

Wheat Fusarium Head Blight Fungicide Timing

Trial ID: 2020-WFHB04 — R.M. of Grey

Objective: The purpose of this project is to quantify the impact of fusarium head blight on the quality of harvested grain by comparing the farmer's normal fungicide application at recommended rate and timing to a fungicide application 3 to 5 days later

TRIAL INFORMATION		
Location	Culross	
Previous Crop	Canola	
Soil Texture	Clay	
Tillage	Zero Tillage	
Planting Date	May 13, 2020	
Variety	AC Cardale	
Row Spacing	10"	
Seeding Rate	219 lbs/ac	
Fungicide Product	Prosaro XTR	
Rec'd App Date	July 06, 2020	
Rec'd App Timing	Early Flower	
3-5 Days Later	July 10, 2020	
Harvest Date	August 22, 2020	
PRECIPITATION†		

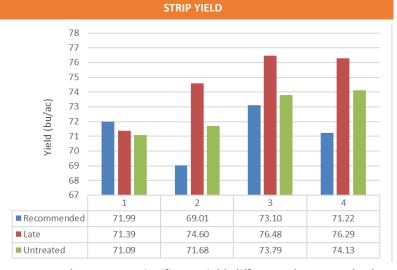
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PRECIPITATION†						
	May	June	July	Aug	Total	
Rainfall	29	36	66	39	170	
Normal	55	77	60	78	270	

†Growing season precipitation (mm)

WHEAT QUALITY					
	Protein	DON	TWT (kg/hL)	Falling Number	
Rec'd Timing	14.0	0.1	77	354	
Late Timing	13.8	0.1	77	342	
Untreated	14.1	0.1	77	349	

OVERALL YIELD				
	Mean (bu/ac)			
Rec'd Timing	71.3 ^B			
Late Timing	74.7 ^A			
Untreated	72.7 ^{AB}			
P-Value	0.0443			
cv	3.08%			
Significance	Yes			





Summary: There was a significant yield difference between the late timing versus the untreated check for fusarium head blight fungicide applications. Wheat quality was rated as tough #1 grade for CWRS. Rainfall was below normal for the entire growing season.



