

# 2018 Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Corn Hybrid Trial



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#### Introduction

Corn Hybrid Trial Texas AM AgriLife Extension conducts the uniform corn hybrid trials each year to provide growers in the region with accurate and unbiased information on hybrid performance. Selection of superior hybrids that are well adapted for a given region is essential for maximizing yield and profit.

Performance trials are conducted by cooperative arrangements between growers, company representatives and Texas AM AgriLife Extension personnel. Commercial farm equipment is typically used to plant and harvest. Test sites are on privately owned farms or at Texas A&M University AgriLife Research Centers. All entries are randomized and replicated three times at each location. All test sites are managed according to practices common to each production region. If replications are not available, statistical analysis cannot be performed and hybrid performance should be considered equal across hybrids for that

#### **Suggestions for Hybrid Selection**

Variety or hybrid selection is often the first decision a grower must make each crop year. The goal is to identify hybrids with superior performance (top yielding) for your environment. Many environments exist in Texas with significant variation within regions and across years, mostly due to variation in weather. Documented, consistent yield performance within a region is essential for selecting hybrids that will perform well on your farming operation. This means that evaluation of hybrids over multiple locations and years (when possible) is the best way to predict future performance. Exercise caution when using single location data to compare hybrid performance.

Following yield performance, other characteristics may be useful for selecting the best hybrid. Maturity or days to flowering may be important for selecting hybrids that are appropriate for your growing season/conditions. Hybrids that possess insect or herbicide traits may be useful for managing various insect and weed pests found on your farm. While consistent yield will be the most important factor affecting hybrid selection, additional plant characteristics or traits could be used to select from

#### **Field-Plot Techniques**

Hybrid performance trials are conducted at each location using a randomized complete block design with three replications of each entry (hybrid). Seeds for each hybrid are delivered to centralized distribution points in each sub-region. Plots are generally between 4 and 12 rows wide with row spacing ranging from 30 to 40 inches depending on location. All plots are planted using commercial farm equipment provided by growers or cooperators at each location.

Cultural and agronomic practices adapted for each region are used as determined by the cooperator. Most locations are harvested using commercial farm equipment and yield measured by weighing each plot using "weigh wagons". Some locations may use hand harvesting of predetermined row lengths followed by mechanical threshing and weighing. Grain moisture and test weight are determined from grab samples and measured using instruments such as the Mini GAC plus or similar

#### Data Analysis and Reporting

Data from each location is analyzed statistically using SAS 9.4. Mean values for yield and additional agronomic data are presented in tables for each location. Mean values are derived from the average of all replications for each entry in each trial. Least Significant Difference (LSD) is a statistical test used that determines the minimum difference between two entries required to be considered having different levels of performance. Differences between entries (yield, moisture, etc.) less than the LSD value represents variation in measurements due to factors other than hybrid performance, such as variation in soil type, soil moisture, fertility, insect or disease pressure, planting or harvesting procedures. Although numeric differences in yield or other measurements may exist, if two entries are within the LSD value, they should be considered to have equal performance. The Coefficient of Variation (CV) is used to determine the amount of variability in the data set relative to the mean and can be used to determine if the results are reliable. Generally, CV's greater than 20% indicate that the data is unreliable and is not reported. However, each data set is evaluated individually to determine if results will be reported.

# DeWitt County Corn Hybrid Trial 2018



Company	Branc	l Hybri	d	Trait(s)	Moisture %	Test Weight (Ib/bu)	Yield (bu/acre)
LG Seeds	LG	5701		GEN VT2P	12.7	<mark>5</mark> 5.3	58.1
Mycogen See	ds Mycog	gen MY18	D58	SSX	12.2	56.3	57.7
CPS Dyna-Gro	o Dyna-	Gro D57V	251	GEN VT2P	1 <mark>3.0</mark>	54.5	55.5
Monsanto	Dekall	b DKC 6	7-14	GEN VT2P	12.0	<mark>5</mark> 5.3	51.8
0				Mean	12.48	55.38	55.8
	ronomic informa			C.V. (%)	8.000	1.000	11.0
Plant Date		3/6/2018		L.S.D.		1.15	
Harvest Date		7/23/2018	8	Pr>F (hybrid)	0.644	0.044	0.606
Irrigated		No					
Row Spacing	(in)	30	)	•	Chad & Fred H		
Number of Ro	)WS	6	5	Agent:	Anthony Neta	rdus	
Seeds per Acr	е	20,000			Other Ag	ronomic Info	
Nitrogen (lb N	l/ac)	122	2				
Phosphorus (l	b P2O5/ac)	48	3				
Potassium (lb	K2O/ac)	(	)	Model : yield =	hybrid + blk.	LSD provided w	hen hybrid
Precipitation	(inches)			significant at p	< 0.05 (SAS 9.4	4). Yields highligh	ted in yellow
Soil Type					,	from the top rank at your local coun	,
Herbicde Insecticides	24 oz. Roundup ar Atrazine postemen leaf stage. Seed Treatment O	rgence, before 5		agent or: Dr. Ronnie Schr ronschnell@tar 979-845-2935			

## San Patricio County Corn Hybrid Trial 2018



		Hybrid	Trait(s)	Moisture %	Test Weight (lb/bu)	Yield (bu/acre)
LG Seeds	LG	5701	GEN VT2P			
CPS Dyna-Gro	Dyna-Gro	D57VC51	GEN VT2P			
Monsanto	Dekalb	DKC 67-14	GEN VT2P			
Mycogen Seeds	Mycogen	MY18D58	SSX			
Agronor Plant Date Harvest Date Irrigated Row Spacing (in) Number of Rows Seeds per Acre Nitrogen (lb N/ac) Phosphorus (lb P2O Potassium (lb K2O/a Precipitation (inches Soil Type Herbicde Insecticides	ac)	No 30 12	Agent: Drought and hig harvest. Data no Model : yield = significant at p are not statisti	h temeratures r at reported. - hybrid + blk < 0.05 (SAS 9. cally different rmation conta	s Farm sronomic Info esulted in insufficie . LSD provided w 4). Yields highligh from the top rank ct your local coun	hen hybrid ted in yellow ked hybrid. For
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### Brazoria

### County Corn Hybrid Trial 2018



Company	Brand	Hybrid	Trait(s)	Moisture %	Test Weight (Ib/bu)	Yield (bu/acre)
Terral Seed	REV	25LPR26				
LG Seeds	LG	5701	GEN VT2P			
B-H Genetics	B-H Genetics	BH 8660	GEN VT2P			
CPS Dyna-Gro	Dyna-Gro	D57VC51	GEN VT2P			
Monsanto	Dekalb	DKC 67-14	GEN VT2P			
Mycogen Seeds	Mycogen	MY16M16	Powercore			
Agronomic in Plant Date Harvest Date Irrigated Row Spacing (in) Number of Rows Seeds per Acre Nitrogen (Ib N/ac) Phosphorus (Ib P2O5/ac)		No 38 6	Agent:			reported.
Potassium (Ib K2O/ac) Precipitation (inches) Soil Type Herbicde Insecticides			significant at p are not statistic	< 0.05 (SAS 9. cally different rmation conta- nell	. LSD provided wl 4). Yields highligh from the top rank ct your local coun	ted in yellow ed hybrid. For

## Calhoun County Corn Hybrid Trial 2018



Company	Brand	Hybrid	Trait(s)	Moisture %	Test Weight (lb/bu)	Yield (bu/acre)
Terral Seed	REV	25LPR26				
LG Seeds	LG	5701	GEN VT2P			
B-H Genetics	B-H Genetics	BH 8660	GEN VT2P			
CPS Dyna-Gro	Dyna-Gro	D57VC51	GEN VT2P			
Monsanto	Dekalb	DKC 67-14	GEN VT2P			
Mycogen Seeds	Mycogen	MY16M16	Powercore			
Agronomic i Plant Date Harvest Date Irrigated Row Spacing (in) Number of Rows Seeds per Acre Nitrogen (Ib N/ac) Phosphorus (Ib P2O5/ac		No 38 2	Agent:	0		a not reported.
Potassium (lb K2O/ac) Precipitation (inches) Soil Type Herbicde Insecticides			significant at p are not statistic	< 0.05 (SAS 9. cally different rmation conta nell	. LSD provided wl 4). Yields highligh from the top rank ct your local coun	ted in yellow ed hybrid. For

## Colorado County Corn Hybrid Trial 2018

Irrigated

Row Spacing (in)

Number of Rows

Nitrogen (lb N/ac)

Phosphorus (lb P2O5/ac)

Potassium (lb K2O/ac)

Precipitation (inches)

furrow

Soil Type

Herbicde

Insecticides

Seeds per Acre



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Company	Brand	Hybrid	Trait(s)	Moisture %	Test Weight (Ib/bu)	Yield (bu/acre)
Terral Seed	REV	25LPR26		12.2	57.8	99.5
LG Seeds	LG	5701	GEN VT2P	12.3	57.1	94.6
CPS Dyna-Gro	Dyna-Gro	D57VC51	GEN VT2P	<b>1</b> 2.5	56. <mark>8</mark>	93.9
Monsanto	Dekalb	DKC 67-14	GEN VT2P	12.2	56.5	93.7
B-H Genetics	<b>B-H Genetics</b>	BH 8660	GEN VT2P	12.4	57.2	87.2
Mycogen Seeds	Mycogen	MY16M16	Powercore	12.2	57.4	84.2
	• • • • • • • • • • • •		Mean	12.28	57.14	92.2
0	ic information		C.V. (%)	2.000	1.000	1.5
Plant Date	3/2	22/2018	L.S.D.		0.65	2.4
Harvest Date	8	/1/2018	Pr>F (hybrid)	0.661	0.016	0.000

No

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23,000

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59

0

56.67

Laewest clay

glyphosate+atrazine+paraquat at

4/15/17, Mustang Max 2oz /ac in

planting, 1 qt glyphosate/ac on

Cooperator: Leopold Grain

Agent: Stephen Janak

Other Agronomic Info

Model : yield = hybrid + blk. LSD provided when hybrid significant at p < 0.05 (SAS 9.4). Yields highlighted in yellow are not statistically different from the top ranked hybrid. For additional information contact your local county extension agent or:

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Company	Brand	Hybrid	Trait(s)	Moisture %	Test Weight (lb/bu)	Yield (bu/acre)
Terral Seed	REV	25LPR26		12.6	58.0	199.0
Monsanto	Dekalb	DKC 67-14	GEN VT2P	12.7	58.5	186.0
Mycogen Seeds	Mycogen	MY16M16	Powercore	12.9	59.5	185.9
CPS Dyna-Gro	Dyna-Gro	D57VC51	GEN VT2P	12.8	58.8	180.6
LG Seeds	LG	5701	GEN VT2P	12.8	57.8	179.7
Syngenta	Syngenta	1444	V3111	<mark>1</mark> 2.7	57.3	172.5
	. (		Mean	12.75	58.33	183.9
Agronomic i			C.V. (%)	1.000	3.000	3.2
Plant Date		3/3/2018	L.S.D.			10.6
Harvest Date		8/6/2018	Pr>F (hybrid)	0.225	0.551	0.005
Irrigated		No				

Cooperator: Alan and Lisa Stasney

Agent: John Gordy

#### Other Agronomic Info

Aflaguard; irrigated around pollination; silk dates estimated, not observed

Model : yield = hybrid + blk. LSD provided when hybrid significant at p < 0.05 (SAS 9.4). Yields highlighted in yellow are not statistically different from the top ranked hybrid. For additional information contact your local county extension agent or: Dr. Ronnie Schnell

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Agi	onomic informa	tion	
Plant Date		3/3/2018	
Harvest Date		8/6/2018	
Irrigated		No	
Row Spacing (i	n)	36	
Number of Ro	WS	6	
Seeds per Acre	Seeds per Acre		
Nitrogen (lb N	/ac)		
Phosphorus (It	o P2O5/ac)		
Potassium (lb	K2O/ac)		
Precipitation (	inches)		
Soil Type			
Herbicde Insecticides	Two applications of	f Acuron	

#### Jackson

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Company	Brand	Hybrid	Trait(s)	Moisture %	Test Weight (Ib/bu)	Yield (bu/acre)
CPS Dyna-Gro	Dyna-Gro	D57VC51	GEN VT2P	17.5	56.3	114.7
Monsanto	Dekalb	DKC 67-14	GEN VT2P	16.2	56.0	113.3
LG Seeds	LG	5701	GEN VT2P	17.0	56.1	110.5
Mycogen Seeds	Mycogen	MY16M16	Powercore	16.3	55.7	103.4
			Mean	16.76	56.03	110.5
5	omic information	- /- /	C.V. (%)	1.000	0.000	3.2
Plant Date		3/2/2018	L.S.D.	0.40		7.0
Harvest Date	-	7/12/2018	Pr>F (hybrid)	0.001	0.093	0.028
Irrigated		No				
Row Spacing (in)		38	Cooperator:	Allen Gabrysc	h	
Number of Rows		6	Agent:	Mike Hiller		
Seeds per Acre		25,200		Other Ag	ronomic Info	
Nitrogen (lb N/ac)		125				
Phosphorus (lb P2	O5/ac)	33				
Potassium (lb K2O	/ac)	11	Model : vield =	hvbrid + blk	. LSD provided w	hen hybrid
Precipitation (inch	es)		significant at p	< 0.05 (SAS 9.4	4). Yields highligh	ited in yellow
Soil Type				,	from the top ranl ct your local cour	
	ints Atrazine, 3 pints S oz Roundup, 20 oz Ro		agent or: Dr. Ronnie Schr ronschnell@tar 979-845-2935			

#### Wharton

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Moisture **Test Weight** Yield Hybrid Trait(s) Company Brand (bu/acre) % (lb/bu) 18.1 57.3 133.6 **Progeny Ag Products** Progeny PGY 7215 57.7 D58SS65 SSX 18.5 133.0 **CPS Dyna-Gro** Dyna-Gro 55.8 126.8 19.8 **CPS Dyna-Gro** Dyna-Gro D57VC51 **GEN VT2P** 56.0 126.1 19.3 **GEN VT3P** CPS Dyna-Gro Dvna-Gro D56VP46 56.3 18.0 124.3 Monsanto Dekalb DKC 67-14 **GEN VT2P Terral Seed** REV 25LPR26 17.9 57.5 121.9 LG Seeds LG 5701 **GEN VT2P** 19.5 56.5 121.3 58.2 109.1 16.4 **Mycogen Seeds** Mycogen MY16M16 Powercore 18.45 56.92 124.5 Mean **Agronomic information** C.V. (%) 1.000 3.1 2.000 Plant Date 3/13/2018 0.96 6.8 L.S.D. 0.59 Harvest Date 7/20/2018 Pr>F (hybrid) 0.000 0.001 0.000

Cooperator: Terry Marek

Agent: Corrie Bowen

Other Agronomic Info

Model : yield = hybrid + blk. LSD provided when hybrid significant at p < 0.05 (SAS 9.4). Yields highlighted in yellow are not statistically different from the top ranked hybrid. For additional information contact your local county extension agent or: Dr. Ronnie Schnell

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Company	Brand	Hybrid	Trait(s)	Moisture %	Test Weight (Ib/bu)	Yield (bu/acre)
Monsanto	Dekalb	DKC 67-14	GEN VT2P	11.3	53.0	54.1
Mycogen Seeds	Mycogen	MY16M16	Powercore	11.3	54.7	52.4
CPS Dyna-Gro	Dyna-Gro	D57VC51	GEN VT2P	11.0	55.0	47.8
LG Seeds	LG	5701	GEN VT2P	11.1	55.0	46.2
Terral Seed	REV	25LPR26		11.5	56.3	40.0
A	is information		Mean	11.25	54.80	48.1
0	ic information	122/2010	C.V. (%)	2.000	2.000	5.0
Plant Date	3	/23/2018	L.S.D.		1.59	4.5
Harvest Date			Pr>F (hybrid)	0.228	0.016	0.001
Irrigated		No		[		
Row Spacing (in)		30	Cooperator:	Tyroch		
Number of Rows		6	Agent:	Lyle Zoeller		
Seeds per Acre				Other Ag	ronomic Info	
Nitrogen (lb N/ac)		130	1 qt Zn, N as Anh	ydrous		
Phosphorus (lb P2O5,	/ac)	45				
Potassium (lb K2O/ac	)	0	Model : vield =	hvbrid + blk	. LSD provided w	hen hybrid
Precipitation (inches)			significant at p	< 0.05 (SAS 9.	4). Yields highligh	ted in yellow
Soil Type				,	from the top ranl ct your local cour	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Herbicde Insecticides			agent or: Dr. Ronnie Schr ronschnell@tar 979-845-2935	nell		

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Company	Brand	Hybrid	Trait(s)	Moisture %	Test Weight (lb/bu)	Yield (bu/acre)
Monsanto	Dekalb	DKC 67-14	GEN VT2P	8.7	53.0	85.0
Wilbur-Ellis	Integra	9678		8.7	53.8	83.7
Terral Seed	REV	25LPR26		8.1	55.1	77.9
LG Seeds	LG	5701	GEN VT2P	8.5	52.1	77.3
CPS Dyna-Gro	Dyna-Gro	D57VC51	GEN VT2P	8.4	53.6	75.8
Mycogen Seeds	Mycogen	MY16M16	Powercore	8.5	53.2	66.7
0	is information		Mean	8.49	53.46	77.7
	ic information		C.V. (%)	1.000	1.000	3.8
Plant Date			L.S.D.	0.20	1.19	5.4

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Plant Date	Plant Date			
Harvest Date				
Irrigated		No		
Row Spacing (in	ר)	30		
Number of Rov	VS	12		
Seeds per Acre				
Nitrogen (lb N/	ac)	132		
Phosphorus (lb	P2O5/ac)	31		
Potassium (lb k	(20/ac)	0		
Precipitation (i	nches)			
Soil Type				
Herbicde Insecticides				

Cooperator:

Pr>F (hybrid)

Agent: Zach Davis

0.001

#### Other Agronomic Info

0.005

0.000

150 lb/A 82-0-0 preplant, 7 gallon/A 11-37-0 in furrow at planting previous crop cotton

Model : yield = hybrid + blk. LSD provided when hybrid significant at p < 0.05 (SAS 9.4). Yields highlighted in yellow are not statistically different from the top ranked hybrid. For additional information contact your local county extension agent or: Dr. Ronnie Schnell ronschnell@tamu.edu

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Company	Brand	Hybrid	Trait(s)	Moisture %	Test Weight (lb/bu)	Yield (bu/acre)	
Monsanto	Dekalb	DKC 67-14	4 GEN VT2P	9.2	55.3	76.0	
Mycogen See	ds Mycog	en MY16M1	6 Powercore	9.1	<b>57.0</b>	75.0	
LG Seeds	LG	5701	GEN VT2P	9.3	56.0	71.1	
CPS Dyna-Gro	Dyna-C	Gro D57VC51	GEN VT2P	9.5	56.3	70.1	
Terral Seed	REV	25LPR26		9.5	57.3	58.7	
0.0		tion.	Mean	9.35	56.40	70.2	
	ronomic informa		C.V. (%)	3.000	1.000	5.5	
Plant Date		3/21/2018	L.S.D.		0.84	7.2	
Harvest Date		7/27/2018	Pr>F (hybrid)	0.452	0.004	0.004	
Irrigated		No					
Row Spacing	(in)	30	Cooperator:	Buddy Johnso	on		
Number of Ro	)WS	8	Agent: Floyd Ingram				
Seeds per Acr	e	25,500	Other Agronomic Info				
Nitrogen (lb N	l/ac)	26					
Phosphorus (I	b P2O5/ac)	6					
Potassium (lb	K2O/ac)	0	Model : yield = hybrid + blk. LSD provided when hybrid				
Precipitation	(inches)		significant at p	o < 0.05 (SAS 9.	4). Yields highligh	ited in yellow	
Soil Type				,	from the top ran ct your local cour	,	
Herbicde Insecticides	Roundup Power-M Atrazine 1 qt/A Laudis 3 oz/A	ax 1 qt/A	agent or: Dr. Ronnie Sch ronschnell@ta 979-845-2935	inell imu.edu	,		

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Company	Brand	Hybrid	Trait(s)	Moisture %	Test Weight (lb/bu)	Yield (bu/acre)
B-H Genetics	B-H Genetics	BH 8475	GEN SSX	12.3		88.8
Monsanto	Dekalb	DKC 67-14	GEN VT2P	12.5		68.8
Terral Seed	REV	25LPR26		12.5		66.3
LG Seeds	LG	5701	GEN VT2P	12.7		60.2
Mycogen Seeds	Mycogen	MY16M16	Powercore	12.6		57.5
CPS Dyna-Gro	Dyna-Gro	D57VC51	GEN VT2P	12.7		49.5
Agronomic information			Mean	12.54		65.2
			C.V. (%)	2.000		18.3
Plant Date	3/	13/2018	L.S.D.			21.6

Pr>F (hybrid)

Plant Date	3/13/2018		
Harvest Date	8/30/2018		
Irrigated	No		
Row Spacing (in	30		
Number of Rov	6		
Seeds per Acre	25,000		
Nitrogen (lb N/		120	
Phosphorus (lb		35	
Potassium (lb k		0	
Precipitation (i			
Soil Type			
Herbicde Insecticides			

**Cooperator:** Stiles Farm Foundation

0.471

Agent: Cooper Terril

Other Agronomic Info

0.034

Atrazine and S-Metolachlor pre-emerge Glyphosate post-emerge

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