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## PERSONNEL CHANGES

M. C. Futrell accepted an ARS assignment in Nigeria. He was replaced as ARS Cereal Pathologist at College Station by R. A. Kilpatrick.

C. F. Henderson, ARS Entomologist at Oklahoma State University for many years, retired on December 31, 1964.

A. W. Pauli and F. W. Stickler, formerly plant physiologists at Kansas State University, are now associated with Deere and Company, Moline, Illinois.

J. R. Burtleigh (ARS) has joined the staff of the Botany Department, Kansas State University. He will conduct rust epidemiology studies.

V. B. Cardwell, Agronomist at Hesperus, Colorado, has resumed graduate study. He is replaced at Hesperus by K. Schliebe.

J. D. Eastin transferred from wheat quality research in Agronomy at the University of Nebraska to sorghum physiology (ARS) in the same department. Robert Johnson resigned as Agronomist at the North Platte station to accept a position at the School of Forestry, Bottineau, North Dakota.

R. C. Frohberg joined the wheat research group in the Agronomy Department, North Dakota State University, Fargo.

E. R. Hehn, formerly in charge of winter wheat improvement at Montana State College is now Chairman of the Agronomy Department. J. R. Welsh will direct the winter wheat research in the department. Bruce McCallum has resigned as Agronomist at the Havre station.

E. R. Ausemus, long-time ARS wheat breeder and geneticist at the University of Minnesota and since 1951 regional spring wheat improvement leader, retired from federal service at the end of July. He is now associated with Northrup-King as hybrid wheat consultant. K. L. Lebsöck, Fargo, North Dakota, is the new Regional Spring Wheat Improvement Leader.

### COOPERATING AGENCIES, STATIONS, AND PERSONNEL (The asterisk denotes U.S.D.A. employees)

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**Lethbridge Alberta Agr. Exp. Sta. M. N. Grant**

**ACCESSION NUMBERS ASSIGNED**

Hard red winter wheat varieties assigned C. I. numbers in 1964 are listed below. C. I. numbers take precedence over state and local numbers in this report, and their use by wheat workers is encouraged.

<u>C. I. No.</u>	<u>Pedigree</u>	<u>State No.</u>	<u>Source</u>
13866	Hussar x Cheyenne <sup>3</sup>	63M532+3	Idaho
13867	(Rex-Rio x Cnn <sup>2</sup> ) x Cnn <sup>3</sup>	63M2390	do.
13868	Burt x Itana	Sel. 220	Wash.
13881	Ky 58-Nth x (Cnn-Tm-Mi-Hope) <sup>2</sup>	N. 61975	Nebr.
13882	Cnn-Pnc x Tk-Cnn	N. 61528	do.
13883	MM-Ech-Rm <sup>3</sup> x Cnn <sup>2</sup>	N. 61930	do.
13884	Cnn <sup>2</sup> x Selkirk	N. 61361	do.
13885	Ottawa x Cheyenne <sup>2</sup>	N. 62378	do.
13886	Scout Reselection	---	Colo.
13887	Scout Reselection	---	do.
13888	Cheyenne <sup>2</sup> x Kenya-Mentana	N. 61623	Nebr.
13889	Quanah x Cimarron	Tx. 59D37	Texas
13890	Svl-Wi-Hope-Cnn-Wi <sup>2</sup> x SS	Tx. 57D16082	do.
13993	Cheyenne x Yogo BC Bulk	---	Mont.
13994	Mtr-M2825 x H255 x Bkh	N.S. II-53-62	Minn.
13995	II-36-3 x III-51-31	N.S. II-53-72	do.
13996	Scout Reselection	---	Nebr.
13997	Cfk-Mt-Tm x Cnn	611303	N. Mex.

**NEW VARIETIES**

C. I. 13526 will be released in South Dakota under the name Hume. It possesses excellent winterhardiness, resistance to currently prevalent races of stem rust except 15B, short straw, good quality, and is moderately early maturing. It has bronze chaff color.

Two semi-dwarf experimental varieties are undergoing initial increase for possible release in Texas. They are Norin 10 x C. I. 12500 (C. I. 13855) and Svl-Wi-Hope-Cnn-Wi<sup>2</sup> x SS 27 (C. I. 13684). Both have short stiff straw, resistance to leaf rust and Hope resistance to stem rust. They lack test weight and are susceptible to straw collapse under heat and drought stress.

**WHEAT YIELDS AND PRODUCTION IN THE REGION**

Yields of winter wheat were equal to or higher than the 5-year average in most of the hard winter wheat producing states in 1964. Only in Colorado and Kansas were yields substantially less than the 5-year average. Average yields were above 20 bushels in all states except Colorado and North Dakota. Abandonment of seeded acres ranged from a high of nearly 55 percent in New Mexico to only 2.5 percent in Illinois. Abandonments of 36.2, 21.6, and 21.8 occurred in Colorado, Texas, and North Dakota. The extent to which the high abandonments reflected over-seeding of acres in the fall is not known.

State	Acres		Abandon- ment %	1964	1964	1958-62
	Seeded <sup>1/</sup>	Harvested <sup>1/</sup>		pro- duction <sup>1/</sup>	av. acre yield <sup>2/</sup>	av. acre yield <sup>2/</sup>
				Bu.	Bu.	Bu.
Kansas	10,641	9,576	10.0	215,460	22.5	25.5
Oklahoma	4,882	4,201	13.9	96,623	23.0	23.0
Texas	4,002	3,017	24.6	61,848	20.5	19.9
Nebraska	3,235	2,953	8.7	73,825	25.0	25.5
Colorado	2,761	1,761	36.2	27,296	15.5	23.3
Montana	2,045	1,834	10.3	52,269	28.5	23.4
Illinois	1,852	1,806	2.5	66,822	37.0	31.0
Missouri	1,621	1,429	11.8	46,442	32.5	27.8
Idaho	782	660	15.6	26,400	40.0	28.8
So. Dakota	601	541	10.0	14,336	26.5	21.2
New Mexico	293	132	54.9	2,772	21.0	20.7
Wyoming	227	200	11.9	4,800	24.0	23.2
Iowa	95	90	5.3	2,520	28.0	25.7
No. Dakota	55	43	21.8	731	17.0	--
Minnesota	12	11	8.3	292	26.5	25.5

1/ In thousands.

2/ Based on harvested acres. Data taken from the 1963 Annual Summary, Crop Production, U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Statistical Reporting Service, Crop Reporting Board.

UNIFORM QUALITY SERIES

A limited number of advanced experimental varieties that are candidates for release and newly released varieties are grown with appropriate check varieties at most cooperating stations. Seed in the amount of 10 pounds of each variety is submitted to the Hard Winter Wheat Quality Laboratory at Manhattan, Kansas, for quality evaluation. Varieties in each district in 1964 were:

<u>Southern District</u>		<u>Central District</u>	
Pawnee*	11669	Pawnee*	11669
Comanche*	11673	Comanche*	11673
Caddo	13536	Gage	13532
Gage	13532	Scout	13546
Chiefkan x Temmarq	K. 501097	Gmn x Mi-Hope-Pn-Oro-Il#1-Gmn	13548
do.	K. 501099	Chiefkan x Temmarq	K. 501097
Qv-Tm x Mql-Oro	12995	do.	K. 501099
		Qv-Tm x Mql-Oro	12995
<u>Northern District</u>			
Yogo*	8033		
Warrior*	13190		
Lancer	13547		
Hume	13526		
Winalta	13670		

\* Check variety

SOUTHERN REGIONAL PERFORMANCE NURSERY

Nineteen of 21 stations growing the southern regional nursery reported data. The nursery succumbed to drought during the winter and spring at Springfield, Colorado. At Chillicothe, Texas, the nursery was grown to maturity but its condition was poor and data were not reported. Pedigrees and C. I. numbers of entries in the 1964 nursery are as follows:

Entry No. :	Pedigree	C. I. No. :	State submitting
1	Kharkof	1142	--
2	Early Blackhull	8856	--
3	Comanche	11673	--
4	Triumph	12132	Okla.
5	Triumph 64	13679	do.
6*	Triumph x C. I. 12406 (61 Stw 8617)	13847	do.
7*	do. ( 8620)	13848	do.
8*	do. ( 8627)	13849	do.
9*	do. ( 8631)	13850	do.
10*	do. ( 8635)	13851	do.
11*	do. ( 8637)	13852	do.
12	Scout	13546	Nebr.
13	Lancer	13547	do.
14*	Wichita <sup>5</sup> x Cns + Au (K. 6317)	13853	Kans.
15*	Bison x C. I. 9058 (K. 6322)	13854	do.
16	Caddo	13536	Texas
17	Svl-Wi-Hope-Cnn-Wi x SS 27	13684	do.
18*	Norin 10 x C. I. 12500 (Tx. 1826-1)	13855	do.
19*	Cheyenne <sup>2</sup> x Ky-Mta (N. 61608)	13856	Nebr.
20*	Nebred x Cnn-Ky-Mta (N. 61660)	13857	do.

\* New entry in 1964.

Data Obtained

Performance data from reporting stations are given in table 1. Growing conditions reported by the stations are summarized.

Denton--The nursery was seeded in dry soil on November 9. The wheat had emerged by December 2 following 2/3-inch of precipitation on November 19. Growth was limited until precipitation and warm temperatures in March. Leaf rust centers were observed in the nursery on April 29 and stem rust was found the following week. The nursery was sprayed for army worm control on May 7.

Bushland--Moisture in the fall was adequate for wheat emergence although precipitation was below normal in October, November, and December. Total precipitation from January 1 to May 27 was only 1.19 inches--most of the total (1.04 inches) occurring as snow in early February. The dryland nursery was remarkably productive considering the lack of moisture. An irrigated nursery received water 5 times during the spring for a total of 17 inches of supplemental water. Diseases and insects were non-economic.



Stillwater--The main yield-depressing hazards were: (1) unseasonably high temperatures after seeding that resulted in an abnormal amount of plant growth in the fall and early winter, (2) moisture stress during April and early May combined with high winds, (3) leaf rust infection, (4) a few "soil spots"--probably a combination of nematodes and Olpidium that resulted in plant stunting and severe yield reduction in a few plots, and (5) stem rust on late-maturing varieties that may have reduced yields.

Woodward--In addition to high temperatures after seeding resulting in heavy fall growth and moisture stress in April and early May, the probable chief yield-depressing factors at Woodward were leaf rust and hail damage that was particularly severe on early varieties that were headed when the hail occurred.

Cherokee--Heavy fall growth associated with unseasonably high temperatures, moisture stress in April and early May combined with high winds, and leaf rust were the main factors affecting performance of the wheat at Cherokee in 1964.

Clovis--The dryland nursery was seeded on October 2; the irrigated nursery on October 15. Local showers contributed to good fall stands in both nurseries and snow cover during several periods in the winter helped maintain the nurseries in good condition. Severe spring drought combined with high temperatures produced a near crop failure of commercial dryland wheat in the area. The dryland nursery was located on a favored part of the station and produced good yields. Wheat streak mosaic was general in the Clovis area with some early seeded fields of Tascosa and Apache severely damaged. The disease was not a factor in the nurseries.

Manhattan--The fall and winter were dry. Satisfactory stands were obtained from seeding on October 5. Conditions of moisture and temperature were about average in April and wheat growth was excessive. A very dry May produced much drought damage. Moisture in June was too late to help. Heading, plant height, and ripening was about the same for all varieties. The heads of late-maturing Kharkof failed to exert from the boot.

Hays--A normal fall with soil moisture to a depth of 3-4 feet, was followed by a dry winter and dry spring until mid-May. Nurseries were seeded on October 4. Rainfall was normal from mid-May through June. Spring infestation of hessian fly produced some straw breakage. Streak mosaic was present but not severe. Severe shattering of some varieties occurred from hail at the ripe stage.

Garden City--Warm temperatures and adequate subsoil moisture in late fall contributed to above-normal growth of the wheat from an October 3 seeding. Secondary root development was poor for lack of surface moisture. Available moisture was depleted rapidly during the fall and winter. Drought and dust storms during the spring injured the wheat. Rains in late May improved the yields of late-maturing varieties and permitted the grain of all varieties to fill well. Diseases and insects were not a problem.

Colby--Fall moisture at Colby was adequate but well below normal from October 1 through May. Active growth of the wheat continued in the fall into December. There was no winterkilling. Brown wheat mites were present until late May. Marked yellowing of some plots occurred in late April and May, with

C. I. 13546 and C. I. 13855 the most severely affected. Yellowing and other symptoms were suggestive of streak mosaic. The extent to which streak mosaic was the cause of the yellowing and otherwise poor condition of several varieties was not definitely established.

Ft. Collins--The nursery was seeded on September 16. Seed bed and soil moisture were excellent. Fall growth was about normal despite a long warm fall in which the first killing frost occurred on November 12, the latest on record. Top growth was killed back during the winter but there was no loss of plants. The wheat was nearly buried by blowing soil during high winds in early spring. A rotary hoe was used to provide aeration for the buried plants which eventually pushed through the soil with little apparent damage. Precipitation from January 1 to harvest on July 25 was only 4 inches. Cool spring temperatures allowed maximum development of the wheat on the limited moisture. Stem and leaf rust was present in traces only. Thrips caused flecking of leaves but with little apparent damage. Irrigation water was not applied.

Akron--Moisture was deficient throughout the season. The deficiency was intensified by high winds in the spring. Hail on June 13 sterilized many florets and in some cases entire heads. Severe yellowing similar to that noted at Colby, Kansas, was noted in several varieties including Scout. The nursery was highly variable due to the drought, and height notes were not taken.

Hesperus--Erratic emergence and plant development in the fall resulted from poor distribution of surface moisture due to ground leveling prior to seeding. The nursery survived the winter well but frost on May 23 and June 5 caused sterility estimated at 5 percent. Diseases and insects were not factors in performance.

Urbana--The nursery was seeded on October 2 in a dry seedbed. Emergence was spotty but stands appeared to be full by November 15. Little or no winter injury was noted. Early spring was favorable for growth but was followed by dry, hot weather until harvest. Both mildew and Septoria were present in the spring but the dry weather was unfavorable for their development. Both leaf and stem rust developed too late for readings.

Ames--A dry warm fall and relatively mild winter, followed by a cool moist spring, summarizes conditions at Ames. Mildew was present in early spring but failed to develop. Both leaf and stem rust were heavy and were factors in the performance of varieties. Lodging occurred in some varieties.

Lincoln--Fall, winter, and spring at Lincoln were near normal. Fall stands were good; no winterkilling occurred; and the wheat made good growth in the spring until hot windy weather in May. Hail on May 7 caused broken straw and spike damage, particularly in the earliest varieties. Some lodging occurred in all of the varieties except the Texas semi-dwarfs C. I. 13855, C. I. 13684, and Lancer. However, the straw of the semi-dwarfs broke over completely by harvest time. Stem rust was heavy and reduced the test weight of susceptible later maturing varieties.

North Platte--Fall stands were excellent. Soil moisture was adequate throughout the fall and winter. The spring was somewhat dry but the wheat developed well. Stem rust became heavy and was a factor in performance.

Alliance--Conditions similar to those at North Platte prevailed throughout the season. Heavy loss of top growth occurred during the winter and some loss of stands. The rusts did not develop.

Columbia--Information on growing conditions was not reported.

Table 1. Yield and other data for varieties grown in the Southern Regional Performance Nursery at 19 stations in the hard red winter wheat region in 1964.

Denton, Texas  
Four Replications

C. I. No.	Date : April	Plant height : In.	Rust resistance:		Weight per bushel : Lbs.	Av. acre yield:		No. : years grown	Percent of Kharkof
			Leaf : %	Stem : %		1964 : Bu.	1963- 1964 : Bu.		
13853	26	40	0	5	61	35.0	--	1	224.4
13857	21	32	30	T	59	34.5	--	1	221.2
13536	29	38	10	T-10	62	34.1	32.6	5	139.2
13852	21	34	60	T-15	60	34.1	--	1	218.6
13850	22	36	60	T-5	60	34.0	--	1	217.9
13679	22	35	60	T-30	60	33.7	34.0	2	145.0
13847	22	37	60	T-10	61	33.5	--	1	214.7
13851	20	37	60	T-5	61	33.3	--	1	213.5
13684	22	26	T	T	58	32.0	27.3	2	116.4
13856	21	34	30	T	56	30.6	--	1	196.2
13848	21	38	60	T-40	61	30.5	--	1	195.5
13849	25	38	60	5	61	30.2	--	1	193.6
8856	22	40	60	5	62	29.6	30.0	28	128.7
12132	22	36	60	T-30	60	29.4	29.2	4	115.7
13546	5-2	40	40	T	59	29.4	30.9	4	125.2
13547	5-6	39	40	T	58	27.7	30.0	2	127.7
13854	5-1	39	60	T	59	27.1	--	1	173.7
11673	5-5	41	60	5	58	26.6	29.4	24	128.6
13855	23	25	T	T	59	26.4	--	1	169.2
1442	5-12	42	80	T	54	15.6	23.5	28	100.0

LSD<sub>.05</sub> = 3.6 bushels; C.V. = 8.57%

Bushland, Texas  
Five replications, dryland

C. I. No.	Plant height : In.	Weight per bushel : Lbs.	Av. acre yield : 1964 Bu.	Percent of : Kharkof
12132	20	57.4	17.8	106.0
13851	19	61.1	17.1	101.8
13856	18	56.4	17.0	101.2
13546	19	56.1	16.8	100.0
1442	18	60.5	16.8	100.0
13679	18	59.1	16.4	97.6
13850	18	57.5	16.0	95.2
13852	19	57.0	15.4	91.7
13536	19	61.1	15.2	90.5
13853	19	56.3	15.1	89.9
13848	19	58.2	14.9	88.7
13847	18	59.6	14.8	88.1
13849	18	57.0	14.7	87.5
11673	18	58.4	14.6	86.9
13547	17	60.2	14.4	85.7
13855	17	55.4	14.4	85.7
13857	17	57.1	13.6	81.0
13854	20	56.5	13.6	81.0
13684	16	58.1	12.5	74.4
8856	19	57.5	12.0	71.4

LSD<sub>.05</sub> = 3.37 bushels; C.V. = 17.5%

Bushland, Texas  
Three replications, irrigated

C. I. No.	Date headed	Plant height	Weight per bushel	Av. acre yield 1964	No. years grown	Percent of Kharkof
	May	In.	Lbs.	Bu.		
13546	8	33	63.0	69.8	2	119.6
13547	14	37	63.0	65.6	1	111.2
13854	12	35	62.6	62.6	1	106.1
13857	11	31	62.5	62.0	1	105.1
13684	11	29	61.6	61.4	1	104.1
13852	8	29	61.6	60.4	1	102.4
13849	12	35	61.2	59.7	1	101.1
1142	16	36	61.6	59.0	24	100.0
13856	11	33	62.6	58.6	1	99.3
13850	10	34	62.2	58.1	1	98.5
11673	13	34	61.5	57.9	24	105.3
13679	8	31	61.8	55.7	1	94.4
13848	8	33	62.3	55.6	1	94.2
13855	9	27	62.5	54.7	1	92.7
13847	10	35	61.5	52.7	1	89.3
13536	9	31	63.0	51.9	1	88.0
12132	8	30	62.2	51.8	2	93.2
8856	6	33	61.6	50.7	24	97.5
13853	10	32	62.0	47.8	1	81.0
13851	9	32	60.9	47.2	1	80.0

LSD.05 = 8.29 bushels; C.V. = 8.87%

Stillwater, Oklahoma  
Four replications

C. I. No.	Date headed	Plant height	Leaf rust		Weight per bushel	Av. acre yield			No. years grown	Percent of Kharkof
			Severity	Type		1964	1963- 1964	Bu.		
	April	In.	%		Lbs.	Bu.	Bu.			
13853	26	32	0-20	0-4	60.7	49.2	--	1	156.2	
13679	24	31	18	4	61.2	45.7	48.1	2	151.3	
13536	26	31	5	1-2	62.5	45.1	42.3	5	127.1	
13546	26	32	13	4	59.7	44.9	47.7	4	154.6	
13856	24	29	18	4	58.3	44.0	--	1	139.6	
13852	23	30	15	4	60.4	43.3	--	1	137.5	
13857	25	30	20	4	59.4	42.9	--	1	136.2	
13855	25	24	T	4	59.3	42.2	--	1	134.0	
11673	5-1	31	12	4	59.8	42.0	41.5	24	113.6	
12132	24	32	18	4	60.5	42.0	45.7	3	140.7	
13850	24	31	18	4	60.8	41.9	--	1	133.0	
8856	24	34	18	4	61.9	41.6	43.8	30	116.8	
13851	24	31	9	4	60.6	40.3	--	1	127.9	
13847	24	32	15	4	60.7	40.0	--	1	127.0	
13684	24	25	5	2	59.3	39.4	41.9	2	131.6	
13848	24	31	13	4	60.7	39.4	--	1	125.1	
13854	29	31	18	4	61.0	37.9	--	1	120.3	
13849	25	31	13	4	59.6	35.2	--	1	111.7	
13547	30	30	10	4	60.2	34.1	34.2	2	107.5	
1442	5-4	31	20	4	60.5	31.5	31.8	30	100.0	

LSD .05 = 4.81 bushels; C.V. = 8.27%

Woodward, Oklahoma  
Four replications

C. I. No.	Date headed	Plant height	Weight per bushel	Av. acre yield		No. years grown	Percent of Kharkof
				1964	1963- 1964		
	April	In.	Lbs.	Bu.	Bu.		
13546	29	28	58.6	46.0	40.3	4	157.7
13536	29	28	62.5	43.9	35.5	5	135.4
13547	5-2	28	60.5	43.0	36.1	2	139.7
13856	28	26	59.3	42.9	--	1	149.0
13679	27	27	60.8	42.3	36.7	2	142.1
11673	5-1	27	60.2	41.9	36.3	28	118.4
13852	27	26	59.6	39.9	--	1	138.5
13857	30	27	60.5	39.8	--	1	138.2
13853	28	28	58.0	39.5	--	1	137.2
13855	28	22	58.7	38.8	--	1	134.7
8856	26	27	61.2	38.4	31.1	33	109.8
13854	30	29	60.6	37.6	--	1	130.6
13850	28	27	60.4	35.4	--	1	122.9
13849	30	27	60.3	35.2	--	1	122.2
13847	28	29	60.5	35.0	--	1	121.5
12132	28	27	60.2	34.9	31.1	4	136.1
13848	27	27	60.2	34.3	--	1	119.1
13851	28	28	60.3	32.9	--	1	114.2
11442	5-5	28	59.8	28.8	25.8	33	100.0
13684	29	23	58.8	28.7	26.8	2	104.1

LSD .05 = 4.48 bushels; C.V. = 8.33%



Cherokee, Oklahoma  
Four replications

C. I. No.	Date headed	Plant height	Weight per bushel	Av. acre yield		No. years grown	Percent of Kharkof
				1964	1963- 1964		
	April	In.	Lbs.	Bu.	Bu.		
13852	27	30	59.7	44.8	--	1	196.5
13546	30	31	57.8	44.6	48.2	4	178.1
13547	5-3	28	59.7	42.7	45.3	2	155.0
8856	28	30	60.6	42.6	43.6	17	139.6
13679	28	28	59.8	42.3	46.2	2	158.0
13536	28	29	62.0	41.8	44.6	5	154.8
13857	5-1	29	59.5	41.4	--	1	181.6
13856	28	27	58.7	39.9	--	1	175.0
13848	28	28	60.2	39.6	--	1	173.6
13854	5-3	32	59.3	39.5	--	1	173.2
11673	5-3	29	57.5	38.3	42.0	17	130.9
12132	28	27	60.3	37.6	42.2	4	162.6
13849	30	30	59.6	36.0	--	1	157.9
13850	28	28	60.0	35.9	--	1	157.5
13851	28	28	60.6	35.7	--	1	156.6
13684	29	25	58.1	34.2	38.8	2	132.9
13847	27	31	60.2	33.8	--	1	148.2
13855	30	23	57.8	33.0	--	1	144.7
13853	29	29	57.5	32.7	--	1	143.4
1442	5-7	28	58.8	22.8	29.2	17	100.0

LSD.05 = 4.25 bushels; C.V. = 7.93%

Clovis, New Mexico  
Three replications, irrigated

C. I. No.	Date headed	Plant height	Av. acre yield		No. years grown	Percent of Kharkof
			1964	1963- 1964		
	May	In.	Bu.	Bu.		
13546	11	34	86.4	72.7	4	134.0
13547	15	28	75.9	62.0	2	109.8
13856	14	36	74.0	--	1	112.5
12132	11	28	72.2	58.6	4	105.6
13679	11	33	70.2	58.1	2	103.0
13536	12	33	70.2	59.6	5	110.3
13854	14	37	69.2	--	1	105.2
8856	9	34	68.2	56.1	12	100.5
13857	14	35	67.6	--	1	102.7
13684	14	30	66.4	52.7	2	93.4
1442	20	41	65.8	56.4	12	100.0
13849	14	36	64.8	--	1	98.5
13852	10	34	64.4	--	1	97.9
13855	14	27	64.4	--	1	97.9
13848	11	34	60.2	--	1	91.5
11673	14	38	60.0	56.5	12	99.8
13850	12	35	59.8	--	1	90.9
13851	12	36	54.6	--	1	83.0
13847	12	38	54.4	--	1	82.7
13853	11	36	43.2	--	1	65.7

LSD<sub>.05</sub> = 13.26 bushels; C.V. = 12.4%

Clovis, New Mexico  
Three replications, dryland

C. I. No.	Date		Plant height	Av. acre yield 1964
	Headed	Ripe		
	May	June	In.	Bu.
13849	11	10	20	21.4
1442	20	18	22	21.3
13546	12	12	20	20.8
13848	8	10	20	20.3
13679	8	8	21	20.3
13852	8	10	20	20.1
12132	8	10	20	20.0
11673	12	12	20	19.5
13536	9	10	19	18.3
13856	12	9	16	18.3
13547	15	14	17	18.1
13854	11	10	20	17.8
13851	10	12	20	17.8
13850	9	10	20	17.8
13847	10	10	20	17.5
13857	12	10	17	17.0
8856	10	10	20	17.0
13855	10	9	14	16.7
13853	8	11	20	16.6
13684	10	12	16	15.4

LSD<sub>.05</sub> = 5.44 bushels; C.V. = 17.9%

Manhattan, Kansas  
Four replications

C. I. No.	Date	Loose	Weight	Av. acre yield		No. years grown	Percent of Kharkof
	headed	smut	per	1964	1963- 1964		
	1/ May	2/ :	bushel	Lbs.	Bu.	Bu.	
13847	12	0	54.9	22.8	--	1	167.6
13679	10	0	49.8	22.3	32.4	2	132.0
8856	11	0	53.1	21.6	30.9	33	112.6
13851	12	3	52.0	21.1	--	1	155.1
13852	10	0	50.7	20.5	--	1	150.7
13857	14	6	52.0	20.4	--	1	150.0
13850	12	0	51.5	20.3	--	1	149.3
12132	10	0	50.4	20.2	31.8	4	117.3
11673	15	5	52.2	20.0	28.2	28	120.4
13856	13	19	51.3	19.7	--	1	144.9
13547	17	11	55.0	19.6	28.7	2	116.7
13546	14	0	49.6	19.4	32.3	4	129.2
13848	10	9	50.8	19.2	--	1	141.2
13849	14	1	51.6	18.6	--	1	136.8
13536	14	12	53.2	18.4	29.9	5	113.0
13853	15	3	50.0	18.3	--	1	134.6
13854	16	2	54.0	16.7	--	1	122.8
13684	13	0	49.2	16.5	26.7	2	108.5
1442	--	0	57.0	13.6	24.6	33	100.0
13855	14	13	46.9	13.2	--	1	97.1

1/ 1/2 bloom

2/ No. of heads per 100 ft. of row

LSD.<sub>.05</sub> = 3.37 bushels; C.V. = 12.54%

Hays, Kansas  
Four replications

C. I. No.	Date headed	Plant height	Shattering	Estimated loss from hail	Weight per bushel	Av. acre yield 1964
	May	In.		%	Lbs.	Bu.
13854	16	30	2.0	8.8	61.2	34.0
13546	14	29	2.1	13.8	60.5	32.7
13547	16	28	3.4	23.8	60.7	30.8
13852	12	28	2.0	17.5	60.6	30.4
13536	14	30	2.0	7.5	61.8	29.2
13857	16	28	2.6	22.5	60.1	28.1
13684	14	25	2.5	10.0	59.1	26.2
13856	16	28	3.1	38.8	59.9	25.6
8856	12	29	2.4	18.8	60.9	25.6
11673	16	29	3.0	25.0	59.8	25.0
13850	13	28	2.2	22.5	60.4	24.6
13849	14	28	2.8	25.0	60.5	24.6
13848	12	29	2.6	23.8	60.3	24.5
13855	14	23	2.2	7.5	59.0	23.8
12132	12	29	2.2	21.2	60.8	23.4
13679	11	28	2.2	28.8	61.0	21.8
13847	13	29	2.5	28.8	60.6	21.6
13851	13	28	2.8	43.8	60.8	21.4
13853	14	29	2.8	40.0	59.7	19.0
1442	19	28	3.2	38.8	60.0	18.8

1/ 1 = No shattering; 5 = Severe shattering

2/ Based on 1964 yield

LSD.05 = 3.6 bushels; C.V. = 10.1%

Garden City, Kansas  
Four replications

C. I. No.	Date		Plant height In.	Weight per bushel Lbs.	Av. acre yield		No. years grown	Percent of Kharkof
	Headed May	Ripe June			1964 Bu.	1963- 1964 Bu.		
13547	18	18	23	60.5	31.1	26.9	2	102.5
13546	16	19	23	61.8	30.0	32.2	4	123.3
13536	16	18	25	64.5	28.7	27.0	5	105.7
13857	17	18	22	62.1	28.6	--	1	109.6
13854	18	19	25	62.9	28.4	--	1	108.8
13856	16	18	22	61.7	27.9	--	1	106.9
11673	18	20	24	62.4	27.6	26.6	11	105.6
13679	13	14	22	63.0	27.4	26.7	2	101.5
1442	21	22	24	61.3	26.1	26.3	11	100.0
13847	15	16	24	62.2	25.2	--	1	96.5
13852	12	14	22	62.2	24.9	--	1	95.4
13849	16	19	24	62.3	24.7	--	1	94.6
12132	14	17	22	62.0	24.4	25.6	4	107.1
13853	17	18	24	64.0	23.0	--	1	88.1
13848	14	15	24	62.1	23.0	--	1	88.1
13684	18	18	20	59.9	23.0	20.3	2	89.5
13851	15	18	24	62.5	22.4	--	1	85.8
13850	14	17	22	61.8	22.3	--	1	85.4
13855	16	17	18	61.0	22.2	--	1	85.1
8856	14	17	24	63.5	21.6	23.4	11	100.9

LSD.05 = 5.32 bushels; C.V. = 14.6%

Colby, Kansas  
Four replications

C. I. No.	Date		Plant height In.	Weight ; per bushel Lbs.	Av. acre yield			No. years grown	Percent of Kharkof
	Headed May	Ripe June			1964	1963- 1964	Bu.		
13857	22	26	19	61.5	22.3	--	1	116.8	
13547	23	27	18	61.5	22.0	24.6	2	123.3	
13856	22	26	19	62.0	20.8	--	1	108.9	
1442	27	30	24	59.0	19.1	20.0	13	100.0	
13854	23	27	21	61.5	18.6	--	1	97.4	
13536	22	27	20	63.0	18.0	25.3	4	113.4	
8856	19	26	21	62.5	17.9	24.4	13	96.1	
11673	23	27	19	61.5	17.0	23.1	12	101.9	
13853	22	27	19	61.0	16.0	--	1	83.8	
13849	20	26	19	61.0	15.8	--	1	82.7	
13684	21	26	17	60.0	15.3	20.1	2	100.8	
13848	18	26	21	61.5	14.9	--	1	78.0	
13851	19	26	20	61.0	14.4	--	1	75.4	
13546	22	27	19	61.0	14.3	24.0	3	121.5	
13679	18	26	20	60.5	14.1	22.0	2	110.0	
13852	18	26	19	60.5	13.9	--	1	72.8	
13847	19	26	19	61.0	13.2	--	1	69.1	
13850	19	26	19	58.5	11.9	--	1	62.3	
13855	23	27	16	58.5	11.4	--	1	59.7	
12132	18	26	20	58.0	10.1	19.9	3	100.3	

LSD<sub>.05</sub> = 3.4 bushels; C.V. = 15.0%

Ft. Collins, Colorado  
Five replications

C. I. No.	Date		Plant height In.	Weight per bushel Lbs.	Av. acre yield		No. years grown	Percent of Kharkof
	Headed June	Ripe July			1964 Bu.	1963- 1964 Bu.		
13546	2	18	37	61.9	51.6	70.7	4	139.0
13856	5	17	36	62.1	47.9	--	1	103.9
13536	5	19	37	63.4	47.6	64.8	5	125.8
13547	6	18	37	62.3	46.1	61.7	2	98.9
1442	12	22	40	61.5	46.1	62.4	28	100.0
13857	6	17	37	62.7	43.8	--	1	95.0
13853	3	16	38	61.4	41.9	--	1	90.9
8856	2	16	37	62.3	41.8	55.1	28	101.7
11673	5	18	37	62.0	41.4	57.7	24	109.0
13854	6	19	36	61.8	39.4	--	1	85.5
13849	5	17	36	62.4	38.1	--	1	82.6
13684	6	17	28	59.7	36.8	52.9	2	84.7
13852	5-31	16	33	62.0	36.2	--	1	78.5
13847	3	18	37	62.1	33.8	--	1	73.3
13848	2	18	35	62.9	33.7	--	1	73.1
12132	1	15	35	61.6	32.1	51.9	4	111.9
13851	2	19	35	62.1	32.0	--	1	69.4
13855	5	17	26	60.0	30.7	--	1	66.6
13679	1	15	32	62.0	29.7	51.4	2	82.4
13850	2	16	34	61.4	24.9	--	1	54.0

LSD .05 = 5.53 bushels; C.V. = 11.3%



Akron, Colorado  
Four replications

C. I. No.	Date headed	Weight per bushel	Av. acre yield		No. years grown	Percent of Kharkof
			1964	1963- 1964		
	June	Lbs.	Bu.	Bu.		
1142	10	59.5	15.7	16.7	22	100.0
13536	6	61.7	15.7	17.3	4	112.1
13854	8	60.3	15.0	--	1	95.5
13546	4	60.0	13.9	18.5	4	118.2
13853	5	60.5	13.3	--	1	84.7
8856	4	60.4	12.4	19.1	22	110.3
11673	5	59.7	11.5	14.9	19	107.1
13855	5	58.1	11.4	--	1	72.6
13547	5	60.6	10.7	16.5	2	98.5
13852	6	59.0	10.7	--	1	68.1
13848	4	59.1	10.7	--	1	68.1
13684	5	58.0	9.6	17.3	2	103.9
13857	5	59.7	9.6	--	1	61.1
13851	6	58.9	9.4	--	1	59.9
13850	5	57.4	9.0	--	1	57.3
13679	4	58.5	8.8	16.0	2	95.5
13849	4	58.4	8.3	--	1	52.9
13847	4	57.5	8.1	--	1	51.6
13856	6	60.5	6.4	--	1	40.8
12132	4	58.0	4.0	12.4	4	89.7

LSD<sub>.05</sub> = 6.31 bushels; C.V. = 41.7%

Hesperus, Colorado  
Five replications

C. I. No.	Date headed	Plant height	Weight per bushel	Av. acre yield		No. years grown	Percent of Kharkof
				1964	1963- 1964		
	June	In.	Lbs.	Bu.	Bu.		
13852	21	39	60.4	72.4	--	1	151.5
13547	25	42	58.9	66.9	69.7	2	132.3
13546	23	41	58.8	65.5	71.4	3	135.7
13536	22	43	61.3	63.9	68.4	5	115.8
13850	22	42	58.6	62.9	--	1	131.6
13848	22	43	60.6	62.8	--	1	131.4
13679	20	42	60.5	62.1	61.0	2	115.9
13855	25	27	58.6	62.1	--	1	129.9
13856	27	43	58.8	60.7	--	1	127.0
13849	24	41	60.0	59.7	--	1	124.9
13684	23	34	57.2	58.8	62.4	2	118.4
13853	21	43	58.2	57.5	--	1	120.3
13854	23	44	60.2	56.7	--	1	118.6
12132	23	41	56.0	55.6	54.5	4	104.1
8856	22	46	59.3	54.8	56.7	24	101.4
11673	25	42	59.0	54.6	58.7	24	114.4
13847	23	45	59.4	53.2	--	1	111.3
13851	21	41	59.8	51.5	--	1	107.7
13857	26	40	57.0	48.9	--	1	102.3
1442	28	42	60.3	47.8	52.6	24	100.0

LSD .05 = 8.46 bushels; C.V. = 11.35%

Urbana, Illinois  
Three replications

C. I. No.	Date headed	Plant height	Weight per bushel	Av. acre yield		No. years grown	Percent of Kharkof
				1964	1963- 1964		
	May	In.	Lbs.	Bu.	Bu.		
13546	21	36	63.1	62.9	60.0	4	112.5
11673	25	36	62.9	59.1	58.8	4	115.8
13856	22	35	64.4	58.5	--	1	106.4
13852	25	33	63.8	57.9	--	1	105.3
13850	18	35	63.7	56.5	--	1	102.7
13684	20	28	62.6	56.3	55.6	2	104.0
13679	18	34	62.3	56.2	57.1	2	106.2
13547	25	33	62.5	55.2	51.3	2	95.4
1142	27	39	62.4	55.0	53.7	4	100.0
13855	20	25	63.5	54.9	--	1	99.8
13857	20	32	63.5	54.8	--	1	99.6
8856	19	37	64.4	53.7	50.8	4	95.3
13536	21	36	63.1	53.3	56.2	4	106.2
13849	21	33	63.5	53.1	--	1	96.5
12132	19	34	64.0	52.7	52.9	4	96.8
13854	25	36	62.9	52.6	--	1	95.6
13853	21	36	63.7	50.7	--	1	92.2
13851	21	35	63.5	50.6	--	1	92.0
13847	20	35	63.4	48.8	--	1	88.7
13848	19	34	63.5	44.0	--	1	80.0

LSD<sub>.05</sub> = 6.45 bushels; C.V. = 7.28%

Ames, Iowa  
Three replications

C. I. No.	Date		Plant height In.	Lodg- ing %	Winter: sur- vival %	Leaf rust: Sever- ity %	Stem: rust Type	Weight: per bushel Lbs.	Yield: 1964 Bu.	No. years grown	Percent of Kharkof	
	May	July										
13546	30	5	36	2	100	40	3	5	55.5	45.6	3	190.7
13679	26	2	32	0	100	25	2	25	54.7	41.9	1	974.4
13855	27	6	26	0	100	T	1	2	56.5	40.3	1	937.2
13857	30	5	31	2	100	45	3	T	57.9	40.3	1	937.2
13856	30	7	33	2	100	40	2	T	56.9	39.9	1	927.9
13852	26	2	31	0	100	35	2	30	52.6	37.9	1	881.4
13851	28	4	34	0	100	35	2	50	54.6	36.1	1	839.5
13847	27	3	32	2	100	35	2	35	54.6	35.7	1	830.2
13547	6-4	7	39	6	100	50	3	3	55.8	35.3	1	820.9
13684	28	5	28	0	96	25	2	45	51.9	34.9	1	811.6
13850	28	3	32	0	100	35	2	35	52.6	33.9	1	788.4
13848	26	2	33	0	98	35	2	45	53.4	33.2	1	772.1
13536	30	6	35	0	100	30	2	55	52.7	32.9	4	187.4
12132	27	2	32	0	99	45	2	40	51.3	29.5	3	264.3
8856	28	4	36	15	98	45	3	35	53.6	29.5	21	120.1
13849	30	3	34	1	100	50	2	45	50.2	29.2	1	679.0
13853	6-1	4	36	13	100	55	3	50	48.0	25.7	1	597.8
13854	6-3	6	38	30	100	55	3	45	45.1	21.4	1	497.6
11673	6-4	4	38	22	100	65	3	55	40.0	16.1	21	113.3
1442	6-3	4	37	45	100	75	3	60	--	4.3	21	100.0

ISD.05 = 5.11 bushels; C.V. = 9.72%

Lincoln, Nebraska  
Four replications

C. I. No.	Date headed	Plant height	Stem rust	Lodging	Weight per bushel	Av. acre yield			No. years grown	Percent of Kharkof
						1964	1963- 1964	Bu.		
	May	In.	%	%	Lbs.	Bu.	Bu.			
13855	20	29	10	T	58.2	42.1	--	1	236.5	
13547	22	35	5	0	59.1	40.5	39.4	2	149.0	
13856	20	34	T	0	60.0	39.3	--	1	220.8	
13679	19	35	40	35	60.8	38.4	31.6	2	119.5	
13857	20	34	T	25	59.4	38.3	--	1	215.2	
13546	20	35	5	25	58.0	37.9	42.2	4	189.7	
13851	19	36	40	5	60.4	37.7	--	1	211.8	
13684	20	30	20	0	56.9	37.3	29.8	2	112.7	
13852	19	35	20	25	60.4	37.2	--	1	208.9	
12132	19	36	40	25	60.3	35.8	33.1	4	145.3	
13850	19	35	40	25	60.2	35.6	--	1	200.0	
13536	20	36	40	25	61.9	35.5	35.6	5	156.1	
13848	19	36	40	10	60.8	35.4	--	1	198.9	
13847	19	36	40	10	60.3	34.1	--	1	191.6	
13849	20	35	40	15	59.0	32.4	--	1	182.0	
13854	22	36	60	25	57.6	31.2	--	1	175.3	
11673	23	36	40	25	55.4	30.7	35.4	27	120.6	
8856	27	36	60	5	61.2	26.9	27.7	32	122.3	
13853	20	35	20	90	57.5	24.1	--	1	135.4	
1442	27	36	60	5	50.5	17.8	26.5	32	100.0	

LSD<sub>.05</sub> = 4.98 bushels; C.V. = 10.23%

North Platte, Nebraska  
Four replications

C. I. No.	Date headed	Plant height	Stem rust	Weight per bushel	Av. acre yield		No. years grown	Percent of Kharkof
					1964	1963- 1964		
	May	In.	%	Lbs.	Bu.	Bu.		
13536	27	35	31	60.8	43.7	41.7	5	154.2
13546	29	38	10	59.8	43.7	46.3	4	228.6
13547	6-2	39	2	60.3	42.9	39.0	2	178.3
13684	28	30	34	59.2	38.6	32.8	2	149.9
13857	6-1	37	15	60.5	38.2	--	1	166.1
13856	6-2	36	9	58.7	38.1	--	1	165.7
8856	27	39	50	59.3	37.4	36.3	27	104.0
13851	28	37	63	59.2	37.2	--	1	161.7
13848	27	36	61	59.4	35.2	--	1	153.0
13853	28	39	28	58.4	35.2	--	1	153.0
13679	27	34	70	58.1	35.1	34.2	2	156.5
11673	6-2	39	36	58.0	34.4	38.4	24	116.3
13847	27	38	49	58.0	34.1	--	1	148.3
12132	27	33	60	56.8	33.9	35.9	4	169.9
13849	28	37	50	58.9	33.7	--	1	146.5
13852	27	35	65	58.2	33.3	--	1	144.8
13855	29	27	7	58.2	33.2	--	1	144.3
13850	26	36	55	57.0	30.4	--	1	132.2
13854	6-1	41	31	57.0	27.7	--	1	120.4
1442	6-6	40	50	55.2	23.0	21.9	27	100.0

LSD<sub>.05</sub> = 5.76 bushels; C.V. = 11.7%

Alliance, Nebraska  
Four replications

C. I. No.	Date headed	Plant height	Winter survival	Weight per bushel	Av. acre yield			No. years grown	Percent of Kharkof
					1964	1963- 1964	Bu.		
	June	in.	%	Lbs.	Bu.	Bu.			
13546	6	36	80	62.3	50.5	36.3	3	130.9	
13547	8	36	90	62.4	45.8	36.3	2	126.3	
13856	7	34	75	61.3	39.9	--	1	127.9	
11673	7	36	85	61.3	38.7	27.6	23	100.0	
13851	6	34	75	61.2	38.6	--	1	123.7	
13857	7	36	80	60.8	37.3	--	1	119.6	
13854	7	36	70	60.8	36.7	--	1	117.6	
13853	6	38	55	61.0	34.6	--	1	110.9	
13679	5	36	65	60.9	34.1	23.4	2	81.7	
13849	6	34	70	60.9	34.0	--	1	109.0	
13848	5	34	80	61.6	33.9	--	1	108.7	
12132	5	35	65	61.6	33.2	23.5	3	94.8	
13852	6	34	60	60.9	33.0	--	1	105.8	
8856	5	34	70	62.0	32.8	24.5	26	92.7	
13536	7	36	45	62.3	31.6	24.7	4	95.9	
13684	5	30	65	60.9	31.6	23.8	2	82.9	
13847	6	35	75	60.3	31.4	--	1	100.6	
1442	11	37	90	59.8	31.2	28.7	26	100.0	
13850	6	33	60	60.1	30.2	--	1	96.8	
13855	6	26	65	59.1	25.4	--	1	81.4	

LSD<sub>.05</sub> = 4.98 bushels; C.V. = 10%

Columbia, Missouri  
Four replications

C. I. No.	Date headed	Plant height	Lodging	Leaf rust	Hessian fly	Mildew	Weight per bushel	Av. yield	Percent of Kharkof
	May	In.	%	%	%	%	Lbs.	Bu.	
8856	9	42	19	40	95	60	62.0	48.8	186.3
13679	9	39	12	55	100	50	60.5	45.9	175.2
13546	12	42	19	45	76	30	59.5	44.9	171.4
13852	9	38	13	50	95	40	59.5	44.1	168.3
12132	10	40	16	63	77	80	60.5	43.2	164.9
13850	10	40	12	45	90	40	60.5	42.8	163.4
13851	9	41	11	55	90	40	60.0	41.6	158.8
13848	10	41	12	60	100	70	61.0	40.9	156.1
13856	11	40	17	65	100	40	58.0	40.9	156.1
13849	12	42	17	60	33	60	61.0	40.4	154.2
13853	13	43	29	20	58	40	58.5	39.8	151.9
13854	14	43	24	65	100	60	60.5	39.6	151.1
13847	10	42	19	55	100	50	60.0	39.3	150.0
13547	15	42	15	43	45	40	60.0	39.0	148.9
13536	12	40	11	35	78	60	59.0	37.7	143.9
13857	12	39	14	65	100	40	60.0	37.6	143.5
11673	14	42	29	28	86	60	59.5	36.1	137.8
13684	12	34	6	1	50	40	57.5	34.9	133.2
13855	11	31	7	1	100	60	57.0	29.9	114.1
1442	19	43	21	63	90	40	57.5	26.2	100.0

LSD<sub>.05</sub> = 4.59 bushels; C.V. = 8.17%



### Summary of Nursery Yields

Grain yields of varieties at individual locations and their state and regional average yields are assembled in table 2. Yields from Hays, Kansas, are excluded from the summary because of the hail at harvest time. Both dryland and irrigated yields from Clovis, New Mexico, and Bushland, Texas, were included.

Scout again was superior in performance ranking first in every state except Kansas and Missouri. Its 41.9 average yield was 3.1 bushels better than second-ranked Lancer. The latter variety was entered from the northern regional nursery in 1963 where it was tested prior to its release by Nebraska. Cnn<sup>2</sup> x Ky-Mta (C. I. 13856) and Caddo ranked third and fourth, respectively.

Two-year average yields (table 3) show Scout with an average 4.5-bushel yield advantage over second-ranked Caddo. Third most productive on a 2-year basis was Lancer with a 40.1 yield average.

### Summary of Agronomic Data

Data other than yield for varieties in the southern regional nursery are summarized in table 4. Varieties are listed according to their average test weight.

Caddo had the high average test weight of 61.1 pounds compared with 60.5 for Early Blackhull and 60.1 for Lancer. Caddo had the poorest average winter survival at 2 reporting stations and Lancer and Kharkof the best survival. The Texas semi-dwarfs C. I. 13855 and 13684 had the shortest straw, the best leaf rust resistance, and the least lodging but had the lowest test weight grain. The best stem rust resistance was shown by C. I. 13856, Lancer, C. I. 13857, Scout, and C. I. 13855 all with average readings of 5 percent or less. Susceptibility at Ames was mainly responsible for the higher than expected average leaf rust on C. I. 13853 and Caddo.

Table 2. Summary of average yields in bushels per acre made by 20 varieties grown in the southern regional performance nursery at 18 stations in 1964 with state averages and rank.

Variety	C. I. No.	Texas				Rank	Oklahoma				Rank
		Den- ton	Bushland Irr.	Aver- Dry:	age		Still- water	Wood- ward	Chero- kee	Aver- age	
Scout	13546	29.4	69.8	16.8	38.7	1	44.9	46.0	44.6	45.2	1
Lancer	13547	27.7	65.6	14.4	35.9	5	34.1	43.0	42.7	39.9	10
Cnn <sup>2</sup> x Ky-Mta	13856	30.6	58.6	17.0	35.4	6	44.0	42.9	39.9	42.3	5
Wichita x Mql-Oro	13536	34.1	51.9	15.2	33.7	11-13	45.1	43.9	41.8	43.6	2
Triumph x C.I.12406	13852	34.1	60.4	15.4	36.6	3	43.3	39.9	44.8	42.7	4
Triumph 64	13679	33.7	55.7	16.4	35.3	7-8	45.7	42.3	42.3	43.4	3
Nebred x Cnn-Ky-Mta	13857	34.5	62.0	13.6	36.7	2	42.9	39.8	41.4	41.4	6
Early Blackhull	8856	29.6	50.7	12.0	30.8	19	41.6	38.4	42.6	40.9	7
Bison <sup>5</sup> x C.I.9058	13854	27.1	62.6	13.6	34.4	10	37.9	37.6	39.5	38.3	11
Comanche	11673	26.6	57.9	14.6	33.0	14-15	42.0	41.9	38.3	40.7	8
Triumph x C.I.12406	13849	30.2	59.7	14.7	34.9	9	35.2	35.2	36.0	35.5	18
Svl-Wi-Hope-Cnn-Wi <sup>2</sup> x SS	13684	32.0	61.4	12.5	35.3	7-8	39.4	28.7	34.2	34.1	19
Triumph x C.I.12406	13848	30.5	55.6	14.9	33.7	11-13	39.4	34.3	39.6	37.8	14
Triumph	12132	29.4	51.8	17.8	33.0	14-15	42.0	34.9	37.6	38.2	12
Triumph x C.I.12406	13850	34.0	58.1	16.0	36.0	4	41.9	35.4	35.9	37.7	15
do	13851	33.3	47.2	17.1	32.5	17	40.3	32.9	35.7	36.3	16-17
Norin 10 x C.I.12500	13855	26.4	54.7	14.4	31.8	18	42.2	38.8	33.0	38.0	13
Wichita <sup>5</sup> x Cns x Au	13853	35.0	47.8	15.1	32.6	16	49.2	39.5	32.7	40.5	9
Kharkof	1442	15.6	59.0	16.8	30.5	20	31.5	28.8	22.8	27.7	20
Triumph x C.I.12406	13847	33.5	52.7	14.8	33.7	11-13	40.0	35.0	33.8	36.3	16-17

Table 2. Concluded

C. I. No.	Kansas					Illinois		Colorado				Iowa		
	Manhattan	Garden City	Colby	Average	Rank	Urbana	Rank	Ft. Collins	Akron	Hesperus	Average	Rank	Ames	Rank
13546	19.4	30.0	14.3	21.2	7-8	62.9	1	51.6	13.9	65.5	43.7	1	45.6	1
13547	19.6	31.1	22.0	24.2	1	55.2	8	46.1	10.7	66.9	41.2	3	35.3	9
13856	19.7	27.9	20.8	22.8	3	58.5	3	47.9	6.4	60.7	38.3	5	39.9	5
13536	18.4	28.7	18.0	21.7	4	53.3	13	47.6	15.7	63.9	42.4	2	32.9	13
13852	20.5	24.9	13.9	19.8	11	57.9	4	36.2	10.7	72.4	39.8	4	37.9	6
13679	22.3	27.4	14.1	21.3	6	56.2	7	29.7	8.8	62.1	33.5	16	41.9	2
13857	20.4	28.6	22.3	23.8	2	54.8	11	43.8	9.6	48.9	34.1	15	40.3	3-4
8856	21.6	21.6	17.9	20.4	9-10	53.7	12	41.8	12.4	54.8	36.3	9	29.5	14-15
13854	16.7	28.4	18.6	21.2	7-8	52.6	16	39.4	15.0	56.7	37.0	7	21.4	18
11673	20.0	27.6	17.0	21.5	5	59.1	2	41.4	11.5	54.6	35.8	10	16.1	19
13849	18.6	24.7	15.8	19.7	12	53.1	14	38.1	8.3	59.7	35.4	12	29.2	16
13684	16.5	23.0	15.3	18.3	17	56.3	6	36.8	9.6	58.8	35.1	13	34.9	10
13848	19.2	23.0	14.9	19.0	16	44.0	20	33.7	10.7	62.8	35.7	11	33.2	12
12132	20.2	24.4	10.1	18.2	18-19	52.7	15	32.1	4.0	55.6	30.6	20	29.5	14-15
13850	20.3	22.3	11.9	18.2	18-19	56.5	5	24.9	9.0	62.9	32.3	17	33.9	11
13851	21.1	22.4	14.4	19.3	14	50.6	18	32.0	9.4	51.5	31.0	19	36.1	7
13855	13.2	22.2	11.4	15.6	20	54.9	10	30.7	11.4	62.1	34.7	14	40.3	3-4
13853	18.3	23.0	16.0	19.1	15	50.7	17	41.9	13.3	57.5	37.6	6	25.7	17
11442	13.6	26.1	19.1	19.6	13	55.0	9	46.1	15.7	47.8	36.5	8	4.3	20
13847	22.8	25.2	13.2	20.4	9-10	48.8	19	33.8	8.1	53.2	31.7	18	35.7	8

C. I. No.	Nebraska					Missouri		New Mexico				20 test average
	Lincoln	North Platte	Allamore	Average	Rank	Combs	Rank	Clovis	Average	Rank		
13546	37.9	43.7	50.5	44.0	1	44.9	3	86.4	20.8	53.6	1	41.9
13547	40.5	42.9	45.8	43.1	2	39.0	14	75.9	18.1	47.0	2	38.8
13856	39.3	38.1	39.9	39.1	3	40.9	8-9	74.0	18.3	46.2	3	38.3
13536	35.5	43.7	31.6	36.9	6	37.7	15	70.2	18.3	44.2	6	37.4
13852	37.2	33.3	33.0	34.5	11	44.1	4	64.4	20.1	42.2	12	37.2
13679	38.4	35.1	34.1	35.9	7	45.9	2	70.2	20.3	45.2	5	37.1
13857	38.3	38.2	37.3	37.9	4	37.6	16	67.6	17.0	42.3	11	36.9
8856	26.9	37.4	32.8	32.4	16	48.8	1	68.2	17.0	42.6	10	35.0
13854	31.2	27.7	36.7	31.9	18	39.6	12	69.2	17.8	43.5	7-8	34.5
11673	30.7	34.4	38.7	34.6	10	36.1	17	60.0	19.5	39.8	16	34.4
13849	32.4	33.7	34.0	33.4	14	40.4	10	64.8	21.4	43.1	9	34.3
13684	37.3	38.6	31.6	35.8	8	34.9	18	66.4	15.4	40.9	13	34.2
13848	35.4	35.2	33.9	34.8	9	40.9	8-9	60.2	20.3	40.2	15	34.1
12132	35.8	33.9	33.2	34.3	12	43.2	5	72.2	20.0	46.1	4	34.0
13850	35.6	30.4	30.2	32.1	17	42.8	6	59.8	17.8	38.8	17	34.0
13851	37.7	37.2	38.6	37.8	5	41.6	7	54.6	17.8	36.2	18	33.6
13855	42.1	33.2	25.4	33.6	13	29.9	19	64.4	16.7	40.6	14	33.4
13853	24.1	35.2	34.6	31.3	19	39.8	11	43.2	16.6	29.9	20	33.0
11442	17.8	23.0	31.2	24.0	20	26.2	20	65.8	21.3	43.5	7-8	29.4
13847	34.1	34.1	31.4	33.2	15	39.3	13	54.4	17.5	36.0	19	28.5

Table 3. Summary of 2-year average yields for 9 varieties grown in the southern regional performance nursery at 15 stations in 1963 and 1964 with state averages and rank.

Variety	C.I. No.	Texas			Oklahoma				New Mexico		Illinois	
		Denton	Rank	Still-water	Woodward	Cherokee	Average	Rank	Clovis Irr.	Rank	Urbana	Rank
Scout	13546	30.9	3	47.7	40.3	48.2	45.4	1	72.7	1	60.0	1
Caddo	13536	32.6	2	42.3	35.5	44.6	40.8	3	59.6	3	56.2	4
Lancer	13547	30.0	4-5	34.2	36.1	45.3	38.5	7	62.0	2	51.3	8
Triumph 64	13679	34.0	1	48.1	36.7	46.2	43.7	2	58.1	5	57.1	3
Comanche	11673	29.4	6	41.5	36.3	42.0	39.9	4	56.5	6	58.8	2
Early Blackhull	8856	30.0	4-5	43.8	31.1	43.6	39.5	6	56.1	8	50.8	9
Triumph	12132	29.2	7	45.7	31.1	42.2	39.7	5	58.6	4	52.9	7
Svl-wi-H-Gnn-wi <sup>2</sup> x SS	13684	27.3	8	41.9	26.8	38.8	35.8	8	52.7	9	55.9	5
Kharkof	1442	23.5	9	31.8	25.8	29.2	28.9	9	56.4	7	53.7	6

C.I. No.	Kansas					Colorado					Nebraska					15 station average
	Manhattan	Garden City	Colby	Average	Rank	Ft. Collins	Akron	Hesperus	Average	Rank	Lincoln	North Platte	Allamore	Average	Rank	
13546	32.3	32.2	24.0	29.5	1	70.7	18.5	71.4	53.5	1	42.2	46.3	36.3	41.6	1	44.9
13536	29.9	27.0	25.3	27.4	2	64.8	17.3	68.4	50.2	2	35.6	41.7	24.7	34.0	3	40.4
13547	28.7	26.9	24.6	26.7	4	61.7	16.5	69.7	49.3	3	39.4	39.0	36.3	38.2	2	40.1
13679	32.4	26.7	22.0	27.0	3	51.4	16.0	61.0	42.8	8	31.6	34.2	23.4	29.7	6	38.6
11673	28.2	26.6	23.1	26.0	6	57.7	14.9	58.7	43.8	6	35.4	38.3	27.6	33.8	4	38.3
8856	30.9	23.4	24.4	26.2	5	55.1	19.1	56.9	43.7	7	27.7	36.3	24.5	29.5	7	36.9
12132	31.8	25.6	19.9	25.8	7	51.9	12.4	54.5	39.6	9	33.1	35.9	23.5	30.8	5	36.6
13684	26.7	20.3	20.1	22.4	9	52.9	17.3	62.4	44.2	4	29.8	32.8	23.8	28.8	8	35.3
1442	24.6	26.3	20.0	23.6	8	62.4	16.7	52.6	43.9	5	26.5	21.9	28.7	25.7	9	33.3

Table 4. Summary of agronomic data other than yield for varieties grown in the southern regional performance nursery in 1964.

Variety	C.I. No.	Date		Plant height in.	Rust		Lodging %	Winter survival %	Weight per bushel Lbs.
		Headed	Ripe		Leaf %	Stem %			
Number of stations		20	4	18	3	4	3	2	18
Caddo	13536	18	7-2	32	20	33	12	72	61.1
Early Blackhull	8856	16	7-1	32	41	38	16	84	60.5
Lancer	13547	21	7-2	31	36	3	7	95	60.1
Triumph x CI 12406	13851	17	7-2	31	40	39	5	88	60.0
do	13848	16	6-30	31	42	42	7	89	60.0
do	13847	17	7-1	32	41	32	10	88	59.9
Triumph 64	13679	16	6-29	30	40	38	16	82	59.8
Nbr x Cnn-Ky-Mta	13857	19	7-2	30	40	4	14	90	59.7
Cnn <sup>2</sup> x Ky-Mta	13856	19	7-2	30	38	2	6	88	59.6
Triumph x CI 12406	13852	16	6-30	30	40	31	13	80	59.4
do	13849	18	7-1	32	46	35	11	85	59.4
Scout	13546	18	7-2	32	34	5	15	90	59.3
Bsn <sup>5</sup> x CI 9058	13854	20	7-3	33	50	34	26	85	59.2
Triumph x CI 12406	13850	17	6-30	31	40	33	12	80	59.2
Triumph	12132	16	6-30	30	46	39	14	82	59.0
Wi <sup>5</sup> x Cns x Au	13853	18	7-1	32	21	26	44	78	58.8
Kharkof	1442	25	7-4	33	60	42	24	95	58.8 <sup>1/</sup>
Comanche	11673	21	7-2	32	41	34	25	92	58.4
Nrn 10 x CI 12500	13855	18	7-2	24	1	5	2	82	58.3
Svl-Wi-Hope-Cnn-Wi <sup>2</sup> x SS	13684	18	7-2	26	8	25	2	80	58.2

<sup>1/</sup> Average based on one less station than indicated

NORTHERN REGIONAL PERFORMANCE NURSERY

Seventeen varieties comprised the northern regional nursery in 1964. The data were reported from 12 of 15 stations that grew the nursery.

Entry No. :	Pedigree	C. I. No. :	State submitting
1	Kharkof	11442	---
2	Minter	12138	---
3	Yogo	8033	---
4	Warrior	13190	---
5	Cheyenne	8885	---
6	Winalta	13670	Alberta
7	Frontana x Minter <sup>2</sup>	13682	Minn.
8*	(1144 x Minturki <sup>2</sup> ) x Minter (Minn. 2939)	13858	do.
9	Lancer	13547	Nebr.
10	Yogo x (Tk-Oro 221)-117 (Reselected)	13542	Mont.
11*	Yogo x Rushmore 57-135	13859	do.
12*	do. 57-27	13860	do.
13*	Yogo x Cheyenne 1-1-2-1	13861	do.
14*	do. 11-5-3	13862	do.
15*	Bulk Winterhardiness 1376-8	13863	do.
16*	Ky 58-Nth x (Cnn-Tm-Mi-Hope) <sup>2</sup>	13864	Nebr.
17**	Gage	13532	do.

\* New entry in 1964.

\*\* Entered from the Southern Regional Nursery.

Data Obtained

St. Paul--The nursery was seeded on September 11. Soil moisture was adequate in the fall but was below normal throughout the winter and spring. There were no diseases of significance due to the dry spring.

Waseca--Seeding was done on September 12 in good soil moisture. Although the winter was moderately cold and open there was no killing in the nursery. Moisture was excellent throughout the season. Both stem and leaf rust became heavy sufficiently early to reduce test weights and yields of susceptible varieties.

Brookings--Irregular stands resulted from the nursery seeding on September 3. The late winter and spring were very wet and the nursery became excessively weedy. Data were not reported.

Presho--Seeding on September 17 was late for that area. Although winter-killing was not severe the condition of the nursery was poor during the spring. The nursery became extremely weedy by harvest time. Both yields and test weights were low.

Highmore--Good stands were established in the fall from seeding on September 17. There was little winterkilling. Streak mosaic was severe in the nursery in the spring. Leaf and stem rust became heavy. Grain yields were generally good but test weights were well below normal.

Lincoln--The nursery at Lincoln consisted of a single rod-row plot of each entry. Good stem rust and bunt information were obtained.

North Platte--Conditions throughout the season at North Platte were excellent. There was no winterkilling. Stem rust became heavy sufficiently early to reduce test weight of susceptible varieties. Yields, however, were high.

Alliance--The winter was severe enough to cause some loss of stands in the most tender materials grown at Alliance in 1964. Killing in the northern regional nursery was negligible. Growth was excessive in the fall with crown and root rots and streak mosaic prevalent in the area.

Archer--The nursery was seeded on September 12 in fair moisture. The wheat survived the winter without loss of stands. Drought throughout the spring growing season sharply depressed yields.

Sheridan--Overall conditions were good. Fall moisture was adequate for excellent stand establishment and all entries survived the winter well. There was no apparent insect or disease damage. Yields, although high, probably were reduced by lack of moisture from mid-June until harvest.

Havre--Seeding on September 24 was very late. A relatively mild winter produced no measurable killing. Timely precipitation in the spring pointed to a high yielding crop but hail on July 15 caused heavy damage in the nursery. Some damage resulted from a late buildup of grasshoppers and high winds prior to harvest caused additional loss of grain from shattering.

Dickinson--Loss of stand during the winter was severe. Killing was 100 percent in all replications except one in which there was partial survival of the most winterhardy entries. No data were reported.

Lethbridge--Fall stands were excellent. The winter was mild and all entries survived without loss of plants. Wheat streak mosaic became severe in the fall and the disease destroyed the nursery in the spring. There were no data reported.

Tetonia--The nursery was seeded on September 10. Growing conditions throughout the season were not reported.

Clovis--An irrigated nursery was seeded on October 15. Insects and diseases were not a problem in the nursery. Yields were high. Test weights were not reported.

Table 5. Yield and other data for varieties grown in the northern regional performance nursery at 12 stations in the hard red winter wheat region in 1964.

St. Paul, Minnesota  
Three replications

C. I. No.	Date headed	Plant height	Weight per bushel	Av. acre yield		No. years grown	Percent of Kharkof
	June	In.	Lbs.	1964 Bu.	1963- 1964 Bu.		
13861	7	39	64.3	44.7	--	1	129.9
13862	7	39	64.5	37.8	--	1	109.9
13190	4	34	63.3	37.2	--	1	108.1
13542	7	39	63.7	36.3	34.5	4	122.7
8885	7	34	64.0	36.1	22.6	4	106.2
13682	8	36	63.0	36.1	35.0	2	165.3
13532	3	34	61.8	35.8	--	1	104.1
13863	8	37	63.7	34.9	--	1	101.4
1142	8	36	63.0	34.4	21.2	4	100.0
8033	9	36	63.2	34.2	33.6	4	134.7
12138	8	38	63.0	33.8	30.9	4	140.0
13670	6	36	63.8	33.6	24.6	2	115.8
13859	6	38	63.2	32.8	--	1	95.3
13864	7	36	64.0	32.0	--	1	93.0
13547	4	33	62.8	31.9	19.2	3	102.4
13858	8	36	63.7	31.6	--	1	91.9
13860	7	38	62.5	31.3	--	1	91.0

LSD.05 = not significant; C.V. = 12.8%



Waseca, Minnesota  
Three replications

C. I. No.	Date		Lodging: class 1/	Plant height In.	Rust		Weight: per bushel: Lbs.	Av. acre yield:		No. years: grown:	Percent of Kharkof
	Headed: June	Ripe: July			Leaf: %	Stem: %		1964 Bu.	1963- 1964 Bu.		
13532	3	8	1.0	39	10	30S	63.3	54.6	--	1	143.7
13864	6	10	2.0	42	60	T	63.5	51.8	--	1	136.3
13547	6	10	1.0	39	70	T	63.0	49.7	39.8	4	133.1
13682	10	12	2.0	43	70	T	62.2	47.6	44.4	3	149.5
13858	10	12	2.0	44	70	T	63.0	47.4	--	1	124.7
12138	9	13	2.0	45	60	10S	62.3	46.2	39.8	4	121.6
13670	8	11	2.0	41	70	5 <sup>2</sup> /	61.7	45.3	36.4	3	132.2
13859	7	11	1.7	40	70	50S	61.0	41.3	--	1	108.7
8885	8	12	1.7	42	80	70S	59.0	39.0	29.6	4	82.0
13190	5	11	1.7	40	60	70S	58.0	38.6	--	1	101.6
13860	8	11	2.0	45	70	20S	61.7	38.5	--	1	101.3
1442	7	11	1.7	42	80	80S	58.0	38.0	33.2	4	100.0
13861	7	12	2.0	42	70	60S	60.7	37.2	--	1	97.9
13862	8	11	2.0	42	80	60S	58.5	35.4	--	1	93.2
13863	11	13	2.0	42	80	60S	57.0	33.2	--	1	87.4
8033	11	13	2.3	44	60	70S	58.3	32.8	28.0	4	94.0
13542	9	11	2.0	44	70	70S	58.0	31.5	29.0	4	76.3

LSD.05 = 5.2 bushels; C.V. = 7.6%

1/ Based on 1-9 scale; 1 = erect, 9 = flat

2/ Infection ranged from Trace - 40S; average infection = 5%.

Presho, South Dakota  
Four replications

C. I. No.	Weight per bushel	Av. acre yield 1964	Av. acre yield 1963-1964	No. years grown	Percent of Kharkof
	Lbs.	Bu.	Bu.		
13532	57.0	19.7	--	1	169.8
13547	56.0	16.9	22.4	2	121.1
13861	57.0	15.8	--	1	136.2
13670	56.0	14.5	20.6	2	111.4
12138	55.0	14.1	19.6	2	105.9
13863	53.0	13.7	--	1	118.1
13862	55.1	13.3	--	1	114.6
13190	55.0	12.8	--	1	110.3
13682	52.8	12.8	17.8	2	96.2
13858	54.0	12.7	--	1	109.5
1442	51.4	11.6	18.5	2	100.0
8033	50.1	11.3	17.4	2	94.0
13542	50.0	9.4	16.8	2	90.8
13860	51.1	8.6	--	1	74.1
13859	50.9	8.5	--	1	73.3
13864	54.6	8.3	--	1	71.6
8885	51.0	8.1	17.4	2	94.0

LSD .05 = 5.1 bushels; C.V. = 29.0%

Highmore, South Dakota  
Four replications

C. I. No.	Rust		Weight per bushel	Av. acre yield		No. years grown	Percent of Kharkof
	Leaf 7-1 %	Stem 7-1 %		1964 Bu.	1963- 1964 Bu.		
8885	65S	65S	57.0	39.4	31.0	2	105.6
1442	65S	65S	57.0	37.3	30.6	2	100.0
13547	65S	OR	56.1	34.8	34.8	2	113.7
13190	65S	25S	55.1	31.8	--	1	85.2
13532	OR	OR	58.1	31.7	--	1	85.0
13862	65S	40S	57.5	31.0	--	1	83.1
13864	1X	OR	55.5	29.9	--	1	80.2
13863	65S	65S	54.8	28.4	--	1	76.1
13670	65S	10S	56.4	28.1	26.9	2	87.9
13542	65S	10S	53.2	26.7	22.6	2	73.8
13858	65S	OR	55.8	26.3	--	1	70.5
13860	65S	65S	55.8	25.6	--	1	68.6
13861	65S	40S	57.0	25.4	--	1	68.1
8033	65S	65S	53.1	24.9	20.9	2	68.4
13682	40S	1R	55.0	24.8	24.0	2	78.7
12138	65S	5S	51.1	22.8	23.4	2	76.4
13859	65S	40S	56.5	20.7	--	1	55.5

LSD<sub>.05</sub> = 1.7 bushels; C.V. = 5.44%

Lincoln, Nebraska  
Single plot

C. I. No.	Date headed	Plant height	Stem rust	Bunt 1/ %
	May	In.	%	%
13864	25	36	TR	28
13532	21	34	TR-20S	20
13547	23	33	TR	7
13670	26	37	10MR-30S	10
13858	27	38	30S	0
13682	27	37	30S	0
13860	27	39	30S	0
13859	23	36	80S	1
12138	27	38	30S	2
13190	24	34	70S	6
8885	25	38	70S	23
13861	27	37	80S	0
1442	25	37	60S	14
13863	30	36	80S	0
8033	29	39	60S	1
13862	28	38	80S	3
13542	30	37	80S	1

1/ Data from an artificially inoculated nursery.

North Platte, Nebraska  
Four replications

C. I. No.	Date headed	Plant height	Stem rust	Weight per bushel	Av. acre yield		No. years grown	Percent of Kharkof
					1964	1963- 1964		
	June	In.	%	Lbs.	Bu.	Bu.		
13532	5-31	38	2	58.5	49.2	--	1	166.2
13547	2	38	4	60.0	44.6	38.2	4	184.2
13190	3	38	25	58.7	41.7	--	1	140.9
13864	4	40	0	59.6	40.6	--	1	137.2
13670	5	39	4	60.2	37.0	39.0	3	142.9
13858	5	41	0	60.1	36.1	--	1	122.0
13860	5	43	5	59.8	35.4	--	1	103.4
13682	10	40	0	58.9	35.4	29.2	3	119.7
13861	4	41	20	59.7	35.2	--	1	118.9
13859	4	41	20	58.9	33.7	--	1	113.8
8885	4	40	35	57.6	34.8	34.4	6	120.9
13862	5	40	65	58.4	31.4	--	1	106.1
12138	9	42	5	58.0	30.6	28.8	6	124.7
1442	6	42	6	56.8	29.6	28.3	6	100.0
13863	10	40	60	56.3	28.4	--	1	95.9
13542	7	42	70	55.5	26.9	27.2	5	102.7
8033	9	41	25	53.6	26.0	31.7	6	97.6

LSD<sub>.05</sub> = 4.02 bushels; C.V. = 8.1%

Alliance, Nebraska  
Four replications

C. I. No.	Plant height In.	Weight per bushel Lbs.	Av. acre yield		No. years grown	Percent of Kharkof
			1964 Bu.	1963- 1964 Bu.		
8885	37	61.4	42.1	35.8	6	113.4
13190	36	61.2	40.8	--	1	113.0
13532	35	61.1	38.9	--	1	107.8
13542	40	58.8	38.5	32.6	4	102.3
13861	38	61.5	37.8	--	1	104.7
13862	39	60.3	37.3	--	1	103.3
8033	39	59.3	37.1	34.0	12	92.3
13864	38	60.6	36.8	--	1	101.9
13670	37	61.5	36.7	32.6	2	106.2
1442	40	60.1	36.1	30.6	12	100.0
13547	35	61.9	35.8	29.2	3	101.3
13858	39	58.7	35.3	--	1	97.8
13860	40	59.2	34.8	--	1	96.4
13859	38	61.1	34.1	--	1	94.4
13863	39	57.8	33.1	--	1	91.7
12138	39	59.6	32.5	31.0	12	93.7
13682	38	59.4	30.8	30.4	2	99.0

LSD<sub>.05</sub> = 4.2 bushels; C.V. = 8.2%

Archer, Wyoming  
Four replications

C. I. No.	Date headed	Plant height	Weight per bushel	Av. acre yield		No. years grown	Percent of Kharkof
	June	In.	Lbs.	1964 Bu.	1963- 1964 Bu.		
13859	18	26	61.0	18.6	--	1	106.9
13542	18	27	60.0	18.6	22.1	4	103.4
8885	14	23	61.0	18.3	20.7	7	101.2
13547	12	23	62.5	17.9	21.6	3	101.3
13861	17	23	62.0	17.7	--	1	101.7
13863	19	26	59.0	17.7	--	1	101.7
1442	18	24	59.0	17.4	19.6	9	100.0
8033	18	24	59.5	17.1	20.0	9	94.6
13860	17	26	60.0	16.9	--	1	97.1
13670	18	24	60.0	15.8	19.0	3	104.0
12138	18	24	59.0	15.5	18.6	9	94.4
13858	18	25	60.0	15.4	--	1	88.5
13190	12	21	61.0	15.3	--	1	87.9
13864	18	24	60.0	15.0	--	1	86.2
13862	17	22	60.5	14.2	--	1	81.6
13682	18	28	60.0	14.2	18.7	3	93.6
13532	12	22	59.0	13.2	--	1	75.9

LSD<sub>.05</sub> = 6.8 bushels; C.V. = 29.4%

Sheridan, Wyoming  
Four replications

C. I. No.	Date headed	Plant height	Weight per bushel	Av. acre yield		No. years grown	Percent of Kharkof
				1964	1963- 1964		
	June	In.	Lbs.	Bu.	Bu.		
8885	13	46	61.0	53.7	42.6	8	111.3
13542	17	49	59.0	53.4	41.5	5	98.0
8033	16	49	60.0	52.9	43.0	13	104.8
13547	12	42	61.0	51.0	37.8	4	97.3
1142	16	46	59.0	49.5	42.2	13	100.0
13190	15	43	60.0	48.0	--	1	97.0
13682	16	46	59.0	46.9	39.8	3	93.1
13862	15	46	60.0	46.9	--	1	94.7
13863	18	48	60.0	44.0	--	1	88.9
12138	17	45	60.0	43.9	32.3	13	93.9
13859	15	43	58.0	43.7	--	1	88.3
13532	10	39	58.0	43.4	--	1	87.7
13860	16	47	58.0	38.6	--	1	78.0
13670	14	46	60.0	38.1	39.0	3	94.3
13858	17	50	60.0	37.6	--	1	76.0
13861	15	46	60.0	36.4	--	1	73.5
13864	15	39	57.0	25.8	--	1	52.1

ISD .05 = 9.7 bushels; C.V. = 15.8%



Havre, Montana  
Three replications

C. I. No.	Date : headed	Plant : height	Hail : damage	Weight : per bushel	Av. acre : yield 1964	Percent : of Kharkof
	June	In.	%	Lbs.	Bu.	
13542	15	29	7	60.6	15.8	138.6
12138	17	28	10	60.0	14.0	122.8
8033	17	28	4	60.0	13.6	119.3
13860	16	30	T	59.3	13.3	116.7
13670	14	24	11	60.3	13.1	114.9
13862	15	27	8	60.3	12.2	107.0
13858	16	30	10	59.3	12.2	107.0
13859	13	25	15	60.3	11.4	100.0
1442	13	27	20	60.0	11.4	100.0
13682	16	27	17	59.0	11.2	98.2
8885	15	26	10	60.0	11.0	96.5
13861	14	27	5	60.6	10.5	92.1
13863	15	28	5	60.0	9.7	85.1
13864	13	25	13	59.3	9.2	80.7
13532	12	23	23	58.6	8.1	71.0
13547	12	23	17	60.6	7.6	66.7
13190	12	21	34	60.0	5.4	47.4

LSD<sub>.05</sub> = 4.62 bushels; C.V. = 25.2%

Tetonia, Idaho  
Four replications

C. I. No.	Date headed	Plant height	Weight per bushel	Av. acre yield		No. years grown	Percent of Kharkof
				1964	1963- 1964		
	July	In.	Lbs.	Bu.	Bu.		
13190	6	47	60.8	49.2	--	1	126.2
13542	10	52	61.3	47.0	41.8	2	112.1
8885	9	50	59.8	46.0	44.1	2	118.2
13670	9	48	62.1	45.2	41.8	2	112.1
13547	5	46	60.3	44.0	41.4	2	111.0
13682	10	51	60.2	43.6	38.2	2	102.4
13532	4	42	61.3	43.0	--	1	110.2
13860	8	52	60.9	42.4	--	1	108.7
13859	7	50	61.6	41.9	--	1	107.4
13863	10	47	61.0	41.7	--	1	106.9
8033	10	51	60.9	40.8	37.0	2	99.2
1442	8	49	61.1	39.0	37.3	2	100.0
12138	9	48	61.3	38.5	37.2	2	99.7
13858	10	50	58.4	38.5	--	1	98.7
13862	9	48	60.2	37.3	--	1	95.6
13864	7	45	60.6	37.2	--	1	95.4
13861	9	51	61.3	36.1	--	1	92.6

LSD .05 = 6.3 bushels; C.V. = 10.6%

Clovis, New Mexico  
Three replications, irrigated

C. I. No.	Date headed	Plant height	Av. acre yield		No. years grown	Percent of Kharkof
			1964 Bu.	1963- 1964 Bu.		
	May	In.	Bu.	Bu.		
13670	18	39	77.4	67.7	3	113.6
13547	16	38	70.4	61.7	4	105.8
13682	22	38	68.2	56.6	3	90.4
13190	16	36	66.8	--	1	108.4
13532	12	35	66.6	--	1	108.1
13863	23	40	65.0	--	1	105.5
13864	18	38	63.6	--	1	103.2
13859	17	38	62.6	--	1	101.6
1442	24	40	61.6	55.3	6	100.0
13542	24	40	60.2	55.6	5	94.0
13862	23	42	57.6	--	1	93.5
12138	23	40	56.8	52.9	6	87.1
8885	22	40	55.2	56.1	6	100.1
8033	23	41	55.0	53.0	6	88.3
13858	22	41	55.0	--	1	89.3
13861	20	40	54.8	--	1	89.0
13860	23	42	48.0	--	1	77.9

LSD<sub>.05</sub> = 13.4 bushels; C.V. = 13.4%

Summary of Nursery Yields

Average yields made by varieties in the northern regional nursery in 1964 are summarized in table 6. Gage with high average yields in Minnesota, South Dakota, and Nebraska ranked first on a regional basis with a 39.6-bushel yield. Lancer, ranking no lower than fifth in any state, was the second-most-productive variety. Warrior, Cheyenne, and Winalta in that order were next high in regional performance. Winalta has been slightly more productive in the region than Lancer on a 2-year basis (table 7). Its 2-year average yield of 34.8 bushels was 0.2 bushel higher than Lancer and 1.4 bushels higher than Cheyenne, the third-ranked variety.

Summary of Agronomic Data

The best field resistance to stem rust was shown by C. I. 13684 and Lancer (table 8). Fair resistance was exhibited by 5 other varieties. Gage was the only variety in the nursery with good combined resistance to both leaf and stem rust. Some resistance to leaf rust also was shown by C. I. 13684. Lancer and C. I. 13861 were highest in test weight; Gage had the shortest straw and was earliest maturing.

Table 6. Summary of average yields in bushels per acre made by 17 varieties grown in the northern regional performance nursery at 10 stations in 1964 with state averages and rank.

Variety	C.I. No.	Minnesota				South Dakota			
		St. Paul	Waseca	Average age	Rank	Presho	Highmore	Average age	Rank
Gage	13532	35.8	54.6	45.2	1	19.7	31.7	25.7	2
Lancer	13547	31.9	49.7	40.8	5	16.9	34.8	25.8	1
Warrior	13190	37.2	38.6	37.9	9	12.8	31.8	22.3	5
Cheyenne	8885	36.1	39.0	37.6	10	8.1	39.4	23.8	4
Winalta	13670	33.6	45.3	39.4	8	14.5	28.1	21.3	7
Frontana x Minter <sup>2</sup>	13682	36.1	47.6	41.8	3	12.8	24.8	18.8	12
Kharkof	1442	34.4	38.0	36.2	13	11.6	37.3	24.4	3
Yogo x (Tk-Oro 221)-117	13542	36.3	34.5	33.9	16	9.4	26.7	18.0	15
Yogo x Cheyenne 11-5-3	13862	37.8	35.4	36.6	12	13.3	31.0	22.2	6
Yogo x Cheyenne 1-1-2-1	13861	44.7	37.2	41.0	4	15.8	25.4	20.6	9
Ky58-Nth x (Cnn-Tm-Mi-Hope) <sup>2</sup>	13864	32.0	51.8	41.9	2	8.3	29.9	19.1	11
Bulk Winterhardiness 1376-8	13863	34.9	33.2	34.0	14	13.7	28.4	21.0	8
Yogo x Rushmore 57-135	13859	32.8	41.3	37.0	11	8.5	20.7	14.6	17
(H44 x Minturki <sup>2</sup> ) x Minter	13858	31.6	47.4	39.5	7	12.7	26.3	19.5	10
Minter	12138	33.8	46.2	40.0	6	14.1	22.8	18.4	13
Yogo	8033	34.2	32.8	33.5	17	11.3	24.9	18.1	14
Yogo x Rushmore	13860	31.3	38.5	34.9	15	8.6	25.6	17.1	16

C.I. No.	Wyoming				Nebraska				Idaho	New Mexico		10	
	Archer	Sheridan	Average age	Rank	North Platte	Alliance	Average age	Rank	Teton	Clovis	Rank	station average	
13532	13.2	43.4	28.3	12	49.2	38.9	44.0	1	43.0	7	66.6	5	39.6
13547	17.9	51.0	34.4	4	44.6	35.8	40.2	3	44.0	5	70.4	2	38.9
13190	15.3	48.0	31.6	6	41.7	40.8	41.2	2	49.2	1	66.8	4	38.2
8885	18.3	53.7	36.0	1-2	34.8	42.1	38.4	5	46.0	3	55.2	13	37.3
13670	15.8	38.1	27.0	14-15	37.0	36.7	36.8	6	45.2	4	77.4	1	37.2
13682	14.2	46.9	30.6	9-10	35.4	30.8	33.1	11	43.6	6	68.2	3	36.0
1442	17.4	49.5	33.4	5	29.6	36.1	32.8	12	39.0	12	61.6	9	35.4
13542	18.6	53.4	36.0	1-2	26.9	38.5	32.7	13	47.0	2	60.2	10	34.8
13862	14.2	46.9	30.6	9-10	31.4	37.3	34.4	16	37.3	15	57.6	11	34.2
13861	17.7	36.4	27.0	14-15	35.2	37.8	36.5	7	36.1	17	54.8	16	34.1
13864	15.0	25.8	20.4	17	40.6	36.8	38.7	4	37.2	16	63.6	7	34.1
13863	17.7	44.0	30.8	8	28.4	33.1	30.8	17	41.7	10	65.0	6	34.0
13859	18.6	43.7	31.2	7	33.7	34.1	33.9	10	41.9	9	62.6	8	33.8
13858	15.4	37.6	26.5	16	36.1	35.3	35.7	8	38.5	13-14	55.0	14-15	33.6
12138	15.5	43.9	29.7	11	30.6	32.5	31.6	14-15	38.5	13-14	56.8	12	33.5
8033	17.1	52.9	35.0	3	26.0	37.1	31.6	14-15	40.8	11	55.0	14-15	33.2
13860	16.9	38.6	27.8	13	35.4	34.8	35.1	9	42.4	8	48.0	17	32.0

Table 7. Summary of 2-year average yields for 8 varieties grown in the northern regional performance nursery at 10 stations in 1963 and 1964, with state averages and rank.

Variety	C.I. No.	Minnesota			South Dakota			Idaho			
		St. Paul	Waseca	Aver- age	Rank	High- more	Aver- age	Rank	Te- tonia	Rank	
Winalta	13670	24.6	36.4	30.5	5	20.6	26.8	23.7	4	41.8	2-3
Lancer	13547	19.2	39.8	29.5	6	22.4	34.8	28.6	1	41.4	4
Cheyenne	8885	22.6	29.6	26.1	8	17.4	31.0	24.2	3	44.1	1
Frontana x Minter <sup>2</sup>	13682	35.0	44.4	39.7	1	17.8	24.0	20.9	6	38.2	5
Yogo x (Tk-Cro 221)-117	13542	34.5	29.0	31.8	3	16.8	22.6	19.7	7	41.8	2-3
Yogo	8033	33.6	28.0	30.8	4	17.4	20.9	19.2	8	37.0	8
Kharkof	1442	21.2	33.2	27.2	7	18.5	30.6	24.6	2	37.3	6
Minter	12138	30.9	39.8	35.4	2	19.6	23.4	21.5	5	37.2	7

C.I. No.	Wyoming				Nebraska			New Mexico		10 station average	
	Archer	Sheri- dan	Aver- age	Rank	North- Platte	Alli- ance	Aver- age	Rank	Clovis		
13670	19.0	39.0	29.0	7	39.0	32.6	35.8	1	67.7	1	34.8
13547	21.6	37.8	29.7	5	38.2	29.2	33.7	3	61.7	2	34.6
8885	20.7	42.6	31.6	2	34.4	35.8	35.1	2	56.1	4	33.4
13682	18.7	39.8	29.2	6	29.2	30.4	29.8	7	56.6	3	33.4
13542	22.1	41.5	31.8	1	27.2	32.6	29.9	5-6	55.6	5	32.4
8033	20.0	43.0	31.5	3	31.7	34.0	32.8	4	53.0	7	31.9
1442	19.6	42.2	30.9	4	28.3	30.6	29.4	8	55.3	6	31.7
12138	18.6	32.3	25.4	8	28.8	31.0	29.9	5-6	52.9	8	31.4

Table 8. Summary of agronomic data other than yield for varieties grown in the northern regional performance nursery in 1964.

Variety	C.I. No.	Date headed	Plant height	Rust		Weight per bushel
				Leaf	Stem	
		June	In.	%	%	Lbs.
Number of stations		9	10	2	4	10
Lancer	13547	7	35	68	1	60.4
Yogo x Cheyenne 1-1-2-1	13861	10	38	68	50	60.4
Winalta	13670	9	37	68	10	60.2
Gage	13532	5	34	5	11	59.7
Yogo x Cheyenne 11-5-3	13862	12	38	72	61	59.5
Ky58-Nth x (Cnn-Tm-Mi-Hope) <sup>2</sup>	13864	9	36	30	0	59.5
Warrior	13190	7	35	62	48	59.3
(H44 x Minturki <sup>2</sup> ) x Minter	13858	11	39	68	8	59.3
Cheyenne	8885	9	38	72	60	59.2
Yogo x Rushmore 57-135	13859	9	38	68	48	59.2
Frontana x Minter <sup>2</sup>	13682	12	38	55	8	59.0
Minter	12138	12	39	62	12	58.9
Yogo x Rushmore 57-27	13860	11	40	68	30	58.8
Kharkof	1442	10	38	72	53	58.5
Bulk Winterhardiness 1376-8	13863	12	38	72	66	58.3
Yogo x (Tk-Oro 221)-117	13542	12	40	68	58	58.0
Yogo	8033	12	39	62	55	57.8

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The nursery was composed of 2 sections. The northern section with 55 entries was grown at 7 locations. The larger southern section contained 197 entries and also was grown at 7 locations. Differential killing occurred at 3 stations growing the northern section and at 4 stations growing the southern. The data were summarized and distributed to cooperators prior to harvest.

Varieties in the southern and northern regional performance nurseries also are evaluated in the southern section of the uniform winterhardiness nursery. They are listed for each nursery in decreasing order of survival in the tabulation that follows:

<u>Southern Regional Nursery</u>			<u>Northern Regional Nursery</u>		
<u>Pedigree</u>	<u>C. I. No.</u>	<u>% surv. UWHN</u>	<u>Pedigree</u>	<u>C. I. No.</u>	<u>% surv. UWHN</u>
Lancer	13547	63	Minter	12138	72
Kharkof	1142	63	Yogo	8033	68
Nebred (UWHN Check)	10094	61	Frontana x Minter <sup>2</sup>	13682	67
Scout	13546	58	Yogo x (Tk-Oro 221)-117	13542	64
Comanche	11673	56	Bulk Winterhardiness	13863	64
Triumph x C. I. 12406	13847	51	Lancer	13547	63
do.	13848	51	Kharkof	1142	63
Bison <sup>5</sup> x C. I. 9058	13854	51	Winalta	13670	62
Pawnee (UWHN Check)	11669	49	Nebred (UWHN Check)	10094	61
Triumph x C. I. 12406	13852	48	(H44 x Minturki <sup>2</sup> ) x Minter	13858	59
do.	13849	46	Yogo x Cheyenne 1-1-2-1	13861	58
Nebred x Cnn-Ky-Mta	13857	46	Warrior	13190	55
Triumph x C. I. 12406	13851	45	Cheyenne	8885	55
Triumph 64	13679	44	Yogo x Cheyenne 11-5-3	13862	54
Wichita <sup>5</sup> x Cns + Au	13853	43	Gage	13532	50
Svl-Wi-Hope-Cnn-Wi <sup>2</sup> x SS27	13684	40	Pawnee (UWHN Check)	11669	49
Triumph x C. I. 12406	13850	40	Yogo x Rushmore 57-135	13859	48
Caddo	13536	35	K58-Nth x (Cnn-Tm-Mi-Hope) <sup>2</sup>	13864	38
Cnn <sup>2</sup> x Ky-Mta	13856	35	Yogo x Ruxhmore 57-27	13860	31
Triumph	12132	34			
Norin 10 x C. I. 12500	13855	33			
Early Blackhull	8856	29			

The general level of hardiness is clearly lower in the southern regional nursery than in the northern. Only 2 southern nursery entries survived better than Nebred. Thirteen southern nursery varieties were less hardy than Pawnee but only 3 northern nursery varieties were poorer than Pawnee. No variety was more hardy than Kharkof in the southern nursery and no experimental appeared to be as hardy as Comanche in the nursery. Several of the Triumph x C. I. 12406 selections were clearly more hardy than Triumph itself. In the northern nursery no experimental variety survived as well as Minter and Yogo. The Yogo x Cheyenne strains from Montana were like Cheyenne in survival and the Yogo x Rushmore strains appeared to be distinctly less hardy than Cheyenne.



## DISEASE NURSERIES

Varieties in the southern and northern regional performance nurseries were tested in the seedling stage against races of *Puccinia recondita* by L. E. Browder, Manhattan, Kansas. Reaction data are contained in tables 9 and 10. Only 2 varieties in the southern nursery, C. I. 13853 and C. I. 13855, showed resistance to more than 2 races. C. I. 13853 was susceptible only to UN 6; C. I. 13855 was susceptible to UN 6, UN 2, and UN 13. Thirteen varieties were susceptible to all of the races used. Broadest resistance in the northern regional nursery was shown by Gage.

Concho x Ts-Pn<sup>2</sup> (Stw 59R2350) and Scout had the best average ratings in the regional streak mosaic nursery (table 11). Mql-Oro x Pn (C. I. 12851) was the most susceptible. Twelve varieties and selections were given better ratings than Bison although only Stw. 59R2350 and Scout were substantially better. In addition to the locations reporting data the nursery also was grown at Manhattan, Garden City, and Colby, Kansas. At Manhattan a part of the nursery was inoculated with a mixture of wheat streak and brome mosaic viruses and the data could not be used. At Garden City the drought was sufficiently severe to make readings impossible. Drought at Colby also interfered with virus symptoms and readings made were of questionable value.

The hard red winter wheat uniform bunt nursery was grown at 8 locations in the region. Seed of each entry also was sent to the Smut Laboratory at Pullman, Washington, for reaction to common bunt tester races. Data received from 5 regional locations and from the Smut Laboratory are summarized in table 12. In the past these data have been distributed in a separate report. They will be a part of the regional report in 1964 and future years.

Only one experimental strain, K 58307, was resistant at all locations in the region and to the 4 bunt tester races as well. Burt x P. I. 178383-C61-9 was highly resistant to the tester races and at all regional locations except Ft. Collins where 20 percent of the heads were smutty. Reasons for the susceptibility of this highly resistant strain at Ft. Collins are not known. Seed mixture may have occurred during packaging or at seeding. A total of 14 varieties and selections were resistant at all locations in the region except Ft. Collins. The high infection of Oro and Oro or Turkey derivatives at Ft. Collins indicates the presence of race L-8 in the inoculum. According to its smut reaction at Ft. Collins and to the tester races, the check variety listed as Redit is misidentified. Redit should resist races T-1, T-15, and T-16 as does Wasatch which derives its resistance from Redit. The presence of L-7 in the inoculum at Bushland, Stillwater, and Manhattan is suggested by the infection of Hussar and to a lesser extent Relief at these stations. The susceptibility of Caddo at the regional stations and to tester race T-1 indicates that it does not carry the smut gene from its Oro parent.

Table 9. Seedling reaction data to physiologic races of Puccinia recondita of the 1964 Southern Regional Performance Nursery.

Variety	C. I. No.	Seedling reaction to <u>P. recondita</u> race:									
		UN1	UN6	UN3	UN9	UN17	UN2	UN2	UN13	UN5	UN10
Kharkof	1442	3	3+	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	0; 4
Early Blackhull	8856	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Comanche	11673	2+	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	0; 4
Triumph	12132	3	4	4	4	4	4	3+	4	4	4
Triumph 64	13679	2	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Triumph x CI 12406 61 Stw 8617	13847	2+	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Triumph x CI 12406 61 Stw 8620	13848	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Triumph x CI 12406 61 Stw 8627	13849	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Triumph x CI 12406 61 Stw 8631	13850	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Triumph x CI 12406 61 Stw 8635	13851	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Triumph x CI 12406 61 Stw 8637	13852	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Scout	13546	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Lancer	13547	2+	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Wi <sup>5</sup> x Cns + Au (K.6317)	13853	0;	4	0; 4	0; 4	0-0;	0; 4	0	0;	0;	0; -4
Bsn <sup>5</sup> x CI 9058 (K.6322)	13854	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Caddo	13536	1+	4	4	4	1-4, 4	4	4	4	4	0; -2, 4
Svl-Wi-Hope-Cnn-Wi <sup>2</sup> x Seu Seu	13684	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Norin 10 x CI 12500 (Tx 1826-1)	13855	0;	4	0; 0; -2 0;	0; 4	4	0;	3	0; -1+	0; 4	4
Cnn <sup>2</sup> x Ky-Mta (N.61608)	13856	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Nbr. x Cnn-Ky-Mta (N. 61660)	13857	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4

1/ Data from L. E. Browder (ARS), Manhattan, Kansas.

Table 10. Seedling reaction data to physiologic races of Puccinia recondita of the 1964 Northern Regional Performance Nursery.<sup>1/</sup>

Variety	C. I. No.	Seedling reaction to <u>P. recondita</u> race:									
		UN1	UN6	UN3	UN9	UN17	UN2	UN2	UN13	UN5	UN10
		Ot Vir									
Kharkof	1142	3	4	4	3+	4	3+	4	4	4	0; -2, 4
Minter	12138	3	4	4	4	4	3+	4	4	4	4
Yogo	8033	3	4	4	4	4	3+	4	4	4	4
Warrior	13190	0;	4	4	0;	4	4	4	4	4	0; -2+
Cheyenne	8885	3	4	4	3+	4	3+	3+	4	4	4
Winalta	13670	3	4	4	3+	4	3+	4	4	4	4
Frontana x Minter <sup>2</sup>	13682	3	4	4	3+	4	3+	4	4	4	4
(H44 x Minturki <sup>2</sup> x Minter (Minn. 2939)	13858	3	4	4	4	4	3+	4	4	4	4
Lancer	13547	3	4	4	0; 4	4	3+	0?	4	4	4
Yogo x (Tk-Oro 221)-117 (Reselected seed)	13542	4	4	4	4	4	3+	4	4	4	4
Yogo x Rushmore 57-135	13859	3	4	4	0; 4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Yogo x Rushmore 57-27	13860	3	4	4	0; 4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Yogo x Cheyenne 1-1-2-1	13861	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Yogo x Cheyenne 11-5-3	13862	3	4	4	3+	4	4	4	4	4	4
Bulk Winterhardiness 1376-8	13863	3	4	4	3	4	4	4	4	4	4
Ky 58-Nth x (Cnn-Tm-Mi-Hope) <sup>2</sup> (N. 61976)	13864	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Gage	13532	0;	0; -3, 4	3	0; 4	1-3	2+, 4	4	4	0; -2+ 0;	

<sup>1/</sup> Data from L. E. Browder (ARS), Manhattan, Kansas.

Table 11. Reaction to streak mosaic of 25 varieties and selections of hard red winter wheat in the regional streak mosaic nursery.

Pedigree	C. I. or Sel. No.	Mosaic rating (stunting) <sup>1/</sup>				
		Still- water	lin- coln	Alli- ance	Hays	4-sta. average
Concho x Ts-Pn <sup>2</sup>	Stw59R2350	0.5	1.5	1.0	2.0	1.3
Scout	13546	2.0	1.5	0	2.0	1.4
Concho x Ts-Pn <sup>2</sup>	Stw59R2417	1.5	2.0	1.0	3.0	1.9
Cns <sup>2</sup> -Ae-Pn x Kiowa	N. 61917	2.0	2.0	1.0	3.0	2.0
Concho x Ts-Pn <sup>2</sup>	Stw59R2420	1.5	3.0	1.0	3.0	2.1
BlueJacket	12502	2.5	2.0	1.5	3.0	2.3
Bsn x Mql-Oro-Tnf-Pn	N. 631454	2.0	2.0	2.0	3.0	2.3
Bsn x Mql-Oro-Tnf-Pn	N. 631472	2.0	2.0	1.5	4.0	2.4
Mql-Oro x Oro-Tm	12406	3.0	2.5	2.0	2.0	2.4
Gnn x Mi-Hope-Pn-Oro-III-Gnn	13548	3.0	3.0	1.0	3.0	2.5
Gnn-Pnc x Tk-Gnn	N. 61527	3.0	3.0	1.0	3.0	2.5
Bison <sup>2</sup> x C. I. 9058	13854	3.0	3.0	1.0	3.0	2.5
Bison	12518	2.5	2.0	3.0	3.0	2.6
Gnn-Pnc x Tk-Gnn	N. 61528	3.0	3.0	1.5	3.0	2.6
Gnn-Pnc x Tk-Gnn	N. 61524	3.0	3.0	1.0	4.0	2.8
Cns <sup>2</sup> -Ae-Pn x Tmp-Kv-Mql-Kv-Tm	K. 61360	3.0	4.0	1.0	3.0	2.8
Cimarron x Concho	54A2-58-A2	3.0	4.0	1.0	3.0	2.8
Gnn-Pnc x Tk-Gnn	N. 61516	3.0	3.0	2.0	3.0	2.8
Triumph	12132	2.5	3.0	3.5	2.0	2.8
Caddo	13536	2.0	3.5	3.0	3.0	2.9
Concho	12517	3.0	3.0	2.5	3.0	2.9
Cimarron x Concho	54A2-58-A1	2.5	3.0	3.5	3.0	3.0
Pawnee	11669	4.0	4.0	2.5	4.0	3.6
Wheat-Ae x Pn	K. 61408	4.0	5.0	4.0	3.0	4.0
Mql-Oro x Pn	12851	3.5	5.0	4.5	4.0	4.3

<sup>1/</sup> Ratings based on 0-5 scale; 0 = no stunting, 5 = completely stunted.

Table 12. Percent of common bunt in varieties and selections of hard red winter wheat grown in the Uniform Bunt Nursery in 1964 and reaction to selected tester races of common bunt.

Variety or Selection	: C. I. : : or : :Sel.No.:	: Av. percent infection at:					: Av. infection: Av. percent infection <sup>2/</sup>							
		: Bush- : land	: Still- : water	: Man- : hattan	: Lin- : coln	: Ft. Collins:	: 1964 : 1/	: 1963- : 1964	: T-1	: T-13	: T-15	: T-16		
Wasatch	11925	3	0	0	0	T	0.7	0.4	0	60	T	0		
Rex-Rio x Mql-Oro-Oro-Tk-Fn	K58307	4	0	0	T	2	1.0	0.7	0	1	2	0		
Relief	10082	4	5	4	0	5	3.6	4.3	0	40	33	3		
Burt x P.I. 178383-C61-9	---	1	0	0	2	20?	4.5	2.3	0	0	0	0		
C.I.12711-Hope-Cnn x Pnc	N63361	4	5	2	0	50	12.2		0	T	0	40		
do.	N63366	15	1	0	0	48	12.7		T	3	1	65		
Cns <sup>2</sup> -Ae-Pn x Kiowa	N61917	1	0	0	0	65	13.1	6.9	T	3	0	15		
Hussar	4843	27	10	9	0	23	13.6	7.1	0	33	55	2		
Cnn-Pnc x Tk-Cnn	N61528	7	T	0	T	70	15.4		0	2	1	55		
do.	N61527	7	T	T	0	78	16.8		0	0	0	73		
Ridit	6703	7	0	T	2	77	17.1	9.6	4	2	12	16		
Ottawa x Renacimiento	13517	9	T	2	T	83	18.6	11.3	4	2	9	70		
Cnn-Pnc x Tk-Cnn	N61524	13	T	0	0	83	19.0		0	3	0	68		
Oro-Mi-Hope-Ky x Kiowa	K60314	11	T	T	0	85	19.2	14.3	6	2	T	87		
Maria Escobar x Pawnee	K58235	8	T	2	T	88	19.4	11.6	2	8	7	80		
Cnn-Pnc x Tk-Cnn	N61516	6	2	T	0	90	19.6		0	0	0	88		
MM-Ech-Rm x (Hope-Tk-Cnn) <sup>2</sup>	N61924	7	5	3	2	85	20.4	14.7	0	3	0	68		
Cnn x Mi-Hope-Pn-Oro-Il 1-Cnn	13548	9	T	0	T	95	20.7	12.1	T	1	2	93		
Mql-Oro-Oro-Tm x KK	K62217	16	T	T	0	90	21.1		0	2	2	90		
Bison <sup>5</sup> x C.I. 9058	13854	15	T	0	0	95	21.9		2	T	0	90		
Oro	8220	20	1	1	6	85	22.6	13.8	5	6	7	43		
Caddo	13536	8	30	38	22	88	37.2	36.2	45	58	65	45		
RedChief	12109	66	95	80	53	97	78.0	80.5	53	60	78	80		

1/ Averages calculated before station averages were rounded.

2/ Data from the Regional Cereal Disease Research Laboratory, Pullman, Washington. Infection percentages are an average of Pullman, Wash. and Pendleton, Ore. data.

QUALITY DATA

Grain samples from regional nurseries are submitted each year to the Hard Winter Wheat Quality Laboratory. Where the amount of available seed permits, amounts as follows are submitted from each location.

Uniform Quality Series -----	10 pounds
Southern Regional Performance Nursery -----	1 pound
Northern Regional Performance Nursery -----	1 pound

Quality Series samples are evaluated individually from each location. Evaluation of composite samples from each district also is made. Northern and southern regional performance nursery samples are composited from all locations before evaluation. Results are reported to the cooperators by Karl Finney.



