

**Table 9.** Field performance of **COMMERCIAL** sugarbeet varieties<sup>1</sup> in **MODERATE RHIZOMANIA** conditions in the Amalgamated Sugar Co. LLC Variety Trial at the **DEAN BINGHAM FARM, JEROME, Idaho, 2003.**

VARIETY	Root <sup>2</sup>	Sugar	Gross	Conduc-	Extrac-	Estimated		Tare	Curly Top Ratings <sup>3</sup>			
	Yield (T/A)	Content (%)	Sugar (lbs/A)	tivity (mmhos)	tion (%)	Recoverable Sugar (lbs/T)	(lbs/A)		1999	2001	2002	2003
<b>ACH Seeds</b>												
ACH Mustang	24.60	15.38	7562	1.124	79.57	244.8	6021 hij <sup>z</sup>	5.82	4.5	5.1	3.7	4.9
Crystal 217R <sup>4</sup>	30.43	18.08	10991	0.878	83.48	301.9	9175 cd	6.89	-	-	3.6	5.4
Crystal 9906R <sup>4,5</sup>	30.12	17.68	10656	0.836	83.98	297.0	8951 d	6.24	-	5.1	-	5.5
<b>Betaseed</b>												
Beta 4035R <sup>4</sup>	33.96	17.63	11973	0.861	83.63	294.9	10015 ab	5.96	5.4	5.0	4.2	5.5
Beta 4199R <sup>4</sup>	33.55	18.55	12437	0.772	84.97	315.3	10569 a	6.12	-	5.3	3.8	5.3
Beta 4490R <sup>4</sup>	31.40	18.03	11310	0.844	83.93	302.7	9493 bcd	5.34	4.6	4.8	3.8	4.8
Beta 4773R <sup>4</sup>	30.41	17.86	10847	0.829	84.08	300.4	9117 cd	5.90	-	4.8	4.1	5.8
Beta 8220B	25.73	15.06	7735	1.247	77.73	234.5	6033 hij	6.29	4.6	4.8	3.5	4.9
Beta 8348	27.99	15.95	8946	1.038	80.83	258.4	7249 ef	6.49	5.2	6.2	4.6	6.2
Beta 8600	26.96	15.15	8166	1.156	79.08	239.7	6460 fgh	6.18	-	-	3.7	4.9
Beta 8859	23.37	16.81	7861	0.852	83.60	281.0	6580 fgh	7.78	-	5.1	4.2	5.4
<b>Hillehog/Syngenta</b>												
HM 1642	23.57	16.33	7723	0.965	81.97	267.9	6341 ghi	5.97	4.9	5.0	4.1	5.9
HM 2980RZ <sup>4</sup>	34.58	17.80	12317	0.868	83.57	297.6	10302 ab	5.10	4.9	4.7	4.6	4.9
HM 2984RZ <sup>4</sup>	29.73	17.71	10523	0.751	85.11	301.4	8957 d	7.53	-	4.8	3.1	3.9
HM 2986RZ <sup>4</sup>	29.23	17.57	10270	0.738	85.25	299.6	8758 d	5.97	-	-	3.4	4.2
HM Oasis	25.04	15.27	7646	0.984	81.48	248.9	6234 g-j	5.68	4.2	4.7	2.9	3.9
HM Owyhee	23.27	14.87	6949	1.114	79.55	236.9	5555 ij	6.64	4.2	4.3	3.3	3.5
HM PM21	23.79	16.31	7760	0.893	82.94	270.6	6439 fgh	6.48	4.6	4.4	3.1	3.7
<b>Holly Hybrids-Spreckels</b>												
AcclaimRZ <sup>4</sup>	33.98	17.91	12167	0.915	82.95	297.2	10094 ab	4.93	-	-	3.9	4.5
EagleRZ <sup>4</sup>	33.13	17.72	11739	0.887	83.30	295.2	9782 abc	5.04	-	6.2	4.4	5.1
HH 120	25.51	16.20	8260	1.091	80.19	260.0	6640 fgh	5.22	5.9	5.6	4.0	5.9
HH 125 <sup>5</sup>	27.30	16.98	9286	0.874	83.34	283.1	7745 e	6.21	5.9	5.8	4.6	6.8
PhoenixRZ <sup>4</sup>	34.05	17.45	11878	0.933	82.64	288.4	9818 abc	4.40	-	5.3	4.9	5.0
<b>Seedex</b>												
SX Cascade	20.87	15.69	6576	0.904	82.64	259.5	5456 j	7.02	4.1	5.2	3.2	3.9
SX Orbit	24.77	16.73	8298	0.919	82.65	276.6	6864 fg	7.19	-	4.8	4.1	5.1
SX Puma	24.10	15.89	7692	0.964	81.89	260.4	6315 ghi	7.28	4.3	4.7	3.6	4.3
SX RaptorRZ <sup>4</sup>	35.13	17.28	12144	0.911	82.89	286.5	10070 ab	5.34	-	4.7	4.1	5.7
Curly Top Susceptible Check									6.4	6.9	5.6	6.8
Curly Top Resistant Check (US 41)									4.7	5.3	3.5	5.1
LSD (0.05)	2.62	0.63	936	0.098	1.43	13.2	820	1.77				
LSD (0.10)	2.20	0.52	784	0.082	1.20	11.0	687	1.48				
CV (%)	9.6	3.9	10.1	10.9	1.8	4.9	10.7	30.0				
Pr>F	0.0001	0.0001	0.0001	0.0001	0.0001	0.0001	0.0001	0.0172				

When comparing yields or sugars of two varieties, the values must differ by a value equal to or greater than the LSD (0.05) given at the bottom of each column to be considered statistically different in this test.

<sup>z</sup>Means followed by the same letter are not significantly different at P ≤ 0.05.

Planted April 21, 2003; Harvested October 15-16, 2003.

<sup>1</sup> All entries are commercial seed obtained locally.

<sup>2</sup> Root yields have been individually tared.

<sup>3</sup> Curly Top Ratings: 0 = no curly top symptoms; 9 = plants killed. To calculate and compare the average curly top resistance of two or more varieties, use only those years data in which the compared varieties all have ratings.

The Beet Sugar Development Foundation's 2000 Curly Top test results are omitted due to inconsistent ratings; a result of severe stand loss at cultivation.

<sup>4</sup> Entered as a rhizomania resistant variety.

<sup>5</sup> Entered as a rhizoctonia resistant variety.