Best Management Practices for Scab of Small Grains



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Pathogen (Causal Agent)

- Fusarium graminearum
- FHB on spring wheat, winter wheat, durum, barley, rye, and oat
- Also causes root rots, corn stalk rots and corn ear rots

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Yield Losses Lower Test Weights DON

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*Persistent Moisture
*High humidity
*75-85°F
*Before and during heading







Cereal Crop Residue – wheat, barley, corn, oat



Management of FHB and DON











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Crop Rotation



Variety – FHB Resistance

McMullen, 2011







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Management with Less Susceptible Varieties



Less Susceptible Varieties

- Hard red wheats FHB resistance often includes *Fhb1* (Chinese Spring Wheat 'Sumai 3')
- Barley has natural Type II resistance, but still susceptible to initial infection
- Less resistance available in durum



HRSW		Durum		HRWW	
Variety	FHB Rating	Variety	FHB Rating	Variety	FHB Rating
SY Soren	М	Divide	Μ	Jerry	S
SY Ingmar	М	Carpio	М	Decade	S
Elgin-ND	М	Alkabo	MS	WB Matlock	MS
Barlow	М	Joppa	М	SY Wolf	MS
Glenn	MR	Tioga	MS	Wesley	S
Faller	М	Lebsock	MS	Emerson	MR
Linkert	М	Mountrail	S		
WB Mayville	S				
Rollag	MR				
SY Valda	MR				



Fungicide Application for Scab

- Weather conditions prior and at heading -Forecasting models, "gut-instinct"
- Triazoles only (efficacy differences)
 -Prosaro, Caramba, Folicur
- Scout fields for growth stage
 Heading, flowering etc.

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SMALL GRAIN DISEASE FORECASTING MODEL

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Small Grain Disease Forecasting Model

Small Grain Diseases Explained

Other Crops and Weather Information

Small Grain Disease Forecasting Model

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Small Grain Disease Forecasting Model

The NDSU Small Grains Disease Forecasting Model assists producers in estimating the possibility of disease in their crops and provides information for making. This is done in conjunction with NDAWN weather station locations within North Dakota and sections of western Minnesota and eastern Montana.

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ND Commentary last update 2015-06-17 Andrew Friskop,

risk

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According to the model, the areas with the highest level of scab risk continue to be in south central to southwestern ND. A few more pockets of elevated scab risk are apparent on the eastern side of the state as well. Areas south of I-94 received a steady rain yesterday, which will likely increase scab risk in the small grains. Also, the dew point temperatures have been relatively high resulting in prolonged moisture periods (dew) in the morning. The combination of these factors and with rain in the forecast could elevate scab risk throughout he state.



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June 15, 2016



June 28, 2016



July 5, 2016



July 12, 2016



July 19, 2016



Fungicide Choice



Fungicide Choice – FRAC 3 (Triazoles)

Pierce et al. 2008

Mean Percent Reduction

Fungicide	FHB Severity	DON
Prosaro	52%	42%
Caramba	50%	45%
Proline	48%	43%
Folicur, generics	40%	23%
Tilt, generics	32%	12%

*Often observe greater reductions in durum and HRSW

Fungicide Timing







Durum – FHB Trial – 14-15 Langdon



Chapara, Friskop and Gautam, 2014

FHB – Fungicide Timing - Barley



2015 – Fargo

Double (Split) Applications

12 trials at 5 locations Friskop, Brueggeman, Ransom, Schatz and Kalil USWBSI Funded





<u>#</u>	<u>Fungicide</u>	<u>Timing</u>	DON Reduction	
1	Prosaro @ 6.5 oz/A	Recommended Time	44%	
2	Prosaro @ 6.5 oz Recommended Time		C 40/	
2	Caramba @ 14 oz/A	4-7 days later	04%	
3	Caramba @ 14 oz/A Recommended			
3	Tebuconazole @ 4 oz/A	4-7 days later	58%	
4	Proline @ 5.7 oz/A	Recommended Time	64%	
4	Tebuconazole @ 4 oz/A	4-7 days later		

Recommended time for wheat= early flowering; for barley = full-head

HRSW – Integrated Management



2014 & 2015 – Fargo and LREC

