

2026 Durum Variety Trial at Minot

Variety	Heading Date	Plant Height	Lodging	Test Weight	Protein	----- 2024	2025	Yield 2026	----- 2-yr avg	3-yr avg
	DAP*	inches	1 to 9**	lbs/bu	%	-----		bu/A	-----	
AAC SCHRADER	62	43	1	60.7	14.1	--	45.6	41.2	--	--
AAC SPITFIRE	60	39	1	57.9	13.7	--	--	48.1	--	--
AAC STRONGHOLD	60	39	1	59.3	14.4	46.5	63.8	41.3	52.6	50.5
ALKABO	61	40	1	60.1	13.0	55.0	49.1	45.1	47.1	49.7
CARPIO	61	41	1	61.1	11.6	49.0	55.9	44.5	50.2	49.8
CDC VANTTA	63	37	1	61.1	13.0	39.8	--	47.0	43.4	--
CDC WISETON	61	44	1	60.0	13.9	38.6	--	43.2	40.9	--
DIVIDE	65	42	1	60.6	13.9	40.9	40.4	39.4	39.9	40.2
JOPPA	64	44	1	60.5	12.9	54.0	55.4	41.9	48.7	50.4
MAIER	61	41	1	59.8	13.7	43.8	41.0	47.4	44.2	44.1
MOUNTRAIL	61	40	1	59.7	12.8	52.5	52.9	40.6	46.8	48.7
MT BLACKBEARD	62	44	1	61.5	13.1	--	56.9	50.3	53.6	--
ND GLADIATOR	60	44	1	59.9	13.6	--	--	41.6	--	--
ND GRANO	62	40	1	61.4	12.7	58.2	48.4	44.6	46.5	50.4
ND RIVELAND	61	44	1	60.2	12.7	53.4	48.7	45.4	47.1	49.2
ND STANLEY	63	40	1	60.6	13.6	53.8	67.4	46.4	56.9	55.9
STRONGFIELD	61	42	1	59.7	13.4	34.4	53.3	50.6	52.0	46.1
TCG BRIGHT	62	43	1	60.3	12.5	47.7	50.1	44.9	47.5	47.6
TCG RANGER	60	40	1	60.4	12.3	--	52.8	50.8	51.8	--
TCG WEBSTER	55	36	1	58.5	13.4	--	--	46.4	--	--
VT PEAK	59	39	1	60.8	13.2	50.9	--	42.0	46.5	--
Trial mean	62	41	--	60.4	13.1	48.5	52.9	47.4	--	--
C.V.%	2.8	7.1	--	1.5	9.1	7.7	6.9	9.1	--	--
LSD 5%	4	6	--	1.8	2.4	6.1	5.9	11.8	--	--
LSD 10%	3	5	--	1.5	2.0	5.1	4.9	9.8	--	--

*DAP = Days after planting

**Lodging: 1 = none, 9 = lying flat on the ground.

NS = no statistical difference between varieties.

Planting date: May 6, 2026

Harvest date: August 20, 2026

Seeding rate: 1.5 million live seeds/acre

Previous crop: Soybeans

Tillage system: no-till

Soil type: Williams loam