

2018-19 Wheat Research Verification Program Update



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General	By Chad Norton and Chris Elkins. Weather has been a major factor in the 2018-2019 wheat crop. The lower temperatures have kept plant growth slowed and constant rain has caused water damage even on the best drained fields. Overall most fields still have good potential with warmer drier weather. Fertilizer application have started going out in Southern fields. Disease and insect pressure remain low.		
County	Variety	Feekes	General Information
		Stage	
Ashley	Pioneer	4	Applied 100lbs Urea + 100lbs DAP + 50lbs Ammonium Sulfate on 2-3.
	26R41		Really greened it up. Broadleaves present, recommended .9oz Harmony
			Extra + 1% NIS. Remaining 100lbs Urea should be applied in 10 days.
			Very low incidence stripe rust on older leaves, new growth clean. Looks
			very good considering what it's been through.
Greene	Pioneer	2	Starting to green up, Recommended 50lbs Ammonium Sulfate + 50lbs
	26R41		Urea, excess soil moisture. Still has good potential
Lee	Pioneer	2	Poor growing conditions, uncertain if field will be kept for production.
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