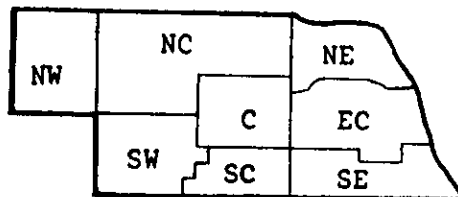


NEBRASKA

WHEAT VARIETIES

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CENTURK MOST POPULAR WHEAT VARIETY

Centurk continued to be the most popular wheat variety sown in Nebraska last fall (1976 crop) with 32.9% of planted acreage, or approximately 1,119,000 acres. Scout and Scout 66 combined were the second most popular variety with 29% of planted acreage. Lancer took third place with 7.6% of planted acreage. Gage and Warrior switched positions from last year. Gage moved up to fourth with 7.1% and Warrior fell to fifth with 5.0% of planted acreage. Newer varieties, such as Buckskin, Hi-Plains, Homestead, Sage, Baca, Sturdy, and Lancota, either improved their positions or showed planted acreage for the first time.

Centurk was the leading variety in six of the eight Crop Reporting

Districts with percentages as follows: Northwest, 38.7; Northeast, 41.7; Central, 40.7; East Central, 38.1; Southwest, 31.1; and Southeast 25.8. In the North Central and South Central Districts, Scout and Scout 66 led with 58.9% and 51.4%, respectively. Scout and Scout 66 were the second place variety in the Northwest, Northeast, Central, Southwest, and Southeast. Gage took second place as the most popular variety in the East Central District and third place in the Southeast. Warrior variety was in third place in the Southwest District with 19.1%. It is the only district where this variety is grown to any great extent. Lancer variety took second place in the North Central District and third place in the Northeast.

NEBRASKA--WHEAT VARIETIES ESTIMATED PERCENTAGES PLANTED TO EACH VARIETY FOR SELECTED YEARS

| Variety | 1970 | 1971 | 1972 | 1973 | 1974 | 1975 | 1976 |
|----------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------------------|
| P e r c e n t | | | | | | | |
| Centurk..... | --- | --- | 2.0 | 22.5 | 31.0 | 33.5 | 32.9 |
| Scout & Scout 66.... | 30.6 | 37.2 | 36.9 | 28.8 | 30.2 | 30.3 | 29.0 |
| Lancer..... | 27.6 | 22.4 | 23.6 | 17.0 | 13.0 | 8.9 | 7.6 |
| Gage..... | 12.4 | 10.7 | 6.3 | 5.4 | 4.9 | 6.2 | 7.1 |
| Warrior..... | 12.4 | 10.2 | 11.3 | 10.2 | 9.5 | 7.0 | 5.0 |
| Scoutland..... | --- | --- | 1.6 | 1.6 | 3.2 | 4.6 | 4.5 |
| Buckskin..... | --- | --- | --- | --- | .1 | .8 | 2.5 |
| Trapper..... | 5.4 | 8.7 | 10.2 | 6.0 | 3.3 | 2.1 | 1.7 |
| Hi-Plains..... | --- | --- | --- | --- | .1 | 1.0 | 1.6 |
| Eagle..... | --- | --- | --- | --- | 1.2 | 1.5 | 1.3 |
| Homestead..... | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | .2 | 1.0 |
| Sage..... | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | .2 | .9 |
| Sentinel..... | --- | --- | --- | --- | .1 | .6 | .7 |
| Funks..... | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | .6 | .7 |
| Baca..... | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | .6 |
| Trader..... | 1.6 | 1.4 | 1.7 | 1.0 | .4 | .3 | .4 |
| Pawnee..... | 1.3 | .8 | .5 | .4 | .3 | .4 | .4 |
| Omaha..... | 1.5 | 1.2 | .5 | .4 | .4 | .4 | .4 |
| Cheyenne..... | 1.8 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 1.1 | .8 | .7 | .4 |
| Sturdy..... | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | .2 |
| Ottawa..... | 1.8 | 1.2 | .8 | .4 | .4 | .4 | .2 |
| Lancota..... | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | .2 |
| Bison..... | .5 | .3 | .4 | .3 | --- | --- | .1 |
| Satanta..... | --- | --- | .7 | .3 | .1 | .1 | .1 |
| Triumph..... | .2 | .2 | .1 | .1 | --- | .1 | .1 |
| Turkey Red..... | .1 | --- | .1 | --- | --- | --- | .1 |
| Wichita..... | .5 | .4 | .6 | .5 | --- | --- | .1 |
| Other..... | 2.3 | 4.2 | 1.6 | 4.0 | 1.0 | .1 | .2 ^{1/} |

1/ Includes Caprock, Chanute, Nebraska, Nebred, Parker, Ponca, Tam 101, Trison.

NEBRASKA--WHEAT VARIETIES
ESTIMATED ACREAGE PLANTED TO EACH VARIETY FOR SELECTED YEARS

| Variety | 1970 | 1971 | 1972 | 1973 | 1974 | 1975 | 1976 |
|-----------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| T h o u s a n d a c r e s | | | | | | | |
| Centurk..... | --- | --- | 55 | 630 | 930 | 1,072 | 1,119 |
| Scout & Scout 66..... | 785 | 945 | 1,012 | 806 | 906 | 970 | 986 |
| Lancer..... | 708 | 569 | 647 | 476 | 390 | 285 | 258 |
| Gage..... | 318 | 272 | 173 | 151 | 147 | 198 | 241 |
| Warrior..... | 318 | 259 | 310 | 286 | 285 | 224 | 170 |
| Scoutland..... | --- | --- | 44 | 45 | 96 | 147 | 153 |
| Buckskin..... | --- | --- | --- | --- | 3 | 26 | 85 |
| Trapper..... | 139 | 221 | 279 | 168 | 99 | 67 | 58 |
| Hi-Plains..... | --- | --- | --- | --- | 3 | 32 | 54 |
| Eagle..... | --- | --- | --- | --- | 36 | 48 | 44 |
| Homestead..... | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | 6 | 34 |
| Sage..... | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | 6 | 31 |
| Funks..... | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | 19 | 24 |
| Sentinel..... | --- | --- | --- | --- | 3 | 19 | 24 |
| Baca..... | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | 20 |
| Trader..... | 41 | 35 | 46 | 28 | 12 | 10 | 14 |
| Pawnee..... | 33 | 20 | 14 | 11 | 9 | 13 | 14 |
| Omaha..... | 38 | 30 | 14 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| Cheyenne..... | 46 | 28 | 30 | 31 | 24 | 23 | 14 |
| Sturdy..... | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | 7 |
| Ottawa..... | 46 | 30 | 22 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 7 |
| Lancota..... | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | 7 |
| Bison..... | 13 | 8 | 11 | 8 | --- | --- | 3 |
| Satanta..... | --- | --- | 19 | 8 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| Triumph..... | 5 | 5 | 3 | 3 | --- | 3 | 3 |
| Turkey Red..... | 3 | --- | 3 | --- | --- | --- | 3 |
| Wichita..... | 13 | 10 | 16 | 14 | --- | --- | 3 |
| Other..... | 59 | 107 | 44 | 113 | 30 | 3 | 7 1/2 |
| State..... | 2,565 | 2,539 | 2,742 | 2,800 | 3,000 | 3,200 | 3,400 |

1/ Includes Caprock, Chanute, Nebraska, Nebred, Parker, Ponca, Tam 101, Trison.

WINTER WHEAT VARIETIES, 1976
ESTIMATED PERCENTAGE PLANTED TO EACH VARIETY BY DISTRICTS

| District | Acres | Gen- | Scout & | Lan- | Gage | War- | Scout- | Buck- | Trap- | Hi- | Eagle | Other |
|-----------------|---------|---------------|----------|------|------|------|--------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|
| | Planted | turk | Scout 66 | cer | | rior | land | skin | per | Plains | | |
| | Thou. | P e r c e n t | | | | | | | | | | |
| Northwest..... | 945 | 38.7 | 29.0 | 12.1 | --- | 2.4 | 2.5 | .8 | 4.5 | 3.6 | 2.0 | 4.4 |
| North Central.. | 18 | 1.0 | 58.9 | 22.2 | --- | --- | --- | 6.3 | --- | --- | --- | 11.6 |
| Northeast..... | 36 | 41.7 | 22.7 | 17.7 | 10.3 | --- | .8 | 1.3 | --- | --- | --- | 5.5 |
| Central..... | 141 | 40.7 | 23.8 | 6.7 | --- | .9 | 3.0 | 7.1 | --- | 7.7 | --- | 10.1 |
| East Central... | 473 | 38.1 | 19.8 | 2.4 | 23.5 | --- | 3.5 | 1.8 | --- | --- | .2 | 10.7 |
| Southwest..... | 732 | 31.1 | 25.7 | 8.8 | .4 | 19.1 | 2.4 | 5.4 | .2 | .2 | 2.2 | 4.5 |
| South Central.. | 410 | 22.4 | 51.4 | 5.2 | 2.9 | .1 | 9.7 | 3.2 | --- | .1 | --- | 5.0 |
| Southeast..... | 645 | 25.8 | 25.4 | .2 | 24.4 | --- | 9.7 | 2.0 | --- | --- | .3 | 12.2 |
| State..... | 3,400 | 32.9 | 29.0 | 7.6 | 7.1 | 5.0 | 4.5 | 2.6 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 1.3 | 6.7 |

WINTER WHEAT VARIETIES, 1975
ESTIMATED PERCENTAGE PLANTED TO EACH VARIETY BY DISTRICTS

| District | Acres | Gen- | Scout & | Lan- | War- | Gage | Scout- | Trap- | Eagle | Hi- | Other |
|------------------|---------|---------------|----------|------|------|------|--------|-------|-------|--------|-------|
| | Planted | turk | Scout 66 | cer | rior | | land | per | | Plains | |
| | Thou. | P e r c e n t | | | | | | | | | |
| Northwest..... | 935 | 38.0 | 28.3 | 15.6 | 2.6 | --- | 2.6 | 4.8 | 2.3 | 2.4 | 3.4 |
| North Central... | 18 | 17.0 | 10.5 | 59.0 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | 13.5 |
| Northeast..... | 32 | 53.4 | 14.2 | 14.9 | --- | 12.7 | --- | --- | --- | --- | 4.8 |
| Central..... | 133 | 32.0 | 29.3 | 13.4 | --- | --- | 4.5 | --- | .7 | .5 | 19.6 |
| East Central.... | 410 | 39.0 | 24.1 | .7 | .1 | 23.3 | 6.2 | --- | --- | --- | 6.6 |
| Southwest..... | 725 | 30.0 | 27.2 | 8.8 | 24.2 | --- | 1.8 | 1.4 | 2.4 | .3 | 3.9 |
| South Central... | 347 | 23.8 | 54.4 | 2.1 | 1.2 | 2.3 | 9.1 | --- | .6 | --- | 6.5 |
| Southeast..... | 600 | 31.3 | 30.0 | --- | --- | 22.9 | 9.7 | --- | .1 | --- | 6.0 |
| State..... | 3,200 | 33.5 | 30.3 | 8.9 | 7.0 | 6.2 | 4.6 | 2.1 | 1.5 | 1.0 | 4.9 |