



# Maturity Classification of Wheat Varieties

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Maturity classification is an important consideration when choosing a wheat variety. Abiotic stress factors such as freeze, drought or heat do not generally affect maturity classes equally within a given year. Growers can reduce overall risk from abiotic stress by splitting acres among early, medium-, and late-maturing varieties. Planting an early maturing variety generally reduces risk associated with heat during grain fill,

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but increases risk associated with spring freeze injury. The opposite is true for late maturing wheat varieties, which increase risk associated with heat during grain fill, but reduce risk associated with spring freeze injury. Ultimately, a diversified portfolio of wheat varieties of different maturity classes will reduce the risk associated with a single adverse weather event. See Table 1 below for maturity listings of wheat varieties.

Licensee	Entry	Maturity
AGSECO	TAM 113	M
AGSECO	TAM 114	M
KWA	1863	M
KWA	Everest	E
KWA	Fuller	E
KWA	Jagger	VE
KWA	KanMark	M
KWA	Karl 92	E
KWA	Oakley CL	L
KWA	Overley	VE
LCS	LCS Mint	M
LCS	LCS Wizard	M
LCS	Mint	L
LCS	T153	E
LCS	T154	E
LCS	T158	M
LCS	T163	M
LCS	LCS Pistol	E
OGI	Bentley	E
OGI	Billings	E
OGI	Centerfield	M
OGI	Doublestop CL Plus	L
OGI	Duster	M
OGI	Gallagher	E
OGI	Garrison	L
OGI	Iba	L
OGI	OK Bullet	M
OGI	Pete	E
OGI	Ruby Lee	E
OSU	2174	L
OSU	Chisholm	E
OSU	Custer	E
OSU	Deliver	M
OSU	Endurance	L
OSU	Triumph 64	M

Licensee	Entry	Maturity
PlainsGold	Above	VE
PlainsGold	Bill Brown	M
PlainsGold	Brawl CL Plus	E
PlainsGold	Byrd	M
PlainsGold	Hatcher	L
PlainsGold	Ripper	E
Syngenta	AP503CL2	L
Syngenta	CJ	E
Syngenta	Cutter	M
Syngenta	Doans	M
Syngenta	Fannin	VE
Syngenta	Greer	M
Syngenta	Jackpot	E
Syngenta	Jagalene	E
Syngenta	Postrock	M
Syngenta	SY Drifter	M
Syngenta	SY Flint	E
Syngenta	SY Llano	VE
Syngenta	SY Monument	L
Syngenta	SY Southwind	E
Syngenta	SY Wolf	M
Syngenta	TAM 111	L
TAMU	Lockett	VL
TAMU	TAM 110	VE
TAMU	TAM 401	E
UN-L	Mace	VL
Watley	TAM 112	L
Watley	TAM 304	M
WestBred	Armour	E
WestBred	Redhawk	E
WestBred	Santa Fe	M
WestBred	WB Cedar	E
WestBred	WB-Grainfield	L
WestBred	WB4458	M
WestBred	Winterhawk	M

VE = Very Early, E = Early, M = Medium, L = Late, VL = Latest

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