



WHEAT VARIETIES

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Everest Still the Number One Wheat Variety for Kansas

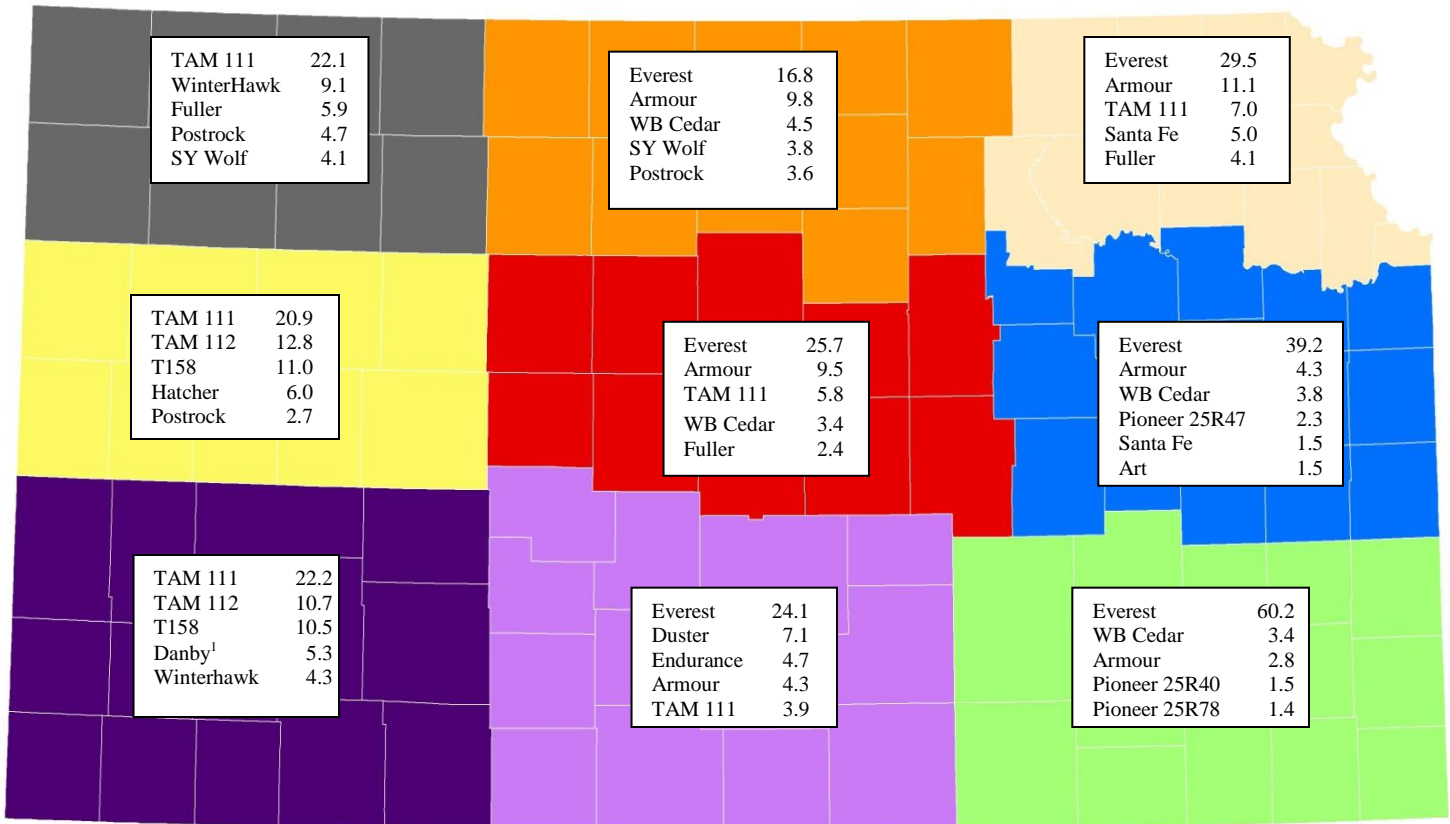
Everest continued to be the leading variety of wheat seeded in Kansas, accounting for 14.3 percent of the State's 2014 planted wheat acres, the same percent as 2013. Everest, a variety developed by Kansas State University, was the most popular variety in the eastern two thirds of the State. TAM 111 also retained its position as second in the State with 11.6 percent of the acreage and is the leading variety in all three of the Western Districts. T158 jumped to third place from seventh with 5.0 percent of the State's acreage, whereas TAM 112 maintained its position in fourth place with 4.6 percent of the acreage. Armour dropped two places to fifth with 4.2 percent. Winter Hawk jumped five places to sixth with 2.9 percent. Duster dropped one spot to seventh place with 2.7 percent of the State's acreage. WB Cedar, new to the top ten, tied with Postrock for eighth place with 2.2 percent. Endurance dropped one place to tenth with 1.8 percent.

Area planted with blended varieties was not included in the rankings by variety. Blends accounted for 10.4 percent of the State's planted acreage and were used more extensively in the north central, east central and central areas of the State. Hard White varieties accounted for 2.8 percent of the State's acreage, up from 2.1 percent in 2013. Danby was the leading Hard White variety, accounting for just over 50 percent of the State's white wheat. The majority of the white wheat was planted in the southwestern portion of the State.

There were 3,412 positive reports summarized for this year's Wheat Varieties survey.

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Top Five Wheat Varieties in Kansas, by District, 2014 Crop Year Percent of Seeded Acreage



¹ Hard White Winter variety.

Distribution of Kansas Winter Wheat Varieties, by District, 2014 Crop Year

Variety	Agricultural Statistics District									State
	NW	WC	SW	NC	C	SC	NE	EC	SE	
	Percent of Seeded Acreage									
Everest	0.8	0.6	0.4	16.8	25.7	24.1	29.5	39.2	60.2	14.3
TAM 111	22.1	20.9	22.2	1.6	5.8	3.9	7.0	*	*	11.6
T158	3.4	11.0	10.5	1.0	1.8	2.0	*	*	*	5.0
TAM 112	4.0	12.8	10.7	0.2	0.5	0.7	*	*	*	4.6
Armour	3.9	0.7	1.0	9.8	9.5	4.3	11.1	4.3	2.8	4.2
Winter Hawk	9.1	1.0	4.3	3.1	1.9	1.6	0.1	*	0.1	2.9
Duster	*	0.0	0.8	0.1	1.3	7.1	*	0.3	0.4	2.7
WB Cedar	0.7	0.4	0.6	4.5	3.4	3.2	2.6	3.8	3.4	2.2
Postrock	4.7	2.7	2.7	3.6	2.3	0.7	0.1	0.1	*	2.2
Endurance	*	0.0	0.7	*	0.2	4.7	0.3	*	0.9	1.8
Fuller	5.9	1.3	0.3	3.3	2.4	1.3	4.1	1.4	1.0	1.7
Danby ¹	*	2.0	5.3	*	0.1	*	*	*	*	1.5
TAM 113	1.8	1.9	3.7	*	0.1	0.0	0.2	*	*	1.3
Hatcher	2.3	6.0	1.5	*	*	0.0	*	0.4	*	1.2
Jagalene	0.3	2.6	2.9	0.1	*	0.1	0.1	0.2	*	1.1
Denali	3.9	1.5	1.2	0.3	1.0	0.2	*	*	*	1.0
Jagger	0.3	0.3	2.3	0.7	0.3	0.8	0.1	1.0	0.1	1.0
Billings	*	*	*	0.0	0.3	2.8	*	*	0.7	1.0
Art	*	0.0	*	1.7	1.4	1.6	0.6	1.5	0.3	0.9
Overley	0.5	*	0.2	0.2	0.5	2.0	0.3	0.3	0.8	0.8
Jackpot	0.1	*	0.5	*	0.1	1.8	0.8	*	0.2	0.8
SY Wolf	4.1	0.1	0.0	3.8	0.6	*	1.1	0.7	*	0.7
Santa Fe	0.1	0.2	*	1.0	0.7	1.2	5.0	1.5	0.8	0.6
Centerfield	*	*	*	0.2	0.6	1.4	*	*	*	0.6
AP503 CL2	0.2	*	0.1	0.1	0.3	1.1	*	*	*	0.4
Aspen ¹	0.3	0.1	1.6	*	*	0.1	*	*	*	0.4
Greer	*	*	1.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	*	*	0.1	0.3
TAM 110	0.3	0.4	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.2	*	*	*	0.3
1863	0.2	0.1	*	0.7	0.7	0.3	1.0	0.7	0.3	0.3
T81	*	1.4	0.4	*	0.1	0.1	*	*	*	0.3
CJ	*	*	*	0.5	0.5	0.5	1.1	0.4	*	0.3
SY Southwind	*	*	*	0.3	0.8	0.4	*	*	0.3	0.3
Blends	10.1	7.7	4.0	21.8	16.1	10.8	9.8	15.8	6.9	10.4
Other Hard White Var.	2.1	2.9	1.1	*	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.0	*	0.9
Other Hard Red Var.	18.8	21.4	19.1	24.0	20.5	19.5	24.4	24.1	14.9	19.8
All Soft Red Var.	*	*	*	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.4	4.3	5.8	0.3

* = No reports of variety in the District.

0.0 = Less than 0.1 percent of variety in the District.

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Distribution of Kansas Winter Wheat Varieties, by Crop Year, 2005 - 2014

Variety	Crop Year									
	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
	Percent of Seeded Acreage									
Everest	--	--	--	--	--	--	1.1	8.0	14.3	14.3
TAM 111	0.2	2.2	4.0	7.3	6.8	9.9	11.6	12.6	10.8	11.6
T158	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.3	1.6	3.4	5.0
TAM 112	--	--	0.4	1.6	2.0	3.4	3.8	5.2	5.1	4.6
Armour	--	--	--	--	--	0.3	3.6	7.5	6.7	4.2
Winter Hawk	--	--	--	--	0.0	0.5	0.8	0.9	1.7	2.9
Duster	--	--	--	0.0	0.1	0.8	1.7	2.6	4.0	2.7
WB Cedar	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.0	0.0	2.2
Postrock	--	--	--	0.9	6.0	8.0	7.4	4.9	3.2	2.2
Endurance	--	--	--	0.1	0.4	1.4	2.3	2.1	2.6	1.8
Fuller	--	--	--	0.3	10.9	11.8	10.3	5.5	4.2	1.7
Danby ¹	--	--	0.7	1.2	0.7	1.5	1.0	1.3	1.0	1.5
TAM 113	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.0	0.4	1.3
Hatcher	--	--	--	0.3	1.3	1.7	2.1	2.4	1.3	1.2
Jagalene	21.2	27.2	23.1	18.0	9.1	5.3	2.8	2.3	1.5	1.1
Denali	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.1	1.0
Jagger	28.2	19.7	17.1	14.7	8.5	5.1	3.7	2.5	2.0	1.0
Billings	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.1	0.2	0.8	1.0
Art	--	--	--	0.1	0.8	4.6	8.0	4.3	1.7	0.9
Overley	2.2	15.3	23.3	17.3	13.7	7.2	3.1	1.6	1.6	0.8
Jackpot	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.6	0.7	1.5	0.8
SY Wolf	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.1	0.2	0.7
Santa Fe	--	0.2	1.3	5.8	9.5	7.0	4.0	2.1	1.1	0.6
Centerfield	--	--	--	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.6
AP503 CL2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.2	0.5	0.4
Aspen ¹	--	--	--	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.6	0.4	0.4
Greer	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.3
TAM 110	3.3	2.2	1.5	1.4	--	1.1	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.3
1863	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.3
T81	1.6	2.6	2.0	2.8	2.5	2.4	1.4	1.0	0.7	0.3
CJ	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.2	0.3	0.3
SY Southwind	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.1	0.2	0.3
Blends	11.3	10.0	10.4	10.4	10.7	11.6	11.1	9.0	8.8	10.4
Other Hard White Var.	3.9	1.7	1.0	0.6	0.2	0.1	1.0	0.3	0.7	0.9
Other Hard Red Var.	28.1	18.8	15.1	16.8	15.5	14.9	16.5	18.6	17.7	19.8
All Soft Red Var.	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.3

-- = Acreage is included in Other Hard Varieties if variety was available.

0.0 = Less than 0.1 percent of variety.

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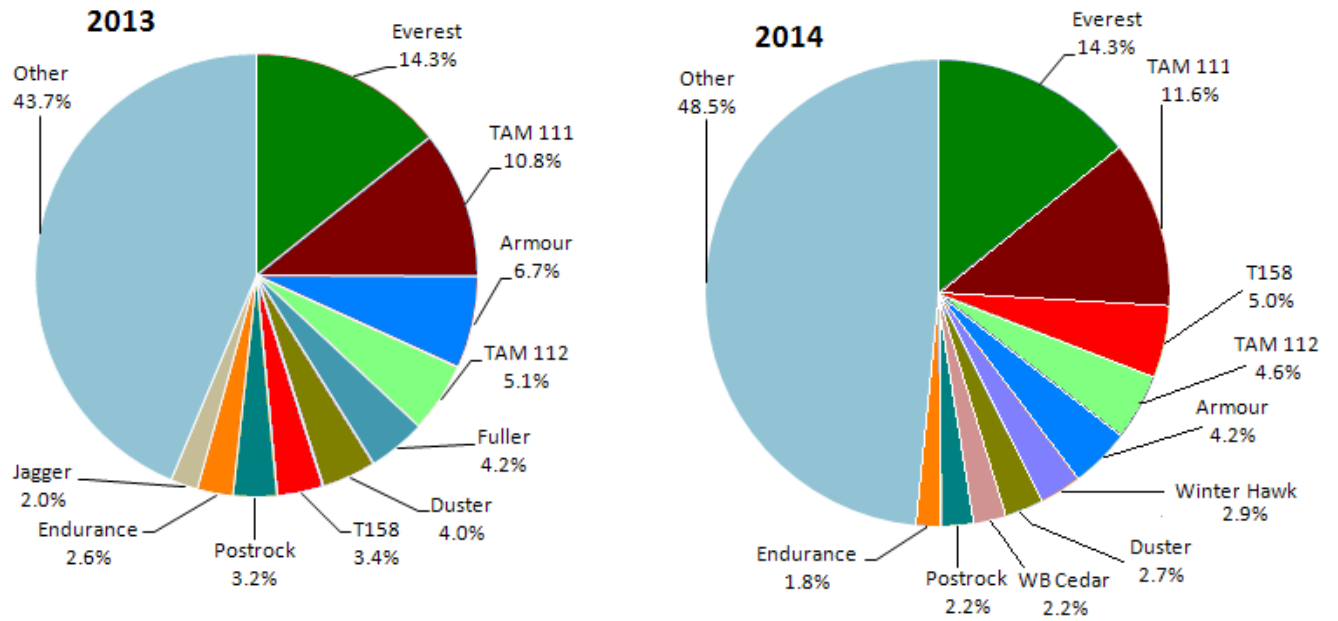
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Kansas Winter Wheat Seeded Acres (000), by District, 2014 Crop Year ¹

NW	WC	SW	NC	C	SC	NE	EC	SE	State
930	1,150	1,650	1,000	1,290	2,000	140	150	490	8,800

¹ Preliminary estimate subject to revision.

Top Kansas Wheat Varieties, 2013 - 2014 Crop Year



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