

**Northern Uniform Winter Wheat Scab Nursery  
(NUWWSN)**

**Report on 2000-2001 Nursery**

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This report is a compilation and analysis of data from the cooperative assessment of resistance to Fusarium Head Blight (scab) (causal agent *Fusarium graminearum* (teleomorph: *Gibberella zeae* Schwabe.)) in winter wheat germplasm adapted to the northern regions of North America. Funding for the evaluation comes from the U.S. Wheat and Barely Scab Initiative, state and provincial agricultural experiment stations, USDA-ARS, and private companies.

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## MATERIALS AND METHODS

### Entries:

There were 45 lines and four checks in the 2001 trial (Table 1). The lines were from 15 breeding programs. Four entries were also in the 2000 NUWWSN (MO890525, MO981020, NY87047W-6048, NY87048W-7388). There were only 29 entries in the 2000 nursery, and 28 in the 1999 nursery.

### Tests:

The entries were successfully evaluated in 12 field tests (locations) and five greenhouse tests (Table 2). Data was obtained from 15 cooperators while seed was sent to 21 cooperators.

### Traits:

Data was collected on heading date, disease severity, disease incidence, disease index, kernel rating, percent scabby seed, and DON. These traits are described in Table 3. Data was not collected on all traits in all tests (Table 3). Some researchers collected additional data that are summarized and described in Table 15.

Cooperators in Kansas collected disease index at different times. We used the index data collected on May 29<sup>th</sup> as it provided a good differentiation between resistant and susceptible checks (Ernie, Freedom, P 2545) and had a relatively low CV. Cooperators in VA reported incidence on a 0-9 scale. This was converted to a 0-90% scale for analysis across tests and to calculate disease index.

### Data Analyses:

Most cooperators sent entry means (not raw data) with some summary statistics from their trials. These means are presented in the appropriate tables and no additional within test analyses were performed. The entry means from individual tests were used to calculate entry means over tests. ANOVAs (model: trait = entry test) were conducted for each trait and the entry x test mean square (residual or error in this model) was used as the error term to calculate a LSD for entry means over tests.  $R^2$  values in the tables indicate the proportion of total sum of squares accounted for by entry and test effects while  $1-R^2$  is the proportion of total sum of squares due to the entry x test interaction (ETI) effect. There was no test for significance for this interaction

Based on  $1-R^2$ , ETI appeared quite large for DON, disease index and severity from the field trials, so multivariate statistics (Yan et al., 2000 Crop Science 40:597-605) were used to analyze the interaction and group those tests that produced similar results for disease index, severity, and DON. Entry means were then calculated over the tests that produced similar rankings (Tables 9, 10, 13). A group of tests that produced similar rankings and results was called a megaenvironment.

Due to the completeness of the data sets, regular entry means over all tests (or tests within a megaenvironment) are presented for all traits except disease severity from the greenhouse trials. For this trait, data was missing for several entries (due to vernalization problems in the IL test) so least square estimate of entry means over the three trials were derived and are presented in Table 14.

There was considerable missing data from the Nebraska field trial so this data was omitted from all means and analyses. The entry means from the NE trial are presented in all appropriate tables.

Correlations were calculated between all traits using entry means averaged over all appropriate tests.

## RESULTS

### All traits

Entry was a significant source of variance for all traits. There was little ETI for heading date, disease incidence, disease severity from greenhouse tests, kernel rating, and % scabby seed as entry + test effects accounted for more than 72% of the treatment sum of squares. Thus, entry means over all tests are appropriate estimators of genetic value.

ETI seemed to be an important source of variation of disease severity from field trials, disease index, and DON. Each is discussed below.

### Disease severity from field trials

The ETI accounted for 46% of the treatment sum of squares for field disease severity. Multivariate analysis indicated that most of the ETI among the nine tests was due to differences between three groups of tests, called megaenvironments: (AR+IL+KY+MO+VA) versus (IN+OH+ONT) versus MI. Correlations among entry means from tests within the same megaenvironment were mostly greater than 0.5. The correlations between entry means from different megaenvironments were less than 0.36, with the lowest correlation between the MI and AR+IL+KY+MO+VA groups ( $r = 0.02$ ).

The ETI would appear to have little effect on selection for severity. Assuming selection of the six most resistant (or susceptible) entries, five entries would be selected for resistance in all three mega environments (25R18, MO980525, SD97060, NY87048W-7388, and Hondo (Figure 1). MO981020 would be selected for resistance in two megaenvironments, but not in MI and two lines (IL97-1828 and Harding) would be selected in only one megaenvironment each (Figure 1). Five entries (OH684, OH669, Patterson, P 2545, and MDV71-19) would be selected as susceptible in all three megaenvironments (Fig. 1).

### Disease index

The ETI pattern for index was strongly associated with the ETI pattern for severity. This is logical as index is a function of severity and incidence, and there was little ETI for incidence. ETI accounted for 53% of the treatment sum of squares for disease index. The tests were placed in three megaenvironments: (IL+KY+MO+VA) versus (KS+OH+ONT) versus MI. Tests that were in the same megaenvironment for severity were in the same megaenvironment for index and the MI site was an outlier again. Correlations among entry means from tests within the same megaenvironment were mostly greater than 0.55. The correlation between entry means from the IL+KY+MO+VA and KS+OH+ONT megaenvironments was high ( $r=0.78$ ), indicating that these two produce similar results (KY could really have been put in either set). The lowest correlation was between the MI and KS+OH+ONT group ( $r = 0.04$ ).

The ETI had a greater affect on selection for index than for severity. Assuming selection of the six most resistant (or susceptible) entries, only one entry, MO980525 would be selected for resistance using data from each of the three megaenvironments (Fig. 2). The lack of concordance between selections in the megaenvironments arises primarily from the results from MI as five entries would be selected as resistance in both KS+OH+ONT or IL+KY+MO+VA. Two entries (MDV71-19, OH669) would be considered susceptible using data from any megaenvironment (Figure 2). One entry (97463A1-17-1) would be selected for resistance using IL+KY+MO+VA data, but would be considered susceptible using MI data.

### DON

Entry x test interaction accounted for 35% of the treatment sum of squares for DON. The VA and OH locations gave similar results ( $r = 0.60$  between them) while the AR site gave different rankings from the other two sites ( $r = 0.38$  between AR and other two sites) (Table 13). Only one genotype ranked 5<sup>th</sup> or lower in AR was similarly ranked in VA or OH. P 2545 was ranked last (highest DON) in OH but ranked 1<sup>st</sup> (lowest DON) in AR.

## **Correlations among traits**

Correlations were calculated among entry means over appropriate tests for all traits including disease severity in the greenhouse (Table 15). Heading date was not highly correlated to any other trait, but was moderately correlated to DON ( $r = 0.42$ ). There was a high correlation among head traits (incidence, severity, index) from the field ( $r = 0.74$  to  $0.96$ ). These traits were moderately correlated to severity from the greenhouse ( $r = 0.43$  to  $0.59$ ). Kernel traits (kernel rating, % scabby seed, DON) were highly correlated to one another ( $r = 0.70$  to  $0.79$ ). Kernel rating and % scabby seed were highly correlated to the field head traits ( $r = 0.65$  to  $0.75$ ), while DON was only moderately correlated to the field head traits ( $r = 0.48$  to  $0.51$ ). All kernel traits were only moderately correlated to greenhouse severity ( $r = 0.27$  to  $0.43$ ).

## **Most resistant and susceptible entries**

Entries were rated for seven disease traits by comparing each entry mean to the best and worst entry mean for each of the seven traits (Tables 4, 5). Only two lines (MO980525, MO981020) were not significantly different from the most resistant entry for all seven traits. These entries also had low disease index and severity scores (Table 10, 11) in all three megaenvironments, indicating stable resistance. They were also the most resistant in the 2000 NUWWSN greenhouse tests and had low index scores in 2000 field tests.

Six entries appeared quite resistant based on six of seven traits, often having moderate severity in the greenhouse tests as their weakness. Five other entries appeared resistant based on five of seven traits, generally having moderate severity in greenhouse tests and moderate to high incidence as their weaknesses. NY97048W-7388 also had low severity (field and greenhouse) in 2000. The probable source of resistance for these lines is presented in Table 6.

Two entries (OH669, NY88005-6035) were not significantly different from the most susceptible lines for six of seven disease traits (Table 5). Six other entries were susceptible based on at least four of seven traits.

Table 1. Entries in the 2001 Northern Uniform Winter Wheat Scab Nursery

Entry	Name	Pedigree	Contributor
1	Patterson	Cultivar	Check
2	Freedom	Cultivar	Check
3	P2545	Cultivar	Check
4	Ernie	Cultivar	Check
5	Hondo	Cultivar	W. W. Bockus
6	KS96HW115	Arlin/KS89H130	W. W. Bockus
7	Heyne	Plainsman V/KS75216//SUM754308/3/Plainsman V/KS82W422	W. W. Bockus
8	MDV71-19	CK 983/GA-ANDY/VA 90-21-20	A.Cooper/J. Costa
9	MO980525	MO 11769/Madison	Anne McKendry
10	MO960827	MO 10501/IL 85-3132	Anne McKendry
11	MO981020	MO 11769/Madison	Anne McKendry
12	MO980429	MO 10136/Ernie	Anne McKendry
13	IL96-3514	IL90-7675 / L880437	Fred Kolb
14	IL96-6472	IL90-11637 / L889437	Fred Kolb
15	IL97-1828	P8138I1-16-2-1-1-3-3 / IL90-4813	Fred Kolb
16	IL97-4228	IL90-6364 // Y88-3a / IL85 -3132 - 1	Fred Kolb
17	IL97-6268	IL87-2834-1 / IL84-4046 // IL90-6364	Fred Kolb
18	Roane	71-54-147/CK68-15//IN65309C1-18-2-3-3	Carl Griffey
19	VA96-54-326	SC861562/COCKER9803	Carl Griffey
20	VA98W-591	92-51-39(IN71761A4-31-5-48//71-54-247/MCN1813/AL870365(CK747*2/AMIGO)	Carl Griffey
21	VA98W-593	92-51-39(IN71761A4-31-5-48//71-54-247/MCN1813/AL870365(CK747*2/AMIGO)	Carl Griffey
22	VA99W-553	(SHI4/CHIL"S")/3/92-51-39//FFR555W/RCT/4/CK9803	Carl Griffey
23	VA99W-562	(CHILL "S"/YMI6)PION2548//PION2684	Carl Griffey
24	VA99W-567	(CHILL "S"/YMI6)PION2548//PION2684	Carl Griffey
25	25R18	WBG0195E2/2510//2510	Bill Laskar
26	OH669	BLUEBOY2/CLARK//HOWELL/OH416	Pat Lipps/C Sneller
27	OH684	OH470/OH449	Pat Lipps/C Sneller
28	OH699	OH470/OH449	Pat Lipps/C Sneller
29	NY87048W-7388	84074(Ho/Su Mei)/Harus	Mark Sorrells
30	NY87047W-6048	84074(Ho/Su Mei)/Houser	Mark Sorrells
31	NY89052SP-9232	881199 (Geneva/84004/6-1MR)/Geneva	Mark Sorrells
32	NY88024-117	Houser/Kleibr//White 3 way cross Composite	Mark Sorrells
33	NY88005-6035	NY6432-18/ Geneva bulk	Mark Sorrells
34	NY89103-9149	W7163/88038	Mark Sorrells
35	961331A46-1-6	9017/INW9811/3/FREEDOM//INW9824/4/9218	Herb Ohm
36	9793A1-5	INW9853/INW9811//ERNIE	Herb Ohm
37	97397B1-4-5	Fdm//Cik*4/N7840/3/Gfd/Cik*4/N7840	Herb Ohm
38	97398C1-5-3	Fdm//Cik*4/N7840/3/Gfd/Cik*4/N7840	Herb Ohm
39	97417A1-3-4	INW9811//Cik*4/N7840/3/Fdm//Cik*4/N7840	Herb Ohm
40	97463A1-17-1	INW9812/Gld//Cik*4/N7840	Herb Ohm
41	GA901146 E 15	831127-3 // 821264 * 3 / 79102 (Blueboy/Amigo)	Jerry Johnson
42	KY92C-491-18-1	C762/GA 74-19//84C-048-1-1	D. Van Sanford
43	KY92C-432-62	84C-048-1-1/84C-051-6-1	D. Van Sanford
44	KY91C-170-3	NASW85-5626/2555//2548	D. Van Sanford
45	KY91C-170-4-1	NASW85-5626/2555//2548	D. Van Sanford
46	Harding	Brule//Bennett/Chisholm/3/Arapahoe	Amir Ibrahim
47	SD97060	ND8889/NE90574	Amir Ibrahim
48	D6234	F12.71/2*/Frankenmuth//C5107	R. Ward
49	D8006	Pioneer brand 2555/Lowell	R. Ward

Table 2. Testing information

Field: OH	Wooster, OH	The Ohio State University	Pat Lipps, Clay Sneller
	Reps: 3	Plot Size: 1 rowsx5'	Seed date: 10/10/00 Harv. date: 6/20/01
	Fertilizer: 300 lbs 6-24-24 in fall, 60 lbs N as Ammonium nitrate in March		
	Inoculation: Infected corn kernels spread 2 wks prior to anthesis		
	Precipitation during grain fill: Mist sprinkler (6-9:30 AM and 9-10:30 PM); 37.9 mm rain		
Field: AR	Fayetteville, AR	University of Arkansas	Gene Miilus , Peter Rohman, Chris Weight
	Reps: 3	Plot Size: 1 rowsx5'	Seed date: 10/19/00 Harv. date: 6/18/01
	Fertilizer: 80 lbs N as Ammonium nitrate split application		
	Inoculation: Infected corn Kernels applied 3 times		
	Precipitation during grain fill: Mist sprinkler (8 times 11 minutes each between midnight and 8 AM)		
	Date/Feekes growth stage when scored: 5/23/2001		
Field: IL	Urbana, IL	University of Illinois	Fred Kolb, Larry Boze
	Reps: 3	Plot Size: 1 rowsx3'	Seed date: 10/2/00 Harv. date: 7/2/01
	Fertilizer: 40 lbs N pre plant		
	Inoculation: Wheat kernels cultured with a mixture of isolates applied 3 times		
	Precipitation during grain fill: Mist sprinkler .25 inch/ day		
	Notes: symptoms occurred late in development: Severity lower than normal		
Field: IN	Lafayette, IN	Purdue University	Herb Ohm
	Reps: 2	Plot Size: 4' x 3'	Seed date: 9/27/00 Harv. date:
	Fertilizer: 30 N Fall + 80N-80P-0K in the spring		
	Inoculation: Spore suspension in 1 floret at flowering		
	Precipitation during grain fill: Mist sprinkler		
	Date/Feekes growth stage when scored: 3 weeks after inoculation		
	Notes: Date of inoculation 2-3 days after heading		
Field: KS	Manhattan, KS	Kansas State University	W. Bockus, M. A Davis, R. Bowden
	Reps: 4	Plot Size: 1 rowsx7'	Seed date: 10/4/00 Harv. date: 7/2/2001
	Inoculation: infested corn kernels		
	Precipitation during grain fill: Mist sprinkler 3min/ hour 9:0		
	Date/Feekes growth stage when scored: May 21, 23, 25, 29, June 1, 7		
Field: KY	Lexington, KY	University of Kentucky	D. VanSanford, M.Hall, B. Kennedy
	Reps: 4	Plot Size: 2 4' rows	Seed date: 10/17/00 Harv. date: 7/5/01
	Fertilizer: 110 lbs N split, P+K to soil test		
	Inoculation: Scabby corn + macroconidial spray at flowering		
	Precipitation during grain fill: Mist sprinkler		
	Date/Feekes growth stage when scored: 10.5 + 21 d		
	Notes: Avg. temp during grain fill = 66 F		
Field: MI	Mason, Michigan	Michigan State University	Rick Ward
	Reps: 1	Plot Size: 1 rows x 10'	Seed date: 1 Harv. date:
	Inoculation: Corn inoculum spread		
	Precipitation during grain fill: Mist sprinkler ( 15 seconds every half and hour)		
Field: MO		University of Missouri	A. McKendry
Field: NE	Mead, Nebraska	University of Nebraska	S. Baenziger, J. Watkins, J. Schimelfenig
	Reps: 1	Plot Size: 1 rows x 10'	Seed date: 10/2/2000 Harv. date: 7/19/2001
	Inoculation: Corn kernels applied 4 times ( 5/22, 6/4, 6/11, 6/18)		
	Average temperature during grain fill: C 85-95		
	Date/Feekes growth stage when scored: 6/29/2001		

Table 2. Testing information (continued)

Field: NY	New York	Cornell University	M. E. Sorrells, G. C. Bergstrom
	Reps: 6	Plot Size: 1rowx3'	Seed date: 1 Harv. date:
	Inoculation: Infected corn kernels		
	Precipitation during grain fill: Mist sprinkler at dusk		
Field: ONT	Ridgetown, Ont	Univ. of Guelph	L. Tamburic-Ilincic, A. Schaafsma, A. Smid
	Reps: 4	Plot Size:	Seed date: 1 Harv. date:
	Inoculation: Suspension of macroconidia at flowering stage		
	Precipitation during grain fill: Mist sprinkler		
Field: VA	Blacksburg, VA	Virginia Tech	C. Griffey, J. Chen, D. Nabati, J. Wison
	Reps: 3	Plot Size: 4' x 5'	Seed date: 10/3/00 Harv. date: 7/7/01
	Fertilizer: 25-100-120 before planting, 75-0-0 in April 01		
	Inoculation: Conidial suspension sprayed on plots		
	Precipitation during grain fill: 10.88 inches rain,		
	Average temperature during grain fill: C 15.93		
	Date/Feekes growth stage when scored: 10.5		
GH: IN		Purdue University	G. Shaner
GH: KY	Lexington, KY	University of Kentucky	D. VanSanford, M.Hall, B. Kennedy
GH: MI	East Lansing, MI	Michigan State University	R. Ward
	Inoculation: Point inoculation on ten to twenty wheat heads		
GH: IL	Urbana, IL	University of Illinois	Fred Kolb and Larry Boze
	Inoculation: Needle inoculation		
	Notes: Some entries did not vernalize.		
GH: AR	Fayetteville/AR	University of Arkansas	Gene Milus , Peter Rohman, Chris Weight



Table 3. Description of traits

Code	Trait	Description	Test where data was collected
HD	Heading date	Days from Jan 1 <sup>st</sup> when 50% of heads have emerged	IL, IN, KS, KY, MI, OH, VA
SEV	Disease severity from field tests	% of infected spikelets in an infected head. Generally visually rated according to Stack & McMullen, 'A Visual scale to estimate severity of Fusarium Head Blight in Wheat', NDES. PP-1095	AR, IL, IN, KY, MI, MO, NE <sup>†</sup> , OH, ONT, VA
INC	Disease incidence	% of heads with at least one infected spikelets	IL, KY, MI, MO, NE <sup>†</sup> , NY, OH, ONT, VA
IND	Disease index	IND = (SEVxINC)/100	IL, KS, KY, MI, MO, NE <sup>†</sup> , OH, ONT, VA
KR	Kernel rating	A visual assessment of the percent infected kernels	AR, IL, KS, NE <sup>†</sup> , OH
%SS	Percent scabby seed	Percent of scabby seed by weight	KY, NE <sup>†</sup> , OH, VA
DON	DON (vomitoxin)	PPM of vomitoxin in grain sample as assayed by Part Hart, Michigan State University	AR, OH, VA
SEV-GH	Disease severity from greenhouse tests	Same as SEV except using greenhouse data	AR, IL, IN, KY, MI

<sup>†</sup> NE data was not used to calculate entry means over tests due to missing values, but the data is presented in the tables for individual traits.

Table 4. Entry means for 2001 NUWWSN (see Table 3 for information on traits and tests). Each entry was compared to the lowest (l) and highest (h) means in each column using LSD<sub>(0.05)</sub>. “# low scores” is the number of disease traits for which an entry received a low score, “# high scores” is the times it received a high score.

	Trait:	HD	SEV	INC	IND	KR	%SS	DON	SEV-GH			
	# of test:	6	9	8	8	4	3	3	5	# low	# High	
	Units:	Days	%	%	%	0-100	%	PPM	%	scores	scores	
1	Patterson	134	l	38.4 h	61.6 h	34.1 h	31.0 l	14.7 l	6.9 l	52.4	3	3
2	Freedom	138		21.4	62.8 h	21.8	50.1	17.5 l	12.6 l	30.5	2	1
3	P2545	136		39.8 h	71.4 h	40.7 h	66.5 h	26.8 h	16.2 l	55.8	1	5
4	Ernie	134	l	20.1 l	51.4	19.4	29.9 l	16.9 l	7.9 l	28.7	4	0
5	Hondo	140		16.7 l	48.4 l	13.0 l	33.1 l	17.8 l	4.9 l	35.6	6	0
6	KS96HW115	135		22.5	61.5 h	24.1	38.6	19.1 lh	14.6 l	65.5	2	2
7	Heyne	138		18.0 l	57.7 h	14.9 l	24.6 l	13.0 l	15.1 l	31.0	5	1
8	MDV71-19	137		38.4 h	72.4 h	42.4 h	60.6 h	23.9 h	9.7 l	60.0	1	5
9	MO980525	141		11.8 l	34.6 l	7.5 l	23.0 l	5.4 l	5.3 l	14.3 l	7	0
10	MO960827	135		30.7	68.5 h	30.5	55.9	28.7 h	14.6 l	36.1	1	2
11	MO981020	137		13.6 l	41.3 l	9.5 l	27.3 l	11.8 l	5.8 l	16.8 l	7	0
12	MO980429	135		22.3	49.9	19.9	33.7 l	14.4 l	6.3 l	37.8	3	0
13	IL96-3514	136		23.1	52.1	21.2	27.4 l	15.5 l	3.2 l	36.9	3	0
14	IL96-6472	133	l	20.9 l	48.2 l	17.3 l	20.6 l	10.2 l	8.4 l	40.6	6	0
15	IL97-1828	135		17.6 l	45.8 l	14.2 l	19.8 l	11.8 l	4.6 l	46.0	6	0
16	IL97-4228	134	l	22.8	45.4 l	19.5	29.8 l	12.5 l	4.2 l	48.9	4	0
17	IL97-6268	137		19.7 l	47.1 l	15.8 l	32.6 l	11.6 l	5.6 l	33.6	6	0
18	Roane	136		20.0 l	60.3 h	19.9	32.0 l	16.3 l	5.4 l	27.3	4	1
19	VA96-54-326	136		22.8	54.1	21.0	49.0	12.5 l	7.3 l	94.1 h	2	1
20	VA98W-591	137		20.4 l	56.4	16.6 l	34.5 l	9.7 l	7.4 l	47.1	5	0
21	VA98W-593	136		27.4	59.8 h	21.6	36.3 l	7.2 l	5.3 l	58.8	3	1
22	VA99W-553	134	l	23.8	59.2 h	23.8	40.3	19.9 lh	10.4 l	61.1	2	2
23	VA99W-562	137		26.0	60.7 h	25.9	50.3	19.1 lh	11.1 l	54.7	2	2
24	VA99W-567	138		19.9 l	59.4 h	19.4	50.8	31.1 h	19.5 h	63.7	1	3
25	25R18	139		13.2 l	59.4 h	13.2 l	48.8	14.3 l	16.3 l	9.3 l	5	1
26	OH669	137		42.2 h	64.6 h	37.6 h	53.8	27.0 h	21.3 h	92.2 h	0	6
27	OH684	137		36.0 h	61.5 h	27.9	50.5	25.8 h	13.5 l	76.2 h	1	4
28	OH699	138		26.0	62.9 h	21.2	50.3	21.9 h	9.9 l	63.9	1	2
29	NY87048W-7388	142		17.0 l	50.3	11.9 l	24.0 l	9.0 l	8.4 l	23.6	5	0
30	NY87047W-6048	142		31.1	64.6 h	28.6	77.5 h	30.5 h	32.2 h	39.8	0	4
31	NY89052SP-9232	143	h	27.4	61.1 h	24.6	38.1	25.0 h	14.8 l	55.8	1	2
32	NY88024-117	142		29.1	61.6 h	27.8	49.7	18.6 lh	19.5 h	46.8	1	3
33	NY88005-6035	143	h	36.1 h	61.7 h	32.3 h	70.3 h	33.0 h	29.5 h	53.2	0	6
34	NY89103-9149	144	h	24.8	59.7 h	22.0	62.3 h	28.8 h	22.6 h	35.0	0	4
35	961331A46-1-6	139		29.9	61.7 h	28.4	57.2	27.2 h	15.0 l	38.4	1	2
36	9793A1-5	134	l	17.8 l	47.3 l	14.2 l	24.2 l	14.9 l	5.4 l	33.6	6	0
37	97397B1-4-5	135		18.4 l	55.4	18.6	28.9 l	11.2 l	6.8 l	23.7	4	0
38	97398C1-5-3	138		21.9	66.9 h	22.3	45.5	20.1 lh	8.5 l	34.9	2	2
39	97417A1-3-4	136		18.7 l	52.1	15.9 l	30.8 l	11.6 l	4.5 l	47.9	5	0
40	97463A1-17-1	133	l	22.3	50.7	19.0	21.0 l	19.0 lh	9.9 l	25.0	3	1
41	GA901146 E 15	134	l	33.8 h	68.2 h	35.6 h	56.9	23.8 h	10.9 l	69.8	1	4
42	KY92C-491-18-1	136		27.6	61.7 h	28.8	47.8	18.1 lh	8.5 l	66.1	2	2
43	KY92C-432-62	137		26.2	66.6 h	27.9	46.5	27.5 h	8.5 l	37.3	1	2
44	KY91C-170-3	136		28.9	65.3 h	28.8	51.7	23.0 h	18.1 h	64.9	0	3
45	KY91C-170-4-1	137		26.5	55.2	26.2	44.8	22.2 h	21.7 h	70.0	0	2
46	Harding	143	h	17.9 l	50.6	13.3 l	41.5	19.1 lh	11.4 l	47.0	4	1
47	SD97060	144	h	14.7 l	45.5 l	10.5 l	35.8 l	9.2 l	9.5 l	35.5	6	0
48	D6234	139		25.3	66.8 h	24.6	41.3	11.9 l	15.2 l	43.7	2	1
49	D8006	136		32.5	65.4 h	31.1	59.3	21.4 h	26.9 h	61.2	0	3
	Average	138		24.6	57.5	22.6	42.0	18.4	11.9	46.3		
	LSD (0.05)	1.9		9.3	15.0	10.5	17.1	15.0	14.2	18.9		

† Indicates a mean that is not different from the lowest (l) or highest (h) mean in the column based on LSD<sub>(0.05)</sub>

Table 5. Entry means for the most resistant and susceptible entries in the 2001 NUWWSN

	Trait:	HD	SEV	INC	IND	KR	%SS	DON	SEV-GH		
	# of test:	6	9	8	8	4	3	3	5	# low	# High
	Units:	Days	%	%	%	0-100	%	PPM	%	scores	scores
9	MO980525	141	11.8 l	34.6 l	7.5 l	23.0 l	5.4 l	5.3 l	14.3 l	7	0
11	MO981020	137	13.6 l	41.3 l	9.5 l	27.3 l	11.8 l	5.8 l	16.8 l	7	0
5	Hondo	140	16.7 l	48.4 l	13.0 l	33.1 l	17.8 l	4.9 l	35.6	6	0
14	IL96-6472	133	20.9 l	48.2 l	17.3 l	20.6 l	10.2 l	8.4 l	40.6	6	0
15	IL97-1828	135	17.6 l	45.8 l	14.2 l	19.8 l	11.8 l	4.6 l	46.0	6	0
17	IL97-6268	137	19.7 l	47.1 l	15.8 l	32.6 l	11.6 l	5.6 l	33.6	6	0
36	9793A1-5	134	17.8 l	47.3 l	14.2 l	24.2 l	14.9 l	5.4 l	33.6	6	0
47	SD97060	144	14.7 l	45.5 l	10.5 l	35.8 l	9.2 l	9.5 l	35.5	6	0
20	VA98W-591	137	20.4 l	56.4	16.6 l	34.5 l	9.7 l	7.4 l	47.1	5	0
29	NY87048W-7388	142	17.0 l	50.3	11.9 l	24.0 l	9.0 l	8.4 l	23.6	5	0
39	97417A1-3-4	136	18.7 l	52.1	15.9 l	30.8 l	11.6 l	4.5 l	47.9	5	0
7	Heyne	138	18.0 l	57.7 h	14.9 l	24.6 l	13.0 l	15.1 l	31.0	5	1
25	25R18	139	13.2 l	59.4 h	13.2 l	48.8	14.3 l	16.3 l	9.3 l	5	1
41	GA901146 E 15	134	33.8 h	68.2 h	35.6 h	56.9	23.8 h	10.9 l	69.8	1	4
30	NY87047W-6048	142	31.1	64.6 h	28.6	77.5 h	30.5 h	32.2 h	39.8	0	4
34	NY89103-9149	144	24.8	59.7 h	22.0	62.3 h	28.8 h	22.6 h	35.0	0	4
27	OH684	137	36.0 h	61.5 h	27.9	50.5	25.8 h	13.5 l	76.2 h	1	4
8	MDV71-19	137	38.4 h	72.4 h	42.4 h	60.6 h	23.9 h	9.7 l	60.0	1	5
3	P2545	136	39.8 h	71.4 h	40.7 h	66.5 h	26.8 h	16.2 l	55.8	1	5
33	NY88005-6035	143	36.1 h	61.7 h	32.3 h	70.3 h	33.0 h	29.5 h	53.2	0	6
26	OH669	137	42.2 h	64.6 h	37.6 h	53.8	27.0 h	21.3 h	92.2 h	0	6
	Average	138	24.6	57.5	22.6	42.0	18.4	11.9	46.3		
	CV (%)	1.2	41.0	26.5	47.7	29.2	50.4	73.8	32.7		
	LSD (0.05)	1.9	9.3	15.0	10.5	17.1	15.0	14.2	18.9		
	R2	0.98	0.54	0.85	0.47	0.72	0.84	0.65	0.77		

† Indicates a mean that is not different from the lowest (l) or highest (h) mean in the corresponding column in Table 5 based on LSD<sub>(0.05)</sub>

Table 6. Possible sources of resistance for the most resistant entries in Table 5.

NAME	Possible sources of resistance
97397B1-4-5	Freedom, Ning7840, and/or from the moderate resistant cultivar Goldfield
9793A1-5	Ernie, INW9853
Hondo	Not known
IL97-1828	Not known
IL97-6268	Not known
IL96-6742	Not known
MO980525	MO 11769, which is not a descendent of Ernie, Sumai 3, or Ning 7840
MO981020	MO 11769, which is not a descendent of Ernie, Sumai 3, or Ning 7840
NY87048W-7388	Su Mei, and/or from the moderate resistant cultivars Howser and Harus

Table 7. Heading date (julian days) for entries in 2001 NUWWSN

	NAME	ALL	IL	KS	KY	MI	OH	VA	
1	Patterson	134	l <sup>†</sup>	129	128	126	149	142	129
2	Freedom	138		132	131	130	159	148	130
3	P2545	136		131	130	128	156	143	131
4	Ernie	134	l	129	129	126	151	142	129
5	Hondo	140		135	132	136	159	147	131
6	KS96HW115	135		130	129	125	155	143	129
7	Heyne	138		133	131	131	157	146	131
8	MDV71-19	137		132	130	126	158	144	130
9	MO980525	141		137	134	134	161	150	133
10	MO960827	135		130	129	127	151	143	130
11	MO981020	137		131	130	129	159	144	131
12	MO980429	135		129	129	125	155	143	129
13	IL96-3514	136		131	130	127	155	144	130
14	IL96-6472	133	l	127	127	125	155	141	126
15	IL97-1828	135		130	129	127	151	143	130
16	IL97-4228	134	l	129	129	125	155	141	128
17	IL97-6268	137		131	130	127	159	144	130
18	Roane	136		131	130	127	157	145	130
19	VA96-54-326	136		130	130	125	162	142	128
20	VA98W-591	137		132	130	128	159	143	130
21	VA98W-593	136		132	131	127	158	143	129
22	VA99W-553	134	l	127	128	124	159	142	126
23	VA99W-562	137		132	130	127	162	144	129
24	VA99W-567	138		131	130	127	162	146	129
25	25R18	139		134	130	129	162	146	132
26	OH669	137		131	130	128	159	145	131
27	OH684	137		131	129	128	157	144	131
28	OH699	138		133	130	131	159	146	131
29	NY87048W-7388	142		137	134	136	164	150	133
30	NY87047W-6048	142		138	134	138	162	150	133
31	NY89052SP-9232	143	h	137	135	137	163	150	136
32	NY88024-117	142		137	135	137	162	148	131
33	NY88005-6035	143	h	138	138	137	162	152	131
34	NY89103-9149	144	h	140	138	139	162	150	138
35	961331A46-1-6	139		136	133	131	161	145	131
36	9793A1-5	134	l	127	129	125	155	142	127
37	97397B1-4-5	135		129	129	125	155	142	130
38	97398C1-5-3	138		133	132	128	159	146	132
39	97417A1-3-4	136		129	130	126	159	143	130
40	97463A1-17-1	133	l	127	128	124	151	142	128
41	GA901146 E 15	134	l	128	127	125	152	142	129
42	KY92C-491-18-1	136		130	129	126	155	144	129
43	KY92C-432-62	137		131	130	130	159	144	130
44	KY91C-170-3	136		130	130	128	157	143	129
45	KY91C-170-4-1	137		131	130	126	162	145	129
46	Harding	143	h	138	136	136	162	150	133
47	SD97060	144	h	140	135	138	164	151	135
48	D6234	139		133	131	128	163	147	132
49	D8006	136		131	130	126	155	145	130
	Average	138		132	131	129	158	145	130
	CV (%)	1.2		0.6	7.1	0.8	2.4		1.1
	LSD (0.05)	1.86		1.2	1.1	1.52		0.7	2.0
	R2	0.98							

<sup>†</sup> Indicates a mean that is not different from the lowest (l) or highest (h) mean in the column based on LSD<sub>(0.05)</sub>

Table 8. Disease incidence (% heads with infected spikelets) for entries in 2001 NUWWSN

	NAME	ALL but NE		IL	KY	MI	MO	NY	OH	ONT	VA	NE
1	Patterson	61.6	h <sup>†</sup>	45.8	95.7	90	97	6.2	81.7	29.8	47	75
2	Freedom	62.8	h	94.0	94.7	90	97	2.3	85.0	3.8	36	75
3	P2545	71.4	h	95.5	98.7	80	100	8.8	96.7	14.5	77	75
4	Ernie	51.4		10.0	97.1	80	90	2.0	91.7	11.8	29	75
5	Hondo	48.4	l	78.0	70.2	50	93	3.5	41.7	2.2	49	75
6	KS96HW115	61.5	h	87.8	99.5	90	93	1.6	76.7	2.5	41	75
7	Heyne	57.7	h	83.5	97.0	70	97	1.7	78.3	1.4	33	75
8	MDV71-19	72.4	h	97.3	100.0	90	100	10.2	90.0	17.8	74	75
9	MO980525	34.6	l	22.3	69.4	30	97	3.1	28.3	2.1	25	75
10	MO960827	68.5	h	91.0	99.5	70	100	5.9	86.7	21.9	73	75
11	MO981020	41.3	l	15.3	91.7	30	77	0.8	70.0	7.6	38	75
12	MO980429	49.9		15.5	100.0	60	83	5.1	95.0	16.5	24	75
13	IL96-3514	52.1		25.7	100.0	80	83	0.9	96.7	11.4	19	75
14	IL96-6472	48.2	l	8.8	81.7	80	67	2.3	85.0	17.6	43	75
15	IL97-1828	45.8	l	9.8	77.5	80	80	5.9	81.7	8.6	23	75
16	IL97-4228	45.4	l	13.3	79.3	70	70	1.6	93.3	14.8	21	75
17	IL97-6268	47.1	l	21.8	73.0	50	83	1.9	91.7	18.1	37	75
18	Roane	60.3	h	90.0	100.0	70	97	2.2	88.3	15.0	20	75
19	VA96-54-326	54.1		79.3	100.0	50	90	4.0	75.0	12.8	22	75
20	VA98W-591	56.4		75.0	89.0	60	80	1.2	91.7	9.0	45	75
21	VA98W-593	59.8	h	94.3	91.6	70	83	1.7	95.0	12.0	31	75
22	VA99W-553	59.2	h	58.8	95.8	70	97	13.4	95.0	14.9	29	
23	VA99W-562	60.7	h	96.3	100.0	70	100	1.0	80.0	7.0	31	75
24	VA99W-567	59.4	h	75.0	100.0	80	87	1.4	91.7	6.8	33	75
25	25R18	59.4	h	86.8	95.8	60	90	0.5	91.7	3.3	47	75
26	OH669	64.6	h	84.5	91.4	80	87	2.5	91.7	15.0	65	75
27	OH684	61.5	h	87.5	84.6	80	87	2.9	73.3	22.0	55	75
28	OH699	62.9	h	79.0	97.2	70	83	2.2	88.3	8.9	75	75
29	NY87048W-7388	50.3		90.3	72.7	20	100	1.8	63.3	1.3	53	0
30	NY87047W-6048	64.6	h	98.0	86.5	80	100	4.9	86.7	5.6	55	75
31	NY89052SP-9232	61.1	h	96.5	74.7	90	100	1.4	60.0	3.5	63	75
32	NY88024-117	61.6	h	98.0	87.7	60	97	2.2	81.7	1.9	64	20
33	NY88005-6035	61.7	h	99.5	90.3	80	100	3.1	68.3	4.2	48	75
34	NY89103-9149	59.7	h	97.0	78.5	80	100	1.7	48.3	4.9	67	75
35	961331A46-1-6	61.7	h	91.3	90.1	40	100	6.6	80.0	18.6	67	75
36	9793A1-5	47.3	l	26.3	92.2	40	83	2.7	83.3	11.9	39	75
37	97397B1-4-5	55.4		20.5	99.3	90	97	2.1	91.7	7.0	36	
38	97398C1-5-3	66.9	h	91.8	100.0	90	97	2.6	81.7	7.9	64	
39	97417A1-3-4	52.1		47.5	99.2	60	90	4.5	66.7	8.9	40	
40	97463A1-17-1	50.7		10.0	95.6	80	90	4.3	81.7	18.4	26	
41	GA901146 E 15	68.2	h	92.0	94.3	60	93	18.9	98.3	22.3	67	75
42	KY92C-491-18-1	61.7	h	85.3	100.0	70	93	1.9	91.7	11.6	40	75
43	KY92C-432-62	66.6	h	96.8	97.6	70	100	5.5	95.0	14.7	53	75
44	KY91C-170-3	65.3	h	92.5	97.8	70	93	5.0	90.0	14.9	59	75
45	KY91C-170-4-1	55.2		93.0	92.6	30	93	3.8	81.7	13.9	34	75
46	Harding	50.6		81.8	86.2	60	90	0.8	36.7	0.2	49	75
47	SD97060	45.5	l	65.0	59.3	60	93	1.4	41.7	0.3	43	75
48	D6234	66.8	h	93.5	97.5	80	93	2.3	80.0	4.9	83	75
49	D8006	65.4	h	89.0	96.9	80	90	6.6	86.7	10.4	64	75
	Average	57.5		68.9	91.0	68.2	91.4	3.7	80.1	10.5	46.0	72
	CV (%)	26.5		12.7	12.2	26.1	32			33.4	39.1	
	LSD (0.05)	15.0		12.1	15.5		14		28.3		24.4	
	R2	0.85										

<sup>†</sup> Indicates a mean that is not different from the lowest (l) or highest (h) mean in the column based on LSD<sub>(0.05)</sub>

Table 9. Field disease severity (% infected spikelets) for entries in 2001 NUWWSN

NAME ALL			IN+OH	IN	ON	OH	AR+IL+KY	AR	IL	KY	MO	VA	MI	NE	
			+ONT				+MO+VA								
1	Patterson	38.4 h	40.1 h <sup>†</sup>	41	35.0	44.4	33.6	7	43.8	39.0	43	35	57.1	80	
2	Freedom	21.4	13.4 l	11	7.3	22.0	23.4	8	23.3	34.6	32	19	35.7	20	
3	P2545	39.8 h	40.4 h	44	20.2	56.9	39.4	h	15	55.0	42.0	42	40.0	30,100	
4	Ernie	20.1 l	19.6 l	10	18.7	30.1	12.9	l	5	8.5	16.1	16	57.1	100	
5	Hondo	16.7 l	9.3 l	16	4.8	7.2	21.3	7	15.8	21.8	35	27	15.4	30	
6	KS96HW115	22.5	17.1 l	16	4.1	31.2	18.5	l	5	25.0	18.6	21	58.3	100	
7	Heyne	18.0 l	16.4 l	29	3.3	17.0	16.9	l	7	19.3	17.2	22	28.6	20,100	
8	MDV71-19	38.4 h	30.3	18	24.4	48.5	43.3	h	22	66.3	44.0	44	38.5	70	
9	MO980525	11.8 l	7.4 l	12	6.9	3.4	14.1	l	7	12.5	17.9	19	13.3	80	
10	MO960827	30.7	25.9	22	26.5	29.1	31.7	13	36.8	34.6	38	36	40.0	80	
11	MO981020	13.6 l	10.4 l	9	13.1	9.2	14.3	l	5	10.3	13.2	14	20.0	80	
12	MO980429	22.3	23.7	10	21.9	39.3	16.6	l	5	10.5	23.4	25	46.7	100	
13	IL96-3514	23.1	24.7	14	14.9	45.1	16.1	l	7	13.8	25.9	21	53.3	100	
14	IL96-6472	20.9 l	24.3	20	23.3	29.6	12.5	l	3	7.5	13.8	14	53.3	100	
15	IL97-1828	17.6 l	16.0 l	10	13.6	24.3	12.0	l	7	9.0	12.2	11	50.0	100	
16	IL97-4228	22.8	29.7	26	18.9	44.1	15.2	l	5	8.3	24.7	14	40.0	100	
17	IL97-6268	19.7 l	23.3	17	22.8	30.2	14.4	l	5	16.0	21.0	16	35.7	100	
18	Roane	20.0 l	19.2 l	18	19.4	20.2	20.2	l	5	19.5	33.3	31	21.4	70	
19	VA96-54-326	22.8	24.2	28	16.7	28.0	23.5	8	24.3	30.2	34	21	15.4	80	
20	VA98W-591	20.4 l	22.8	32	12.6	23.9	20.0	l	10	19.3	23.6	19	15.4	70	
21	VA98W-593	27.4	41.5 h	61	16.9	46.5	21.4	7	21.3	25.5	28	25	15.4	80	
22	VA99W-553	23.8	29.1	18	27.1	42.2	20.8	l	5	21.3	28.7	30	23.1		
23	VA99W-562	26.0	26.5	30	10.3	39.2	27.1	7	35.8	28.7	38	26	18.8	60	
24	VA99W-567	19.9 l	27.2	29	11.7	41.0	17.1	l	5	23.8	17.9	17	11.8	80	
25	25R18	13.2 l	12.1 l	7	7.1	22.2	13.8	l	5	10.8	17.1	12	13.3	80	
26	OH669	42.2 h	47.6 h	56	19.2	67.7	38.1	h	10	62.5	47.8	27	46.2	70	
27	OH684	36.0 h	43.2 h	63	27.9	38.8	31.2	15	48.8	36.1	24	32	38.5	80	
28	OH699	26.0	23.0	28	14.9	26.1	27.3	15	32.5	22.1	19	48	28.6	90	
29	NY87048W-7388	17.0 l	11.6 l	23	3.0	8.8	20.7	l	10	22.3	11.4	28	14.3	0	
30	NY87047W-6048	31.1	25.2	21	9.1	45.5	32.8	15	50.0	27.0	35	37	40.0	20,80	
31	NY89052SP-9232	27.4	14.0 l	19	7.4	15.6	35.1	15	52.5	29.8	42	36	29.4	20	
32	NY88024-117	29.1	16.6 l	15	4.0	30.9	38.9	h	15	62.5	39.0	38	17.6	0,60	
33	NY88005-6035	36.1 h	14.1 l	13	7.2	22.2	45.9	h	25	72.5	47.9	48	53.3	20	
34	NY89103-9149	24.8	12.9 l	22	9.5	7.3	31.9	15	52.5	24.1	33	35	25.0	20	
35	961331A46-1-6	29.9	23.8	16	26.6	28.7	36.1	15	41.3	36.3	47	41	17.6	30,80	
36	9793A1-5	17.8 l	22.9	20	15.8	33.0	15.2	l	5	11.0	14.9	18	15.4	40 ?	
37	97397B1-4-5	18.4 l	13.3 l	6	10.1	23.8	19.8	l	5	14.8	21.3	32	26.7		
38	97398C1-5-3	21.9	20.5 l	13	10.2	38.4	21.7	5	23.5	27.2	16	37	26.7		
39	97417A1-3-4	18.7 l	15.3 l	20	13.4	12.5	16.5	l	5	14.3	19.0	24	40.0		
40	97463A1-17-1	22.3	25.1	28	22.3	25.1	11.6	l	5	9.8	14.4	14	66.7		
41	GA901146 E 15	33.8 h	41.0 h	46	27.7	49.2	32.0	10	55.0	36.0	24	35	21.4	20,60	
42	KY92C-491-18-1	27.6	27.1	17	15.3	49.1	24.8	5	30.8	27.3	34	27	42.9	90	
43	KY92C-432-62	26.2	21.4 l	18	17.8	28.4	28.9	7	48.8	27.9	28	33	27.3	100	
44	KY91C-170-3	28.9	28.4	26	20.5	38.8	27.8	7	31.0	40.9	25	35	35.7	90	
45	KY91C-170-4-1	26.5	23.3	20	17.3	32.5	28.0	8	35.0	37.1	28	32	28.6	30	
46	Harding	17.9 l	9.5 l	20	0.7	7.9	23.7	10	25.8	29.8	25	28	14.3	100	
47	SD97060	14.7 l	8.7 l	14	1.3	10.7	18.2	l	5	20.0	19.0	25	15.4	100	
48	D6234	25.3	14.6 l	13	9.9	21.0	30.1	13	31.3	31.0	23	52	33.3	30,70	
49	D8006	32.5	32.1	30	13.8	52.6	34.2	15	37.5	35.6	37	46	25.0	60	
Average			24.6	22.7	22.8	14.8	30.4	24.3	9.0	29.5	27.1	27.1	28.8	31.6	
CV (%)			41.0	39.7	39.0	25.9	30.4	30.4	21.8	29.6	25.5	32	46.8		
LSD (0.05)			9.3	14.60	16.0	24.5	9.2	9.2	3.2	12.1	9.7	14.0			
R2			0.54	0.71			0.77								

† Indicates a mean that is not different from the lowest (l) or highest (h) mean in the column based on LSD<sub>(0.05)</sub>

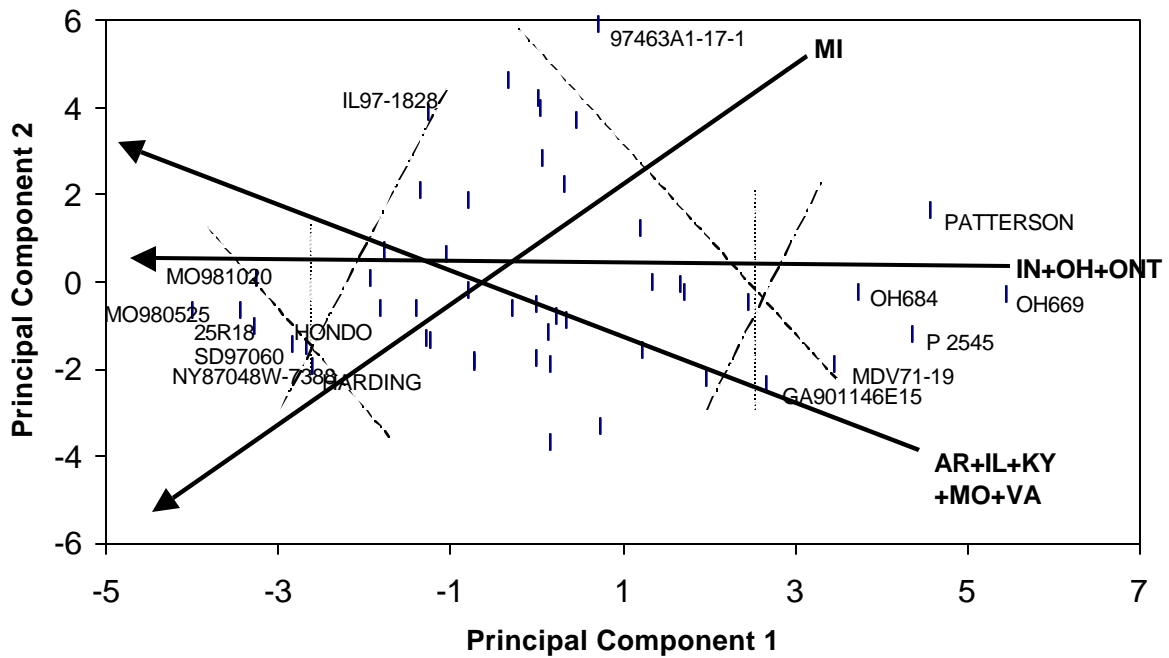


Figure 1. Biplot of entry, and entry x megaenvironment effects using three sets of disease severity means. Each set was the mean severity across tests that formed a single megaenvironment: (AR+IL+KY+MO+VA), (IN+OH+ONT), and MI. Entries are represented by points (some are labeled). Megaenvironments are represented by character codes. Vectors are drawn from each megaenvironment through the origin with arrows pointing to decreasing severity values. The cosine of the angle between two vectors estimates the correlation between means in those two megaenvironments. For example, the angle between the MI and (AR+IL+KY+MO+VA) vectors is close to  $90^{\circ}$ , suggesting a correlation of nearly zero between these two sets of means (actual  $r$  is 0.02). The other two angles suggest correlations near 0.28. The relative performance of an entry in a megaenvironment is estimated by its position perpendicular to the vector for that megaenvironment. For example, the analysis estimates that OH669 has the highest severity score in the AR+IL+KY+MO+VA and IN+OH+ONT megaenvironments, while Patterson has the highest severity in the MI test. Light lines perpendicular to each vector delineate the six best and six worst entries for each megaenvironment.

Table 10. Disease index ( $[\text{severity}\% \times \text{incidence}\%]/100$ ) for entries in 2001 NUWWSN

	NAME	ALL	KS+OH				IL+KY+					MI	NE
			+ONT	KS	OH	ON	MO+VA	IL	KY	MO	VA		
1	Patterson	34.1h <sup>†</sup>	16.0h	37.5	36.3	33.7	28.5	18.5	37.7	41.7	16	51.4	6.2
2	Freedom	21.8	7.0l	24.0	18.7	6.5	23.3	22.1	32.9	31.0	7	32.1	1.4
3	P2545	40.7 h	33.0h	51.3	55.0	18.5	42.2 h	52.6	41.3	42.0	33	32.0	
4	Ernie	19.4	6.0	27.0	27.6	18.0	9.3 l	0.9	15.8	14.4	6	45.7	0.2
5	Hondo	13.0 l	13.0 l	15.5	3.0	3.7	18.4 l	12.7	15.5	32.6	13	7.7	0.5
6	KS96HW115	24.1	9.0	43.8	23.9	3.8	17.3 l	22.1	18.5	19.5	9	52.5	0.8
7	Heyne	14.9 l	6.0 l	23.3	13.3	3.2	14.9 l	15.7	16.7	21.3	6	20.0	
8	MDV71-19	42.4 h	30.0h	55.5	43.7	23.1	45.6 h	64.4	44.0	44.0	30	34.6	14.9
9	MO980525	7.5 l	4.0 l	11.8	1.0	6.5	9.2 l	2.8	11.7	18.4	4	4.0	0.2
10	MO960827	30.5	26.0	32.5	25.2	26.1	33.1	34.0	34.5	38.0	26	28.0	8.9
11	MO981020	9.5 l	11.0 l	16.0	6.4	12.1	8.9 l	1.6	12.1	10.8	11	6.0	0.2
12	MO980429	19.9	5.0	21.8	37.4	21.0	12.7 l	1.7	23.4	20.8	5	28.0	0.4
13	IL96-3514	21.2	2.0	21.3	43.6	13.1	12.2 l	3.4	25.9	17.4	2	42.7	0.4
14	IL96-6472	17.3 l	10.0	18.0	25.2	21.3	7.9 l	0.6	11.6	9.4	10	42.7	0.1
15	IL97-1828	14.2 l	5.0 l	16.0	19.8	13.0	6.2 l	1.0	9.9	8.8	5	40.0	0.1
16	IL97-4228	19.5	5.0	35.5	41.1	15.6	9.0 l	1.1	20.1	9.8	5	28.0	0.2
17	IL97-6268	15.8 l	5.0	22.3	27.7	21.5	9.3 l	3.5	15.5	13.3	5	17.9	0.8
18	Roane	19.9	2.0	24.8	17.9	18.6	20.7	17.5	33.3	30.1	2	15.0	3.3
19	VA96-54-326	21.0	5.0	37.5	21.0	16.3	21.3	19.5	30.2	30.6	5	7.7	3.2
20	VA98W-591	16.6 l	13.0	24.8	21.9	11.9	16.3 l	15.3	21.8	15.2	13	9.2	1.8
21	VA98W-593	21.6	8.0	27.5	44.2	16.0	18.6	20.0	23.3	23.2	8	10.8	3.2
22	VA99W-553	23.8	6.0	32.5	40.1	26.7	18.8	12.4	27.7	29.1	6	16.2	
23	VA99W-562	25.9	8.0	44.0	31.4	9.2	27.3	34.6	28.7	38.0	8	13.1	3.2
24	VA99W-567	19.4	7.0	38.8	37.6	11.6	14.4 l	18.0	17.9	14.8	7	9.4	2.1
25	25R18	13.2 l	11.0 l	23.0	20.4	6.7	11.9 l	9.2	16.5	10.8	11	8.0	0.6
26	OH669	37.6 h	28.0h	35.0	62.1	18.7	37.1 h	53.1	43.7	23.5	28	36.9	9.9
27	OH684	27.9	18.0	24.8	28.4	27.4	27.9	42.0	30.6	20.9	18	30.8	11.5
28	OH699	21.2	36.0 l	16.0	23.0	13.7	24.3	23.9	21.4	15.8	36	20.0	3.3
29	NY87048W-7388	11.9 l	17.0 l	10.8	5.6	2.8	18.4 l	20.1	8.3	28.0	17	2.9	0.6
30	NY87047W-6048	28.6	20.0	21.3	39.4	8.9	31.8	49.1	22.9	35.0	20	32.0	
31	NY89052SP-9232	24.6	23.0 l	16.0	9.4	7.1	34.5 h	50.6	22.3	42.0	23	26.5	3.6
32	NY88024-117	27.8	26.0 l	24.0	25.2	3.5	39.7 h	61.2	34.8	36.9	26	10.6	
33	NY88005-6035	32.3 h	17.0 l	13.3	15.2	6.6	45.1 h	72.2	43.2	48.0	17	42.7	4.8
34	NY89103-9149	22.0	23.0 l	17.0	3.5	8.4	31.8	50.9	20.1	33.0	23	20.0	4.3
35	961331A46-1-6	28.4	27.0	24.5	22.9	26.5	36.6 h	38.0	34.2	47.0	27	7.1	
36	9793A1-5	14.2 l	11.0	21.8	27.5	15.6	10.7 l	2.9	13.9	14.9	11	6.2	
37	97397B1-4-5	18.6	9.0	28.8	21.8	9.8	16.2 l	3.4	21.2	31.0	9	24.0	
38	97398C1-5-3	22.3	24.0	25.3	31.4	9.5	22.0	21.4	27.2	15.5	24	24.0	
39	97417A1-3-4	15.9 l	8.0 l	25.8	8.4	13.1	13.9 l	7.2	18.8	21.6	8	24.0	
40	97463A1-17-1	19.0	4.0	24.5	20.5	22.0	7.9 l	1.0	13.9	12.6	4	53.3	
41	GA901146 E 15	35.6 h	23.0h	66.3	48.3	27.0	32.5	50.6	34.0	22.3	23	12.9	
42	KY92C-491-18-1	28.8	11.0h	45.0	45.0	14.8	23.8	25.4	27.3	31.6	11	30.0	3.7
43	KY92C-432-62	27.9	17.0	40.0	27.0	17.6	29.9	47.4	27.2	28.0	17	19.1	8.4
44	KY91C-170-3	28.8	21.0	37.8	34.9	20.1	28.1	28.2	39.8	23.3	21	25.0	5.7
45	KY91C-170-4-1	26.2	11.0	53.8	26.6	16.7	26.1	33.0	34.2	26.0	11	8.6	5.5
46	Harding	13.3 l	14.0 l	10.0	2.9	0.8	21.1	21.6	26.1	22.5	14	8.6	0.2
47	SD97060	10.5 l	9.0 l	11.0	4.4	1.3	14.5 l	14.3	11.4	23.3	9	9.2	0.2
48	D6234	24.6	43.0 l	20.5	16.8	9.6	30.9	29.1	30.0	21.4	43	26.7	
49	D8006	31.1	29.0	38.8	45.6	13.8	32.6	33.6	34.6	33.3	29	20.0	4.6
	Average	22.6	22.8	28.1	26.1	14.1	22.3	24.2	25.1	25.4	14.7	22.9	3.3
	CV (%)	47.7	35.7	30.6		19.2	39.1	33.5				60.8	
	LSD (0.05)	10.5	13.2	12.9	24.7		12.2	11.2					
	R2	0.5	0.76				0.70						

<sup>†</sup> Indicates a mean that is not different from the lowest (l) or highest (h) mean in the column based on LSD<sub>(0.05)</sub>



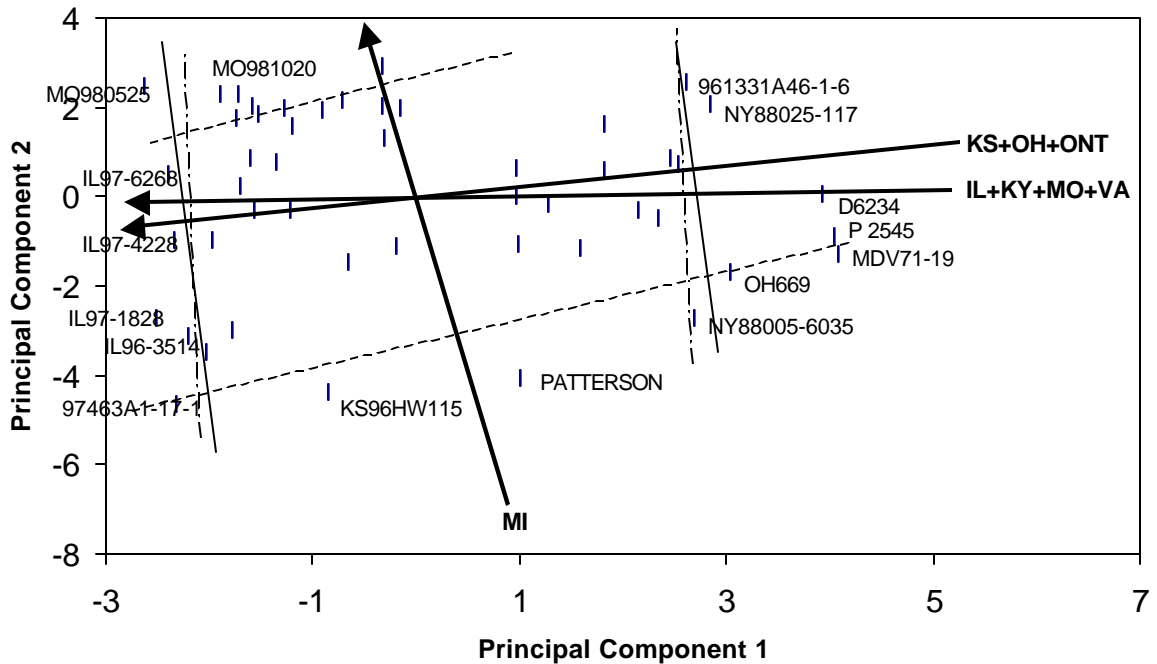


Figure 2. Biplot of entry, and entry x megaenvironment effects using three sets of disease index means. Each set was the mean index across tests that formed a single megaenvironment: (IL+KY+MO+VA), (KS+OH+ONT), and MI. Entries are represented by points (some are labeled). Megaenvironments are represented by character codes. Vectors are drawn from each megaenvironment through the origin with arrows pointing to decreasing index values. The cosine of the angle between two vectors estimates the correlation between means in those two groups. For example, the angle between the MI and (KS+OH+ONT) vectors is close to  $90^{\circ}$ , suggesting a correlation of nearly zero between these two sets of means (actual  $r$  is 0.04). The relative performance of an entry in a megaenvironment is estimated by its position perpendicular to the vector for that megaenvironment. For example, the analysis estimates that MDV71-19 has the highest index score in the IL+KY+MO+VA and KS+OH+ONT megaenvironments, while Patterson has the highest index in the MI test. Light lines perpendicular to each vector delineate the six best and six worst entries for each megaenvironment.

Table 11. Kernel rating (visual rating of % infected seeds) for entries in 2001 NUWWSN

	NAME	ALL but NE		AR	IL	KS	OH	NE
1	Patterson	31.0	l <sup>†</sup>	17	25	67.5	14.3	40
2	Freedom	50.1		42	45	70.0	43.3	40
3	P2545	66.5	h	57	58	77.5	73.3	60
4	Ernie	29.9	l	13	28	62.5	16.0	40
5	Hondo	33.1	l	27	33	40.0	32.3	40
6	KS96HW115	38.6		18	38	65.0	33.3	40
7	Heyne	24.6	l	20	30	30.0	18.3	40
8	MDV71-19	60.6	h	50	50	72.5	70.0	40
9	MO980525	23.0	l	43	13	32.5	3.5	5
10	MO960827	55.9		53	53	72.5	45.0	40
11	MO981020	27.3	l	28	25	50.0	6.0	40
12	MO980429	33.7	l	30	33	45.0	26.7	40
13	IL96-3514	27.4	l	18	30	50.0	11.7	40
14	IL96-6472	20.6	l	17	8	47.5	10.0	40
15	IL97-1828	19.8	l	20	13	40.0	6.0	20
16	IL97-4228	29.8	l	27	33	50.0	9.3	40
17	IL97-6268	32.6	l	35	28	62.5	5.0	40
18	Roane	32.0	l	32	30	52.5	13.5	40
19	VA96-54-326	49.0		27	58	72.5	38.3	40
20	VA98W-591	34.5	l	32	45	45.0	16.0	40
21	VA98W-593	36.3	l	33	43	45.0	24.0	40
22	VA99W-553	40.3		38	38	50.0	35.0	
23	VA99W-562	50.3		42	40	72.5	46.7	40
24	VA99W-567	50.8		33	40	70.0	60.0	40
25	25R18	48.8		57	23	55.0	60.0	40
26	OH669	53.8		37	35	70.0	73.3	40
27	OH684	50.5		42	45	60.0	55.0	40
28	OH699	50.3		57	38	50.0	56.0	40
29	NY87048W-7388	24.0	l	30	25	32.5	8.3	40
30	NY87047W-6048	77.5	h	77	58	85.0	90.0	40
31	NY89052SP-9232	38.1		57	35	55.0	5.3	40
32	NY88024-117	49.7		57	50	67.5	24.3	40
33	NY88005-6035	70.3	h	73	65	75.0	68.3	40
34	NY89103-9149	62.3	h	63	58	75.0	53.3	40
35	961331A46-1-6	57.2		50	48	67.5	63.3	40
36	9793A1-5	24.2	l	10	25	52.5	9.3	40
37	97397B1-4-5	28.9	l	15	23	57.5	20.0	40
38	97398C1-5-3	45.5		43	33	80.0	26.0	
39	97417A1-3-4	30.8	l	23	30	62.5	7.7	
40	97463A1-17-1	21.0	l	12	15	55.0	2.0	20
41	GA901146 E 15	56.9		37	58	80.0	52.7	20
42	KY92C-491-18-1	47.8		32	45	62.5	51.7	60
43	KY92C-432-62	46.5		40	50	57.5	38.3	55
44	KY91C-170-3	51.7		47	43	70.0	46.7	50
45	KY91C-170-4-1	44.8		40	40	67.5	31.7	40
46	Harding	41.5		70	60	15.0	21.0	30
47	SD97060	35.8	l	60	43	35.0	5.3	80
48	D6234	41.3		43	43	57.5	21.7	
49	D8006	59.3		52	50	70.0	65.0	80
	Average	42.0			38.3	58.3	32.9	40.9
	CV (%)	29.2		14.8	21	18.3		
	LSD (0.05)	17.1		9.2	11	15.1	32.5	
	R2	0.72						

<sup>†</sup> Indicates a mean that is not different from the lowest (l) or highest (h) mean in the column based on LSD<sub>(0.05)</sub>

Table 12. % scabby seed (% scabby seed based on weight) for entries in 2001 NUWWSN

	NAME	ALL but NE	KY	OH	VA	NE
1	Patterson	14.7 l <sup>†</sup>	29.5	6.8	7.7	5.7
2	Freedom	17.5 l	39.6	5.2	7.8	3.0
3	P2545	26.8 h	53.1	13.9	13.5	4.9
4	Ernie	16.9 l	38.2	4.1	8.3	0.6
5	Hondo	17.8 l	41.5	5.3	6.7	1.8
6	KS96HW115	19.1 lh	47.9	4.8	4.7	4.2
7	Heyne	13.0 l	27.5	4.1	7.3	1.1
8	MDV71-19	23.9 h	53.7	9.0	9.0	4.2
9	MO980525	5.4 l	11.5	1.2	3.5	0.6
10	MO960827	28.7 h	65.1	5.8	15.3	2.0
11	MO981020	11.8 l	23.6	2.4	9.5	0.8
12	MO980429	14.4 l	32.7	5.4	5.2	1.0
13	IL96-3514	15.5 l	38.2	4.1	4.2	0.3
14	IL96-6472	10.2 l	23.1	3.7	3.7	2.0
15	IL97-1828	11.8 l	28.0	3.7	3.7	0.6
16	IL97-4228	12.5 l	23.6	2.6	11.3	1.9
17	IL97-6268	11.6 l	22.6	3.6	8.5	1.0
18	Roane	16.3 l	41.3	2.3	5.2	31.0
19	VA96-54-326	12.5 l	26.5	4.4	6.7	46.0
20	VA98W-591	9.7 l	20.0	4.5	4.7	31.0
21	VA98W-593	7.2 l	7.8	4.9	9.0	49.0
22	VA99W-553	19.9 lh	46.7	3.1	10.0	
23	VA99W-562	19.1 lh	40.0	7.1	10.3	18.0
24	VA99W-567	31.1 h	79.1	7.9	6.3	77.0
25	25R18	14.3 l	30.5	4.7	7.7	42.0
26	OH669	27.0 h	54.0	11.6	15.5	60.0
27	OH684	25.8 h	58.7	6.5	12.2	35.4
28	OH699	21.9 h	48.3	6.6	10.8	56.0
29	NY87048W-7388	9.0 l	20.4	2.8	3.8	2.4
30	NY87047W-6048	30.5 h	69.2	11.9	10.3	2.1
31	NY89052SP-9232	25.0 h	62.3	4.5	8.2	1.0
32	NY88024-117	18.6 lh	41.2	5.8	8.7	1.0
33	NY88005-6035	33.0 h	77.5	11.8	9.8	1.6
34	NY89103-9149	28.8 h	65.2	9.2	12.0	0.9
35	961331A46-1-6	27.2 h	62.5	8.8	10.2	28.6
36	9793A1-5	14.9 l	34.9	3.5	6.3	5.8
37	97397B1-4-5	11.2 l	26.0	2.4	5.2	4.9
38	97398C1-5-3	20.1 lh	48.9	3.6	7.7	
39	97417A1-3-4	11.6 l	25.0	4.0	5.8	
40	97463A1-17-1	19.0 lh	49.1	2.7	5.3	1.2
41	GA901146 E 15	23.8 h	50.0	8.0	13.3	2.1
42	KY92C-491-18-1	18.1 lh	40.0	6.5	7.8	3.1
43	KY92C-432-62	27.5 h	67.3	5.1	10.2	3.6
44	KY91C-170-3	23.0 h	51.2	4.3	13.5	3.7
45	KY91C-170-4-1	22.2 h	44.9	6.1	15.5	0.0
46	Harding	19.1 lh	46.7	3.4	7.3	1.1
47	SD97060	9.2 l	13.2	4.5	9.8	1.9
48	D6234	11.9 l	22.0	3.8	9.8	
49	D8006	21.4 h	39.6	8.1	16.5	23.0
	Average	18.4	41.0	5.5	8.7	12.6
	CV (%)	50.4			41.9	
	LSD (0.05)	15.0		6.1	4.9	
	R2	0.84				

<sup>†</sup> Indicates a mean that is not different from the lowest (l) or highest (h) mean in the column based on LSD<sub>(0.05)</sub>

Table 13. DON (vomitoxin in ppm) for entries in 2001 NUWWSN

	NAME	ALL	VA+OH	AR	VA	OH
1	Patterson	6.9 l <sup>†</sup>	5.9 l	9	1.7	10.0
2	Freedom	12.6 l	5.9 l	26	3.1	8.7
3	P2545	16.2 l	22.9 h	3	6.4	39.3
4	Ernie	7.9 l	9.4 l	5	2.5	16.3
5	Hondo	4.9 l	4.9 l	5	2.5	7.3
6	KS96HW115	14.6 l	9.9 l	24	2.8	16.9
7	Heyne	15.1 l	13.7 lh	18	1.7	25.7
8	MDV71-19	9.7 l	9.6 l	10	3.1	16.0
9	MO980525	5.3 l	3.0 l	10	2.4	3.5
10	MO960827	14.6 l	11.9 lh	20	3.4	20.3
11	MO981020	5.8 l	5.2 l	7	3.3	7.0
12	MO980429	6.3 l	5.5 l	8	1.7	9.3
13	IL96-3514	3.2 l	3.3 l	3	0.8	5.7
14	IL96-6472	8.4 l	4.1 l	17	1.1	7.0
15	IL97-1828	4.6 l	2.4 l	9	1.4	3.3
16	IL97-4228	4.2 l	3.8 l	5	1.3	6.3
17	IL97-6268	5.6 l	4.0 l	9	1.9	6.0
18	Roane	5.4 l	4.6 l	7	1.2	8.0
19	VA96-54-326	7.3 l	4.5 l	13	0.9	8.0
20	VA98W-591	7.4 l	5.6 l	11	1.9	9.3
21	VA98W-593	5.3 l	5.5 l	5	2.3	8.7
22	VA99W-553	10.4 l	5.7 l	20	1.6	9.7
23	VA99W-562	11.1 l	11.7 lh	10	2.1	21.3
24	VA99W-567	19.5 h	13.8 lh	31	2.3	25.3
25	25R18	16.3 l	15.5 h	18	1.6	29.3
26	OH669	21.3 h	18.5 h	27	5.6	31.3
27	OH684	13.5 l	9.2 l	22	4.7	13.7
28	OH699	9.9 l	5.9 l	18	2.1	9.7
29	NY87048W-7388	8.4 l	3.1 l	19	0.9	5.3
30	NY87047W-6048	32.2 h	16.4 h	64	2.0	30.7
31	NY89052SP-9232	14.8 l	8.8 l	27	4.2	13.3
32	NY88024-117	19.5 h	6.8 l	45	3.5	10.0
33	NY88005-6035	29.5 h	13.2 lh	62	4.7	21.7
34	NY89103-9149	22.6 h	7.4 l	53	3.7	11.0
35	961331A46-1-6	15.0 l	7.0 l	31	4.1	9.9
36	9793A1-5	5.4 l	4.6 l	7	2.2	7.0
37	97397B1-4-5	6.8 l	2.3 l	16	1.1	3.4
38	97398C1-5-3	8.5 l	6.3 l	13	2.5	10.0
39	97417A1-3-4	4.5 l	3.8 l	6	1.9	5.7
40	97463A1-17-1	9.9 l	2.4 l	25	1.0	3.7
41	GA901146 E 15	10.9 l	9.3 l	14	3.3	15.3
42	KY92C-491-18-1	8.5 l	9.8 l	6	2.3	17.3
43	KY92C-432-62	8.5 l	6.2 l	13	1.1	11.3
44	KY91C-170-3	18.1 h	16.2 h	22	4.1	28.3
45	KY91C-170-4-1	21.7 h	17.1 h	31	4.1	30.1
46	Harding	11.4 l	8.7 l	17	3.3	14.0
47	SD97060	9.5 l	3.3 l	22	3.3	3.3
48	D6234	15.2 l	9.8 l	26	3.3	16.3
49	D8006	26.9 h	21.4 h	38	5.4	37.3
	Average	11.9	8.3		2.6	14.0
	CV (%)	73.8	73.9	27.8	36.1	
	LSD (0.05)	14.2	12.4	8.5	1.3	18.4
	R2	0.65	0.76			

<sup>†</sup> Indicates a mean that is not different from the lowest (l) or highest (h) mean in the column based on LSD<sub>(0.05)</sub>

Table 14. Greenhouse disease severity (% infected spikelets) for entries in 2001 NUWWSN. Least squares were used to estimate average over all tests.

	NAME	ALL	AR	IN	IL	KY	MI
1	Patterson	52.4	48	21.1	35.6	88.5	69.0
2	Freedom	30.5	7	17.8	66.9	9.1	51.8
3	P2545	55.8	35	53.0		65.2	54.2
4	Ernie	28.7	22	14.4	48.9	18.2	40.1
5	Hondo	35.6	6	19.2	52.0	25.0	75.8
6	KS96HW115	65.5	64	34.1	88.7	50.9	90.0
7	Heyne	31.0	21	28.9	33.1	17.3	54.7
8	MDV71-19	60.0	21	61.2	75.2	60.8	81.6
9	MO980525	14.3 l <sup>†</sup>	3	7.5		4.7	26.5
10	MO960827	36.1	11	16.1	64.3	23.5	65.6
11	MO981020	16.8 l	7	10.7	37.1	6.7	22.3
12	MO980429	37.8	24	23.8	51.0	37.7	52.7
13	IL96-3514	36.9	4	5.7	84.2	34.2	56.4
14	IL96-6472	40.6	22	22.9	57.2	53.3	47.6
15	IL97-1828	46.0	7	66.1		47.0	48.3
16	IL97-4228	48.9	32	38.9	44.7	71.5	57.6
17	IL97-6268	33.6	24	18.0	49.1	24.7	52.4
18	Roane	27.3	7	29.5		7.4	49.8
19	VA96-54-326	94.1 h	87	100.0	91.1	100.0	92.5
20	VA98W-591	47.1	10	37.4	79.3	44.0	64.7
21	VA98W-593	58.8	59	34.3	72.1	54.6	73.8
22	VA99W-553	61.1	40	77.0	77.1	42.4	68.9
23	VA99W-562	54.7	9	37.9	63.5	73.1	90.1
24	VA99W-567	63.7	61	64.2	70.6	41.9	80.6
25	25R18	9.3 l	3	2.8	19.9	6.5	14.3
26	OH669	92.2 h	80	89.3	94.7	97.1	99.7
27	OH684	76.2 h	50	98.9	75.6	59.3	97.3
28	OH699	63.9	53	45.5	78.3	65.1	77.8
29	NY87048W-7388	23.6	6	14.8	35.4	23.2	38.7
30	NY87047W-6048	39.8	20	24.4	64.9	32.3	57.3
31	NY89052SP-9232	55.8	29	55.6	77.6	21.0	95.9
32	NY88024-117	46.8	15	55.7	78.3	10.3	74.6
33	NY88005-6035	53.2	12	27.2	70.1	58.4	98.1
34	NY89103-9149	35.0	10	8.4	73.3	7.1	76.4
35	961331A46-1-6	38.4	8	26.9	78.5	24.6	53.9
36	9793A1-5	33.6	24	33.2	58.8	9.7	42.1
37	97397B1-4-5	23.7	10	22.0	40.8	16.1	29.6
38	97398C1-5-3	34.9	1	22.5	43.4	31.8	75.6
39	97417A1-3-4	47.9	17	45.0	65.0	51.2	61.2
40	97463A1-17-1	25.0	7	13.2	41.9	30.6	32.5
41	GA901146 E 15	69.8	75	49.1	79.0	57.1	88.6
42	KY92C-491-18-1	66.1	62	45.7	89.8	54.7	78.1
43	KY92C-432-62	37.3	17	15.4	40.6	46.2	67.1
44	KY91C-170-3	64.9	37	49.6	70.5	61.1	106.3
45	KY91C-170-4-1	70.0	63	32.7	86.8	81.2	86.2
46	Harding	47.0	30	4.7	64.2	33.2	102.9
47	SD97060	35.5	12	0.0	44.5	31.6	89.3
48	D6234	43.7	24	26.9	62.9	16.9	87.9
49	D8006	61.2	54	43.4	55.9	50.0	102.9
	Average	46.3	27.5	34.5	62.9	40.4	67.4
	CV (%)	32.7		34.6	44.8	79.5	
	LSD (0.05)	18.9		25.5	34.1	40.7	
	R2	0.77					

<sup>†</sup> Indicates a mean that is not different from the lowest (l) or highest (h) mean in the column based on LSD<sub>(0.05)</sub>

Table 15. Correlations among entry means as averaged over appropriate tests

	HD	SEV	INC	IND	KR	PSS	DON	SEV-GH
HD	1.00	-0.10	-0.02	-0.16	0.32*	0.19	0.42*	-0.17
SEV	-0.10	1.00	0.74*	0.96*	0.67*	0.65*	0.49*	0.64*
INC	-0.02	0.74*	1.00	0.83*	0.75*	0.66*	0.51*	0.43*
IND	-0.16	0.96*	0.83*	1.00	0.71*	0.67*	0.48*	0.59*
KR	0.32*	0.67*	0.75*	0.71*	1.00	0.79*	0.75*	0.43*
PSS	0.19	0.65*	0.66*	0.67*	0.79*	1.00	0.70*	0.37*
DON	0.42*	0.49*	0.51*	0.48*	0.75*	0.70*	1.00	0.27
SEV-GH	-0.17	0.64*	0.43*	0.59*	0.43*	0.37*	0.27	1.00

\* indicates significance at 0.05 probability level

Table 16. Other traits for entries in 2001 NUWWSN

	NAME	NY: % heads with > 50% spikelets infected	MO: Field point inoculation spread index	MO: Septoria leaf blotch % canopy	AR: GH Leaf Rust <sup>1</sup>
1	Patterson	1.43	0.32	38	6.8
2	Freedom	0.21	0.21	47	2.9
3	P2545	0.88	0.73	32	4.3
4	Ernie	0.21	0.25	33	7.4
5	Hondo	0.39	0.19	55	5.3
6	KS96HW115	0.11	0.32	56	7.1
7	Heyne	0.00	0.19	49	2.2
8	MDV71-19	1.92	0.36	39	2.1
9	MO980525	0.00	0.14	18	5.0
10	MO960827	0.75	0.24	30	5.6
11	MO981020	0.14	0.17	25	6.0
12	MO980429	1.63	0.38	25	5.4
13	IL96-3514	0.12	0.21	43	1.5
14	IL96-6472	0.14	0.07	35	6.4
15	IL97-1828	0.37	0.34	30	6.3
16	IL97-4228	0.18	0.14	41	5.3
17	IL97-6268	0.25	0.17	27	4.9
18	Roane	0.08	0.18	28	5.3
19	VA96-54-326	0.84	0.47	43	4.4
20	VA98W-591	0.00	0.15	23	2.6
21	VA98W-593	0.52	0.24	29	4.0
22	VA99W-553	0.98	0.11	51	6.3
23	VA99W-562	0.00	0.54	48	2.7
24	VA99W-567	0.00	0.28	31	2.2
25	25R18	0.00	0.08	32	3.4
26	OH669	0.46	0.73	30	8.0
27	OH684	0.55	0.65	44	6.5
28	OH699	0.00	0.53	37	5.8
29	NY87048W-7388	0.09	0.15	29	5.1
30	NY87047W-6048	0.00	0.20	38	6.3
31	NY89052SP-9232	0.00	0.26	28	5.7
32	NY88024-117	0.00	0.51	34	6.0
33	NY88005-6035	0.20	0.33	44	3.1
34	NY89103-9149	0.00	0.65	32	4.9
35	961331A46-1-6	0.37	0.32	28	1.0
36	9793A1-5	0.12	0.28	26	6.0
37	97397B1-4-5	0.00	0.23	40	4.4
38	97398C1-5-3	0.45	0.17	23	5.2
39	97417A1-3-4	0.65	0.16	54	3.7
40	97463A1-17-1	0.20	0.15	29	3.7
41	GA901146 E 15	2.25	0.59	27	3.5
42	KY92C-491-18-1	0.22	0.13	47	5.3
43	KY92C-432-62	0.49	0.23	40	3.3
44	KY91C-170-3	1.28	0.90	55	5.5
45	KY91C-170-4-1	0.42	0.48	42	6.0
46	Harding	0.00	0.62	47	2.0
47	SD97060	0.00	0.18	32	3.1
48	D6234	0.00	0.37	27	4.3
49	D8006	1.52	0.81	52	4.9
	AVERAGE		0.33	36.4	
	LSD (0.05)		0.20	18.5	

<sup>1</sup> Rated 0-9 21 days after inoculation with three races: TLGL (virulent on Lr1,2a,2c,3,9,11,10); TNRL (Lr1,2a,2c,3,9,24,3ka,11,30,10); MCRL (Lr1,3,26,3ka,11,30,10)