

Nebraska Sunflower Variety (Oil) Test - 2016

Box Butte Co._Dryland

Brand	Hybrid	Entr y	Oil Type*	Yield rank	Yield** (lbs/a)	Bushel wt (lbs/bu)	Oil %	Flowering (days after planting)	Plant height (inches)	Population (plants/a)
Croplan	545	8	NS	1	1058	27	39	70	58	6970
Syngenta	3732 NS	3	NS	2	949	26	40	64	50	8625
Nuseed	Falcon	5	NS	3	947	27	40	67	55	9235
Croplan	553	10	HO	4	939	26	41	69	60	7057
Croplan	458	13	HO	5	934	26	39	65	59	7841
Croplan	549	9	HO	6	933	26	40	63	64	8538
Nuseed	N4Hm354	7	HO	7	924	26	40	63	54	7231
Croplan	455	12	HO	8	920	27	39	64	62	7928
Syngenta	SY7717	2	HO	9	920	27	40	61	50	6970
Croplan	432	11	NS	10	918	27	41	61	59	9670
Nuseed	Hornet	6	HO	11	910	26	39	68	54	7144
Syngenta	SY7919	1	HO	12	888	27	39	70	51	4356
Nuseed	Camano II	4	NS	13	878	26	40	66	55	5314
Mycogen	8H449CLDM	14	NS	14	859	27	44	68	56	5924
Mycogen	MY8H456CL	15	NS	15	784	26	43	68	59	6186
Averages of all entries					917	26	40	65	56	7266
CV					9	3	4	2	5	18
Differences required for sig. at 5%					115	1	2	2	4	1909

*NS = NuSun; HO - High Oleic; T = Traditional

**Adjusted for 10% moisture

Realistic yield would be much higher if population would have been at or near the target population (17500/acre)

Site: Alliance-Hemingford, NE

Planted: 6/6/2016

Harvested: 10/29/2016

Fertilizer: 60 lbs N

Herbicide: 2 pints Prowl H2O

Comments Plant population (<50% of target 17,500/a) in the field remained the main issue. It is because of combinations of issues with the planter, thinning by new summer crew and chemical injury in few plots.

Oil Data Done at the USDA-ARS, Northern Crop Science Laboratory by Dr. Brent Hulke's group

