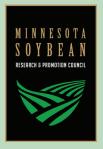
2017 Northwest Minnesota County Variety Research Trials



Variety Plot Trial Booklet Funded by MSRPC and the Soybean Checkoff



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- Marshall County Soybean-Corn Growers
- Pennington/Red Lake County Soybean-Corn Growers
 - · Polk County Soybean-Corn Growers

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| Aaron Lorenz | lore0149@umn.edu | Advancing Varietal Resistance to Soybean Cyst Nematode in Min- nesota | | | | | | | | | |

Coordinated County Variety Trials and Research Trials:

The data presented here is part of a coordinated effort by Minnesota county soybean growers to expand the amount of research information that soybean growers have access to in northwest Minnesota. These trials are funded by entry fees paid by participating seed companies.

There were three MN soybean counties across northern MN that participated in this coordinated effort. The results of these trials will be disseminated in the On-Farm Cropping Trials booklet which will be available at the Prairie Grains Conference, December 14, 2017 and at county soybean association meetings, or by contacting Lorri Hartel at lhartel@prairieagcomm.com.

About This Variety Plot Trial:

The County Soybean Variety Plots are randomized small plot trials. They utilized three replicated blocks in each location. The soybean plots were planted with a Haldrup small plot cone planter and harvested with a Zurn small-plot combine. For weed control, the plots were sprayed with glyphosate by the farmer-cooperator using commercial-sized equipment, utilizing driving lanes through the plots.

Data Interpretation:

Statistics are a mathematical tool used to summarize and interpret groups of numbers. For these trials statistics were used to both analyze the distribution and variance of yield data. Provided that the analysis indicated that statistical differences existed among varieties, an LSD (least significant difference) test was used to compare each variety with every other variety in the trial.

If the numerical difference in yield between two varieties is larger than the LSD value listed in the table, with 80 percent probability, the yields are considered significantly different from one another. This means that while there is an 80 percent probability that these differences are due to genetic differences between varieties, there is also a 20 percent probability that they are due to another cause such as variability in seed treatments, soil type or fertility, or other environmental factors. If the difference between two varieties is less than the LSD value, then the variety yields are considered the same. The LSD is also a measure of variability within a trial; and a higher LSD value indicates there is more variability at a location compared to a location with a lower LSD.

Coefficient of Variation (CV) is an indicator of how much variability there was within the soybean trial location (uneven seeding rate, emergence, insect damage, disease, soil type etc.) that was not due to any effect of the varieties. A CV of less than 15 indicates a very uniform trial site; therefore, differences in soybean yields are more likely the result of varieties rather than other external factors.

Relative Maturity:

Companies provided relative maturity ratings for each entry. These ratings consist of a number for the maturity group (MG) designations (000, 00, 0, 1, 2) followed by a decimal and another number, ranging from 0-9, which indicates a ranking within each MG. For example a 0.1 entry is an early group 0, while a 0.9 entry, is the latest group 0. The greater the MG value the more time is needed to complete developmental milestones.

County Variety Trials and Plot Tours:

In 2017 county soybean varietal trials were conducted in Marshall, Pennington/Red Lake, and Polk counties. The plots are conducted as random, replicated trials. The trial results are published as an average of the three replications in a booklet available in print and online for use by soybean growers and seed company representatives. This and university plot data can assist soybean producers to purchase top yielding varieties and improve soybean production and profitability within the region. County plot tours, sponsored by the University of Minnesota Extension and Minnesota Soybean Research & Promotion Council, were held in August. The plot tours allowed growers to view the plots and learn about soybean varieties from seed company representatives. Production updates were also presented by the University of Minnesota Extension researchers. Note: Varieties containing an X are Roundup Ready2Xtend® soybeans containing dicamba and glyphosate tolerant genetics.

County Collaborators:

Bill Craig, Ag Services Director, Marshall & Pennington Counties & Russ Severson, Polk County Soybean Growers, Associate Director

Characteristics of Soybean Varieties and Variety Placement Across Zones

PHYTOPHTHORA ROOT ROT is a destructive soil borne disease that can cause soybean stand loss and reduced plant productivity. The primary means of managing this disease is to plant varieties that are resistant to the pathogen. This is a bit of a 'cat and mouse' game since there are more than 55 pathogen races and approximately 8 resistance genes, designated as *Rps* genes, that offer complete resistance only to specific races. Partial resistance is also available and offers a lower level of resistance to all pathogen races. The key to managing this disease is to know which *Rps* gene is used in each soybean field you plant and make an annual evaluation of how well it is performing. For example, if you plant in two fields a variety that has an *Rps* 1k gene and notice few symptoms of Phytophthora root rot in field A but severe symptoms in areas of field B, you will want to avoid selecting varieties expressing the *Rps* 1K gene in field B in future soybean years.

SOYBEAN CYST NEMATODE (SCN) is a highly damaging pest of soybean. Surveys indicate this pest is expanding its range in NW Minnesota and testing your soil is recommended. Crop rotation and planting SCN resistant varieties are the primary means for managing this microscopic roundworm.

IRON-DEFICIENCY CHLOROSIS (IDC) scoring is based on the 2017 NDSU Roundup Ready Soybean Iron-deficiency Chlorosis Trial (author T. Helms). Data was averaged across four test sites. Follow this link for the full trial report. *https://www.ag.ndsu.edu/varietytrials/fargo-main-station/2017-trial-results/2017-ndsu-roundup-ready-iron-deficiency-chlorosis-trial/view*

See charts on bottom of next page for reference numbers.

| Early Soybean Varieties - 00.8 and Earlier | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Company | Variety | Relative Maturity | Seed Treatment ¹ | Phytophthora Gene ² | SCN Trait ³ | IDC Scoring ⁴ | | | | |
| Channel | 00717R2X | 00.7 | 9, 10, 18, 21 | 3 | 1 | 2.0 | | | | |
| Crop Production Services | Dyna-Gro S005RY87 | 0.05 | 5, 8, 13, 19, 21 | 3 | | 2.2 | | | | |
| Crop Production Services | Dyna-Gro S005XT38 | 0.05 | 5, 8, 13, 19, 21 | HR3 | | 1.8 | | | | |
| GoldenHarvest | GH00866 | 0.08 | 8, 5, 19 | N/A | N/A | 1.9 | | | | |
| NorthStar Genetics | NS 0072R2 | 00.7 | 19, 9, 5, 21 | 3 | NG | 2.0 | | | | |
| Peterson Farms Seed | 18X008N | 00.8 | Other | 4 | 1 | 2.0 | | | | |
| Prairie Brand Seed | PB-00766R2 | 0.07 | 5, 8, 19 | 3 | | not listed | | | | |
| Thunder Seed | SB88005N | 00.5 | 19 | 3 | | not listed | | | | |
| Thunder Seed | Astro R2Y | 00.8 | 19 | 4 | | 1.8 | | | | |
| Wensman Seed | W10063NRX | 0.06 | | 3 | 1 | 2.1 | | | | |

| Late Soybean Varieties - 0.4 and later | | | | | | | | | |
|--|------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|--|--|--|
| Company | Variety | Relative Maturity | Seed Treatment ¹ | Phytophthora Gene ² | SCN Trait ³ | IDC Scoring ⁴ | | | |
| Channel | 0518R2X | 0.5 | 9, 10, 18, 21 | 1c/3a | 1 | 2.0 | | | |
| Crop Production Services | Dyna-Gro S04XT77 | 0.4 | 5, 8, 13, 19, 21 | 5 | 1 | 2.0 | | | |
| Dairyland Seed | DSR-0418/R2Y | 0.4 | 5, 8, 19, 20 | 3 | 1 | 1.7 | | | |
| GoldenHarvest | S06-Q9 | 0.6 | 8, 5, 19 | N/A | 1 | 2.2 | | | |
| Hefty Seed Company | H05X7 | 0.5 | Dominace© | RPS 3A | SUS | 2.4 | | | |
| Integra Seed | 20468 | 0.4 | 21 | None | 1 | 1.7 | | | |
| Latham Hi-Tech Seeds | LH0485N RR2Y | 0.4 | | | | not listed | | | |
| Latham Hi-Tech Seeds | LH0838N RR2Y | 0.8 | | | | not listed | | | |
| Legacy Seed Inc | LS-0438N RR2X | 0.4 | | - | 1 | 2.1 | | | |
| NorthStar Genetics | NS 60442NXR2 | 0.4 | 19, 9, 5, 21 | 1 | 1 | 2.2 | | | |
| Proseed Inc | XT60-40N | 0.4 | Cruiser© | 3a | 1 | 2.0 | | | |
| Stine Seed | 05RH26 | 05 | None | 5 | | not listed | | | |
| Wensman Seed | W1050NRX | 0.5 | | 5 | 1 | 2.2 | | | |

| Company | Variety | Relati Matur | | Seed Treatment ¹ | Phytoph Gen | | SCN Trait ³ | | DC oring ⁴ |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|--------------------------------|----------------|-------|---------------------------|-------|--------------------------|
| Channel | 0218R2X | 0.2 | - | 9, 10, 18, 21 | 3 | | 1 | | 1.5 |
| Channel | 0317R2X | 0.3 | | 9, 10, 18, 21 | 3a | | 1 | | |
| Crop Production Services | Dyna-Gro S03RY36 | 0.3 | 0.3 5, 8, 13, 19, 21 | | 3 | | | | 1.8 |
| Dairyland Seed | DSR-C918/R2Y | 0.09 |) | 5, 8, 19, 20 | 4 | | | | 2.2 |
| Dairyland Seed | DSR-0225R2Y | 0.2 | | 5, 8, 19, 20 | 3 | | | | 2.1 |
| Dairyland Seed | DSR-0305/R2Y | 0.3 | | 5, 8, 19, 20 | 4 | | | | 2.1 |
| GoldenHarvest | GH0145X | 0.1 | | 8, 5, 19 | 3 | | N/A | no | t listed |
| GoldenHarvest | GH0391 | 0.3 | | 8, 5, 19 | N/A | 4 | 1 | | 2.0 |
| Hefty Seed Company | H009X7 | 0.09 | , | Dominace© | 4 | | SUS | | 1.9 |
| Hefty Seed Company | H02X7 | 0.2 | | Dominace© | 3 | | SUS | | 2.1 |
| Hefty Seed Company | H03X7 | 0.3 | | Dominace© | RPS | 3A | R3, M14 | | 2.1 |
| Integra Seed | 20097 | .09 | | 21 | 3 | | 1 | | 2.1 |
| Integra Seed | 20126 | 0.1 | | 21 | 5 | | 1 | | 2.1 |
| Integra Seed | 50319N | 0.3 | | 21 | 4 | | 1 | no | t listed |
| Legacy Seed Inc | LS-0135 RR2 | 0.1 | | | 3 | | - | | 1.9 |
| Legacy Seed Inc | LS-0334 RR2 | 0.3 | | | 4 | | 1 | | 2.2 |
| Legacy Seed Inc | LS-0337N RR2X | 0.3 | | | 5 | | 1 | | 2.1 |
| NorthStar Genetics | NS 60092XR2 | 00.9 | | 19, 9, 5, 21 | 9, 9, 5, 21 4 | | NG | | 1.7 |
| NorthStar Genetics | NS 0111R2 | 0.1 | | 19, 9, 5, 21 | 9, 5, 21 3 | | NG | | 1.9 |
| Partners Brand Seed Co | PB00961 RR2Y | 0.09 | , | 6, 9, 13, 18 4 | | | | not | t listed |
| Partners Brand Seed Co | PB0251 RR2Y | 0.2 | | 6, 9, 13, 18 5 | | | | + | t listed |
| Partners Brand Seed Co | PB0361 RR2Y | 0.3 | | 6, 9, 13, 18 | | | | no | t listed |
| Peterson Farms Seed | 17X009 | 00.9 |) | Other | 4 | | N/A | | 2.0 |
| Peterson Farms Seed | 17R009 | 00.9 |) | Other | | | N/A | no | t listed |
| Prairie Brand Seed | PB-0146R2 | 0.1 | | 5, 8, 19 3 | | | 1 | | 2.1 |
| Prairie Brand Seed | PB-0397R2 | 0.3 | | 5, 8, 19 | | | | | 2.1 |
| Proseed Inc | XT60-09 | 0.09 |) | Cruiser© 4 | | | | | 2.1 |
| Proseed Inc | 50-10 | 0.1 | | Cruiser© | 3 | | | | 2.2 |
| Proseed Inc | 30-20 | 0.2 | | Cruiser© | 3a | | | | 2.1 |
| Stine Seed | 01RE00 | 01 | | None | 5 | | | no | t listed |
| Stine Seed | 03RD66 | 03 | | None | 5 | | | | 2.1 |
| Thunder Seed | SB8703 | 0.3 | | 19 | 3 | | | | 2.1 |
| Wensman Seed | W1011RX | 0.1 | | | 3 | | | | 2.3 |
| Wensman Seed | W1039NRX | 0.3 | | | 4 | | 1 | 2.3 | |
| SEED TREATMENTS ¹ : 1-16 | : Fungicides / 17-19: Ins | ecticides / | ′ 20: In | oculants / 21: Other | | Phyto | phthora ² | SCN | Trait ³ |
| Ref # Treatment I | Ref # Treatment | | Ref # | Treatment | | Ref # | Gene | Ref # | Trait |
| 1 Azoxystrobin | 8 Mefenoxam | ĺ | 15 | Trichoderma harzia | anum Rifai | 1 | Rps 1a | 1 | PI88788 |
| 2 Bacillus pumilus | 9 Metalaxyl | | 16 | Trifloxystrobin | | 2 | Rps 1b | 2 | Peking |
| 3 Bacillus subtilis | 10 Pyraclostrobin | 1 | | Clothianidin | | 3 | Rps 1c | SUS | Susceptib |
| 4 Captan © | 11 Streptomyces gris | eoviridis | s 18 Imidacloprid | | | 4 | Rps 1k | NG | No Gen |
| 5 Fludioxonil | 12 Streptomyces lydi | cus | 19 | Thiamethoxam | | 5 | Rps 3 | | Scoring ⁴ |
| 6 Ipconazole | 13 Thiabendazole | | 20 | Bradyrhizobium jap | oonicum | 6 | Rps 4 | Ref # | |
| 7 Mancozeb | 14 Thiram© | | 21 | Other | 7 | Rps 6 | 1 | Green | |

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EARLY MATURITY 00.8 and Earlier

MEDIUM MATURITY

| | | | | Marshall | Pennington/ Red Lake | Polk | |
|-----|--------------------------|-------------------|------------|-------------|-------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| | | | Relative | County | County | County | Combined |
| | Company | Variety | Maturity | (bu/ac) | (bu/ac) | (bu/ac) | (bu/ac) |
| | Wensman Seed | W10063NRX | 0.06 | 54.8 | 48.4 | 48.0 | 50.4 |
| | Channel | 00717R2X | 00.7 | 39.1 | 50.8 | 52.8 | 47.6 |
| E | Thunder Seed | SB88005N | 00.5 | 49.8 | 43.1 | 49.1 | 47.3 |
| | Thunder Seed | Astro R2Y | 00.8 | 38.5 | lost plot | 56.3 | 47.3 |
| Ed | Crop Production Services | Dyna-Gro S005RY87 | 0.05 | 44.3 | 47.0 | 50.3 | 47.2 |
| | NorthStar Genetics | NS 0072R2 | 00.7 | 42.2 | 42.8 | 55.1 | 46.7 |
| anu | GoldenHarvest | GH00866 | 0.08 | 45.0 | 43.7 | 50.7 | 46.4 |
| | Crop Production Services | Dyna-Gro S005XT38 | 0.05 | 41.6 | 41.9 | 49.1 | 44.2 |
| 0.0 | Prairie Brand Seed | PB-00766R2 | 0.07 | 47.8 | 37.9 | 45.4 | 43.7 |
| 5 | Peterson Farms Seed | 18X008N | 00.8 | 38.0 | 43.8 | 46.0 | 41.4 |
| | | | Mean | 44.1 | 44.3 | 50.4 | 46.2 |
| | | | CV | 13.6 | 10.4 | 7.0 | 10.1 |
| | | | LSD (0.20) | 6.5 | 5.2 | 3.9 | 6.1 |
| | | | Top 1/3 | 54.8 - 49.2 | 50.8 - 46.5 | 56.3 - 52.7 | 50.4 - 47.4 |
| | | | Mid 1/3 | 49.1 - 43.5 | 46.4 - 42.1 | 52.6 - 49.0 | 47.3 - 44.3 |
| | | | Bottom 1/3 | 43.4 - 37.8 | 42.0 - 37.7 | 48.9 - 45.3 | 44.2 - 41.2 |
| | • | | | | | | |

| Company | Variety | Relative Maturity | Marshall County (bu/ac) | Pennington/ Red Lake County (bu/ac) | Polk County (bu/ac) | Combined (bu/ac) |
|-------------------------------|------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------|--|---------------------------|---------------------|
| Legacy Seed Inc | LS-0337N RR2X | 0.3 | 64.2 | 46.1 | 63.7 | 58.9 |
| Proseed Inc | 50-10 | 0.1 | 63.1 | 48.6 | 64.2 | 58.1 |
| Channel | 0317R2X | 0.3 | 65.6 | 48.6 | 59.8 | 58.0 |
| Proseed Inc | 30-20 | 0.2 | 63.3 | 44.9 | 63.9 | 56.5 |
| Dairyland Seed | DSR-0225R2Y | 0.2 | 64.9 | 41.2 | 60.6 | 55.6 |
| Legacy Seed Inc | LS-0135 RR2 | 0.1 | 55.6 | 45.1 | 58.9 | 55.3 |
| Crop Production Services | Dyna-Gro S03RY36 | 0.3 | 61.6 | 50.0 | 53.7 | 55.1 |
| Integra Seed | 20126 | 0.1 | 60.8 | 45.7 | 58.2 | 54.9 |
| Integra Seed | 20097 | .09 | 62.7 | 42.5 | 58.7 | 54.6 |
| GoldenHarvest | GH0391 | 0.3 | 55.8 | 46.3 | 60.8 | 54.3 |
| Channel | 0218R2X | 0.2 | 60.0 | 46.1 | 56.4 | 54.2 |
| Legacy Seed Inc | LS-0334 RR2 | 0.3 | 59.6 | 44.2 | 58.0 | 53.9 |
| Partners Brand Seed Company | PB0361 RR2Y | 0.3 | 56.9 | 42.8 | 62.1 | 53.9 |
| Proseed Inc | XT60-09 | 0.09 | 56.2 | 48.1 | 55.4 | 53.9 |
| NorthStar Genetics | NS 60092XR2 | 00.9 | 60.7 | 44.8 | 55.3 | 53.6 |
| Prairie Brand Seed | PB-0146R2 | 0.1 | 63.3 | 45.3 | 51.5 | 53.3 |
| M Dente and Dente d Ocean and | PB0251 RR2Y | 0.2 | 55.3 | 45.7 | 58.7 | 53.2 |
| Hefty Seed Company | H009X7 | 0.09 | 53.0 | 49.1 | 55.3 | 52.5 |
| o Thunder Seed | SB8703 | 0.3 | 56.1 | 47.9 | 53.4 | 52.5 |
| 8 NorthStar Genetics | NS 0111R2 | 0.1 | 61.5 | 40.3 | 55.6 | 52.4 |
| Wensman Seed | W1011RX | 0.1 | 56.3 | 46.8 | 54.2 | 52.4 |
| Hefty Seed Company | H03X7 | 0.3 | 55.2 | 41.3 | 57.9 | 51.5 |
| Dairyland Seed | DSR-C918/R2Y | 0.09 | 54.2 | 41.2 | 59.0 | 51.5 |
| GoldenHarvest | GH0145X | 0.1 | 60.0 | 41.6 | 51.1 | 50.9 |
| Stine Seed | 03RD66 | 03 | 48.5 | 48.8 | 53.6 | 50.3 |
| Integra Seed | 50319N | 0.3 | 51.9 | 45.5 | 51.9 | 49.8 |
| Hefty Seed Company | H02X7 | 0.2 | 48.5 | 43.2 | 57.1 | 49.8 |
| Wensman Seed | W1039NRX | 0.3 | 53.4 | 40.0 | 54.1 | 49.2 |
| Prairie Brand Seed | PB-0397R2 | 0.3 | 52.5 | 43.7 | 50.2 | 48.8 |
| Partners Brand Seed Company | PB00961 RR2Y | 0.09 | 52.6 | 40.4 | 52.9 | 48.6 |
| Dairyland Seed | DSR-0305/R2Y | 0.3 | 46.9 | 41.2 | 57.3 | 48.5 |
| Peterson Farms Seed | 17X009 | 00.9 | 55.0 | 44.8 | 45.2 | 48.3 |
| Peterson Farms Seed | 17R009 | 00.9 | 49.8 | 44.1 | 49.4 | 47.8 |
| Stine Seed | 01RE00 | 01 | 53.5 | 38.0 | 45.7 | 45.7 |
| | | Mean | 57 | 44.5 | 55.8 | 52.6 |
| | | CV | 10.5 | 12.0 | 8.4 | 10.5 |
| | | LSD (0.20) | 6.4 | NS | 5.0 | 8.9 |
| | | Top 1/3 | 65.6 - 59.4 | 50.0 - 46.0 | 64.2 - 57.9 | |
| | | Mid 1/3 | | 45.9 - 41.9 | 57.8 - 51.5 | |
| | | Bottom 1/3 | | 41.8 - 37.8 | 51.4 - 45.1 | 49.9 - 45.5 |

| | | | | Marshall | Pennington/ Red Lake | | |
|-----------|--------------------------|------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| | | | Relative | County | County | Polk County | Combined |
| | Company | Variety | maturity | (bu/ac) | (bu/ac) | (bu/ac) | (bu/ac) |
| | Legacy Seed Inc | LS-0438N RR2X | 0.4 | 56.1 | 50.3 | 64.1 | 57.9 |
| | Proseed Inc | XT60-40N | 0.4 | 51.6 | 47.7 | 62.4 | 54.2 |
| | Wensman Seed | W1050NRX | 0.5 | 50.2 | 47.4 | 59.5 | 52.3 |
| | NorthStar Genetics | NS 60442NXR2 | 0.4 | 52.3 | 43.1 | 59.9 | 51.8 |
| URI | Latham Hi-Tech Seeds | LH0838N RR2Y | 0.8 | 49.3 | 43.0 | 58.2 | 50.3 |
| E G | GoldenHarvest | S06-Q9 | 0.6 | 46.7 | 42.6 | 61.0 | 50.1 |
| II | Latham Hi-Tech Seeds | LH0485N RR2Y | 0.4 | 49.8 | 44.4 | 55.5 | 49.9 |
| A I bu | Stine Seed | 05RH26 | 05 | 51.7 | 42.7 | 54.1 | 49.5 |
| M/ and | Crop Production Services | Dyna-Gro S04XT77 | 0.4 | 47.6 | 46.0 | 59.6 | 49.3 |
| | Dairyland Seed | DSR-0418/R2Y | 0.4 | 49.8 | 37.3 | 59.4 | 48.8 |
| ыÖ | Integra Seed | 20468 | 0.4 | 47.0 | 42.4 | 56.6 | 48.7 |
| TE 0 | Channel | 0518R2X | 0.5 | 46.5 | 41.4 | 57.4 | 48.4 |
| | | Check | | 49.5 | 36.2 | 59.1 | 48.1 |
| LA | Hefty Seed Company | H05X7 | 0.5 | 47.5 | 41.5 | 56.1 | 46.8 |
| | | Mean | 49.5 | 43.3 | 58.8 | 50.4 | |
| | | CV | 10.3 | 5.9 | 6.9 | 9.0 | |
| | | LSD (0.20) | NS | 2.6 | NS | 6.4 | |
| | | Top 1/3 | 56.1 - 52.9 | 50.3 - 45.6 | 64.1 - 60.8 | 57.9 - 54.2 | |
| | | | Mid 1/3 | 52.8 - 49.6 | 45.5 - 40.8 | 60.7 - 57.4 | 54.1 - 50.4 |
| | | | Bottom 1/3 | 49.5 - 46.3 | 40.7 - 36.0 | 57.3 - 54.0 | 50.3 - 46.6 |
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Mission: To help farmers turn discoveries from science into higher crop yields and enhance profit potential in the field.

Why it matters:

Unbiased production research information is vital to farmers across Minnesota. Because fewer public dollars are spent on agricultural research and extension, projects supported by the Production action team make valuable management information and new soybean cultivars available to farmers across the state.

Research Funding:

In 2017, the Production action team recommended 24 projects for funding. Checkoff dollars are leading the way to increasing soybean yield and enhancing environmental stewardship. Funded projects included developing genetic resistance to SCN, Soybean Aphid and Sudden Death Syndrome, development of biological control for soybean cyst nematode, enhancing soybean aphid management, optimizing soybean plant nutrition management and continued technology transfer program support for control of herbicide resistant weeds, optimizing soybean pest (insect and disease) management and improving soil health.

Wells Drainage Site: This 17-acre site, dedicated to soybean research, has been set up to investigate how large scale interactions of drainage with production practices will impact soybean yield and quality. Current studies being conducted include drainage interactions with tillage, soybean production practices, N management on corn and seed treatment on environmental impacts and soybean yield. Results from these cutting edge studies will be used to develop best management practices that will impact soybean profitability and environmental quality.

Conservation Tillage Conference and Soil Health Field Day: The Production action team co-sponsored the University of Minnesota Conservation Tillage Conference and the Soil Health Field Day, which demonstrated the impacts of conservation tillage, soil salinity and other agronomic practices on soil health. Farmers could see actual compaction following various tillage practices via soil pits excavated in the field. Agronomic practices were evaluated for crop and soil health responses. Several different equipment manufacturers demonstrated equipment to minimize tillage effects and provide in-furrow cover crop planting methods.

Production Project Breakout: (See list of projects on page 2.)

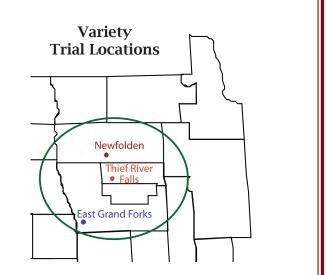
Plot Information

Marshall County Plot Cooperators:

Rodney & Jared Liedberg, Liedberg Farms Newfolden, MN Planting Date: May 12, 2017 Harvest Date: October 6, 2017

Pennington/Red Lake Counties: Kyle Mehrkens, Thief River Falls, MN Planting Date: May 12, 2017 Harvest Date: October 5, 2017

<u>Polk County:</u> Kevin Krueger, K & D Farms East Grand Forks, MN Planting Date: May 11, 2017 Harvest Date: October 9, 2017





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