

Wheat Plant Growth Regulator

Trial ID: 2019-WPGR05 — R.M. of St. Pierre

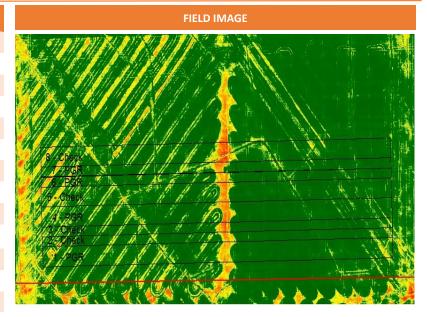
Objective: The purpose of this project is to quantify the impact of the plant growth regulator Manipulator[™] 620 (chlormequat chloride) on plant height, lodging, yield and quality of spring wheat

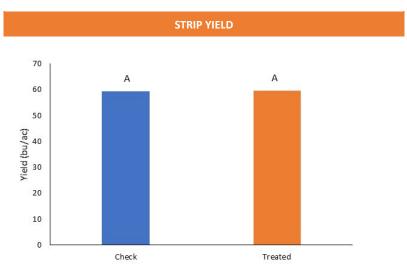
TRIAL INFORMATION					
Treatment	Manipulator™ 620 vs. Untreated				
Location	St. Pierre				
Previous Crop	Canola				
Soil Texture	Clay				
Tillage	Conventional				
Planting Date	April 28, 2019				
Variety	AAC Brandon				
Row Spacing	10"				
Seeding Rate	126 lbs/ac				
Residual N	25 lbs N/ac				
Fertilizer (N-P-K-S)	135N 20P				
Application Date	June 10, 2019				
Application Timing	3L				
Application Rate	0.7 L/ac				
Harvest Date	August 18, 2019				
DECIDITATION					

PRECIPITATION ⁺							
	May	June	July	Aug	Total		
Rainfall	44	34	144	7	230		
Normal	68	88	72	36	265		
+Growing seaso	n precipitation	(mm)					

WHEAT RESPONSE						
	Plant Height (inches)	Lodging				
		Incidence (%)	Severity (1-10)	Protein		
Manipulator™ 620	29	0	1	14.8		
Untreated	32	0	1	14.8		

OVERALL YIELD				
	Mean (bu/ac)			
Manipulator™ 620	59.6			
Untreated	59.3			
Yield Difference	0.3			
P-Value	0.8271			
CV	3.9%			
Significance	No			





Summary: There was no significant yield difference between the Manipulator[™] 620 plant growth regulator application and the untreated check. There was a significant reduction in plant height of 2" with plant growth regulator application. There was no lodging observed within the trial. Rainfall was below normal through May, June and August; July was 200% above normal.



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