

PROGRESS REPORT ON GRASS SEED PRODUCTION RESEARCH

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General management regime of perennial ryegrass plots on the Magnusson Research Farm:

Spring seeded ryegrass with wheat

Ryegrass seeded at 5-7#/acre with spring wheat
Sterling Blue+ 2,4-D amine 4 (0.75 + 0.75 pint) applied in mid-September
Fertilize 30-30-30 mid-September after small grain harvest
Spike tooth harrow after fall fertilizer application to spread straw
Fertilize 110-0-0 applied early to mid-May, 300 - 600 GDD
Sterling Blue+ 2,4-D amine 4 (0.75+0.75 pint) applied late May, 700 - 900 GDD
Tecoma or Assure II (8-10 oz) applied early June, 800 - 1,000 GDD
Apogee (8 oz) applied early heading, 1,100 - 1,300 GDD
Quilt Excel (10 oz) applied full heading, 1,700 - 1,900 GDD

Fall seeded ryegrass in wheat stubble

Ryegrass seeded at 5-7#/acre after wheat harvest into existing stubble
Pre-harvest glyphosate application to wheat , or
glyphosate applied to wheat stubble prior to seeding ryegrass.
No broadleaf application in fall but other management for fall seeded ryegrass the same as spring seeded.

Kentucky bluegrass

Variety trial seeded at 3#/acre with 60#/acre of spring wheat on 6/7/2017
90-40-40-10s applied 10/18/2017
2pt.Curtail + 1pt. Sterling Blue applied 9/24/2017
3 oz. Tilt applied 5/27/2018

General seed harvest procedure for small research plot

Measured areas are hand cut and bagged for each individual plot.
These samples are then brought to the U of M St.Paul campus
where they are dried, threshed, cleaned and weighed.
Seed yields and other data are statistically analyzed and results summarized.

On-farm small plot research trials

All crop planting and general management are done by the grower/cooperator.
Application of treatment variables, agronomic notes and harvest by University of Minnesota personnel.
Cooperators asked to avoid applications of treatments involved in the study to the research plot area.

On-farm large plot trial research protocol

These experiments are conducted in fields with growers implementing all of the general field management.
Treatment variables are field scale and may be applied either by the grower or University personnel.
University agronomists and grower cooperators work together to insure treatment variables are properly applied.
Plant samples, crop development observations and other applicable notes
are recorded as needed throughout the growing season usually by University personnel.
At harvest, University agronomists will assist the growers in collecting quality samples and harvest data.
Experimental design usually consists of 2 or 3 treatment variables and 3 replicates/treatment.

Table 1.

Monthly and Year End Precipitation Totals*
Roseau,Mn 1967-2018.

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Yearly Total(in.)	Mean Deviation	Mean(F ^o) Temperature
1967	1.13	0.39	0.59	2.89	0.89	2.23	4.95	1.69	0.83	1.11	0.70	1.76	19.16	-3.28	35.8
1968	0.62	T	1.25	0.63	1.46	6.47	6.13	8.49	2.35	1.26	1.06	0.21	29.93	7.49	37.3
1969	3.07	0.11	0.05	1.27	3.31	2.29	3.70	4.28	3.29	1.91	0.30	0.73	24.31	1.87	37.0
1970	0.71	0.41	1.38	2.56	5.93	4.07	3.55	0.83	2.77	1.49	1.21	0.37	25.28	2.84	35.0
1971	0.54	0.13	0.26	1.50	2.24	2.29	3.58	0.69	3.33	2.97	0.29	0.50	18.32	-4.12	36.2
1972	0.68	0.76	0.50	0.70	1.66	5.03	1.92	1.53	4.22	1.40	0.38	0.32	19.10	-3.34	34.9
1973	0.09	0.17	1.18	0.90	2.46	2.21	4.04	2.09	5.67	1.19	0.67	0.75	21.42	-1.02	M
1974	0.88	0.87	0.16	2.72	4.12	1.56	2.56	11.00	0.42	0.66	0.15	1.40	26.47	4.03	M
1975	1.10	0.29	0.64	1.40	1.52	4.96	2.26	1.75	1.79	1.49	0.20	0.65	18.05	-4.39	M
1976	1.13	0.50	1.05	0.77	0.54	5.82	1.52	3.72	0.34	0.07	T	0.37	15.83	-6.61	36.2
1977	0.14	0.62	1.02	0.27	2.43	3.71	2.28	1.74	3.83	0.87	2.27	0.26	19.44	-3.00	37.7
1978	0.36	0.26	0.17	1.00	1.97	1.92	6.25	3.25	3.44	0.23	0.98	0.79	20.62	-1.82	35.3
1979	0.50	1.01	1.06	2.77	1.89	1.91	3.70	1.59	0.45	1.40	1.02	0.16	17.46	-4.98	32.6
1980	0.55	0.82	0.35	0.00	0.24	1.75	3.35	5.19	4.12	1.66	0.94	0.18	19.15	-3.29	36.0
1981	0.27	0.16	0.66	0.56	2.79	6.85	2.63	2.41	3.63	1.75	0.90	0.99	23.60	1.16	38.3
1982	1.30	0.45	0.74	0.24	1.38	2.00	5.53	2.71	1.92	2.91	0.46	0.57	20.21	-2.23	34.2
1983	1.31	1.26	1.17	0.53	2.76	4.03	1.62	3.34	2.91	2.26	0.66	0.10	21.95	-0.49	37.7
1984	T	0.95	T	0.72	0.72	4.46	3.78	0.99	0.37	4.32	0.10	1.02	17.43	-5.01	37.3
1985	0.12	0.33	0.06	1.07	4.35	4.62	1.08	8.72	1.60	1.04	1.68	0.38	25.05	2.61	34.4
1986	0.30	0.90	0.26	2.96	1.40	2.43	3.59	2.04	2.52	0.65	1.97	0.36	19.38	-3.06	M
1987	0.47	0.30	0.10	0.59	4.37	2.25	4.80	2.22	0.82	0.92	0.73	0.35	17.92	-4.52	M
1988	0.60	0.09	1.75	0.00	1.74	1.34	5.53	1.70	2.24	0.12	0.77	1.05	16.93	-5.51	M
1989	3.27	0.32	2.86	0.10	2.82	5.46	1.60	2.56	1.24	0.41	0.62	0.45	21.71	-0.73	M
1990	0.55	0.20	1.12	1.09	0.46	3.19	2.48	0.62	0.91	0.16	0.18	0.72	11.68	-10.76	38.2
Mean temperature 1967-1990 =															
36.1															
1991	0.56	0.64	0.58	2.87	3.19	5.94	3.40	1.99	7.42	1.64	1.36	0.70	30.29	7.85	M
1992	0.61	0.68	0.45	2.27	1.99	2.36	2.72	4.51	2.76	0.12	1.27	0.88	20.62	-1.82	36.5
1993	0.68	0.05	0.27	1.01	1.63	5.06	5.87	4.69	0.72	0.71	0.45	0.65	21.79	-0.65	35.5
1994	0.21	0.33	0.47	0.02	0.16	2.54	3.03	3.48	3.94	1.38	2.72	0.32	18.60	-3.84	37.7
1995	0.57	0.59	1.23	0.61	2.50	2.13	4.59	3.59	1.81	1.33	1.54	1.46	21.95	-0.49	35.8
1996	0.94	0.48	0.22	1.65	4.62	1.64	7.34	1.78	1.77	1.75	2.73	1.07	25.99	3.55	M
1997	1.06	0.14	1.02	0.84	2.02	3.36	4.02	1.31	4.01	2.45	0.19	0.25	20.67	-1.77	M
1998	0.69	1.05	0.21	1.77	4.55	5.39	3.01	2.20	0.31	4.42	1.39	0.95	24.94	2.50	M
1999	0.15	0.77	0.23	1.31	4.09	6.97	3.46	1.38	3.16	0.43	0.38	0.56	22.89	0.45	40.1
2000	0.45	0.14	0.79	0.38	1.83	7.38	1.63	6.45	2.14	2.89	3.41	0.74	28.23	5.79	38.2
2001	0.21	0.52	0.46	1.89	3.27	1.76	4.74	1.40	0.72	1.76	1.50	0.56	18.79	-3.65	39.8
2002	0.19	0.10	0.45	1.44	2.79	9.94	2.96	4.47	1.62	1.02	0.30	0.54	25.82	3.38	38.1
2003	0.80	0.77	1.60	1.75	2.95	3.56	1.92	1.78	4.55	1.32	1.52	1.95	24.47	2.03	37.6
2004	2.85	0.70	2.14	2.61	8.19	2.98	2.42	5.50	2.97	2.36	0.08	1.33	34.13	11.69	36.0
2005	2.33	0.67	0.82	0.73	3.62	7.55	3.37	3.24	1.77	3.48	2.06	1.65	31.29	8.85	39.0
2006	2.52	0.95	1.01	1.23	1.97	1.00	0.94	2.18	2.42	1.54	0.17	0.56	16.49	-5.95	41.0
2007	0.44	0.56	1.25	0.95	2.75	7.75	2.92	1.37	0.92	5.14	0.39	0.86	25.30	2.86	38.0
2008	0.25	1.29	0.46	2.17	1.56	3.93	4.33	3.63	3.06	2.37	2.00	1.47	26.52	4.08	36.0
2009	1.25	1.75	4.45	1.37	3.59	3.72	1.28	3.92	2.67	1.06	0.28	1.22	26.56	4.12	36.0
2010	0.80	0.43	0.55	1.23	6.47	2.88	3.79	1.50	6.09	2.42	1.14	0.61	27.91	5.47	40.0
2011	1.15	0.20	0.23	3.14	2.63	3.87	2.38	1.63	0.89	1.34	0.19	0.07	17.72	-4.72	39.0
2012	0.59	1.06	2.06	1.39	1.48	3.32	2.74	1.42	0.18	3.64	1.22	0.24	19.10	-3.34	41.0
2013	1.34	1.21	1.05	1.40	4.69	1.70	2.14	3.77	2.65	0.84	1.43	1.85	24.07	1.63	35.0
2014	2.32	0.54	3.31	1.71	3.74	4.23	2.21	1.62	2.68	1.14	0.75	1.49	25.74	3.30	36.0
2015	1.11	0.57	0.71	0.42	5.18	4.33	6.27	4.45	1.43	2.08	1.52	3.08	31.15	8.71	41.0
2016	0.39	0.89	1.31	1.29	3.14	5.71	3.57	1.23	3.97	0.97	0.85	0.75	24.07	1.63	42.0
2017	1.44	1.55	0.59	0.47	0.90	5.55	0.83	0.99	6.22	0.97	0.94	2.71	23.16	0.72	41.2
2018	1.04	0.99	2.76	0.02	2.71	1.89	1.75	1.36	2.05	1.68	0.62	1.28	18.15	-4.29	36.6
52 year average annual precipitation															
22.44															
Mean temperature 1991-2018 =															
38.1															
50 year available mean temperature=															
37.4															

*Precipitation amounts used are from the Magnusson Research Farm-near Roseau May-October and Minnesota Climatology Working Group nearest location or Fox NDAWN for the remainder of the year.

Average precipitation the last 15 years=24.76". Average precipitation the previous 35 years=21.29"

Table 2.

**2017 Kentucky Bluegrass Variety Trial-
Magnusson Research farm-F2B**

2018 Data

LINE	Company	MSP#	Seed Yield		Harvest			Heading (%)						
			#/acre	Height	Lodging	Date	5/24	5/27	5/30	6/2	6/6	6/10	6/14	6/14DV
Blue Note	Mountain View seed	4052	293	17	1.0	10-Jul	0	0	2	8	21	53	84	80
Bolt	Mountain View seed	4053	376	22	1.3	10-Jul	0	2	13	46	65	78	89	90
A99-3124	MN-Rutgers	3920	303	19	1.0	10-Jul	0	0	0	0	4	23	53	43
a99-2950	MN-Rutgers	3898	296	19	1.0	10-Jul	0	0	0	3	15	48	83	75
a99-2626	MN-Rutgers	3899	349	18	1.0	8-Jul	0	0	0	1	9	30	65	45
Minnfine	check	4063	821	30	1.8	1-Jul	28	60	85	96	99	99	99	99
Park	check	4062	478	30	1.3	1-Jul	11	30	58	86	99	99	99	99
Dragon	check	4054	594	22	1.3	5-Jul	0	2	9	43	73	94	99	92
Exp#1	DLK- seed research	4064	552	24	1.0	5-Jul	0	2	11	43	70	96	99	99
Abbey	check	3608	770	20	1.0	5-Jul	0	0	1	9	33	70	95	83
LSD @5%level			112	4	0.5	1	4	7	10	16	19	21	13	13
CV(%)			16	12	29	14	63	52	39	32	27	21	10	11

Data here present mean yields of Beacon treated and not treated plots

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Line	Treatment	MSP#	Seed Yield		Harvest			Heading (%)						
			#/acre	Height	Lodging	Date	5/24	5/27	5/30	6/2	6/6	6/10	6/14	6/14DV
Blue Note	No Beacon	4052	369	20	1.0	7/10	0	0	4	13	30	60	93	85
Blue Note	Beacon	4052	218	16	1.0	7/10	0	0	1	3	13	45	75	75
Bolt	No Beacon	4053	374	28	1.5	7/10	0	3	15	65	85	99	99	95
Bolt	Beacon	4053	378	15	1.0	7/10	0	0	11	28	45	58	80	85
A99-3124	No Beacon	3920	347	24	1.0	7/10	0	0	0	1	6	35	65	55
A99-3124	Beacon	3920	258	14	1.0	7/10	0	0	0	0	3	10	40	30
a99-2950	No Beacon	3898	307	22	1.0	7/10	0	0	0	3	15	50	85	80
a99-2950	Beacon	3898	285	15	1.0	7/10	0	0	0	3	15	45	80	70
a99-2626	No Beacon	3899	374	20	1.0	7/10	0	0	0	1	11	30	70	55
a99-2626	Beacon	3899	325	16	1.0	7/5	0	0	0	1	8	30	60	35
Minnfine	No Beacon	4063	752	32	2.0	7/1	30	65	90	97	99	99	99	99
Minnfine	Beacon	4063	890	28	1.5	7/1	25	55	80	95	99	99	99	99
Park	No Beacon	4062	481	31	1.0	7/1	15	40	65	93	99	99	99	95
Park	Beacon	4062	476	28	1.5	7/1	8	20	50	80	99	99	99	90
Dragon	No Beacon	4054	632	22	1.0	7/5	0	3	13	50	80	97	99	90
Dragon	Beacon	4054	556	21	1.5	7/5	0	1	6	35	65	90	99	95
exp#1	No Beacon	4064	516	25	1.0	7/5	0	1	8	40	65	95	99	99
exp#1	Beacon	4064	587	24	1.0	7/5	0	3	15	45	75	97	99	99
Abbey	No Beacon	3608	765	23	1.0	7/5	0	0	1	10	35	75	95	80
Abbey	Beacon	3608	774	17	1.0	7/5	0	0	1	8	30	65	95	85
LSD @5% level			171	5	0.7	1	5	8	15	20	27	31	18	16
CV(%)			17	10	28	1	63	42	42	29	26	22	10	10

Experimental design: Split plot with 2 reps

Beacon .4oz.+ .25%NIS applied to rep 1-2 on 5/10/2018

Growth stage at treatment=Vegetative

Trial Mean Seed Yield= 483#/acre

Beacon Applied Mean Yield= 475#/acre

No Beacon Mean Yield= 492#/acre

Table 3.

**2017 Intermediate Wheatgrass-Kernza Variety Trial
Magnusson Research Farm-Roseau,Mn and overall locations seed yields**

2018 data

Variety	Seed Yield-#/acre		Lodging ²	Ht.(in.)
	All locations ¹	Roseau	Roseau	Roseau
2015C4	600	728	1.6	51
20163471Selfs	598	517	1.9	52
2016C3	535	503	1.1	53
2016C4	547	561	1.5	51
2016C5	583	496	1.0	51
Lot # SFD - 12 - Thin 6 - 4	493	627	1.8	52
MN1501-Syn2	570	556	1.6	51
MN1502-Syn2	580	515	1.6	50
MN1503-Syn2	528	566	1.6	52
MN1504-Syn2	810	737	1.0	50
MN1505-Syn	680	671	1.0	49
Rush	470	483	3.1	48

All Variety Yield Mean= 583 580

Experimental Design: RCB with 4 reps

Seeded 8/15/2017 @ 10#/acre

¹Locations: Roseau, Lamberton, Staples, Rosemount D5, Rosemount R70

²Lodging-1=No lodging ;10=Flat

Table 4.

2017 Perennial Ryegrass Seed Production Variety trial
Magnusson Research Farm Roseau, Mn.

2018 Data

Source	Variety	Seed Lot	Seed Yield		Harvest			Heading (%)					RCI ²
			#/acre	% Mean	Date	Ht.(In)	Lodging ¹	6/11	6/14	6/18	6/22	6/12	
McCarthy	MRSL-PR-15	4056	1748	121	18-Jul	21	2.5	18	43	60	100	679	
McCarthy	Excellence	4059	1672	116	18-Jul	21	1.3	19	48	70	100	634	
McCarthy	MRSL-PR-16	4057	1667	116	17-Jul	21	3.0	20	45	68	96	648	
McCarthy	A-6D	4055	1645	114	18-Jul	21	3.3	21	53	75	100	699	
McCarthy	N-6-16	4058	1638	114	17-Jul	18	1.0	23	40	63	93	698	
U of M	Arctic Green	4038	1571	109	19-Jul	22	7.0	11	30	60	94	554	
U of M	Green EmperorxArctic Green	4020	1537	107	18-Jul	22	4.8	13	33	55	95	583	
U of M	Green Emperor	3976	1521	106	19-Jul	22	5.5	12	43	68	96	651	
U of M	Green EmperorxRoyal Green	4031	1429	99	20-Jul	24	4.8	6	25	53	94	569	
U of M	G.EmperorxA.Green/R.Green	4050	1395	97	22-Jul	22	5.3	9	25	50	91	607	
Lebanon	Secretariat II GLSR	4061	1393	97	19-Jul	23	5.8	23	55	80	100	545	
U of M	Spreader IIIxArctic Green	4051	1359	94	22-Jul	24	6.5	8	25	55	95	589	
check	NK-200	3917	1255	87	26-Jul	27	3.3	1	11	25	63	496	
Columbia	Premium	4060	1251	87	21-Jul	24	7.5	20	45	75	100	503	
Jacklin	Accent II	4026	1240	86	20-Jul	23	6.3	15	40	75	100	564	
U of M	Forageur	3984	1116	77	24-Jul	25	5.5	4	15	35	75	503	
U of M	Spreader IV	4029	1068	74	23-Jul	24	4.8	6	33	60	91	539	
LSD @ 5% level			161	11	3	2	1.8	11	16	15	8	50	
CV(%)			7	7	10	5	28	59	33	18	6	6	

Experimental Design: RCB with 4 reps

¹-1=no lodging;9=flat

Mean seed yield= 1441#/acre

²-RCI-relative chlorophyll index- higher number = more chlorophyll

Seeding Rate=6#/acre

Planted 5/18/2017 With 120#/ac Linkert spring wheat

Table 5.

**2017 Perennial Ryegrass Winter Hardiness Trial
St.Paul and Roseau,Mn¹**

2018 Data

	Seed lot	Winter Injury ¹ --St.Paul		
		5/15	5/28	Mean
Green EmperorxArctic Green	4031	5.3	4.9	5.1
Green Emperor	3976	7.0	7.0	7.0
Gulf-annual	3983	9.0	9.0	9.0
G.EmperorxA.Green/R.Green	4050	5.6	4.6	5.1
NK-200	3917	5.5	5.4	5.4
Accent II	4026	8.0	7.5	7.8
Forageur	4043	5.8	4.5	5.1
Arctic Green	4038	6.0	4.8	5.4
Spreader IIIxArctic Green	4030	7.0	5.5	6.3
Spreader IV	4029	6.1	5.8	5.9
LSD @ 5% level		2.2	2.4	2.2
CV(%)		23	28	24

Experimental Design: RCB with 4 reps

Roseau location Seeded 9/12/2017

St.Paul location Seeded 9/18/2017

¹-Roseau location was entirely winter killed and no notes were taken

Table 6.

2018 Large Plot Perennial Ryegrass Sulfur Fertility Trial- Rice Farm**Magnusson Research Farm**

Variety- Evolution--

Trt	Added ¹ Fertility	Seed Yield #/acre	Harvest Lodging	Harvest Ht(in)	6/4 5/25 RCI	6/4 5/25 RCI	6/12 5/25 RCI	6/4 5/25 Vigor	6/4 5/25 Vigor	6/12 %Heading	Tissue analysis 6/1/2018 ⁴							
											%							ppm
											N	P	K	S	Ca	Mg	Fe	
1	26-0-0-30S	1660	2	21	12	459	639	579	6.3	7.7	25	3.6	0.42	3.1	0.38	0.53	0.50	77
2	26-0-0	1342	1	19	9	363	528	445	3.0	4.3	8	3.4	0.40	2.6	0.14	0.48	0.42	65
3	0	1325	1	19	9	303	513	461	2.7	4.7	9	3.3	0.40	2.8	0.14	0.45	0.44	62
	LSD @5% level	139	0	2	1	82	76	72	1.8	1.5	9	NS	NS	0.4	0.07	NS	0.08	NS
	CV(%)	4	0	4	6	10	6	6	20	12	29	6	6	6	15	7	8	11

Experimental design: RCB with 3 reps

All general management and harvest operations were done by Rice Farms.

Fertilizer regime- 9/10/2017 8-40-40 5/6/2018 110-0-0 5/11/2018 AMS and Urea plot treatments

¹-Fertilizer application of ammonium sulfate(AMS) to treatment #1 and urea to treatment #2. No added fertilizer to treatment #3

Applications made by University of Minnesota with 12' Gandy drop spreader.

¹-Conversions-

125#/acre AMS applied=(26-0-0-30s)

57#/acre urea applied=(26-0-0)

Plot size =48' x 600'

Harvest area of 32' x 505' / plot x 3 reps(9 plots total) was done by Rice Farms-7/24/2018

University of Minnesota personel was on hand at harvest with weigh wagon to record weights and collect quality samples.

0-6" Soil test- 5/9/2018=

Phosphorous -Olsen P-15ppm(very high) , Potassium -125ppm(high), sulfur 10ppm(low), organic matter- 3%

Table 7.

2017-18 Perennial Ryegrass Fertility Trial
Magnusson Research Farm-Roseau,Mn

2018 Data

Trt#	Fertilizer Rate:		Application ¹		Seed Yield ¹		Harvest			RCI ³			Visual Color Rating		
	N level	Timing	% mean	#/acre	Date	Ht(in.)	Lodging ²	5/25	6/4	7/8	5/1	5/25	6/4		
1	0	None	21	338	19-Jul	15	1.0	117	180	149	3.0	1.0	2.0		
2	140+0+0	Fall+Spring	101	1647	24-Jul	22	5.5	239	400	327	6.0	4.5	6.0		
3	140+0+0	Fall+Spring	107	1738	23-Jul	23	6.0	293	468	290	7.0	6.0	6.3		
4	140+0+0	Spring	94	1537	24-Jul	23	4.3	182	393	354	2.5	3.5	5.0		
5	100+0+0	Fall+Spring	90	1473	20-Jul	22	2.5	205	436	266	5.5	3.5	5.8		
6	180+0+0	Fall+Spring	107	1751	24-Jul	22	7.3	221	397	339	5.5	4.0	5.5		
7	140+0+0+20s	FallAMS+Spring	101	1649	23-Jul	22	6.5	342	527	263	6.0	7.5	8.3		
8	140+0+0	Fall+Spring+Liquid	105	1718	22-Jul	23	5.0	243	428	292	6.5	4.0	5.5		
9	140+0+0	Fall+Spring+Liquid	101	1653	23-Jul	23	5.3	213	425	290	6.0	4.0	6.8		
10	100+0+0	Fall+Spring+Liquid	93	1515	22-Jul	23	5.0	229	429	321	5.5	4.0	5.5		
11 ^d	14-0-0	Spring AMS	40	659	19-Jul	17	1.0								
	LSD @5%level		11	190	2	2	1.1	55	67	47	1.4	1.7	1.2		
	CV(%)		8	8	5	5	16	16	11	11	18	28	14		

Experimental Design:RCB w/4reps

Variety=Arctic Green

Mean yield(not including 0# N)= 1631#/ac

8-40-40 added to all plots 9/14/2017

¹-Seed Yield- Clean seed yield of each treatment in LBS/Acre and % of trial mean(not including Trt 1 & 11))²-Lodging-1=upright;9=flat³-RCI-Relative Chlorophyll Index-higher value=more chlorophyll

Best management practices used on all plots aside from fertility variables

Trt#	Season	Total #N	Treatment applications and timing	10/17/2017 Soil test results					
				5/5/2016	Depth	Olsen P	NH4O-K	% OM	PH
1	0	No added N		0-6"	13ppm	108ppm	2.6	7.9	3.5ppm
				6-24"					1.9ppm
2	140	30-0-0	10/26/17 + 110-0-0 5/12/2018						
3	140	30-0-0	10/26/17 + 110-40-0 5/12/2018						
4	140	140-0-0	5/12/2018						
5	140	30-0-0	10/26/17 + 70-0-0 5/12/2018						
6	180	30-0-0	10/26/17 + 150-0-0 5/12/2018						
7	140	30-0-0-20s	10/26/17 + 110-0-0 5/12/18						
8	140	30-0-0	10/26/17 + 80-0-0 5/12/2018 + 7gal--28%N 5/12/2018(Streamer nozzels)						
9	140	30-0-0	10/26/17 + 80-0-0 5/12/2018 + 7gal--28%N 5/12/2018(flat fan nozzels)						
10	100	30-0-0	10/26/17 + 40-0-0 5/12/2018 + 7gal--28%N 5/12/2018(flat fan nozzels)						
11 ^a	14	14-0-0-18s	(20gal Npak-AMS) 5/12/2018 1 plot treatment only on outside of plot area						

Table 7a.

2011-18 Perennial Ryegrass Fertility Trial Seed Yield Summaries
Magnusson Research Farm-Roseau,Mn

Trt. #	Total added Fertilizer	Nitrogen Timing	Overall ³ Mean	Seed Yield as % of Mean							
				2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011
1	0	0	30	21	45	38	29	27	28	21	36
2	100+0+0	Split ¹	100	90	104	90	----	92	96	112	108
3	140+0+0	Split ¹	109	101	99	110	99	104	104	118	118
4	140+40+0	Split ¹ +(0-40-0spring)	114	107	106	109	127	120	----	----	----
5	140+0+0+20s	Split ²	105	101	102	----	----	110	99	----	----
6	140+0+0	Split ¹ +(90spring+20liq)	104	101	99	----	----	106	109	----	----
7	180+0+0	Split ¹	115	107	92	111	----	122	111	----	----
LSD @5% level				11	13	12	20	11	16	11	12
CV(%)				8	9	9	16	8			

Experimental Design:RCB with 4 reps Variety=Arctic Green

2018 Trial mean(excluding 0-N fertilizer)=1631 #/ac.

¹-Split-30-40-40 applied fall and remainder in spring

²-Split-30-0-0-20s(77#AMS/acre)+110-0-0 in early May

³-Overall Means- consideration should be given to years the treatments were made when making comparisons.

Trt. # Explanation of fertility treatments

- 1 No fertilizer added
- 2 30-40-40 applied Sept-Oct. / 70-0-0 applied early May
- 3 30-40-40 applied Sept.-Oct. / 110-0-0 applied early May (Standard)
- 4 30-40-40 applied Sept-Oct. / 110-40-0 applied early May
- 5 30-40-40-20s(77#AMS) Sept-Oct
- 6 30-40-40 applied Sept-Oct. / 90-0-0 applied May / 7 gal. 28%UAN applied mid-June
- 7 30-40-40 applied Sept-Oct./ 150-0-0 applied early May

Table 8.

**2017-18 Pre-Emergent Herbicide Applications to Perennial Ryegrass
Magnusson Research Farm**

Trt#	Treatments:	Application		Seed Yield		Harvest		Herbicide ²
		Rate	Timing	#/acre	% of check	Ht.(in.)	Lodging ¹	Injury
1	No treatment			1382	100	21	4.5	1.0
2	Callisto	6oz.	10/25/2017	1308	95	22	4.3	1.8
3	Callisto	3oz *	10/25/2017	1286	93	20	3.3	1.8
4	Callisto	3oz *	5/4/2018	1348	98	21	3.0	1.5
5	Nortron	2pt+2pt	10/25+5/4	1291	93	21	4.3	1.0
6	Outlook+Nortron	1 pt+2pt	10/25+5/4	1246	90	20	2.0	4.3
7	Outlook	1 pt	10/25/2017	1108	80	20	2.0	3.8
8	Zidua SC	2 oz	5/4/2018	1079	78	20	1.3	6.0
9	Axiom DF	6oz.	10/25/2017	1228	89	21	2.0	3.3
10	Axiom DF	6oz.	5/4/2018	1108	80	20	1.3	5.3
11	Diuron 4L	2pt	10/25/2017	1135	82	22	2.0	2.0
		LSD @5% level		184	12	2	1.5	1.0
		CV(%)		10	10	6	37	25

Experimental Design: RCB with 4 reps

Variety-Arctic Green

harvest date=7/24/2018

*-1%MSO+2.5% - 28%UAN added

¹-1=No lodging; 9=flat

²-Herbicide injury at harvest -visual rating 1=none ; 9=dead

Visual Injury criteria-vigor reduction,stand reduction,and maturity delay

Applications made with CO2 bike sprayer @12GPA and 26psi

Fall applied 10/25/2017

4:15pm 50F overcast SE 5mph 53%RH

4" soil temp 51F

Spring applied 5/4/18 sunny wind S 2-5mph -60F

GS- first greenup

Trade Name	Common name and active ingredient formulation
Callisto	mesotrione 4#/gal
Nortron	ethofumesate 4#/gal
Outlook	dimethenamid 6#/gal
Zidua	pyroxasulfon 4.17#/gal
Axiom DF	flufenacet54.4%+metribuzin13.6%
Diuron 4L	diuron 4#/gal

Table 9.

**2018 Perennial Ryegrass Fungicide Trial
Roseau and Lake of the Woods Locations***

TRT #	Product	Rate/ac.	Seed Yield (#/acre)			Harvest Ht(In.)			Lodging at Harvest		
			MagPlot	Pieper	Mean	MagPlot	Pieper	Mean	MagPlot	Pieper	Mean
1	Aproach2.08+PropiMax	6 oz.+4oz.	1404	1226	1315	20	27	23	3.3	7.8	5.5
2	Aproach2.08+PropiMax	9 oz.+4oz.	1424	1469	1446	20	28	24	3.3	6.3	4.8
3	Quilt Xcel 2.2 SE	14oz	1364	1433	1398	20	28	24	2.8	7.5	5.1
4	Prosaro	8 oz	1417	1542	1480	20	28	24	3.3	7.8	5.5
5	Aproach2.08	9 oz.	1513	1353	1433	20	27	23	2.8	6.3	4.5
6	Quilt Xcel 2.2 SE+Warrior	14oz+2oz	1404	1297	1351	21	29	25	2.3	7.5	4.9
7	PropiMax	4oz.	1366	1395	1381	19	28	24	3.0	7.3	5.1
8	Folicur	5 oz.	1415	1279	1347	21	28	24	2.5	6.5	4.5
9	Priaxor	6oz.	1440	1420	1430	19	27	23	3.5	7.3	5.4
10	No treatment		1370	1212	1291	21	27	24	2.8	6.5	4.6
LSD @5% level			146	205	136	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS
CV(%)			7	10	6	6	5	4	28	18	17

Experimental Design: RCB with 4 reps

.25%NIS added to all treatments

*Locations-

Lake of the Woods - Dan Pieper farm

Roseau-Magnusson Research farm

Variety=Exacta II GLSR

Variety=Arctic Green

Harvest date 7/19/2018

Harvest date= 7/18/2018

Application 6/27/2017 8:00pm

Applications made 7/2/2018 7:00pm with 10' bike sprayer-dave

gs= fully headed. Early bloom

GS= fully headed mid bloom

65F wnw 2-6mph

9' backpack sprayer @26psi and 12gpa

Trade Name	Common name	AI #/gal Formulation
Aproach 2.08	picoxystrobin	2.08
PropiMax	propiconazol	3.6
Quilt Xcel 2.2 SE	azoxystrobin+propiconazole	1.02+1.18
Prosaro 421SC	prothioconazole+tebuconazol	1.76+1.76
Folicur	tebuconazole	3.6
Priaxor	fluxapyroxad+pyraclostrobin	1.39+2.78
Warrior II	lambda-cyhalothrin	2.08

Table 9a.

2016-18 Ryegrass Fungicide Yield Summary
2 Locations Per Year -Roseau and Lake of the Woods

Product	Adjuvant	Rate/ac.	% of Mean			
			2016-18*	2018	2017	2016
No treatment			88	93	89	83
Quilt Xcel 2.2 SE	1%COG	14 oz.	103	101	103	106
Quilt Xcel 2.2 SE+Warrior	1%COG	14oz+2oz	102	97	106	----
Absolute 4.36 SC	1%COG	7.5 oz.	99	----	99	99
Aproach2.08	.25%NIS	9 oz.	100	103	99	99
Aproach2.08+Tilt	.25%NIS	6 oz.+4oz.	100	95	104	----
Aproach2.08+Tilt	.25%NIS	9 oz.+4oz.	103	104	102	----
Trivapro SE	1%COG	13.7 oz.	----	----	----	102
Trivapro SE	1%COG	17 oz.	----	----	----	104
Tilt(PropiMax)	.25%NIS	4oz.	100	100	99	----
Folicur	.25%NIS	5 oz.	97	97	96	99
Prosaro SC	.25%NIS	6.5 oz.	106	107	----	105
Priaxor	.25%NIS	6oz.	105	103	104	106
LSD @5% level				9	8	12
CV(%)				7	5	8

2018 Mean Yield= 1387 #/acre

2017 Mean Yield= 1675 #/acre

2016 Mean Yield= 1301 #/acre

* Mean of available treatments for 2-3 years.

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Table 10.

2018 Effects of Spring Stubble Clipping on Ryegrass Seed Production
Rice Farms-Roseau,Mn

Variety-Evolution

Clip Treatment ¹	Clip date	Seed Yield #/acre	Harvest Ht.(In.)	Ht.(In.) 5/25		Lodging ²
				ryegrass	wheat	
Early	5/4/2018	1611	19	5.7	4	1
Late	5/25/2018	1394	18	5.0	5	1
No Clip		1430	19	7.5	8	1
LSD @5% level		63	NS	0.8	2	0
CV(%)		2	6	5	13	0

¹-Clip treatments mowed and raked off

Early=5/4 (200GDD) 4" cutting height

Late=5/25(600GDD) 6" cutting height

²-Lodging-1=no lodging

If trial is repeated, eliminate late clip add early mow and leave residue.

Table 11.

**2018 Growth Regulator Applications to Perennial Ryegrass
Magnusson Research Farm-F4 Roseau,Mn**

2018 Data and seed yields from 2017 trial

TRT#	PGR treat	Rate/acre	Additive	2 Yr. Ave	Seed Yield #/acre		Lodging ¹	Ht.(ln.)
				% of mean	2018	2017	at harvest	
1	No treatment			84	921	1484	8.5	27
2	Palisade EC	.75pt	.25%NIS	98	1086	1724	6.0	24
3	Palisade EC	1.5pt	.25%NIS	101	1148	1735	4.5	20
4	Palisade+Apogee	.75+4oz	.25%NIS/.25%+3gal	----	1081	----	5.0	21
5	Palisade EC	1.5pt	.25%NIS+3gal.AMS	----	1159	----	3.5	20
6	Apogee	4oz.	.25%NIS+3gal.AMS	----	1293	----	4.5	21
7	Apogee	8oz.	.25%NIS+3gal.AMS	110	1217	1871	3.0	21
8	Apogee	8oz.	.25%NIS+3gal. UAN	102	1046	1873	3.3	20
9	Apogee	8oz.	.25%NIS+2.5%AMS	104	1280	1700	4.8	19
LSD @5% level					188	182	1.8	2
CV(%)					11	7	25	7

Experimental Design: RCB with 4 reps Harvested 7-24-2018
 Palisade in treatment 4=Applied 6/7 mid- boot stage 70F wind sse 5 - 12"ht
 6/12/18 5:30pm late boot -early heading 68F WSW 4-6mph -14"ht

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Table 12.

**2018 Late Growth Regulator Applications to Perennial Ryegrass*
Magnusson Research Farm-F2B Roseau,Mn**

TRT#	Apogee		Quilt Excel Rate/acre adjuvunt	Seed Yield	Lodging ¹	Ht.(ln.)
	Rate/acre			#/acre	at harvest	
1	3oz.	12oz.	.25%NIS+2.5%AMS	1097	1.8	20
2	5oz.	12oz.	.25%NIS+2.5%AMS	1204	2.0	19
3	8oz.	12oz.	.25%NIS+2.5%AMS	1190	1.5	19
4	5oz.	None	.25%NIS+2.5%AMS	1179	1.5	21
5	None	12oz.	.25%NIS	1208	1.8	19
6	None	None	None	1103	2.0	20
LSD @5% level				NS	NS	NS
CV(%)				11	38	7

Experimental Design: RCB with 4 reps Harvest date- 7-16-2018
 All applications made 7/2/2018 7:00pm with bike sprayer. GS- Pollen Shedding
 *This area on west side of Magnusson Research Farm is a sandy loam soil and may
 have had more drought stress than other fields.

¹-Lodging-1=None ;9=Flat

Trade Name	Common name	AI #/gal Formulation
Palisade EC	trinexapac-ethyl	1.0
Apogee	prohexadione	27.5% dry
Quilt Excel	azoxystrobin+propiconazole	1.02+1.18
N-PAK AMS	ammonium sulfate	3 gallons(10# dry AMS-2.1#N)/Acre
N-PAK AMS	ammonium sulfate	2.5%=2.5 gallons (8.3#dry)/100 gallons
N-PAK 28%N	28%urea ammonium nitrate	3 gallons=(3#N)
NIS	Preference	.25%NIS=2pt/100 gallons-90%non ionic surfactant

Table 13.

**2018 Growth Regulator x Fertility Hounddog Tall fescue
Magnusson Research Farm-Roseau,Mn**

Fertility ¹	Growth regulator ²	Seed Yield		
		#/acre	Ht.(In.)	Lodging ³
High Fertility	Apogee	1872	37	1.3
High Fertility	No PGR	1756	39	7.7
Low Fertility	Apogee	1231	11	1.0
Low Fertility	No PGR	1062	12	1.0
LSD @ 5% level		429	6	1.0
CV(%)		14	8	5

Experimental design: RCB with 3 reps

2018 Tall fescue post emergent liquid fertilizer applications

Fertility ¹	Post Liquid application	Seed yield
		#/acre
Low Fertility	No PGR 10GPA-AMS	1085
Low Fertility	No PGR 10GPA-28%N	1224
Low Fertility	No PGR None added	1012
LSD @ 5% level		175(NS)
CV(%)		25

Experimental design: RCB with 2 reps

¹Fertility=

High fertility 55-40-40-10s 9/14/17 + 140-40-40-20s 5/10/2018

Low fertility 55-40-40-10s 9/14/2017 + 70-20-20-10s 5/10/2018

Liquid applications made with CO2 bicycle sprayer @ 28psi with flat fan nozzels and 12gpa(10 gpa AMS or 28%UAN)

²Growth Regulators- Apogee=8oz.+2.5%AMS+.25%NIS

³Lodging- 1=no lodging; 9=flat

Table 14.

2016-19 MN-HD Hard Fescue Herbicide Screen¹
Magnusson Research farm-Roseau,Mn.

2016-18 seed yields and other 2018 data

Treatment	Rate/Adjuvant	Seed Yield-#/acre				Vigor ² 6/25	Ht (in.)		Heading (%) 6/14
		2016	2017	2018	3Yr Ave.		Harvest	6/14	
1-Section 2	12oz+1%COC	35	605	0	213	1.0	5	5	0
2-Fusilade ⁴	10oz.+1%COC	1789	851	762	1134	7.0	25	20	70
3-Callisto	3oz.+1%COC+2.5%-28%N	1552	801	454	936	7.0	21	18	57
4-Clarity	.75pt	1629	584	537	917	7.0	22	19	63
5-2,4-D amine	.75pt	1451	813	682	982	6.3	23	20	63
6-2,4-D+Clarity	.75pt+.75pt.	1341	863	531	912	6.3	23	19	53
7-UTC		1439	946	792	1059	7.0	23	19	70
	LSD @ 5% level	393	307	257	138	1.1	3	2	17
	CV(%)	16	22	26	9	10	7	5	18

Experimental Design:RCB with 3 reps

¹-2016 and 2017 were herbicide applications to the same plot over 2 years.

2018 Seed yield and other data are from a new planting in 2017, 2018 applications, and will be repeated in 2019.

²Vigor-1=least;9=best vigor.

General applications to all plots -- 3/4pt. 2,4-D + 3/4pt. Clarity applied 9/15/2015 ,9/25/2016 and 9/25/2017

Trade name	common name	AI/gallon
Callisto	mesotrione	4#/gal
Section 2	clethodim	2#/gal
Fusilade DX	fluaxifop	2#/gal
Clarity	Dicamba	4#/gal
2,4-D Amine	2,4-D	4#/gal

Applications made 5/21/2018 GS= mid-boot no heading 4" tall

CO2 bike sprayer @ 27psi wind ssw 3-6mph 6pm

Harvested 7/5/2018 1M2/plot

Table 15.

2017 Kernza Intermediate Wheatgrass Planting Date Trial*
Magnusson Research farm-F4

2018 Data

Planting regime ¹	Yield ² #/acre	Plants ³ 10/15/17	Harvest Ht.(in.)	Harvest Date
Fall - fallow plant	566	6.7	50	19-Aug
Fall - wheat stubble plant	339	5.2	46	19-Aug
Spring - with wheat	678	5.5	57	10-Aug
LSD @5% level	150	NS	1	NS
CV(%)	12	31	1	43

Experimental Design: RCB with 3 reps

Plot size= 20'x 180'

*-Kernza variety= C4-2016Rosemount

¹-Spring planting with Linkert spring wheat @120#/acre 5/19/2017.

Fall planting into wheat stubble-8/25/2017

Fall planting into fallow ground -9/2/2017

Seeding Rate=10#/acre on all treatments

²-Grain yield in #/acre. Visually estimated 80% hulled seed and 10% ergot

³-Live plant counts/ft.2

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Table 16.

2017-18 Kernza Planting Date Trial
Magnusson Research Farm

2018 Data

Planting Date	Seed yield (#/acre)	Dry	Height (cm)
		Biomass (kg/ha)	
Roseau, MN 2017-18			
15 Aug. 2017	640 d	8025 c	55 c
30 Aug. 2017	416 cd	5277 c	56 c
15 Sept. 2017	347 c	4457 c	37 abc
1 Oct. 2017	85 b	1448 b	46 b
15 Oct. 2017	52 ab	768 ab	47 bc
2-May-18	1 a	1064 b	28 ab
1-Jun-18	0 a	359 a	17 a

Table 1: Effect of planting date on IWG seed and biomass yields at grain maturity, and height.

Letters signify differences between treatments within year and location using a least squares means procedure and $\alpha = 0.05$.

Table 17.

2017-18 Sulfur Applications to Ryegrass, Fine Fescue, and Kernza
Magnusson Research Farm-F2B --Roseau, Mn

2018 Data--Arctic Green -Perennial Ryegrass																		
Added ¹ Sulfur	Seed								Tissue samples taken 7/10/2018									
	Yield	Ht(in.)	Lodging	Color	RCI	RCI	RCI	N	%							PPM		
	#/acre	Harvest	harvest	5/25/18	5/25/18	6/12/18	7/8/18		P	K	S	Ca	Mg	Zn	Fe	Mn	B	
0	616	21	1.5	5.0	192	343	216	1.2	0.23	1.30	0.15	0.25	0.34	16	36	20	5	
67#AMS	905	22	3.7	4.5	202	318	259	1.5	0.22	1.25	0.17	0.23	0.35	13	37	25	5	
125#AMS	728	23	3	6.0	264	379	195	1.2	0.21	1.20	0.15	0.22	0.33	13	33	22	4.5	
LSD @5% level	211	2	NS	NS	NS	NS	50	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	
CV(%)	16	15	19	19	30	10	13	10	11	11	2	7	9	20	28	13	22	

2018 Data--Kernza-Intermediate wheatgrass													
Added Sulfur	Seed							Tissue samples taken 7/10/2018					
	Yield	Harvest	Lodging	Color	RCI	RCI	RCI	%					
	#/acre	Ht(in.)	harvest	5/25/18	5/25/18	6/12/18	7/8/18	N	P	K	S	Ca	
0	641	52	1	4.0	287	264	279	2.4	0.18	1.4	0.18	0.53	
125#AMS	852	53	1	4.0	275	292	263	2.4	0.18	1.3	0.20	0.60	
LSD @5% level	NS	1	0	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	
CV(%)	13	14	0	29	22	12	3	9	0	4	15	22	

Kernza - 75% hulled and 15% ergot

2018 Data--MN-HD1-Hard fescue					
Added Sulfur	Seed ¹				
	Yield	Harvest	Lodging	Color	RCI
	#/acre	Ht(in.)	harvest	5/25/18	5/25/18
0	985	25	1	6.5	418
125#AMS	1044	25	1	7.5	432
LSD @5% level	NS	NS	0	NS	NS
CV(%)	18	5	0	20	16

Experimental design; RCB w/4 replications

Establishment and general management:

Ryegrass @ 6#/acre and Kernza@ 10#/acre were planted with spring wheat on 6/2/2017.

MN-HD1 hard fescue @6#/acre was planted on 6/2/2017 with no cover

Wheat was removed at harvest in August.

40-0-0 was applied to all plots on 10/18/2018

AMS(ammonium sulfate) and urea (80#N/ac for ryegrass and 40#N/ac for hard fescue and kernza)

was applied by hand on 5/7/2018. An additional 40-0-0 was applied to kernza and perennial ryegrass on 6/1/2018.

Soil test 5/5/2018-prior to spring fertilizer

Olsen P --3PPM, K 87PPM, OM 3.3%, PH 8.4, SO4-S 11PPM

Harvest dates- MN-HD- 6/28/2018, Perennial ryegrass 7/19/2018, Kernza 8/10/2018

Table 18.

2018 Potential Cover Crop Options
Magnusson Research Farm-Roseau,Mn

Trt#	Seeding			Top growth		
	PLS/ft.2 plants/ft	Rate #/ac.)		Tons/acre dry matter	%Dry Matter	Canopy Ht.(In.)
1	8	100	Oats	0.92	21	20
2	8	110	Rymin rye	1.40	17	13
3	12	20	Gulf annual ryegrass	0.89	14	15
4	6	10	LL canola	2.30	12	18
5	4	100	winter peas	0.37	11	9
6	12	20	Crimson clover	0.25	12	4
7	12	25	Arctic Green perennial ryegrass	0.40	14	6
8	4	10	Turnip, purple top	2.08	12	15
9	8	15	Rivard mix	1.42	12	13
10	4	10	Radish-daikon	1.51	10	12
10a			Radish-daikon-(Root only)	1.52	12	na
LSD @5%level				0.22	4	2
CV(%)				9	14	9

Planted 8/9/2018

Wheat border=Linkert

Mix border=Rivard Mix(Grafstrom mix) 10# acre with Hege drill

Single row plots into fallow ground

15' rows--on 2' centers(except borders 6' hege planting)

Rivard seeding mix

40% Austrian Winter pea

20%Rehab 94 flax

10% Dwarf Essex Rape

10% Jack hammer radish

10% common vetch

10% purple top turnips

Table 19.

2018 Soybean Sulfur Applications
Rice farms-NW of Roseau,Mn

2018 Data + 2017 Yield Data

Method of application	Fertilizer App ²	Yield Bu./acre ¹			dry matter basis		6/26/2018		Trifoliolate tissue samples taken at early bloom 7/8/2018		%						ppm	
		2yr.Mean	2018	2017	Oil	Protein	plants/ft2	RCI ⁴	8-Jul	27-Jul	N	p	k	S	ca	mg	zn	fe
None	0	50.9	55.0	46.7	18.7	36.4	4.5	351	352	5.3	0.41	1.8	0.25	0.84	0.47	22	97	37
Broadcast	67#AMS/ac	49.1	55.4	42.8	18.9	35.6	4.6	347	347	5.1	0.43	2.1	0.27	0.96	0.54	23	103	39
In furrow	67#AMS/ac	49.6	59.8	39.4	19.1	35.9	3.8	353	353	5.3	0.45	2.1	0.27	0.94	0.51	24	101	40
Broadcast	125#AMS/ac	46.5	54.8	38.2	19.1	35.6	3.9	345	345	5.2	0.46	2.1	0.3	1	0.58	24	108	43
In furrow	125#AMS/ac	48.8	59.5	38.0	19	35.9	3.1	311	311	5.1	0.43	2	0.27	0.95	0.55	22	96	37
	LSD @5%level	NS	NS	5	1.2	1	0.9	NS	40	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS
	CV(%)	8	12	8	0.3	0.6	14	9	12	4	13	10	9	9	9	10	12	7

Experimental Design:RCB with 4 reps
 Variety= ASGROW AG005X8 + Apron Maxx @ 7oz/unit and Dyna Start PBC @.85oz/unit
 Planting date:5-31-2018 Plot size= 6' x 15'
 Seeding rate= 1.4 units/acre
 SO4-S test - prior to planting 5/12/18 =9ppm --0-6"
 Organic matter= 4.5%
 No soil test obtained after harvest

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2018 Soybean Sulfur Applications
Magnusson Research Farm- NW of Roseau,Mn

Method of application	Fertilizer App ²	Yield Bu./acre ¹	RCI ⁴	Harvest	9/25/2018	Soil test
			8-Jul	Ht(in)	plants/ft2	SO4-S ³
None	0	73.0	465	25.8	4.9	14.5
Broadcast	67#AMS/ac	73.0	529	26.0	4.3	NA
In furrow	67#AMS/ac	77.8	539	26.3	4.5	NA
Broadcast+In furrow	125+125/ac	73.0	523	26.5	3.2	15.0
		NS	NS	NS	1.2	NS
		7	18	3	18	6

Experimental Design:RCB with 4 reps
 Variety= ASGROW AG005X8 + Apron Maxx @ 7oz/unit and Dyna Start PBC @.85oz/unit
 Planting date:5-15-2018 Plot size= 6' x 15'
 Seeding rate= 1.4 units/acre
 SO4-S test - prior to planting 5/12/18 =11ppm -0-6"
 Organic matter= 3.0%

¹Yield- yields corrected to 13% moisture
²Fertilizer App= 67#/acre ammonium sulfate(AMS)=15#/acre sulfur
 125#/acre ammonium sulfate(AMS)= 30#/acre sulfur
 125+125= 125#AMS applied prior to plant AND down the tube at seeding
³Soil test SO4-S- Soil sample taken 9/19/18 after harvest 0-6" depth only on the untreated and high application rate
⁴RCI Relative chlorophyll index, higher number equals more chlorophyll
 Small plots planted with Hege plot seeder with double disk openers in 10-6" rows

Table 20.

**2018 Large Plot Soybean Sulfur Fertility Trial
Magnusson Research Farm**

2018 Data and 2017 Yield Data

Fertilizer*	Yield Bu./acre ¹			9/19/18		Tissue samples taken 7/8/2018													
				Soil test		Dry matter basis			Harvest		%							ppm	
	2yr.Mean	2018	2017	SO4-S	Stand ²	Oil	Protein	Test wt.	Ht(in.)	N	p	k	S	ca	mg	zn	fe	mn	b
1-Urea	46.4	61.4	31.3	10.0	4.8	18.7	35.7	57.5	29	6.0	0.54	2.2	0.33	1.14	0.78	29	165	136	50
2-AMS	50.4	61.3	39.4	9.5	5.0	18.9	35.6	57.3	28	6.1	0.52	2.0	0.34	1.13	0.77	29	160	131	49
LSD @5%	NS	NS	6.4	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS	NS
CV(%)	5	3	5	2	1	3	4	0.3	3.2	2	3	6	4	10	12	4	11	16	7

Experimental Design:RCB with 4 reps

Planting date: 5-17-2018 Plot size= 24' x 200'

Fertilizer applications 5/11/2018 and tilled in 5/14/18--

Soybeans seeded 5/17/2018 Asgrow--AG005X8-- Soybeans @1.4 units/acre

*57#Urea (26-0-0) applied to treatment 1 ; 125#/acre ammonium sulfate(AMS/26-0-0-30S) applied to treatment to prior to final seedbed prep

¹ Yields- Corrected to 13% moisture

²Stand- Plants/ft.2 at harvest

Soil test --SO4-S test - prior to planting 5/12/18 =9ppm --0-6"

Organic matter= 3.4%

Table 21.

2018 Spring Wheat Sulfur Fertility Trial
Magnusson Research Farm-Roseau,Mn

2018 Data and 2017 Yield Data

Fertility Treatment ¹	Yield Bu./acre			Protein	Test Wt.	Stand	Harvest		RCl ³		Color ⁴	Sulfur ⁵
	2yr.Mean	2018	2017	%	Bu.	5/29	7/8	Ht(In.)	6/12	7/8	7/27	Soil-SO4
1-0	77	61	93	13.6	61.9	20.5	21.9	30	341	459	8.3	11.0
2-15B	79	66	91	14.2	62.1	20.6	24.1	30	348	509	8.8	NA
3-15IF	82	70	93	14.2	62.2	20.0	21.5	30	348	521	8.8	NA
4-30B	82	69	94	14.4	62.1	21.9	20.0	29	331	535	8.8	11.5
5-30IF	81	71	91	14.7	62.5	19.4	21.1	31	303	522	8.0	11.0
LSD @5% level	5	10	NS	0.8	0.3	NS	3	NS	43	NS	NS	
CV(%)	5	10	3	4	1	14	9	4	8	11	6	

Fertility Treatment ¹	Plant Tissue Samples taken 7/10/2018					
	Sulfur	N	P	K	Ca	Zn
1-0	0.29	3.7	0.26	1.6	0.43	16.5
2-15B	0.34	4.2	0.29	1.7	0.48	18.5
3-15IF	0.38	4.3	0.31	1.7	0.50	21
4-30B	0.34	4.2	0.28	1.5	0.46	17.5
5-30IF	0.37	4.4	0.29	1.6	0.48	19.5
LSD @5% level	0.09	0.3	0.03	NS	NS	3.8
CV(%)	9	3	4	8	10	7

Experimental Design: RCB w/4 reps

Planted 5/21/2018 harvested 8/12/18

Spring Wheat Variety- Linkert-- Seeding Rate=120#/acre

Soil test prior to fertilizer application 5/12/2018 0-6" S- SO4 15ppm ; PH 8.2 ; %OM 3.7 ;

Nitrate 14#/ac Olson P= 5ppm K=85ppm OM 3.7%

9-50-50 applied to all plots 5/10/2018. 140#/acre total Nitrogen broadcast on all plots

¹Fertility Treatment

1-0 No added sulfur

2-15B 67#/acre AMS broadcast prior to final seedbed prep

3-15IF 67#/acre AMS source applied down the tube with seed at planting

4-30B 125#/acre AMS broadcast prior to final seedbed prep

5-30IF 125#/acre AMS applied down the tube with seed at planting

²Yield- Bushels/acre corrected to 12% moisture³RCl- Relative Chlorophyll Index- higher number= more chlorophyll

6/12=2:45pm full sun

7/8=3:00pm ptly cldy full flag leaf extended

⁴Color-1-light green;9=dark green⁵Soil test Sulfur sampled 0-6" after harvest-9/10/2018