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INTRODUCTION

Corn strains were grown and evaluated for resistance to maize dwarf mosaic virus (MDMV) on the farm of Maurice and Ferrell Vaughters in 1970 and 1971. The test site is located along the Ohio River near Portsmouth. A high incidence of MDM disease has occurred at this location each year since 1964.

Cooperative MDM tests between the Ohio Agricultural Research and Development Center and the Agricultural Research Service, U. S. Department of Agriculture, have been conducted at this location each year since 1964. MDM ratings for corn strains tested in 1970 and 1971 are reported in this circular.

MATERIALS AND METHODS

1970 Tests

Weather was favorable for corn growth throughout the 1970 season. High humidity was common during the last 10 days of July and during August and September.

The seeds were hand-planted on May 21 and 22, 1970. The hybrid yield trial was grown in four replications of two-row plots thinned to 60 plants per plot. All strains except hybrids in the yield trial were grown in two-replicate single-row plots. Fifteen seeds of 700-800 and 900 maturity inbreds were individually planted in a plot. Twenty-five seeds of all other corn strains were similarly planted.

Ratings of southern corn leaf blight caused by *Helminthosporium* maydis were made on hybrids grown for yield data. The ratings were based on a 0 to 5 scale. A 0 rating indicated no infection and a 5 rating indicated heavy blighting on all leaves.

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1971 Tests

The 1971 growing season was characterized by frequent heavy showers and cool night temperatures. The frequent rains contributed to a reduced population of aphids early in the growing season and resulted in wet soil conditions. Previous experience has shown that wet soil conditions put additional stress on plants and increase disease severity.

The seeds were hand-planted on May 20 and 21, 1971. The inbred lines were grown in two-replicate single-row plots. Twenty-five seeds were planted in each plot. The single-cross hybrids were grown in four-replicate single-row plots and thinned to 30 plants per plot.

The plots were maintained free of weed competition throughout both the 1970 and 1971 growing seasons.

Disease Ratings

Plants were rated for disease severity on a plot basis in both years. MDM ratings were made using the 1 to 9 scale, with a 1.0 rating indicating no visible virus symptoms and a 9.0 rating indicating complete susceptibility. Symptoms associated with MDM susceptibility are chlorosis or loss of green color and height reduction.

Plant height reduction was not associated with a rating of 3.0 or less. Plants rated 2.0 were faintly chlorotic while those rated 3.0 were distinctly chlorotic in the upper leaves. Height was reduced from a slight amount to one-fourth to one-half in plants rated 4.0 to 6.0. Moderate to heavy chlorosis ranged from the upper leaves in plants rated 4.0 to as much as the entire plant in plants rated 6.0. In plants rated 7.0 to 9.0, the height was reduced two-thirds to three-fourths. Ear shoot development was noticeably affected in plants rated 5.0 to 9.0. Plants rated 9.0 had essentially no ear shoot development and were usually dead when late ratings were made. Mean plot ratings are reported.

DISEASE INCIDENCE

1970 Tests

Initial occurrence of MDM at Portsmouth in 1970 began in May and reached highest detectable levels in late July and during August. By July 20, disease potential of MDM was high, resulting in 94% infection of susceptible seedling trap plants (14-day-old WF9 x Oh51A seedlings). These trap plants were reared in the greenhouse and exposed successively in the field during a 7-day period.

MDM spread was not as uniform as in previous years. Occasionally, susceptible plants were seen throughout the planting which were either infected late or appeared healthy.

The incidence of MDMV strain B, the strain which does not in-

fect Johnsongrass, was 16% in trap plants. In previous years, the occurrence of this strain was at a very low level.

1971 Tests

Initial occurrence of MDM at Portsmouth in 1971 began in mid-May and reached highest detectable levels from mid-July through September. By July 21, disease potential of MDM resulted in 100% infection of susceptible trap plants.

Early MDM infection in susceptible plants was somewhat erratic. Occasional plants known to be susceptible still appeared free of MDM symptoms in late July. Essentially all susceptible plants showed MDM symptoms by mid-August.

Some plants of some inbred lines appeared to be more severely affected with MDM than in previous years. Evidence from test plants indicated that a corn-stunt-like disease, transmissible by leafhoppers but not by aphids, was occurring in low frequency.

In 1971, occurrence of MDM virus strain B, the non-Johnsongrass strain, was negligible.

RESULTS

1970 Tests

Early MDM ratings of all corn strains were made on July 28. Late MDM ratings of the sweet corn hybrids were made on August 28 and the remaining entries were rated on September 2.

MDM ratings of inbred lines entered by the Ohio Agricultural Research and Development Center are reported in Table 1. Disease ratings of uniform inbred tests sponsored by the North Central Corn Breeding Research Committee of 400-600, 700-800, and 900 maturity groups are reported in Tables 2, 3, and 4, respectively. Ratings of open-pedigree and commercial hybrids grown for MDM ratings only are reported in Table 5. MDM ratings of commercial and open-pedigree hybrids grown for performance data are shown in Table 6. Sweet corn hybrid MDM ratings are reported in Table 7.

Included among the inbred lines in Table 1 are 10 lines, H55, E38-11-11-5, B37, Mo5, Mo18W, N6J, Oh7B, Pa405, Tx601, and Va35, which were part of a uniform MDM test sponsored by the North Central Corn Breeding Research Committee. Inbred lines which were part of a uniform virus test sponsored by the Southern Corn Improvement Conference are identified with a footnote.

Where comparisons could be made, MDM ratings of corn strains in 1970 were generally consistent with ratings in other years. Certain strains, however, were rated more susceptible than in previous years. Possibly this was due to prevalence of MDMV-B, which occurred at an inconsequential level in previous years.

All of the inbred lines in Texas male-sterile cytoplasm (Table 1 with the designation Cms-T) were severely infected with southern corn leaf blight when the September virus ratings were made.

1971 Tests

Early MDM ratings were made on July 20, 21, or 29 and late MDM ratings were made on August 17, 18, or 24.

MDM ratings of inbred entries by the Ohio Agricultural Research and Development Center and inbred entries which were part of an "open-end" test sponsored by the Southern Corn Improvement Conference are reported in Table 1. Lines in the "open-end" test are identified with a footnote. Disease ratings of uniform inbred tests sponsored by the North Central Corn Breeding Research Committee of 400-600, 700-800, and 900 maturity groups are reported in Tables 2, 3 and 4, respectively. Ratings of diallel crosses involving five MDM resistant and five susceptible inbreds are reported in Table 8.

Comparison of Ratings

In general, MDM ratings of inbred lines were consistent between years. Some inbred lines such as Ky226, Pa405, and Va35 were rated more susceptible during the past 2 years. Occurrence of other strains of the MDM virus and virus-like diseases is believed to be the reason.

Inbred lines with late MDM ratings of 3.0 or less in 1970 and 1971 are listed below with their ratings.

197	0	1971	
GA209	3.0	GA209	3.0
A239	3.0	$R168Ht_1A$	2.5
Mo18W	2.0	$\mathbf{H}95$	2.5
N7B	3.0	Ky61-2335	2.0
SC333	2.0	A 509	3.0
T232	3.0	F-0391	3.0
Tx601	2.0	Mo18W	3.0
		Mo20W	2.5
		N6J	2.5
		o_2 xOh $7B^5$	1.5
		Oh514	2.5
		T232	2.0
		T.61W.C.	2.0

TABLE 1.—Maize Dwarf Mosaic Ratings of Inbred Lines at Portsmouth, Ohio, in 1970 and 1971.*

		1970			1971	
Inbred	Total Plants	MDM Rating	MDM Rating	Total Plants	MDM Rating	MDM Rating
	No.	7-28	9-2	No.	7-21	8-17
Ab28A†	26	6.0	7.0	51	7.0	8.5
AKh-42† CG1	30 40	4.5 3.5	7.0 4.0	30	4.5	5.0
C103	27	5.5	6.0	23	3.5	5.0
C103 Cms-T‡	42	5.5	6.5			
C103 Cms-TRf GA209†	37 88	5.0 2.5	8.5 3.0	38	3.0	3.0
GAZU91 GT3	43	4.0	5.0	26	1.5	4.0
GT106	41	5.5	6.0	00	0.5	
GT112	34	4.0	4.5	33	2.5	5.5
M14 R168				37 39	8.0 4.5	8.0 4.5
A	38	7.0	9.0	37	4.5	4.5
WF9	35	5.5	7.0			
WF9 Cms-T	34	5.5	8.5			
33-16 H55	41 31	4.0 6.0	6.0 8.0	34	6.0	6.5
H55 Cms-TRf	25	8.0	9.0			
H73	46	6.5	9.0			
H73 Cms-TRf	36	7.0	9.0			
H84 E14-2-9	48	5.0	9.0	24	7.5	8 0
E38-11-11-5	42	5.0 5.0	6.0			
L317	37	6.5	9.0			
L317 Cms-TRf	35	6.5	9.0			
B14 B14 Cms-TRf	32 39	5.0 5.0	8.0	13	7.0	8.0
B14A	39	5.0	9.0 7.5	36	5.5	7.0
B37	80	5.0	6.0	36	5.5	7.5
O.P. X B377	45	5.0	8.5			
B54 B69	41 40	3.5 5.0	4.0	25	5.5	0.0
la65:1269	43	6.5	5.0 8.5	25	5.5	8.0
K61-1	18	3.5	4.0	0.4	0.5	
K64				36	8.5	8.5
K150 Kv128	31 40	4.5 4.0	5.5 4.5	25 40	6.5 2.0	7.5 5.0
Ky135	33	4.0 5.5	4.5 8.5	40	∠.∪	5.0
Ky226	28	3.0	4.0	19	3.5	4.0
Ky61-2335	7 1	3.0	4.5	25	1.5	2.0

^{*}Missing data indicate inbred lines were not tested that year.

[†]Included in "open-end" inbred test sponsored by Southern Corn Improvement Conference.

[‡]Texas male-sterile cytoplasm.

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		1970			1971	
Inbred	Total Plants	MDM Rating	MDM Rating	Total Plants	MDM Rating	MDM Rating
	No.	7-28	9-2	No.	7-21	8-17
Ky63-55 Ky63-56 Ky66-2500 MS129 MS1334	63 64 48 37	4.0 4.0 4.0 4.5	5.5 5.0 4.5 7.0	24	7.0	7.0
A73	43	5.0	5.0	28	3.5	4.0
A96 A239 A509 A554	40 45	3.5 4.0	4.0 4.5	26 31 27	1.0 2.0 8.0	4.0 3.0 8.0
A632 A634 A635 Mp339† Mp412†	30	5.0	6.0	23 25 12 37 37	7.0 6.0 6.5 2.0 2.0	9.0 6.5 8.0 5.0 4.5
Mp420† Mp490† F-0391† B2 Mo5	82 31 36 36	4.0 2.0 6.0 7.0	5.0 4.5 8.0 9.0	37 24 21	7.5 4.5 2.5	8.0 5.0 3.0
Mol 2 Mol 3 Mol 4W Mol 8W N6	80 42 42 87 16	3.0 5.0 4.5 2.5 4 0	4.0 7.0 5.0 3.5 7.0	35 38	3.0 2.5	3.5 3.5
N6J N7B N7B Cms-TRf N20	78 43 88 41	3.0 3.5 4.0 5.5	5.5 3.5 7.0 7.5	32 38	2.5 3.5	2.5 5.0 9.0
NC7† NC230† NC2A7† NC2A12† NCG2H1† NCG2HN†				35 34 6 8 41 46	8.0 3.5 1.5 2.5 3.0 3.0	7.5 4.0 6.0 7.0 6.0
NCG5D15† NCK5Y2-3† JSA52-2 J62-318 J62-392	37 38 39	5.0 4.5 5.5	5.0 8.0 8.0	36 41	4.0 3.5	7.0 5.5

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Inbred	Total Plants	MDM Rating	MDM Rating	Total Plants	MDM Rating	MDM Rating
	No.	7-28	9-2	No.	7-21	8-17
Oh5 o ₂ xOH5 ⁵ Oh07	8 <i>7</i>	3.0	3.5	31 19 73	3.5 5.0 1.0	5.5 7.0 3.5
Oh07 Cms-T Oh07 Cms-TRf	45 44	3.0 3.0	4.0 4.0			
Oh7B† o ₂ xOh7B ⁵	113	3.0	3.5	33 14	1.5 1.0	3.5 1.5
Oh7B X Oh07Cms-TF Oh7K Oh7K Cms-TRf	Rf 46 44 46	2.5 6.0 5.5	2.5 8.0 9.0	31	6.0	7.0
Oh7N Oh7N Cms-T	40 36	6.0 5.0	7.0 8.0	26	6.0	7.5
Oh26 fl ₂ xOH26 ⁶ Oh26F				31 33 34	6.0 6.0 7.0	8.0 8.0 7.5
Onzor fl ₂ xOh26F ⁷				38	7.0	7.5 7.5
Oh28 Oh40B fl ₂ xOH40B ⁵ o ₂ xOh40B ⁸	18	7.0	9.0	22 29 24	9.0 9.0 9.0	9.0 9.0 9.0
Oh41 o ₂ xOh41 ⁶				24 29	6.5 5.0	8.0 8.0
Oh43 Oh45 Oh422	69 42 39	5.0 6.5 5.5	6.5 9.0 7.0	6 28 25	7.0 8.5 7.5	.8.0 9.0 7.5
Oh509† Oh514 Pall Pall Cms-TRf	82 41 26	3.0 5.5 5.0	3.5 6.5 7.0	72 27	2.5 1.0	4.5 2.5
Pa32	42	5.0	6.5	29	7.0	6.5
Pa32 Cms-TRf Pa405 Pa884P SC138-28 SC152	43 83 34 13 34	6.0 3.0 5.5 5.5 3.5	8.5 4.5 6.0 7.0 4.0	23 19	3.5 5.0	4.5 6.0
SC155 SC155Y† SC212M SC214 SC229†	26 43 38 40	3.5 5.0 4.5 5.0	4.5 5.0 5.0 8.5	41	1.5	3.5
SC233	41	4.5	5.0			

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	No.	7-28	9-2	No.	7-21	8-1 <i>7</i>
SC254 SC276Q2† SC333 SC335 SC343†	36 37 43 42 87	3.5 5.0 2.5 5.0 3.0	4.5 5.0 2.0 6.5 4.0	80 40	3.5 4.0	5.0 4.5
SC354 SC359 SC389 SC399† SC401†	47 35 43	3.0 2.5 4.0	4.5 4.0 5.5	25 33	3.5 4.0	6.0 5.0
SCPM6 SD10 T.61W.C.† T105† T216	35 45 21 44	3.0 6.0 6.0 5.5	4.5 8.0 8.5 7.5	42	1.5	2.0
T226 T232† Tx29A† Tx61M Tx203-2†	44 49 39	5.0 1.5 5.0	7.0 3.0 6.0	36 44 34	1.0 2.0 5.0	1.0 4.0 6.0
Tx501† Tx601† Tx602† Tx5902† Tx5904†	57	1.5	2.0	24 38 48 38 20	7.5 2.5 4.5 9.0 8.0	7.5 4.5 5.0 9.0 8.0
Tx5754-4† Tx5563† Tx6001-5† CI.21† CI.38B	41 81	4.0 4.0	6.5 5.0	31 24 44 24 24	8.0 9.0 8.0 3.5 6.0	8.5 9.0 8.5 7.0 6.0
CI.38B Cms-T CI.38B Cms-TRf CI.44 CI.45† CI.90C†	62 29 40	4.5 4.5	7.5 9.0 8.5	32 31 34	1.5 1.5 4.5	3.5 3.5 7. 5
CI.187-2 CI.187-2 Cms-TRf Va35 W22R W22R Cms-TRf	32 34 86 35 32	6.0 6.5 4.0 5.5 6.0	9.0 9.0 6.0 9.0 9.0	38	4.0	6.5
W64A W64A Cms-T	43 31	6.0 6.5	7.5 9.0			

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†Included in "open-end" inbred test sponsored by Southern Corn Improvement Conference.

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TABLE 2.—Maize Dwarf Mosaic Ratings of North Central Corn Breeding Research Committee Uniform 400-600 Maturity Inbreds at Portsmouth, Ohio, in 1970 and 1971.

		1970			1971	
Inbred	Total Plants	MDM Rating	MDM Rating	Total Plants	MDM Rating	MDM Rating
	No.	7-28	9-2	No.	7-21	8-17
C1 23	48	5.5	7.5	23	5.0	6.0
M14	35	5.5	8.5	1 <i>7</i>	7.0	8.5
RM14Ht ₁ A	38	6.5	8.5	14	7.0	9.0
R168Ht, A	50	3.0	8.0	36	2.5	2.5
R181H+1B	41	6.0	8.0	24	5.0	8.0
F502	50	6.0	8.5	29	2.5	6.0
F522	46	5.0	6.0	30	2.5	5.5
H73	45	6.0	9.0	37	5.5	7.5
H88	47	5.0	7.5	41	7.0	7.0
H95	45	4.5	4.0	38	3.0	2.5
MS57	37	4.5	7.0	22	7.5	8.0
MS67	44	4.5	8.5	37	6.5	6.5
M\$68	43	6.0	9.0	21	8.0	8.5
MS80	43	4.5	4.5	24	5.0	4.5
MS106	39	6.0	<i>7</i> .0	27	7.0	8.0
MS107	41	5.5	8.0	18	7.0	8.5
MS132	46	5.5	8.5	18	6.5	8.5
MS142	44	5.5	8.0	16	8.0	9.0
MS153	50 48	6.5 4.5	8.0	35 33	6.5	7.5
MS213		4.3	5.5	33	6.0	6.5
MS214	50	6.0	9.0	23	7.5	7.5
A68-6	41	4.0	7.0			
A239	32	4.0	3.0	40	1.5	3.5
A257	46 39	5.0	8.5	18	5.0	7.5
A295	39	7.5	9.0	27	7.0	9.0
A427	43	5.0	9.0	19	5.5	9.0
A619	42	6.0	8.5	21	7.5	8.0
A628	47	5.5	7.0	32	7.5	7.5
A629	49	4.5	5.0	33	7.5	8.0
A556	42	6.0	8.0	19	7.0	8.5
A646	40	6.5	9.0	30	5.5	7.0
A657				16	7.5	8.5
N20	47	5.5	7.5	28	6.5	8.5
Oh43 Oh51A	43 44	6.0	6.0	22 35	7.5	7.5
		5.5	7.0		7.0	7.5
Oh545	40	6.0	8.5	35	8.5	8:5
Oh57:1044	44	6.5	9.0	32	5.5	7.0
Pa405	45	3.0	5.0	35	5.5	7.5
Pa409	39	4.5	8.0	27	7.0	8.5
SD10	40	6.5	9.0	22	7.5	9.0

TABLE 2 (Continued).—Maize Dwarf Mosaic Ratings of North Central Corn Breeding Research Committee Uniform 400-600 Maturity Inbreds at Portsmouth, Ohio, in 1970 and 1971.

		1970			1971		
Inbred	Total Plants	MDM Rating	MDM Rating	Total Plants	MDM Rating	MDM Rating	
	No.	7-28	9-2	No.	7-21	8-17	
W22R(G9)	47	6.5	9.0	27	7.5	8.5	
W61BR-3	46	4.5	5.0	1 <i>7</i>	8.5	8.5	
W64A	48	5.5	8.5	38	8.0	8.0	
W64AR	46	5.5	7.5	32	8.0	8.0	
W117	42	4.0	7.0	25	7.5	8.0	
W153R	44	6.0	8.0	32	8.0	8.5	
W182B	37	7.0	9.0	28	9.0	9.0	
W182E	33	6.5	9.0	31	9.0	9.0	
W729C	37	5.5	8.0	39	8.0	8.5	

TABLE 3.—Maize Dwarf Mosaic Ratings of North Central Corn Breeding Research Committee Uniform 700-800 Maturity Inbred Lines at Portsmouth, Ohio, in 1970 and 1971.

		1970			1971		
Inbred	Total Plants	MDM Rating	MDM Rating	Total Plants	MDM Rating	MDM Rating	
	No.	7-28	9-2	No.	7-29	8-18	
R177 Ht ₁ A	20	6.5	8.5	28	5.0	6.0	
RHy2 Ht B	20	5.0	7.0	21	7.5	8.5	
H49	28	5.5	4.5	29	5.0	5.0	
H60	22	6.0	6.5	9	6.0	6.0	
H84	30	6.5	7.5	36	7.0	8.0	
H88	24	4.0	5.5	26	7.0	7.0	
H91	25	5.5	7.0	13	5.5	6.5	
H92	28	6.0	6.5	21	7.0	8.0	
H93	16	5.5	5.5	30	7.5	8.5	
H94	27	6.5	6.5	21	6.0	6.5	
H95	27	4.0	4.0	39	2.5	2.5	
H96	12	7.5	8.0	28	9.0	9.0	
WF9	20	5.5	6.5	28	6.5	8.5	
B14A	20	4.5	7.0	12	6.5	7.5	
B3 7	24	5.0	6.0	22	7.5	8.5	

TABLE 3 (Continued).—Maize Dwarf Mosaic Ratings of North Central Corn Breeding Research Committee Uniform 700-800 Maturity Inbred Lines at Portsmouth, Ohio, in 1970 and 1971.

		1970			1971	
Inbred	Total	MDM	MDM	Total	MDM	MDM
	Plants	Rating	Rating	Plants	Rating	Rating
	No.	7-28	9-2	No.	7-29	8-18
B49	6	5.5	8.5	24	8.0	8.0
B52	25	4.5	5.0	35	5.0	7.0
B54	19	3.0	5.5	27	3.5	4.0
B57	15	6.0	7.0	31	8.0	8.5
B66	21	6.5	6.5	27	5.5	7.0
B67	23	6.0	5.5	24	5.5	5.5
B68	26	4.5	6.0	26	5.5	6.5
B69	27	5.0	6.0	16	7.5	7.0
B73	23	5.5	6.5	26	8.0	9.0
Mo1W	24	5.0	5.5	36	4.5	5.0
Mo3	23	6.0	5.5	22	7.0	8.0
Mo5	19	7.5	8.5	29	8.0	8.5
Mo6	25	7.0	6.5	17	6.0	6.5
Mo11	18	3.5	6.5	25	7.0	8.0
Mo12	28	1.5	3.5	22	3.0	3.5
Mo14W	24	3.5	7.5	18	7.0	7.0
Mo17	18	6.0	5.0	37	6.0	5.0
Mo19	24	3.5	6.5	26	5.0	7.5
Mo20W	28	1.0	4.0	44	1.0	2.5
N7A	10	4.5	6.0	39	3.5	5.5
N7B N22A N28 N31 N101 N103 N104 N138 Oh41 Oh507	25 18 25 13 24 23 18 18 18	3.0 5.5 5.5 3.5 4.5 3.5 5.0 5.0 6.5 6.0	3.0 6.0 7.5 5.0 5.0 5.0 4.5 5.5 7.5 8.0	33 17 31 21 31 23 20 21 29 31	4.0 7.0 5.0 5.5 5.5 7.0 6.5 5.5 6.5	4.5 7.0 5.5 5.0 7.5 6.0 6.5 8.0 7.5 7.5
Oh508	24	4.5	6.0	15	6.0	7.5
Oh509	21	1.0	4.0	28	4.0	4.0
Oh510	26	5.0	5.0	35	4.5	5.5
Oh511	23	4.0	6.0	27	6.0	7.5
Oh512	29	5.5	6.5	35	6.0	6.0
Oh545	25	6.0	7.0	35	7.5	8.0
CI.31A	21	6.5	7.5	25	8.5	9.0

TABLE 4.—Maize Dwarf Mosaic Ratings of North Central Corn Breeding Research Committee Uniform 900 Maturity Inbred Lines at Portsmouth, Ohio, in 1970 and 1971.

		1970			1971	
Inbred	Total	MDM	MDM	Total	MDM	MDM
	Plants	Rating	Rating	Plants	Rating	Rating
	No.	7-28	9-2	No.	7-29	8-1 <i>7</i>
33-16 K804 K809 K9214 K9266	28 17 15 16	5.0 8.0 3.5 3.5	5.5 8.5 4.5 4.5	35 20 24 10 31	4.0 8.0 4.5 4.0 8.0	6.5 8.5 4.0 4.5 7.5
K9385 K9390 K9408 Ky128 Ky201	23 23 22 3 8	4.0 1.5 8.0 1.0 5.0	7.0 5.5 7.5 5.0 8.0	26 41 36	5.5 7.5 4.0	7.0 8.0 4.5
Ky209 Ky211 Ky216 Ky217 Ky222	20 11 26 26 2	6.0 4.5 6.0 3.0 2.0	6.5 7.0 7.5 4.5 6.0	24 25 45 34	7.5 7.5 5.0 4.0	8.0 8.0 5.5 4.5
Ky225	22	6.5	6.0	28	5.0	6.5
Ky226	8	3.5	5.0	22	7.0	8.5
Ky228	12	5.0	7.5	20	5.5	7.0
Mo3	21	5.0	6.0	17	7.5	9.0
Mo6	14	4.5	6.5	24	4.5	5.5
Mo7	23	4.5	6.0	28	6.5	7.0
Mo10	24	3.5	5.0	28	7.5	7.0
Mo12	16	1.5	5.5	27	3.5	3.0
Mo13	24	5.0	6.0	37	5.5	6.5
Mo14W	21	3.0	5.5	30	4.5	5.5
Mo17	20	5.5	6.5	19	7.5	6.5
Mo18W	26	2.5	2.0	24	3.5	3.0
Mo20W	27	2.5	4.5	39	1.0	2.0
Oh7B	23	1.0	3.5	26	2.5	2.0
T111	15	4.0	5.5	19	6.5	6.5
T115	18	3.0	4.5	35	6.0	5.5
T204	11	4.5	5.0	31	4.0	4.5
T206	18	7.0	8.0	33	7.0	8.0
T212	18	6.5	5.5	20	6.5	7.0
T218	14	8.5	6.5	30	8.0	9.0
T220	20	4.0	6.5	28	5.5	5.5
T222	7	3.5	5.0	20	5.0	6.0
T224	14	3.0	4.5	24	5.0	4.0
T232	26	1.0	3.0	41	2.5	2.0
Cl.21E	23	2.0	5.5	31	5.5	5.5
Va35 Va55 Va71 Va84 Va85 Va89	27 26 24 19 23 25	4.0 8.0 6.5 3.5 4.0 8.0	5.5 6.5 7.0 4.5 5.0 7.5	28 44 36	5.0 4.0 5.5	6.5 5.0 7.0

TABLE 5.—Maize Dwarf Mosaic Ratings of Dent Hybrids at Portsmouth, Ohio, in 1970.

Hybrid	Total Plants	MDM Rating	MDM Rating
	No.	7-28	9-2
Asgrow H69329	49	5.0	4.5
Asgrow H69331	50	4.0	4.5
Asgrow H69350A	49	3.5	4.0
Asgrow H69381A	44	4.0	4.5
itull 550W	50	3.0	4.0
itull 700WSP	35	2.5	3.5
tull Exp. 1808	43	3.0	4.5
ituli 3074	47	2.5	4.0
ituli 9074SP	44	1.0	3.5
345 x B14A	34	3.0	5.5
J7B x B14A	41	3.5	5.0
37 x B14A	42	5.0	5.0
37 x C103	34	3.5	4.5
N7B x C103	37	3.0	3.0
345 x C103	46	4.0	3.5
0h07 x Oh41	39	2.5	3.5
No12 x Oh7B	46	1.0	2.5
337 x Oh67:6088	50	2.5	3.5
N7B x Oh514) (Va35 x Cl. 38B)	50	2.5	3.5
N7B x Oh514) (Oh502 x N5)	48	2.5	3.5
Oh7B x Va35) (B37 x B14A)	47	3.5	3.5
N7B x Oh514) (Oh45C x N5)	46	2.5	3.5
Oh07 x Oh514) (Oh45C x N5)	49	2.5	3.5
N7B x Mo12) (Oh45C x N5)	34	2.5	3.5
Oh7B x Oh514) (Va35 x Cl. 38B)	45	2.5	3.5
N7B x Oh514) (Va35 x B54)	42	2.0	3.5

TABLE 6.—Maize Dwarf Mosaic Ratings of Commercial and Open-Pedigree Hybrids Grown in a Four-Replicate Performance Trial at Portsmouth, Ohio, in 1970.

Hybrid No.	Stand	MDM	MDM	H. maydis
or Pedigree		Rating	Rating	Rating
	%	7-28	9-2	9-2
Asgrow 61719	100	4.8	5.0	5.0
Asgrow 61724	100	4.0	4.5	5.0
Crow 954	100	2.3	2.8	2.0
Funk G4761	100	2.0	2.8	3.1
Funk 23413	100	1.8	2.0	3.0
Hiser S88	100	5.0	4.8	4.9
Kenworthy K411	101	3.3	3.8	4.9
Kenworthy K465	99	4.0	3.8	4.4
Kenworthy K502	99	3.8	4.5	5.0
Landmark C897XX	100	4.5	4.5	4.6
Mark M425	100	3.8	3.8	3.8
Mark M423E	100	2.8	3.5	4.4
Mark M424M	100	2.5	3.0	4.5
Moews M721	100	5.3	5.3	4.4
Moews SM620	100	5.3	5.3	4.9
Moews SM730	100	4.5	4.8	5.0
Moews SM3359W	100	4.0	4.0	2.5
Moews SM5559W	100	4.0	4.8	5.0
P.A.G. SX17	100	1.5	2.8	3.8
P.A.G. SX90W	100	2.0	2.3	2.5
P.A.G. 439	100	2.8	2.8	4.9
P.A.G. Exp. 19520	100	1.8	2.8	1.1
Pioneer 511A	100	2.8	3.3	1.3
Pioneer 3147 (X8583)	100	2.0	1.8	0.0
Pioneer 3188	100	4.3	4.3	4.1
Pioneer X6499 Pioneer X8445 Porter Exp. 81B Ruff RW21 Ruff RW23	100	2.5	3.0	3.5
	100	1.3	2.3	0.0
	100	4.3	5.0	4.5
	100	4.3	3.8	4.3
	100	4.0	3.5	4.1
Ruff RW26	100	3.0	4.0	4.1
Ruff RX1266	100	2.0	2.5	4.4
Williams W100	100	2.8	3.3	4.8
(B14xH84) (CR5-2DxCR159K)	100	5.8	5.8	3.8
(B37xA632) (CR5-2DxCR159K)	100	6.8	5.8	5.0
Ky61-235 x Mo18W	100	1.3	1.0	0.1
Oh7B x Mo12	100	1.0	2.0	1.5
Oh514 x Oh07	100	1.0	2.0	0.4
(Oh7BxMo12) (Cl.38BxVa35)	100	2.8	2.8	0.6
(N7BxOh514) (Va35xN6)	100	3.0	3.8	2.5

TABLE 7.—Maize Dwarf Mosaic Ratings of Sweet Corn Hybrids at Portsmouth, Ohio, in 1970.

Hybrid	Total Plants	Days to Mid-Silk	MDM Rating	MDM Rating
	No.	No.	7-28	8-19
Asgrow Wintergreen	36	58	3.5	4.5
Crookham Cr. 647	34	59	5.0	6.0
Crookham Cr. 1007	28	60	4.0	5.0
Crookham Cr. 1008	35	60	5.5	6.5
Crookham Cr. 1009	39	58	4.5	5.5
Crookham Cr. 1020	3 <i>7</i>	59	4.5	4.5
Crookham Cr. 485:65	35	61	2.5	3.0
Crookham Cr. 522:67	39	58	4.0	5.0
Crookham Jamboree	36	60	5.5	6.5
Ferry Morse E5555	38	60	2.0	2.5
Ferry Morse E5575C	40	60	5.5	6.0
Ferry Morse E5625	32	60	6.0	6.5
Ferry Morse E6550	43	60	4.5	5.5
Ferry Morse E7515	36	57	4.5	4.5
Ferry Morse E7560	38	58	4.5	5.5
Ferry Morse E7590	28	58	4.0	4.0
Green Giant TR-23#1	33	59	7.0	8.5
Green Giant TR-23#2	28	58	6.5	9.0
Green Giant TR-23#3	36	55	6.5	7.0
Green Giant TR-23#4	38	59	5.5	6.5
Green Giant TR-23#5	30	59	6.5	9.0
Green Giant TR-23#6	32	57	6.0	8.0
Green Giant TR-23#7	44	56	5.5	7.0
Green Giant TR-23#8	32	60	5.0	5.5
Green Giant TR-23#9	28	60	6.0	7.0
Green Giant TR-23#10	35	59	6.0	7.0
Green Giant TR-23#11	32	57	5.0	7.0
Green Giant TR-23#12	35	58	6.0	7.5
Green Giant TR-23#13	37	59	6.0	6.5
Green Giant TR-23#14	41	58	4.5	5.0
Green Giant TR-23#15	38	59	5.0	5.0
Green GiantTR-23'#16	33	60	5.0	5.5
Letherman Golden Security	39	61	5.0	6.0

TABLE 8.—MDM Ratings of Diallel Crosses Involving Resistant and Susceptible Lines at Portsmouth, Ohio, in 1971.

Single Cross	Stand	MDM Rating	MDM Rating
	%	7-20	8-24
Res	istant x Resista	nt	
Ky61-2335 x Mo18W	102	1.3	3.3
Ky61-2335 x Oh07	103 101	1.0 1.3	2.0 2.0
Ky61-2335 x Oh514 Ky61-2335 x Pa405	97	1.5	3.8
Mo18W x Oh07	97	1.3	2.5
Mo18W x Oh514	100	1.5	3.0
Mo18W x Pa405	93	1.3	2.8
Oh07 x Oh514 Oh07 x Pa405	101 98	1.0 1.5	2.0 3.5
Oh514 x Pa405	100	1.5	3.5
Resis	stant x Suscepti	ble	
Ky61-2335 x M14 Ky61-2335 x H55	85 87	2.3 5.8	3.8 6.5
Ky61-2335 x Mo5	96	2.0	4.5
Ky61-2335 x Oh45B	97	2.0	3.8
Ky61-2335x Oh506	92	2.3	4.3
Mo18W x M14	87	2.8	5.0
Mo18W x H55 Mo18W x Mo5	84 88	3.5 2.8	4.3 4.8
Mo18W x Mo3 Mo18W x Oh45B	84	1.5	3.5
Mo18W x Oh506	93	3.0	4.5
Oh07 x M14	105	1.5	3.3
Oh07 x H55 Oh07 x Mo5	88 93	4.3 1.0	5.3 3.0
Oh07 x Mo3 Oh07 x Oh45B	101	2.0	4.0
Oh07 x Oh506	101	1.3	3.5
Oh514 x M14	100	3.3	3.8
Oh514 x H55	85 98	5.3 4.0	5.8 4.8
Oh514 x Mo5 Oh514 x Oh45B	90 91	3.3	3.5
Oh514 x Oh506	98	4.5	3.8
Pa405 x M14	85	4.3	4.8
Pa405 x H55	88	5.0	5.3
Pa405 x Mo5 Pa405 x Oh45B	86 91	3.8 4.3	5.0 5.0
Pa405 x Oh506	97	1.5	3.3
Susce	ptible x Suscep	tible	
M14 x H55	81 81	7.0 6.8	8.0 7.8
M14 x Mo5 M14 x Oh45B	78	6.0	7.8
M14 x Oh506	86	7.3	8.5
H55 x Mo5	67	7.3	8.8
H55 x Oh45B	82	5.0	6.5
H55 x Oh506 Mo5 x Oh45B	78 81	6.0 5.5	7.5 7.0
Mo5 x On45B Mo5 x Oh506	91	6.5	8.5
Oh45B x Oh506	87	5.0	6.5

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