Protein corrected to 14% moisture, the correction factor used in analytical standards.

| WB4510CLP     | WestBred         | 72.3 | 58.0 | 10.4 | 34.4 | 14.3 |
|---------------|------------------|------|------|------|------|------|
| SY Legend CL2 | AgriPro          | 71.3 | 58.9 | 10.1 | 30.0 | 14.4 |
| NE19590       | UNL-Experimental | 70.9 | 58.8 | 10.2 | 32.3 | 15.1 |
| CP7050AX      | CROPLAN          | 64.6 | 58.5 | 10.8 | 28.5 | 17.4 |
| Robidoux      | Husker Genetics  | 62.7 | 52.4 | 9.7  | 30.9 | 17.9 |
| Turkey        | Check            | 61.2 | 58.7 | 10.7 | 38.8 | 14.3 |
| Scout 66      | Check            | 60.9 | 59.0 | 10.8 | 36.8 | 13.2 |
|               |                  |      |      |      |      |      |
|               | Standard Error   | 5.6  | 0.9  | 0.4  | 1.4  | 1.0  |
|               | LSD <sup>3</sup> | 9.3  | 1.5  | 0.6  | 2.2  | 1.6  |
|               | Mean⁴            | 9.6  | 57.6 | 10.1 | 31.4 | 15.0 |
|               | CV <sup>5</sup>  | 7.0  | 1.5  | 3.7  | 4.3  | 6.4  |
|               | Reps             | 4    | 4    | 2    | 4    | 2    |

## SITE INFORMATION

Collaborator: UNL West Central Water Resources Field Lab, Brule, NE

Planting Date: September 27, 2022 Seeding Rate: 1 million seeds/acre

Harvest Date: July 27, 2023

Fertility: 30 lbs P/A as 40 rock at planting

Herbicide/Fungicides: 2 pints Prowl H2O and 6 oz LV6 in spring

Soil Type: Kuma loam

GPS: 41.162919, -101.991881

Planting Info: Seeded into no-till corn fallow at 1.25-1.5" in somewhat dry soil using no-till drill on

10" centers.

Notes on Trial: Good yields and acceptable test weights and protein, field had some grassy weed

pressure requiring weed cleanup before harvest.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Coefficient of Variation (CV) indicates the quality of a trial, and lower than 15 indicates a high-quality trial. For CV>15, there was higher than expected variability in the field or the data and the results should be used with caution.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> For differences between varieties that are equal to or greater than the LSD value, the chance that the difference is significant is 90%.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Mean performance of all entries in the trial.