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Introduction

The calculated final commercial crop figure for maize for the 2005/2006 season by the National Crop Estimates Committee was 6 618 000 tons. This is 42,2 % lower than the previous season's 11 450 000 tons. The average production from 1996/97 to 2004/05 was 8,86 million tons. The major maize-producing region was the Free State (2 029 500 tons), followed by Mpumalanga (1 543 200 tons) and the North West (1 496 600 tons). White maize contributed 62 % to the total production, which is 5 % higher than the previous year.

900 composite samples, proportionally representing white and yellow maize of each production region, were analysed for quality. All samples were graded according to RSA and USA grading regulations, 100 kernel weight, kernel size, breakage susceptibility, stress cracks, milling index, fat, protein, starch and whiteness index were determined. Mycotoxin analyses as well as testing for GM maize were performed on 90 samples representative of white and yellow maize produced per region.

The 900 samples analysed consisted of 593 white maize samples and 307 yellow maize samples. Of the 593 white maize samples analysed, 50 % were WM1, 37 % WM2, 13 % WM3 and only two samples were of the Class Other Maize white. Of the 307 yellow maize samples analysed, 68 % were YM1, 28 % YM2, 2 % YM3 and seven sample was of the Class Other Maize yellow.

The maize crop survey is annually done by the Southern African Grain Laboratory (SAGL).

Crop quality

This crop was below average quality and 56 % of the crop graded as maize grade 1. Maize were mainly down graded because of *Fusarium* and *Diplodia*.

The average hectolitre mass was 75,9 kg/hl (77,5 during 2004/2005). Maize were planted late due to insufficient soil moisture which resulted in the maize kernels (because of sub-optimal temperatures) being not fully matured (physiologically under developed). The hull of the kernel is then more susceptible to secondary infections. For this same reason the nutritional values can be adversely affected.

The average percentage of total defective kernels of 7,8 % was higher than the previous season's 5,8 %.

The average fat content was 4,0 % (db), average starch content 71,2 % (db) and average protein 8,4 % (db). The average fat content and starch content compared well with the long term averages, while the average protein content dropped by 0,4 % (db).

The kernel size corresponded to the previous season but the 100 kernel weight averaged 32,9 % (1,5 % lower than the previous season). The kernels this season were more breakable than the previous season although the stress cracks were 0,6 % lower (better) than the previous season.

The average milling index was 90,8, about 9 lower than the previous season's 99,9. The whiteness of the white maize meal averaged a little better (whiter) than last season.

Maize quality (Summary)

The maize quality of the three main maize-producing provinces was more or less the same. The physical characteristics of the white maize were overall marginally better than those of the yellow maize, while grading and nutritional values compared well.

Free State

This province produced 32 % of all the commercial maize in South Africa, of which 66 % was white maize and 34 % yellow maize.

The average percentage total defective kernels for Free State was 8,2 %. North West also averaged 8,2% and Mpumalanga 6,5 %.

The maize produced in the Free State averaged a hectolitre mass of 76,0 kg/hl. (North West was 75,7 kg/hl and Mpumalanga 76,2 kg/hl.) The white maize in the Free State averaged 76,4 kg/hl and the yellow maize 75,4 kg/hl.

The 100 kernel weight for Free State averaged 33,2 g, with the white maize averaging 33,9 g and the yellow maize 31,9 g. (Mpumalanga and North West averaged 33,0 g and 32,1 g respectively.)

This province had the largest kernel size with an average of 27,5 % of the maize having kernels > 10mm. (Mpumalanga was 24,9 % and North West 24,4%.)

Stress cracks were the highest in the Free State with 4,9 %, Mpumalanga had 4,1 % and the North West the lowest percentage with 3,4.

The average milling index was the lowest in the Free State (89,5 %), closely followed by North West with 90,9 % and Mpumalanga with 92,7 %.

The average Fumonisin content was the lowest of the three provinces at 0,50 ppm but averaged the highest Deoxynivalenol content of 3,02 ppm.

Mpumalanga

This province produced 25 % of the total commercial maize production in South Africa,

of which 62 % was white maize and 38 % yellow maize.

In all three provinces white maize averaged a 2 % higher 100 kernel weight than yellow maize while the hectolitre mass of white maize averaged about 1 % higher than yellow maize.

The maize kernels produced in Mpumalanga had an average breakage susceptibility of 1,8 g passing through the 6,35 mm sieve while Free State and Mpumalanga both had an average of 2,4 g passing through the 6,35 mm sieve.

In all three provinces the maize gave an average fat content between 3,9 % and 4,0 %. The starch content in these three regions averaged between 71,2 % to 71,4 %.

Mpumalanga had an average Fumonisin content of 1,2 ppm and an average Deoxynivalenol content of 2,16 ppm.

North West

This province produced 24 % of all the commercial maize grown in South Africa, of which 80 % was white maize and 20 % yellow maize.

The average defective kernels for North West above the 6,35 mm sieve averaged 6,4 %, the Free State followed with 6,3 % and Mpumalanga with 4,3 %. The average defective kernels below the 6.35 mm sieve for all three regions were more or less the same.

The North West gave the highest average protein of 8,5 % (db), followed by the Free State (8,4 %) and Mpumalanga (8,2 %).

The white maize from North West gave the highest average whiteness index of 19,9 (sifted 87:13). (The Free State had an average of 18,8 and Mpumalanga 19,0). The average milling index was 90,9 for North West.

The average Fumonisin content was 1,0 ppm and the average Deoxynivalenol content was 2,75 ppm for North West.

Production regions

The RSA is divided into 36 grain-production regions. Regions 1 to 9 are winter rainfall areas (Western Cape), as well as the Eastern Cape and Karoo where very little commercial maize is being produced.

Region 10 is Griqualand West and region 11 Vaalharts in the North West. Regions 12 to 20 are all within the North West.

Regions 21 to 28 are in the Free State. The Free State contributed 32 %, Mpumalanga (regions 29 to 33) contributed 25 % and the North West contributed 24 % of the total production. Making up 81 % of the total maize production in the RSA.

Region 34 falls within Gauteng, region 35 within the Limpopo Province and region 36 within KwaZulu-Natal.

Sampling

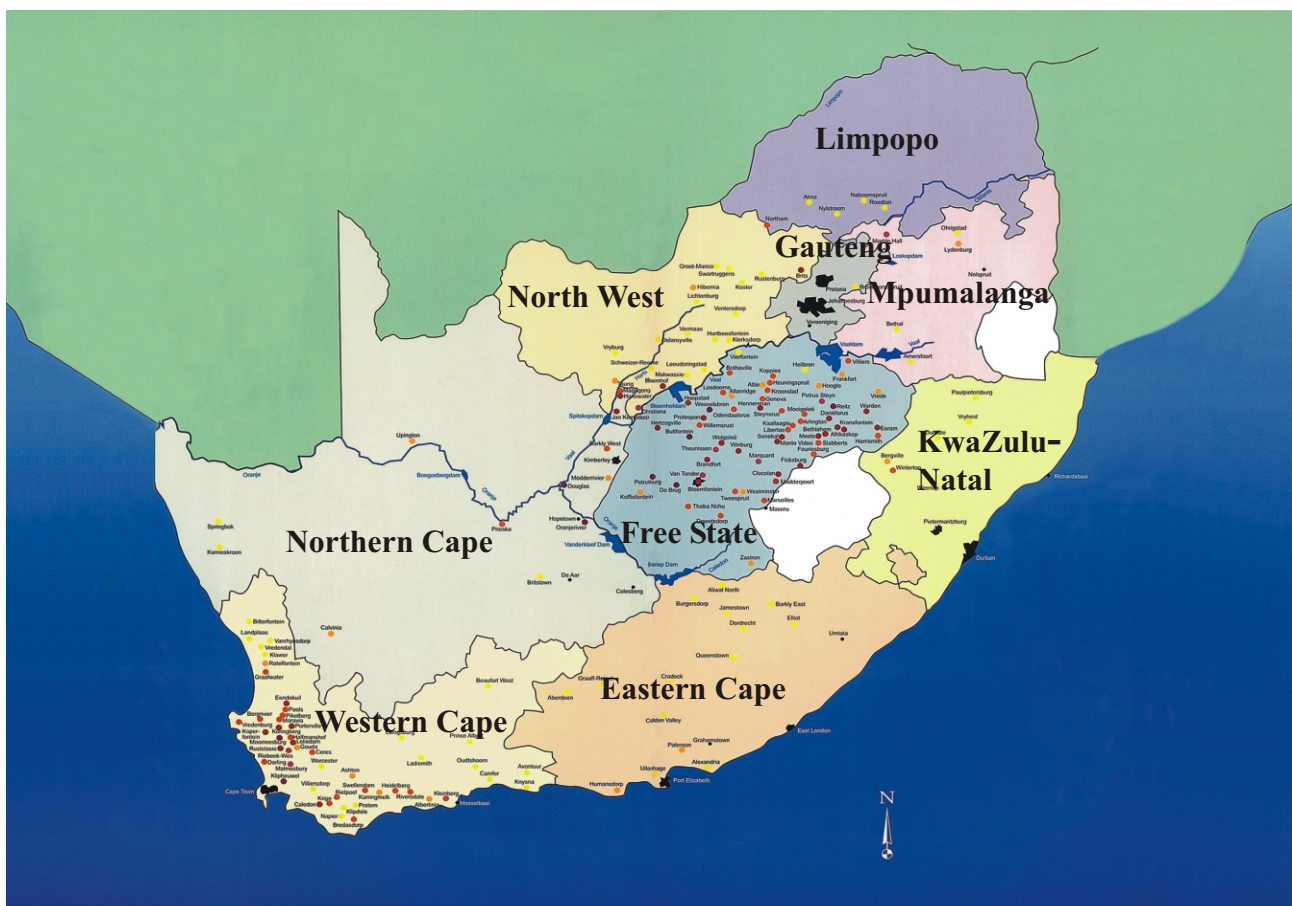
Samples received from the grain storers (about 98 % of these crop quality samples) are drawn in the following way:

With each delivery at the silos a sample is drawn for grading purposes according to the Grading Regulations.

After the grading sample has been divided, 500g are thrown into a bag (50kg) representing a certain class and grade. When this bag is full, it is divided and a 5kg sample according to class and grade per silo bin is sent to the SAGL.

Samples of maize being delivered directly to the millers, are drawn in more or less the same way. Samples are taken for grading purposes and a composite sample is then made up per region from where maize was received.

South African Provinces



Genetic Modification

Annually the SAGL screen 10 % of the crop samples to test for MON 810 (Bt maize event) and NK 603 (RUR).

The methodology the SAGL uses is a quantitative enzyme-linked immuno sorbent assay. The SAGL does however not report quantities recorded below the limit of detection and above the value of the reference standards used, the reason being that the methodology can not accurately measure beyond those values. (Please see page 44) MON 810 were found in 91 % of the samples tested and NK 603 in 31 % of the samples tested. (Please note that the crop quality samples received by the SAGL are actually composite samples made up by the silo's or millers per class and grade of individual deliveries.)

Mycotoxins

No Aflatoxin could be detected on these maize samples. A few samples tested positive for Zearalenone and Ochratoxin.

The Fumonisin average was 0,97 ppm and is just lower than the previous season's 1,08 ppm. Eight samples tested higher than 2,0 ppm for Fumonisin.

Deoxynivalenol (DON) was detected in all except two of the samples tested, giving an average of 2,74 ppm. Sixty-two samples tested higher than 2,0 ppm for DON.

Imported Maize

South Africa has imported in total 699 850 tons of yellow maize from Argentina as on 19/01/2007 for the 2005/2006 production season. (Season ends on 30/04/2007.)

During the previous production season the RSA has imported 360 542 tons of yellow maize from Argentina. (SAGIS website.)

The quality data of the imported maize compared to the average quality of the RSA maize of the same class and grade are given on pages 51 and 52.

2005/2006 Imported maize (up to 19/01/2007)

Twenty-two imported maize samples were analysed up to 19/01/2007. Of these maize only one sample graded as YM2 and twenty-one samples graded as Class Other Maize.

The major downgrading factor to YM2 was the high percentage of defective kernels below the 6,35 mm sieve.

Maize downgraded to Class Other Maize were mainly due to the high percentage of pinked maize kernels. Overall the imported yellow maize have high percentages of pinked maize kernels.

The imported YM2 had a hectolitre mass of 75,4 kg/hl while RSA YM2 had an average hectolitre mass of 74,0 kg/hl.

The imported maize have a smaller percentage kernels > 10 mm and have more kernels passing through the 8 mm sieve.

The average protein content and fat content of the imported maize were higher than the average of RSA maize while the RSA maize gave a slightly higher starch content.

These quality tendencies are very similar to the previous season.

The imported maize had an average total Aflatoxin of <1 ppb ($\mu\text{g}/\text{kg}$) with a maximum in a sample of 1,0 ppb. (The 2004/2005 imports gave an average of 1,21 ppb with a maximum in a sample of 11,0 ppb).

The average Fumonisin content of imported maize were 1,61 ppm (mg/kg) with a maximum of 5,70 ppm. RSA maize in that same class and grade averaged 0,54 ppm and a maximum of 2,7 ppm.

RSA maize of the same class and grade this season had a higher average Deoxynivalenol of 2,97 ppm with a maximum of 4,90 ppm. The averages and maximum values of Ochratoxin and Zearalenone between imported and local maize were the same.

Grain Production Regions

With each region is given the different Grain Handlers with specific silos.

Region 10: Griqualand West Region

GWK	Douglas	GWK	Prieska
GWK	Rietrivier	GWK	Marydale
GWK	Modderrivier	OVK	Oranjerivierstasie
OVK	Havenga Brug		

Region 11: Vaalharts Region

Senwes	Hartswater	Senwes	Jan Kemp
Senwes	Magogong	GWK	Barkly-Wes

Region 12: North West Western Region

NWK	Bloubank	NWK	Buhrmannsdrif
NWK	Kameel	NWK	Madibogo
NWK	Mafikeng	NWK	Mareetsane
Suidwes Landbou	Kameel	Suidwes Landbou	Vryburg

Region 13: North West Central Region (Sannieshof)

NWK	Biesiesvlei	NWK	Bossies
NWK	Gerdau	NWK	Oppaslaagte
NWK	Sannieshof		

Region 14: North West Southern Region

NWK	Barberspan	NWK	Delareyville
NWK	Excelsior	NWK	Geysdorp
NWK	Migdol	NWK	Nooitgedacht
NWK	Taaibospan	Suidwes Landbou	Amalia
Suidwes Landbou	Hallat's Hope	Suidwes Landbou	Migdol
Suidwes Landbou	Schweizer-Reneke		

Region 15: North West South Eastern Region

Suidwes Landbou	Bloemhof	Suidwes Landbou	Christiana
Suidwes Landbou	Hertzogville	Suidwes Landbou	Hoopstad
Suidwes Landbou	Kingswood		

Region 16: North West Central Eastern Region

Senwes	Regina	Senwes	Klerksdorp
Suidwes Landbou	Bamboesspruit	Suidwes Landbou	Leeudoringstad
Suidwes Landbou	Makwassie	Suidwes Landbou	Strydpoort
Suidwes Landbou	Wolmaranstad		

Region 17: North West Central Northern Region (Ottosdal)

NWK	Bospoort	NWK	Rostrataville
NWK	Ottosdal	NWK	Kleinwarts

Grain Production Regions (continue)

With each region is given the different Grain Handlers with specific silos.

Region 17: North West Central Northern Region (Ottosdal) (continue)

<i>NWK</i>	Vermaas	<i>Senwes</i>	Hartbeesfontein
<i>Senwes</i>	Melliadora	<i>Senwes</i>	Werda

Region 18: North West Central Region (Ventersdorp)

<i>NWK</i>	Bodenstein	<i>NWK</i>	Coligny
<i>Senwes</i>	Buckingham	<i>Senwes</i>	Makokskraal
<i>Senwes</i>	Ventersdorp	<i>Senwes</i>	Enselspruit
<i>Senwes</i>	Potchefstroom		

Region 19: North West Central Region (Lichtenburg)

<i>NWK</i>	Grootpan	<i>NWK</i>	Halfpad
<i>NWK</i>	Hibernia	<i>NWK</i>	Lichtenburg
<i>NWK</i>	Lottiehalte	<i>NWK</i>	Lusthof

Region 20: North West Eastern Region

<i>MGK (Prodsure)</i>	Battery	<i>MGK (Prodsure)</i>	Brits
<i>MGK (Prodsure)</i>	Rustenburg	<i>MGK (Prodsure)</i>	Pretoria-West
<i>NWK</i>	Boons	<i>NWK</i>	Koster
<i>NWK</i>	Derby	<i>NWK</i>	Syferbult
<i>NWK</i>	Swartruggens		

Region 21: Free State North Western Region (Viljoenskroon)

<i>Senwes</i>	Attie	<i>Senwes</i>	Groenebloem
<i>Senwes</i>	Heuningspruit	<i>Senwes</i>	Koppies
<i>Senwes</i>	Rooiwal	<i>Senwes</i>	Vierfontein
<i>Senwes</i>	Viljoenskroon	<i>Senwes</i>	Vredefort
<i>Senwes</i>	Weiveld		

Region 22: Free State North Western Region (Bothaville)

<i>Senwes</i>	Allanrigde	<i>Senwes</i>	Bothaville
<i>Senwes</i>	Mirage	<i>Senwes</i>	Odendaalsrus
<i>Senwes</i>	Schoonspruit	<i>Senwes</i>	Schuttendraai

Region 23: Free state North Western Region (Bultfontein)

<i>Senwes</i>	Bultfontein	<i>Senwes</i>	Losdoorns
<i>Senwes</i>	Protespan	<i>Senwes</i>	Tierfontein
<i>Senwes</i>	Wesselsbron	<i>Senwes</i>	Willemsrust

Region 24: Free State Central Region

<i>Senwes</i>	Bloemfontein	<i>Senwes</i>	Brandfort
<i>Senwes</i>	De Brug	<i>Senwes</i>	Geneva
<i>Senwes</i>	Hennenman	<i>Senwes</i>	Koffiefontein

Grain Production Regions (continue)

With each region is given the different Grain Handlers with specific silos.

Region 24: Free State Central Region (continue)

<i>Senwes</i>	Kroonstad	<i>Senwes</i>	Petrusburg
<i>Senwes</i>	Theunissen	<i>Senwes</i>	Van Tonder
<i>Senwes</i>	Welgeleë	<i>Senwes</i>	Winburg

Region 25: Free State South Western Region

OVK	Marseilles	OVK	Modderpoort
OVK	Tweespruit	OVK	Westminster
OVK	Zastron	OVK	Clocolan
OVK	Ficksburg	OVK	Fouriesburg
OVK	Havenga Brug	<i>Afgri</i>	Bethlehem
<i>Afgri</i>	Slabberts	<i>Senwes</i>	De Wetsdorp

Region 26: Free State South Eastern Region

<i>Senwes</i>	Arlington	<i>Senwes</i>	Steynsrus
<i>Afgri</i>	Libertas	<i>Afgri</i>	Marquard
<i>Afgri</i>	Monte Video	<i>Afgri</i>	Senekal
<i>Afgri</i>	Kaallaagte	<i>Afgri</i>	Meets

Region 27: Free State Northern Region

<i>Senwes</i>	Gottenburg	<i>Senwes</i>	Heilbron
<i>Senwes</i>	Hoogte	<i>Senwes</i>	Mooigeleë
<i>Senwes</i>	Wolwehoek	VKB	Petrus Steyn

Region 28: Free State Eastern Region

<i>Afgri</i>	Afrikaskop	<i>Afgri</i>	Eeram
<i>Afgri</i>	Harrismith	<i>Afgri</i>	Kransfontein
VKB	Cornelia	VKB	Daniëlsrus
VKB	Frankfort	VKB	Jim Fouché
VKB	Reitz	VKB	Tweeling
VKB	Villiers	VKB	Warden
VKB	Windfield	VKB	Ascent
VKB	Robbertdrif	VKB	Vrede

Region 29: Mpumalanga Southern Region

<i>Afgri</i>	Balfour	<i>Afgri</i>	Greylingstad
<i>Afgri</i>	Grootvlei	<i>Afgri</i>	Harvard
<i>Afgri</i>	Holmdene	<i>Afgri</i>	Leeuspruit
<i>Afgri</i>	Platrand	<i>Afgri</i>	Standerton
<i>Afgri</i>	Val		

Region 30: Mpumalanga Eastern Region

<i>Afgri</i>	Amersfoort	<i>Afgri</i>	Badplaas
<i>Afgri</i>	Carolina	<i>Afgri</i>	Davel

Grain Production Regions (continue)

With each region is given the different Grain Handlers with specific silos.

Region 30: Mpumalanga Eastern Region (continue)

<i>Afgri</i>	Ermelo	<i>Afgri</i>	Estancia
<i>Afgri</i>	Lothair	<i>Afgri</i>	Maizefield
<i>Afgri</i>	Morgenzon	<i>Afgri</i>	Overvaal
<i>TWK</i>	Mkondo	<i>TWK</i>	Panbult

Region 31: Mpumalanga Central Region

<i>Afgri</i>	Bethal	<i>Afgri</i>	Devon
<i>Afgri</i>	Kinross	<i>Afgri</i>	Leslie
<i>Afgri</i>	Trichardt		

Region 32: Mpumalanga Western Region

<i>Afgri</i>	Argent	<i>Afgri</i>	Dryden
<i>Afgri</i>	Endicott	<i>Afgri</i>	Eloff
<i>Afgri</i>	Hawerklip	<i>Afgri</i>	Kendal
<i>Afgri</i>	Ogies		

Region 33: Mpumalanga Northern Region

<i>Afgri</i>	Driefontein	<i>Afgri</i>	Lydenburg
<i>Afgri</i>	Marble Hall	<i>Afgri</i>	Middelburg
<i>Afgri</i>	Stoffberg	<i>Afgri</i>	Pan
<i>Afgri</i>	Arnot	<i>Afgri</i>	Wonderfontein

Region 34: Gauteng Region

<i>Afgri</i>	Bloekomspruit	<i>Afgri</i>	Glenroy
<i>Afgri</i>	Goeie Hoek	<i>Afgri</i>	Kaalfontein
<i>Afgri</i>	Nigel	<i>Afgri</i>	Bronkhorstspuit
<i>Senwes</i>	Middelvlei	<i>Senwes</i>	Oberholzer
<i>Senwes</i>	Raathsvlei		

Region 35: Limpopo Region

<i>MGK (Prodsure)</i>	Northam	<i>NTK</i>	Alma
<i>NTK</i>	Lehau	<i>NTK</i>	Naboomspruit
<i>NTK</i>	Nylstroom	<i>NTK</i>	Pienaarsrivier
<i>NTK</i>	Pietersburg	<i>NTK</i>	Potgietersrus
<i>NTK</i>	Roedtan	<i>NTK</i>	Settlers
<i>NTK</i>	Tzaneen	<i>NTK</i>	Nutfield
<i>NTK</i>	Warmbad	<i>Other</i>	Vaalwater
<i>Other</i>	Crecy	<i>Other</i>	Immerpan

Region 36: KwaZulu-Natal Region

<i>Afgri</i>	Bergville	<i>Afgri</i>	Bloedrivier
<i>Afgri</i>	Dannhauser	<i>Afgri</i>	Dundee
<i>Afgri</i>	Mizpah	<i>Afgri</i>	Paulpietersburg
<i>Afgri</i>	Vryheid	<i>Afgri</i>	Winterton

**TABLE 1: COMMERCIAL WHITE AND YELLOW MAIZE -
FINAL PRODUCTION ESTIMATES FOR THE 2005/06 SEASON
COMPARED TO THE 2004/05 SEASON**

PROVINCES	FINAL ESTIMATE 2005/06			% difference to 2004/05	FINAL ESTIMATE 2004/05		
	White Tons	Yellow Tons	Total Tons		White Tons	Yellow Tons	Total Tons
Western Cape	0	27 000	27 000	35		20 000	20 000
Northern Cape	157 500	275 000	432 500	-22	30 500	526 400	556 900
Free State	1 345 500	684 000	2 029 500	-51	2 658 000	1 455 000	4 113 000
Eastern Cape	16 200	56 000	72 200	-18	19 000	68 900	87 900
KwaZulu-Natal	172 800	140 400	313 200	-22	170 000	230 000	400 000
Mpumalanga	733 200	810 000	1 543 200	-45	1 133 500	1 673 200	2 806 700
Limpopo	40 800	15 400	56 200	-53	94 000	26 000	120 000
Gauteng	230 000	80 000	310 000	-36	250 700	232 300	483 000
North West	1 197 000	299 600	1 496 600	-48	2 185 000	677 500	2 862 500
Total RSA	3 893 000	2 387 400	6 280 400	-45	6 540 700	4 909 300	11 450 000
% of crop	62	38			57	43	

Figures obtained from the National Crop Estimates Committee

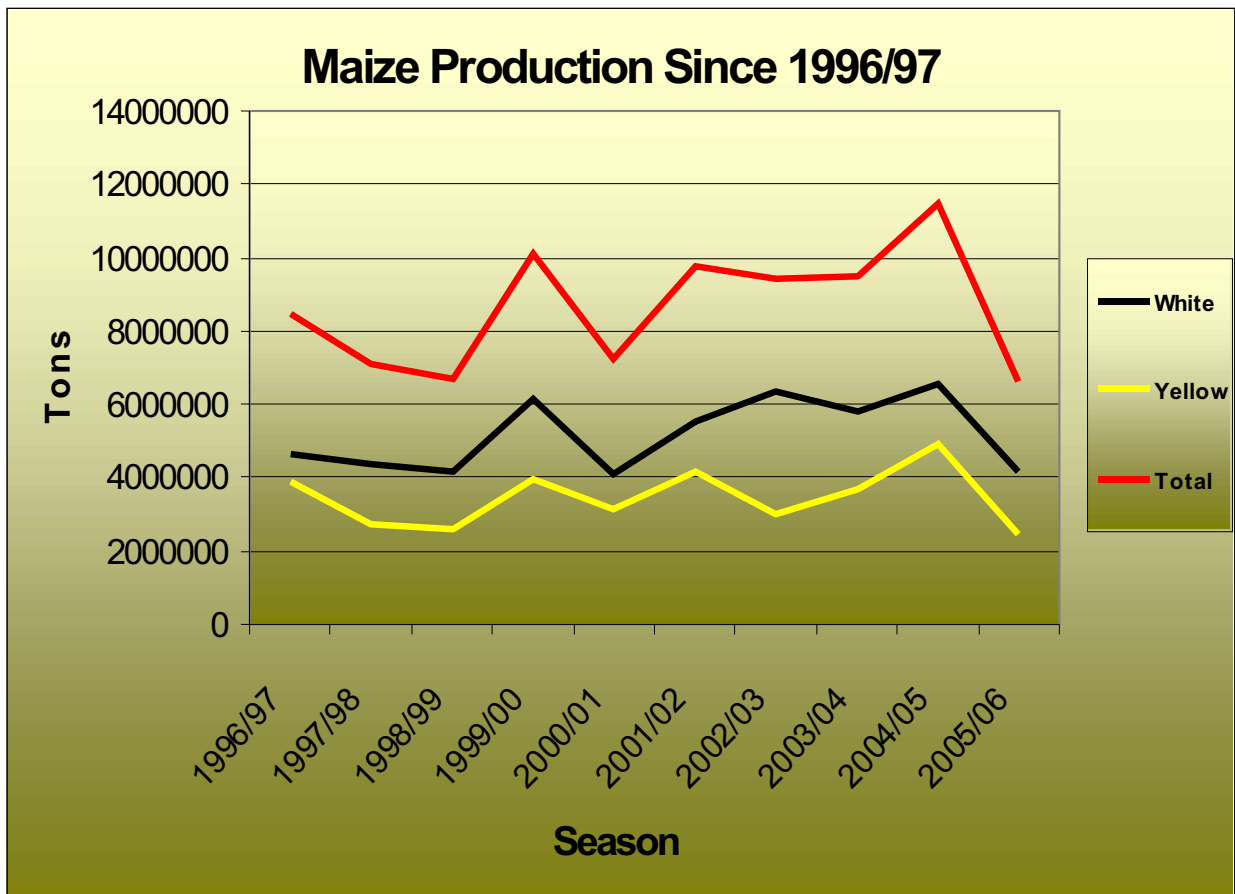


TABLE 3: RSA GRADING OF YELLOW MAIZE (2005/2006)

Number of samples	Region	% Defective Kernels						% Total defective			% Foreign matter			% Another Colour			% Total Deviation			% Pinked Kernels			% Diplodia Kernels			% Fusarium Kernels			% Cobrot Kernels					
		Above 6.35 mm sieve			Below 6.35 mm sieve			ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.
GRADE: YM 1																																		
15	Region 10	3.1	0.8	5.5	1.5	0.5	2.1	4.6	1.4	7.3	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.0	1.9	5.0	1.4	7.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.1	0.4	2.3	0.5	0.2	0.8	0.2	0.0	0.5			
5	Region 11	3.7	2.4	6.0	2.7	1.9	3.5	6.5	5.4	7.9	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.7	5.6	8.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.0	2.0	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.2	0.0	0.5			
4	Region 12	3.5	2.8	4.1	1.7	0.9	2.2	5.1	3.9	5.9	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.2	5.4	4.2	6.1	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.9	0.0	1.5	0.6	0.0	1.1	0.0	0.0	0.2			
6	Region 13	4.5	3.6	6.7	1.4	0.5	1.9	5.9	5.0	7.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.9	6.3	5.1	8.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.7	1.2	0.8	0.5	1.2	0.1	0.0	0.4			
15	Region 14	4.4	2.3	7.7	1.6	0.5	3.7	6.0	5.3	8.9	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.5	6.2	5.5	9.0	0.1	0.0	0.5	1.1	0.3	2.1	0.8	0.0	1.3	0.2	0.0	0.5			
2	Region 15	4.5	2.9	6.2	1.6	1.4	1.8	6.1	4.3	8.0	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.3	4.4	8.1	0.3	0.0	0.7	0.9	0.7	1.1	0.4	0.0	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.0			
4	Region 16	3.7	2.4	5.3	1.2	0.5	1.8	4.9	2.9	7.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.0	3.0	7.3	0.1	0.0	0.4	1.3	0.5	2.6	1.0	0.3	1.6	0.0	0.0	0.0			
6	Region 17	4.6	3.7	5.8	2.1	1.8	2.7	6.7	5.5	8.5	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.1	6.9	5.6	8.8	0.1	0.0	0.4	0.8	0.6	1.9	1.0	0.4	1.9	0.2	0.0	0.5			
5	Region 18	4.2	3.9	4.9	1.9	1.7	2.1	6.1	5.6	7.0	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.4	6.4	5.8	7.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.4	1.3	1.5	0.6	0.4	0.7	0.1	0.0	0.3			
5	Region 19	4.6	4.0	6.0	1.6	1.2	1.9	6.3	5.8	7.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.5	6.6	6.0	7.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.7	1.3	0.9	0.4	1.7	0.2	0.0	0.7			
5	Region 20	4.2	4.0	4.4	1.6	1.3	1.9	5.8	5.7	6.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.0	1.0	6.2	5.8	7.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.8	1.3	0.8	0.5	1.1	0.0	0.0	0.0			
2	Region 21	3.2	2.4	4.1	2.3	2.3	2.4	5.6	4.8	6.4	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.5	6.0	4.9	7.1	0.5	0.0	1.1	0.8	0.3	1.4	0.6	0.3	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.0			
1	Region 22	6.1	6.1	6.1	1.7	1.7	1.7	7.7	7.7	7.7	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.3	8.2	8.2	8.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.1	1.1	1.1	0.0	0.0	0.0			
3	Region 23	3.7	2.6	4.3	1.9	1.4	2.5	5.6	5.1	6.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.8	5.2	6.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.6	1.5	0.7	0.4	1.0	0.2	0.0	0.6			
8	Region 24	3.7	0.9	6.7	2.4	0.5	3.7	6.1	4.6	8.1	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.7	6.4	4.7	8.2	0.1	0.0	0.7	0.7	0.0	1.2	0.4	0.0	0.9	0.1	0.0	0.4			
21	Region 25	4.1	1.7	7.1	1.8	1.0	3.6	5.9	3.7	8.6	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.9	6.2	3.9	8.8	0.1	0.0	0.7	1.1	0.0	1.7	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.2	0.0	0.4			
18	Region 26	4.8	3.3	6.9	1.6	0.9	3.4	6.4	5.2	8.5	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.9	6.8	5.8	8.8	0.0	0.0	0.7	1.1	0.4	2.6	0.7	0.3	1.2	0.1	0.0	0.5			
1	Region 27	3.5	3.5	3.5	1.6	1.6	1.6	5.0	5.0	5.0	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.2	5.2	5.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.2	1.2	1.2	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0			
20	Region 28	4.4	1.7	7.4	1.7	0.8	3.9	6.0	2.6	8.8	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.2	2.7	9.0	0.3	0.0	2.4	1.0	0.0	2.4	0.6	0.0	1.6	0.2	0.0	1.0			
7	Region 29	3.9	3.7	4.1	2.0	1.8	2.5	5.9	5.6	6.5	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.4	6.2	5.8	6.7	0.3	0.0	0.7	0.8	0.5	1.3	1.2	0.9	1.4	0.1	0.0	0.4			
23	Region 30	3.9	1.7	5.7	2.3	1.6	3.6	6.2	3.3	8.0	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.6	6.4	3.4	8.9	0.1	0.0	0.9	1.1	0.7	1.9	0.8	0.0	1.4	0.1	0.0	0.5			
1	Region 32	3.1	3.1	3.1	1.5	1.5	1.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.3	5.0	5.0	5.0	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.3			
18	Region 33	3.7	1.9	7.2	1.7	0.6	3.1	5.4	3.2	7.8	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.5	5.6	3.3	8.0	0.2	0.0	1.6	1.0	0.0	1.9	1.0	0.4	1.4	0.1	0.0	0.6			
8	Region 34	4.6	1.8	7.0	1.6	0.6	2.5	6.2	2.4	8.6	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.4	6.5	2.8	8.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.4	2.3	1.2	0.5	1.9	0.3	0.0	0.6			
6	Region 35	1.4	0.8	1.9	1.0	0.0	1.9	2.4	1.2	3.4	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.5	1.3	3.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.4	0.6	0.0	1.5	0.0	0.0	0.0			
209	Ave YM 1	4.0			1.8			5.8			0.2			0.1			6.0			0.1			1.0			0.7			0.1					
	Min YM 1		0.8			0.0			1.2			0.0		0.0				1.3			0.0			0.0			0.0			0.0				
	Max YM 1			7.7			3.9			8.9			0.3			1.9			9.0			2.4			2.6			1.9			1.0			

TABLE 3: RSA GRADING OF YELLOW MAIZE (2005/2006) (continue)

Number of samples	Region	% Defective Kernels						% Total defective			% Foreign matter			% Another Colour			% Total Deviation			% Pinked Kernels			% Diplodia Kernels			% Fusarium Kernels			% Cobrot Kernels					
		Above 6.35 mm sieve			Below 6.35 mm sieve			ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.
GRADE: YM 2																																		
2	Region 10	4.3	3.0	5.6	2.6	1.3	3.9	6.9	4.3	9.5	0.2	0.2	0.2	1.7	0.4	3.0	8.8	7.5	10.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.9	0.8	3.0	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.2	0.0	0.4			
5	Region 13	10.3	7.3	17.0	1.2	0.3	2.2	11.5	8.8	17.3	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.4	11.9	9.4	17.6	0.1	0.0	0.4	2.0	1.0	3.8	2.0	1.2	3.5	0.6	0.0	1.1			
6	Region 14	9.4	5.3	15.6	2.2	0.6	4.6	11.5	9.5	16.4	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.7	0.2	2.4	12.4	10.1	17.0	0.2	0.0	0.5	2.1	0.9	3.3	1.6	1.0	2.6	0.9	0.0	3.9			
1	Region 15	3.5	3.5	3.5	4.2	4.2	4.2	7.7	7.7	7.7	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.4	8.3	8.3	8.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.5	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0			
3	Region 16	10.0	9.2	11.2	1.8	0.7	3.3	11.8	10.5	13.0	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.0	1.0	12.4	11.7	13.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.7	2.2	3.3	1.9	1.3	2.4	0.5	0.4	0.6			
5	Region 17	7.8	3.0	10.5	3.6	1.1	5.2	11.3	8.0	15.7	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.6	11.8	8.1	16.5	0.1	0.0	0.4	1.2	0.0	2.2	1.2	0.0	3.5	0.3	0.0	0.5			
4	Region 18	8.2	5.7	13.4	3.8	2.1	5.1	12.0	10.2	16.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.7	12.6	11.1	16.9	0.5	0.0	1.8	2.5	1.7	3.7	1.9	0.6	4.3	0.3	0.0	0.6			
4	Region 19	8.0	6.5	9.0	2.9	2.1	4.2	10.9	9.0	13.0	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.4	11.3	9.7	13.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.6	1.1	2.5	1.5	0.9	2.3	0.4	0.0	0.7			
4	Region 20	7.2	6.2	8.1	1.7	0.8	2.7	8.8	8.8	8.9	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.0	0.5	9.4	9.1	9.6	0.2	0.0	0.5	1.7	1.2	2.1	0.9	0.6	1.4	0.3	0.0	0.4			
6	Region 21	8.2	5.8	11.3	1.9	1.3	3.3	10.1	7.9	12.9	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.6	0.0	1.6	10.9	9.2	13.1	0.1	0.0	0.8	1.4	1.0	2.0	0.9	0.6	1.2	0.3	0.0	0.7			
4	Region 22	7.3	6.9	8.3	1.7	1.1	2.8	9.0	8.3	9.7	0.2	0.1	0.2	1.5	0.6	2.5	10.7	9.8	12.1	0.1	0.0	0.3	1.8	1.1	2.6	1.2	1.1	1.2	0.2	0.0	0.5			
2	Region 23	14.7	14.6	14.8	1.1	1.0	1.2	15.8	15.8	15.9	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.3	16.2	16.0	16.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.2	2.8	3.6	1.0	0.5	1.5	1.0	0.9	1.0			
4	Region 24	10.9	7.7	17.5	2.4	0.6	4.1	13.3	9.8	18.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.0	0.8	13.9	10.8	19.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.9	1.5	3.0	1.1	0.8	1.2	0.6	0.4	0.8			
8	Region 25	8.8	5.7	12.0	2.7	1.1	3.9	11.5	8.6	15.5	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.0	1.1	12.0	9.3	16.1	0.1	0.0	0.4	2.9	1.4	4.5	1.3	0.7	2.3	0.7	0.5	1.3			
6	Region 26	6.9	2.2	11.0	2.3	1.5	3.2	9.2	4.8	12.5	0.2	0.1	0.3	1.1	0.0	3.6	10.5	8.6	12.9	0.1	0.0	0.6	1.8	0.4	3.1	0.8	0.4	1.6	0.3	0.0	0.6			
1	Region 27	7.0	7.0	7.0	1.9	1.9	1.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.1	9.1	9.1	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.3	1.3	1.3	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.7	0.7	0.7			
11	Region 28	8.5	6.9	15.2	3.1	0.6	8.3	11.6	9.3	16.1	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.6	11.9	9.5	16.5	0.4	0.0	1.6	2.7	1.2	6.1	1.1	0.4	2.1	0.6	0.0	1.2			
2	Region 29	7.7	6.0	9.4	2.0	1.6	2.4	9.7	8.4	11.0	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.6	0.5	0.7	10.5	9.4	11.6	0.7	0.0	1.4	2.6	2.0	3.2	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.5	0.5	0.5			
3	Region 30	5.2	2.1	7.6	3.0	1.3	4.7	8.2	6.8	9.0	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.4	8.5	6.9	9.5	0.5	0.0	1.5	1.4	0.4	2.0	0.9	0.4	1.3	0.3	0.0	0.5			
1	Region 33	2.6	2.6	2.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	8.2	8.2	8.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.4	8.7	8.7	8.7	1.1	1.1	1.1	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0			
4	Region 34	9.2	6.9	10.5	2.0	1.5	2.4	11.2	9.3	12.5	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.4	11.6	9.5	12.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.5	1.2	1.8	1.8	0.8	2.8	0.4	0.0	0.8			
86	Ave YM 2	8.3			2.5			10.8			0.2			0.4			11.5			0.2			2.0			1.3			0.5					
	Min YM 2	2.1			0.3			4.3			0.1			0.0			6.9			0.0			0.0			0.0			0.0					
	Max YM 2		17.5			8.3		18.1				0.4		3.6			19.0				1.8		6.1			4.3			3.9					

**TABLE 4: GRADING QUALITY OF SOUTH AFRICAN
WHITE MAIZE 1996/97 - 2005/06**

Season	Number of samples	RSA GRADING AVERAGES				
		% Defective kernels		%	%	%
		Above 6.35 mm sieve	Below 6.35 mm sieve	Foreign matter	Other colour	Total deviation
1996/97	178	4.7	1.5	0.0	0.5	6.7
1997/98	470	5.9	1.8	0.1	0.4	8.1
1998/99	256	3.4	2.0	0.1	0.2	5.6
1999/00	493	6.0	1.7	0.0	0.4	8.1
2000/01	522	3.6	1.5	0.1	0.3	5.5
2001/02	471	5.0	1.4	0.0	0.3	6.7
2002/03	517	2.4	1.6	0.1	0.4	4.5
2003/04	599	4.0	2.1	0.3	0.3	6.7
2004/05	601	3.5	1.9	0.2	0.3	5.9
2005/06	593	6.0	1.8	0.2	0.3	8.3
Weighted average		4.5	1.7	0.1	0.3	6.7

**TABLE 5: GRADING QUALITY OF SOUTH AFRICAN
YELLOW MAIZE 1996/97 - 2005/06**

Season	Number of samples	RSA GRADING AVERAGES				
		% Defective kernels		%	%	%
		Above 6.35 mm sieve	Below 6.35 mm sieve	Foreign matter	Other colour	Total deviation
1996/97	166	4.9	1.9	0.0	0.2	7.0
1997/98	267	6.0	2.4	0.1	0.4	8.9
1998/99	189	2.6	2.7	0.0	0.1	5.5
1999/00	407	6.5	2.1	0.0	0.2	8.8
2000/01	378	3.7	2.1	0.1	0.4	6.2
2001/02	429	6.3	1.9	0.1	0.3	8.6
2002/03	383	2.1	2.5	0.2	0.2	5.0
2003/04	301	4.3	2.3	0.3	0.2	7.0
2004/05	399	4.0	2.3	0.2	0.1	6.6
2005/06	307	5.5	2.0	0.2	0.4	8.1
Weighted average		4.7	2.2	0.1	0.2	7.2

TABLE 6: GRADING QUALITY OF SOUTH AFRICAN MAIZE 1996/97 - 2005/06

Season	Number of samples	RSA GRADING AVERAGES				
		% Defective kernels		% Foreign matter	% Other colour	% Total deviation
		Above 6.35 mm sieve	Below 6.35 mm sieve			
1996/97	344	4.8	1.7	0.0	0.4	6.9
1997/98	737	5.9	2.0	0.1	0.4	8.4
1998/99	445	3.1	2.3	0.0	0.1	5.5
1999/00	900	6.2	1.8	0.0	0.3	8.4
2000/01	900	3.6	1.8	0.1	0.3	5.8
2001/02	900	5.6	1.6	0.1	0.3	7.6
2002/03	900	2.3	2.0	0.2	0.3	4.7
2003/04	900	4.1	2.2	0.3	0.3	6.8
2004/05	1000	3.7	2.1	0.2	0.2	6.2
2005/06	900	5.9	1.9	0.2	0.3	8.2
Weighted average		4.5	1.9	0.1	0.3	6.9

TABLE 7: HECTOLITRE MASS (kg/hl) OF SOUTH AFRICAN MAIZE 1996/97 - 2005/06

Season	White maize		Yellow maize		Ave maize	
	Number of samples	Hectolitre mass kg/hl	Number of samples	Hectolitre mass kg/hl	Number of samples	Hectolitre mass kg/hl
	1996/97	178	75.2	166	75.2	344
1997/98	470	76.6	267	76.0	737	76.4
1998/99	256	75.2	189	74.8	445	75.0
1999/00	493	74.8	407	74.6	900	74.7
2000/01	522	78.2	378	77.8	900	78.0
2001/02	471	77.3	429	76.7	900	77.0
2002/03	517	78.1	383	77.2	900	77.7
2003/04	599	78.1	301	77.0	900	77.8
2004/05	601	77.9	399	76.8	1000	77.5
2005/06	593	76.2	307	75.4	900	75.9
Weighted average		77.0		76.3		76.7

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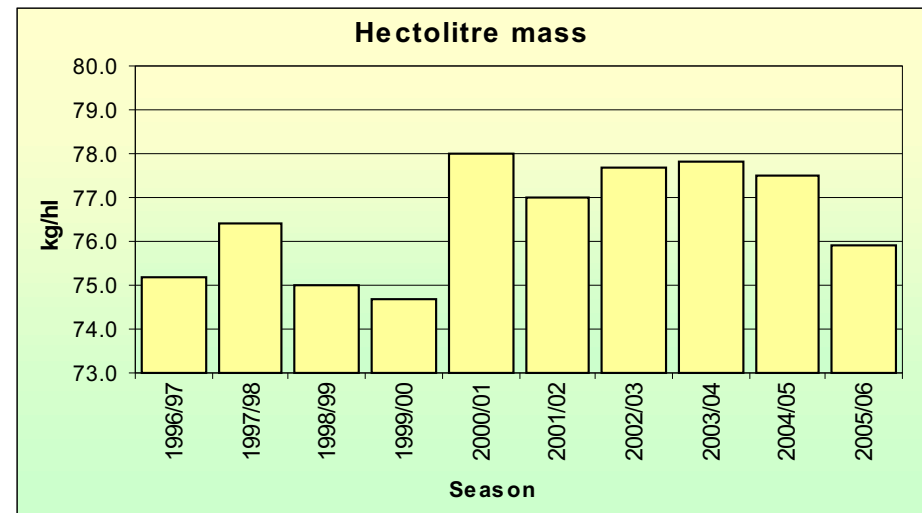
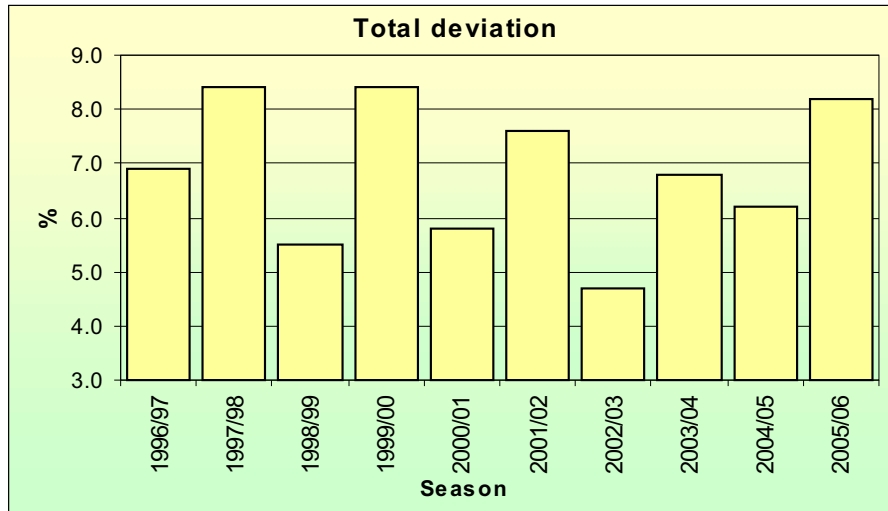


TABLE 8: USA GRADING OF WHITE MAIZE (2005/06)

Number of samples	Region	Damaged kernels						% Broken corn and foreign material			Hectolitre mass kg/hl			Other colour %		
		% Heat damaged			% Total damaged			ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.									
GRADE: US 1																
1	Region 8	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.4	1.4	1.4	0.6	0.6	0.6	79.3	79.3	79.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
2	Region 10	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.2	0.8	1.5	0.6	0.4	0.8	80.8	80.3	81.2	0.3	0.0	0.6
7	Region 11	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	1.0	2.5	1.0	0.7	1.3	79.4	77.9	81.0	0.1	0.0	0.4
1	Region 12	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.9	1.9	1.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	76.7	76.7	76.7	0.4	0.4	0.4
5	Region 13	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.7	1.4	2.2	0.2	0.0	1.0	77.3	75.7	77.9	0.1	0.0	0.3
10	Region 14	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.7	2.0	2.8	0.9	0.8	1.2	76.9	73.6	79.0	0.2	0.0	0.4
3	Region 15	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.3	2.1	2.6	1.0	0.6	1.7	79.3	78.9	79.7	0.2	0.0	0.6
7	Region 16	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	1.3	2.8	0.6	0.0	1.0	77.8	76.2	79.6	0.0	0.0	0.0
5	Region 18	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.7	2.3	3.0	1.1	0.8	1.7	76.0	72.9	77.8	0.2	0.0	0.4
1	Region 19	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.8	2.8	2.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	77.6	77.6	77.6	0.4	0.4	0.4
2	Region 20	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.3	2.2	2.4	0.8	0.7	0.9	77.5	75.9	79.0	0.2	0.0	0.5
12	Region 23	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.3	1.6	2.9	0.9	0.6	1.4	78.7	76.5	80.8	0.1	0.0	0.4
7	Region 24	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.7	2.4	3.0	0.8	0.6	1.0	77.9	76.7	79.7	0.2	0.0	0.4
4	Region 25	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.6	2.2	3.0	1.0	0.8	1.3	76.0	73.9	78.9	0.0	0.0	0.0
1	Region 26	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.8	2.8	2.8	0.9	0.9	0.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	0.0	0.0	0.0
1	Region 27	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.6	2.6	2.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	76.3	76.3	76.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
8	Region 28	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.1	1.6	2.5	0.8	0.4	1.2	77.0	74.4	79.6	0.1	0.0	0.4
6	Region 29	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.7	2.3	3.0	0.9	0.7	1.1	77.1	74.0	79.0	0.3	0.0	1.4
4	Region 30	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.6	2.3	2.8	0.9	0.5	1.2	77.3	74.8	81.1	0.2	0.0	0.4
7	Region 33	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.7	1.9	3.0	1.1	0.2	2.0	76.1	73.2	78.1	0.4	0.0	1.2
9	Region 34	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.6	2.1	3.0	0.7	0.0	1.7	77.2	74.9	80.0	0.1	0.0	0.5
8	Region 35	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.6	0.6	2.4	0.9	0.0	1.6	76.7	72.5	78.8	0.1	0.0	0.7
6	Region 36	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.4	0.6	2.9	1.0	0.0	1.3	76.0	74.3	78.7	0.0	0.0	0.0
117	Ave US 1	0.0			2.3			0.8			77.4			0.1		
	Min US 1	0.0			0.6			0.0			72.5			0.0		
	Max US 1	0.0			3.0			2.0			81.2			1.4		
GRADE: US 2																
6	Region 10	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.5	3.1	4.0	1.1	0.8	1.3	80.3	79.4	81.6	0.1	0.0	0.4
1	Region 11	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.6	78.7	78.7	78.7	0.0	0.0	0.0
6	Region 12	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0	3.2	4.9	0.6	0.2	1.0	78.1	77.1	79.3	0.1	0.0	0.5
4	Region 13	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0	3.7	4.5	1.0	0.5	1.5	77.4	76.2	78.1	0.1	0.0	0.5
9	Region 14	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.1	3.1	4.8	1.3	0.2	2.3	76.3	74.4	78.8	0.3	0.0	0.5
5	Region 15	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.5	3.2	4.1	0.9	0.4	2.2	79.3	78.4	81.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
2	Region 16	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.1	3.2	4.9	1.1	0.6	1.6	75.2	74.5	75.9	0.4	0.1	0.7
9	Region 17	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0	3.3	5.0	0.9	0.3	1.7	75.6	71.4	78.5	0.1	0.0	0.5
8	Region 18	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.5	2.6	4.4	1.2	0.7	2.2	76.5	75.0	78.0	0.2	0.0	0.7
5	Region 19	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.8	3.2	4.5	0.7	0.2	1.0	77.0	75.3	78.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
4	Region 20	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.9	3.3	4.2	0.8	0.7	0.9	75.5	74.8	75.9	0.4	0.3	0.4
4	Region 21	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.1	3.2	4.7	0.5	0.2	0.8	78.0	75.4	79.7	0.2	0.0	0.4
9	Region 22	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.2	3.3	4.9	0.8	0.4	1.7	78.0	75.4	79.4	0.2	0.0	0.5
12	Region 23	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0	3.1	4.9	0.8	0.2	1.3	78.5	72.9	80.6	0.2	0.0	0.7
14	Region 24	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.9	3.1	5.0	0.9	0.2	1.2	77.8	74.8	80.1	0.2	0.0	0.9
6	Region 25	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.6	2.5	4.5	1.0	0.6	1.4	76.2	71.7	79.4	0.3	0.0	0.7
5	Region 26	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.7	3.2	4.2	0.8	0.3	1.1	76.8	76.1	77.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
3	Region 27	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.1	3.2	5.0	0.5	0.0	1.5	77.8	75.2	79.4	0.5	0.0	1.1
10	Region 28	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.2	3.1	5.0	1.7	0.6	2.5	76.4	74.1	78.8	0.4	0.0	0.8
2	Region 29	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.2	3.2	3.2	1.0	0.9	1.1	78.0	76.7	79.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
13	Region 30	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.6	2.3	4.7	1.2	0.5	2.5	76.8	74.0	79.8	0.3	0.0	1.6
2	Region 32	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.8	4.5	5.0	0.5	0.4	0.5	77.1	77.0	77.1	0.4	0.3	0.4
13	Region 33	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.8	3.1	4.8	1.2	0.6	2.9	75.9	73.6	77.8	0.4	0.0	1.3
20	Region 34	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.6	3.1	4.9	1.0	0.5	1.8	76.8	74.5	79.7	0.2	0.0	0.7

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Number of samples	Region	Damaged kernels						% Broken corn and foreign material			Hectolitre mass kg/hl			Other colour %		
		% Heat damaged			% Total damaged			ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.									
1	Region 36	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.5	3.5	3.5	0.7	0.7	0.7	79.0	79.0	79.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
173	Ave US 2	0.0			3.8			1.0			77.1			0.2		
	Min US 2	0.0			2.3			0.0			71.4			0.0		
	Max US 2	0.0			5.0			2.9			81.6			1.6		
GRADE: US 3																
2	Region 12	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.7	5.7	5.7	0.7	0.2	1.2	76.9	75.7	78.0	0.4	0.3	0.5
5	Region 13	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.2	5.4	6.9	0.6	0.1	1.4	76.7	75.8	78.0	0.2	0.0	0.5
10	Region 14	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.1	5.2	7.0	1.2	0.7	2.1	75.1	73.6	76.5	0.2	0.0	0.4
3	Region 15	0.1	0.0	0.3	4.9	2.8	6.1	1.7	1.1	2.3	77.7	76.3	78.8	0.8	0.5	1.0
2	Region 16	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.6	3.2	5.9	1.0	0.7	1.2	71.4	68.9	73.8	0.6	0.0	1.2
3	Region 17	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.5	5.9	6.8	0.7	0.2	1.4	76.6	73.5	78.3	0.2	0.0	0.5
3	Region 18	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.1	5.7	6.9	1.0	0.7	1.2	74.5	72.5	75.7	0.4	0.0	0.9
4	Region 19	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.6	5.1	6.3	1.3	1.1	1.8	75.5	74.4	76.5	0.1	0.0	0.3
3	Region 20	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.8	5.4	6.2	1.0	0.5	1.4	74.3	73.4	75.4	0.5	0.0	0.9
4	Region 21	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.9	5.6	6.3	1.0	0.7	1.2	76.1	72.7	79.7	0.1	0.0	0.5
8	Region 22	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.0	5.1	6.9	0.7	0.2	1.6	76.8	73.2	79.2	0.0	0.0	0.2
11	Region 23	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.3	5.1	7.0	1.2	0.1	2.9	77.8	76.3	79.3	0.1	0.0	0.6
8	Region 24	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.2	5.3	7.0	1.2	0.5	2.3	76.6	74.0	78.4	0.1	0.0	0.6
4	Region 25	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.8	5.4	6.4	1.2	0.6	1.5	76.3	73.2	79.3	0.5	0.0	1.0
8	Region 26	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.5	5.2	7.0	0.8	0.3	2.2	75.0	67.3	78.2	0.3	0.0	0.9
4	Region 27	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.1	5.7	6.7	1.2	0.1	2.7	75.8	72.9	77.9	0.4	0.0	0.9
7	Region 30	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.6	3.8	6.9	1.5	0.5	3.1	75.6	72.2	77.5	0.5	0.0	1.6
2	Region 33	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.6	2.8	6.3	2.6	1.2	3.9	77.7	77.5	77.8	0.3	0.2	0.4
8	Region 34	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.7	5.1	6.3	2.0	0.6	3.9	75.6	71.8	79.0	0.5	0.0	1.5
99	Ave US 3	0.0			6.0			1.2			76.0			0.3		
	Min US 3	0.0			2.8			0.1			67.3			0.0		
	Max US 3	0.3			7.0			3.9			79.7			1.6		
GRADE: US 4																
1	Region 10	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.6	7.6	7.6	1.8	1.8	1.8	78.4	78.4	78.4	1.2	1.2	1.2
2	Region 12	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.0	8.1	9.9	0.5	0.4	0.7	77.0	76.3	77.6	0.3	0.2	0.4
12	Region 13	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.3	7.4	9.6	0.6	0.2	0.8	76.4	74.9	77.5	0.1	0.0	0.5
8	Region 14	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.2	7.2	8.9	0.8	0.4	1.2	74.9	73.2	76.8	0.3	0.0	0.6
1	Region 15	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.7	7.7	7.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	77.2	77.2	77.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
4	Region 16	0.1	0.0	0.2	8.9	8.4	9.4	0.9	0.3	2.4	75.4	71.1	79.0	0.3	0.0	0.6
22	Region 17	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.6	7.3	10.0	1.2	0.0	2.5	73.9	69.9	75.8	0.2	0.0	0.8
8	Region 18	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.2	7.3	10.0	1.1	0.7	1.9	73.8	71.7	75.0	0.3	0.0	0.6
2	Region 19	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.5	7.9	9.1	0.4	0.0	0.9	75.2	74.4	75.9	0.2	0.0	0.3
2	Region 20	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.1	8.0	8.2	0.7	0.4	0.9	75.7	73.9	77.5	0.1	0.0	0.3
4	Region 21	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.3	7.8	9.2	0.8	0.3	1.9	75.9	75.0	78.4	0.1	0.0	0.4
4	Region 22	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.5	7.4	9.5	0.8	0.7	1.0	76.1	71.4	78.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
11	Region 23	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.3	7.2	9.8	1.3	0.2	4.1	77.0	74.5	79.6	0.2	0.0	0.4
4	Region 24	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.8	7.1	8.7	0.6	0.2	1.1	76.9	75.9	77.9	0.4	0.0	1.2
2	Region 25	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.7	7.6	7.9	0.6	0.6	0.7	77.1	75.9	78.3	0.4	0.3	0.5
7	Region 26	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.3	7.9	9.0	0.5	0.3	1.1	75.9	73.5	78.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
7	Region 28	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.3	7.8	9.2	1.0	0.2	2.1	73.9	71.7	74.8	0.6	0.0	1.6
1	Region 29	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.1	7.1	7.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	74.3	74.3	74.3	1.2	1.2	1.2
4	Region 30	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.5	5.1	8.6	2.0	0.8	4.7	75.8	74.7	77.2	0.2	0.0	0.6
2	Region 33	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.1	7.7	8.5	0.5	0.4	0.5	77.2	76.2	78.1	0.4	0.3	0.4
3	Region 34	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.0	7.2	8.7	0.7	0.1	1.6	76.8	75.4	79.4	0.3	0.3	0.4
101	Ave US 4	0.0			8.3			0.9			75.6			0.3		
	Min US 4	0.0			5.1			0.0			69.9			0.0		
	Max US 4	0.2			10.0			4.7			79.6			1.6		

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		% Heat damaged			% Total damaged			ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.									
GRADE: US 5																
1	Region 12	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.4	10.4	10.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	76.1	76.1	76.1	0.3	0.3	0.3
6	Region 13	0.0	0.0	0.0	12.5	10.2	14.8	0.9	0.2	2.8	75.4	73.5	77.1	0.2	0.0	0.4
8	Region 14	0.0	0.0	0.0	12.1	10.5	13.7	1.4	0.5	2.0	74.6	71.3	76.5	0.7	0.0	1.8
1	Region 15	0.0	0.0	0.0	14.3	14.3	14.3	2.5	2.5	2.5	75.4	75.4	75.4	0.0	0.0	0.0
6	Region 17	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.2	3.4	12.3	1.7	0.4	5.8	71.7	68.4	74.8	0.1	0.0	0.6
5	Region 18	0.0	0.0	0.0	11.3	10.1	13.0	1.3	1.2	1.4	73.9	72.2	74.7	0.2	0.0	0.4
2	Region 19	0.0	0.0	0.0	11.8	11.8	11.9	1.0	0.9	1.0	74.2	72.7	75.6	0.1	0.0	0.2
8	Region 20	0.0	0.0	0.0	11.7	10.8	12.6	0.8	0.3	1.5	73.4	71.4	74.8	0.6	0.0	1.0
2	Region 21	0.0	0.0	0.0	11.1	10.9	11.3	1.9	1.6	2.2	71.1	70.8	71.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
3	Region 22	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.7	12.1	14.7	1.0	0.7	1.3	73.4	69.9	75.9	0.0	0.0	0.0
11	Region 23	0.0	0.0	0.0	11.6	6.2	13.7	2.5	0.4	5.7	74.2	66.3	78.3	0.3	0.0	1.9
3	Region 24	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.9	10.1	11.5	0.8	0.4	1.2	75.0	73.0	77.8	0.1	0.0	0.4
2	Region 25	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.7	10.5	10.9	1.4	1.2	1.6	74.2	72.0	76.3	0.5	0.4	0.6
6	Region 26	0.0	0.0	0.0	11.2	10.3	12.8	0.8	0.4	1.6	73.7	72.6	75.3	0.5	0.3	0.7
3	Region 28	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.4	12.6	14.9	0.6	0.3	1.2	73.9	72.9	75.8	0.4	0.3	0.5
4	Region 30	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.9	6.8	12.2	2.6	0.6	5.7	75.9	74.8	77.1	0.3	0.0	0.4
1	Region 32	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.8	10.8	10.8	2.5	2.5	2.5	74.8	74.8	74.8	0.5	0.5	0.5
1	Region 33	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.3	10.3	10.3	0.7	0.7	0.7	76.2	76.2	76.2	0.8	0.8	0.8
3	Region 34	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.6	10.4	10.7	1.2	0.6	2.1	74.0	71.4	76.6	0.0	0.0	0.0
76	Ave US 5	0.0			11.5			1.4			74.0			0.3		
	Min US 5		0.0			3.4			0.0			66.3			0.0	
	Max US 5			0.0			14.9			5.8			78.3			1.9
GRADE: MIXED GRADE																
2	Region 10	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.2	3.0	3.4	0.9	0.7	1.0	80.6	80.3	80.8	4.3	3.6	5.0
1	Region 29	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	0.6	0.6	0.6	76.6	76.6	76.6	2.3	2.3	2.3
3	Region 33	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.3	4.1	4.8	2.2	1.1	4.4	74.4	73.2	75.3	3.1	2.3	4.4
6	Ave Mixed Grade	0.0			4.1			1.5			76.8			3.4		
	Min Mixed Grade		0.0			3.0			0.6			73.2			2.3	
	Max Mixed Grade			0.0			5.0			4.4			80.8			5.0
GRADE: SAMPLE GRADE																
2	Region 12	0.0	0.0	0.0	21.6	15.3	27.9	1.0	0.7	1.3	77.1	76.2	78.0	0.4	0.3	0.5
2	Region 13	0.0	0.0	0.0	16.2	15.7	16.7	0.5	0.5	0.5	74.3	73.2	75.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
1	Region 14	0.0	0.0	0.0	17.4	17.4	17.4	1.2	1.2	1.2	74.9	74.9	74.9	0.0	0.0	0.0
1	Region 16	0.0	0.0	0.0	17.2	17.2	17.2	0.4	0.4	0.4	72.5	72.5	72.5	0.0	0.0	0.0
1	Region 17	0.0	0.0	0.0	18.8	18.8	18.8	1.6	1.6	1.6	76.7	76.7	76.7	0.0	0.0	0.0
1	Region 18	0.0	0.0	0.0	24.5	24.5	24.5	0.7	0.7	0.7	71.1	71.1	71.1	0.3	0.3	0.3
1	Region 19	0.0	0.0	0.0	26.2	26.2	26.2	3.5	3.5	3.5	63.6	63.6	63.6	0.8	0.8	0.8
2	Region 20	0.0	0.0	0.0	21.6	16.2	26.9	1.2	0.7	1.7	69.7	68.0	71.4	0.2	0.0	0.5
2	Region 22	0.0	0.0	0.0	17.4	15.8	18.9	1.3	1.2	1.4	77.3	76.6	78.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
2	Region 23	0.0	0.0	0.0	17.5	15.6	19.5	1.4	1.0	1.8	75.5	72.9	78.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
2	Region 24	0.0	0.0	0.0	16.5	16.2	16.9	1.1	0.7	1.6	64.5	58.3	70.7	0.0	0.0	0.0
1	Region 25	0.0	0.0	0.0	17.6	17.6	17.6	0.9	0.9	0.9	72.6	72.6	72.6	1.9	1.9	1.9
3	Region 26	0.1	0.0	0.4	17.6	15.5	19.6	0.8	0.3	1.3	74.8	72.6	78.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
21	Ave Sample Grade	0.0			18.8			1.1			73.0			0.2		
	Min Sample Grade		0.0			15.3			0.3			58.3			0.0	
	Max Sample Grade			0.4			27.9			3.5			78.3			1.9
593	Ave white maize	0.0			6.2			1.0			76.2			0.3		
	Min white maize		0.0			0.6			0.0			58.3			0.0	
	Max white maize			0.4			27.9			5.8			81.6			5.0
900	Ave maize	0.0			6.0			1.1			75.9			0.3		
	Min maize		0.0			0.6			0.0			53.4			0.0	
	Max maize			0.4			27.9			6.8			81.9			16.7

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Number of samples	Region	Damaged kernels						% Broken corn and foreign material			Hectolitre mass kg/hl			Other colour %		
		% Heat damaged			% Total damaged			ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.									
GRADE: US 1																
7	Region 10	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.6	0.7	3.0	0.5	0.1	1.2	78.7	78.0	79.4	0.2	0.0	1.7
1	Region 11	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.0	2.0	2.0	77.5	77.5	77.5	0.0	0.0	0.0
2	Region 12	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	0.9	0.4	1.4	77.1	76.6	77.5	0.1	0.0	0.2
1	Region 14	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	1.4	1.4	1.4	75.0	75.0	75.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
1	Region 15	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	76.7	76.7	76.7	0.0	0.0	0.0
1	Region 16	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.7	2.7	2.7	0.3	0.3	0.3	76.6	76.6	76.6	0.0	0.0	0.0
1	Region 21	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.4	2.4	2.4	1.3	1.3	1.3	73.9	73.9	73.9	0.0	0.0	0.0
1	Region 23	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.6	2.6	2.6	0.9	0.9	0.9	76.5	76.5	76.5	0.0	0.0	0.0
1	Region 24	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	1.2	1.2	1.2	78.4	78.4	78.4	0.0	0.0	0.0
3	Region 25	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.3	2.0	2.6	0.8	0.6	1.0	75.8	74.9	77.0	0.2	0.0	0.5
1	Region 26	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.4	2.4	2.4	1.0	1.0	1.0	74.5	74.5	74.5	3.6	3.6	3.6
4	Region 28	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.1	1.8	2.4	0.8	0.4	1.2	75.5	74.9	76.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
4	Region 30	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.2	1.8	2.7	1.2	0.9	1.4	80.3	79.4	81.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
6	Region 33	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.5	1.9	2.9	0.9	0.5	1.9	75.6	74.4	77.0	0.1	0.0	0.4
1	Region 34	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.8	1.8	1.8	0.2	0.2	0.2	76.7	76.7	76.7	0.3	0.3	0.3
6	Region 35	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.6	0.7	2.3	0.9	0.4	1.3	75.2	72.3	78.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
41	Ave US 1	0.0			2.2			0.9			76.7			0.2		
	Min US 1	0.0			0.7			0.1			72.3			0.0		
	Max US 1	0.0			3.0			2.0			81.0			3.6		
GRADE: US 2																
7	Region 10	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.1	3.1	5.0	1.0	0.8	1.2	77.9	76.6	78.8	0.7	0.0	3.0
3	Region 11	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.7	2.6	4.5	1.9	1.4	2.5	77.3	75.7	79.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
2	Region 12	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.1	4.0	4.2	0.9	0.9	0.9	74.4	73.1	75.7	0.1	0.0	0.2
5	Region 13	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.1	3.6	4.7	0.7	0.6	0.9	75.5	74.5	77.1	0.2	0.0	0.9
10	Region 14	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.9	2.4	4.7	1.0	0.5	2.2	75.5	74.1	77.4	0.1	0.0	0.5
1	Region 15	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.8	3.8	3.8	1.7	1.7	1.7	75.3	75.3	75.3	0.4	0.4	0.4
2	Region 16	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.6	3.1	4.1	0.7	0.6	0.8	74.0	72.9	75.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
4	Region 17	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.2	3.8	4.3	0.9	0.6	1.3	75.9	74.7	77.9	0.0	0.0	0.0
4	Region 18	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.9	3.3	4.3	0.9	0.6	1.1	74.8	73.9	75.4	0.0	0.0	0.0
4	Region 19	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.4	4.0	5.0	0.9	0.7	1.1	73.9	72.9	75.4	0.1	0.0	0.5
5	Region 20	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.3	4.1	4.5	0.8	0.6	1.0	75.0	73.4	76.3	0.2	0.0	1.0
1	Region 21	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.2	4.2	4.2	1.6	1.6	1.6	74.2	74.2	74.2	0.5	0.5	0.5
2	Region 23	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.4	4.4	4.5	0.8	0.6	1.0	74.4	72.6	76.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
6	Region 24	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.4	1.0	4.6	1.4	0.2	2.8	76.0	74.4	77.1	0.2	0.0	0.7
14	Region 25	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.2	3.1	4.8	1.0	0.5	1.4	76.1	73.1	78.3	0.1	0.0	0.7
10	Region 26	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.3	3.5	4.9	0.9	0.5	2.0	77.3	76.3	78.1	0.2	0.0	0.6
1	Region 27	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.6	3.6	3.6	0.9	0.9	0.9	76.6	76.6	76.6	0.0	0.0	0.0
9	Region 28	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0	3.4	4.6	1.1	0.4	2.0	76.2	73.5	78.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
7	Region 29	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0	3.9	4.2	1.2	0.9	1.8	76.3	75.7	77.2	0.1	0.0	0.4
19	Region 30	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.2	2.2	5.0	1.4	0.9	2.9	76.5	72.3	81.9	0.1	0.0	0.6
1	Region 32	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.2	3.2	3.2	0.8	0.8	0.8	76.6	76.6	76.6	0.3	0.3	0.3
11	Region 33	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.1	3.3	4.9	1.0	0.8	1.7	75.8	72.6	78.4	0.1	0.0	0.7
4	Region 34	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.2	3.7	4.8	1.1	0.6	1.6	75.9	75.3	76.6	0.0	0.0	0.0
132	Ave US 2	0.0			4.1			1.1			76.0			0.1		
	Min US 2	0.0			1.0			0.2			72.3			0.0		
	Max US 2	0.0			5.0			2.9			81.9			3.0		
GRADE: US 3																
3	Region 10	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.6	5.4	5.8	1.4	0.9	2.3	77.3	77.2	77.4	0.2	0.0	0.4
1	Region 11	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.2	6.2	6.2	1.1	1.1	1.1	77.0	77.0	77.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
1	Region 13	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.8	6.8	6.8	0.1	0.1	0.1	75.6	75.6	75.6	0.7	0.7	0.7
6	Region 14	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.2	5.2	7.0	1.4	0.2	3.1	74.8	71.1	77.0	0.5	0.0	2.4

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Number of samples	Region	Damaged kernels						% Broken corn and foreign material			Hectolitre mass kg/hl			Other colour %		
		% Heat damaged			% Total damaged			ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.									
1	Region 15	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.4	6.4	6.4	1.1	1.1	1.1	77.6	77.6	77.6	0.0	0.0	0.0
1	Region 16	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.4	5.4	5.4	0.9	0.9	0.9	75.0	75.0	75.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
5	Region 17	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.5	3.1	7.0	2.3	0.9	3.3	72.5	67.7	75.3	0.2	0.0	0.5
3	Region 18	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.6	5.1	6.0	2.4	1.1	3.1	72.3	69.8	75.0	0.2	0.0	0.4
2	Region 19	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.4	6.1	6.7	1.0	0.6	1.5	74.0	73.2	74.8	0.3	0.3	0.4
2	Region 20	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.6	6.2	7.0	1.2	0.9	1.4	73.6	71.7	75.4	0.3	0.0	0.5
3	Region 21	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.9	5.3	6.7	0.8	0.5	1.4	74.2	73.5	75.0	0.8	0.0	1.6
2	Region 22	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.6	6.1	7.0	0.9	0.8	0.9	76.6	76.6	76.6	0.9	0.3	1.4
4	Region 25	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.5	5.2	5.9	1.2	0.9	1.8	76.5	75.9	77.9	0.5	0.0	1.1
8	Region 26	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.8	5.2	6.6	0.9	0.6	1.4	74.9	71.1	78.0	0.3	0.0	0.9
3	Region 28	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.6	5.1	6.5	1.2	0.9	1.3	76.0	75.4	76.7	0.0	0.0	0.0
1	Region 29	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.2	6.2	6.2	1.4	1.4	1.4	73.9	73.9	73.9	0.7	0.7	0.7
2	Region 30	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.9	5.7	6.1	1.2	0.7	1.7	74.7	73.1	76.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
1	Region 33	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.7	2.7	2.7	3.6	3.6	3.6	74.8	74.8	74.8	0.4	0.4	0.4
2	Region 34	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.9	5.1	6.6	0.9	0.6	1.2	76.7	75.7	77.6	0.0	0.0	0.0
51	Ave US 3	0.0			5.8			1.3			74.9			0.3		
	Min US 3		0.0			2.7			0.1			67.7			0.0	
	Max US 3			0.0			7.0			3.6			78.0			2.4
GRADE: US 4																
3	Region 13	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.1	7.4	9.2	1.2	0.8	1.6	74.0	73.2	74.4	0.1	0.0	0.4
1	Region 14	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.8	7.8	7.8	0.7	0.7	0.7	77.0	77.0	77.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
2	Region 16	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.7	9.4	9.9	1.0	0.9	1.2	72.9	72.8	73.0	0.5	0.0	1.0
2	Region 17	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.4	9.2	9.6	1.2	0.9	1.6	73.3	72.2	74.4	0.3	0.0	0.6
1	Region 18	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.4	8.4	8.4	1.2	1.2	1.2	73.9	73.9	73.9	0.7	0.7	0.7
3	Region 19	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.6	7.8	9.1	1.9	1.1	2.8	74.5	72.9	76.1	0.1	0.0	0.2
2	Region 20	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.9	7.6	8.2	0.5	0.4	0.7	74.3	73.2	75.4	0.4	0.4	0.5
1	Region 21	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.3	7.3	7.3	0.9	0.9	0.9	75.7	75.7	75.7	0.4	0.4	0.4
3	Region 22	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.6	7.1	8.5	0.9	0.7	1.4	75.7	74.3	76.6	1.5	0.6	2.5
3	Region 24	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.2	7.1	9.5	1.9	1.0	2.7	74.8	71.1	77.4	0.3	0.0	0.8
5	Region 25	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.9	7.2	9.5	0.9	0.3	1.4	76.3	74.9	77.5	0.1	0.0	0.5
5	Region 26	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.0	7.1	9.6	1.1	0.9	1.4	75.9	73.9	77.4	0.6	0.0	1.5
1	Region 27	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.3	7.3	7.3	1.2	1.2	1.2	74.0	74.0	74.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
13	Region 28	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.8	7.1	9.3	1.3	0.3	2.3	75.1	73.2	76.7	0.0	0.0	0.0
1	Region 29	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.5	9.5	9.5	0.9	0.9	0.9	68.7	68.7	68.7	0.5	0.5	0.5
1	Region 30	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.7	7.7	7.7	0.9	0.9	0.9	74.9	74.9	74.9	0.4	0.4	0.4
1	Region 33	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.2	7.2	7.2	0.4	0.4	0.4	74.8	74.8	74.8	0.0	0.0	0.0
4	Region 34	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.7	7.1	9.1	1.1	0.9	1.3	73.2	68.6	78.3	0.2	0.0	0.4
52	Ave US 4	0.0			8.0			1.2			74.8			0.3		
	Min US 4		0.0			7.1			0.3			68.6			0.0	
	Max US 4			0.0			9.9			2.8			78.3			2.5
GRADE: US 5																
1	Region 13	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.7	10.7	10.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	75.6	75.6	75.6	0.4	0.4	0.4
2	Region 14	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.9	10.6	11.2	0.3	0.2	0.5	74.5	72.3	76.7	0.3	0.2	0.4
1	Region 16	0.0	0.0	0.0	11.3	11.3	11.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	77.2	77.2	77.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
1	Region 18	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.6	13.6	13.6	1.5	1.5	1.5	74.9	74.9	74.9	0.4	0.4	0.4
1	Region 20	0.0	0.0	0.0	14.7	14.7	14.7	3.4	3.4	3.4	70.9	70.9	70.9	0.4	0.4	0.4
2	Region 21	0.0	0.0	0.0	11.0	10.5	11.4	0.6	0.6	0.7	74.9	74.1	75.7	0.3	0.0	0.6
2	Region 23	0.0	0.0	0.0	14.9	14.8	15.0	0.5	0.3	0.7	75.4	74.1	76.6	0.2	0.0	0.3
3	Region 25	0.0	0.0	0.0	11.4	10.3	12.3	1.3	1.2	1.5	74.8	74.4	75.2	0.2	0.0	0.4
2	Region 28	0.0	0.0	0.0	11.0	7.8	14.3	5.1	3.5	6.8	72.3	70.2	74.4	0.0	0.0	0.0
1	Region 34	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.6	10.6	10.6	1.2	1.2	1.2	73.5	73.5	73.5	0.0	0.0	0.0

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		% Heat damaged			% Total damaged			ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.									
15	Ave US 5	0.0			11.9			1.5			74.4			0.2		
	Min US 5	0.0			7.8			0.0			70.2			0.0		
	Max US 5			0.0	15.0			6.8			77.2			0.6		
GRADE: MIXED GRADE																
1	Region 12	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.2	7.2	7.2	0.9	0.9	0.9	74.9	74.9	74.9	6.5	6.5	6.5
1	Region 16	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.9	3.9	3.9	1.4	1.4	1.4	69.9	69.9	69.9	5.5	5.5	5.5
1	Region 21	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.8	4.8	4.8	0.5	0.5	0.5	74.1	74.1	74.1	5.9	5.9	5.9
1	Region 26	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.8	7.8	7.8	3.7	3.7	3.7	72.6	72.6	72.6	9.6	9.6	9.6
1	Region 28	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.6	7.6	7.6	0.3	0.3	0.3	76.3	76.3	76.3	5.9	5.9	5.9
1	Region 33	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.8	5.8	5.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	75.7	75.7	75.7	16.7	16.7	16.7
6	Ave Mixed Grade	0.0			6.2			1.1			73.9			8.4		
	Min Mixed Grade			0.0	3.9			0.0			69.9			5.5		
	Max Mixed Grade			0.0	7.8			3.7			76.3			16.7		
GRADE: SAMPLE GRADE																
1	Region 13	0.0	0.0	0.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	0.2	0.2	0.2	75.7	75.7	75.7	0.2	0.2	0.2
3	Region 14	0.0	0.0	0.0	19.0	15.6	23.7	0.8	0.4	1.2	72.3	68.7	75.2	0.3	0.0	0.5
1	Region 19	0.0	0.0	0.0	15.6	15.6	15.6	3.2	3.2	3.2	69.9	69.9	69.9	0.4	0.4	0.4
1	Region 23	0.0	0.0	0.0	20.5	20.5	20.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	75.3	75.3	75.3	2.4	2.4	2.4
2	Region 24	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.4	9.2	17.6	0.7	0.3	1.1	65.3	53.4	77.2	0.4	0.0	0.8
1	Region 28	0.4	0.4	0.4	18.6	18.6	18.6	2.5	2.5	2.5	68.9	68.9	68.9	0.6	0.6	0.6
9	Ave Sample Grade	0.0			17.3			1.8			70.8			0.6		
	Min Sample Grade			0.0	9.2			0.2			53.4			0.0		
	Max Sample Grade			0.4	23.7			6.5			77.2			2.4		
307	Ave yellow maize	0.0			5.6			1.1			75.4			0.4		
	Min yellow maize			0.0	0.7			0.0			53.4			0.0		
	Max yellow maize			0.4	23.7			6.8			81.9			16.7		
900	Ave maize	0.0			6.0			1.1			75.9			0.3		
	Min maize			0.0	0.6			0.0			53.4			0.0		
	Max maize			0.4	27.9			6.8			81.9			16.7		

**TABLE 10: GRADES AND GRADE REQUIREMENTS FOR MAIZE
ACCORDING TO RSA GRADING REGULATIONS**

Description of deviation		Maximum percentage of deviation allowed (m/m)					
		White maize			Yellow maize		
		GRADE					
		WM1	WM2	WM3	YM1	YM2	YM3
I	Defective maize kernels above 6,35 grading sieve	7	13	30	-	-	-
	below 6,35 mm grading sieve	-	-	-	9	20	30
		-	-	-	4	10	30
II	Maize kernels of another colour	3	6	10	2	5	5
III	Foreign matter (excluding stone, pieces of coal or glass and dung)	0,3	0,5	0,75	0,3	0,5	0,75
IV	Total deviations in terms I, II and III collectively, provided such deviations are individually within the limits specified above	8	16	30	9	20	30
V	Pinked maize kernels	12	12	12	12	12	12

If the maize does not comply with the standards for Class White Maize or Class Yellow Maize
It shall be classified as Class Other Maize.

**TABLE 11: GRADES AND GRADE REQUIREMENTS FOR MAIZE
ACCORDING TO USA GRADING REGULATIONS**

Grades	Minimum test weight per bushel (pounds)		Maximum limits of -		
			Damaged kernels		Broken corn and foreign material (percent)
			Heat damaged kernels (percent)	Total (percent)	
U.S. No. 1	56.0	72.1 kg/hl	0.1	3.0	2.0
U.S. No. 2	54.0	69.5 kg/hl	0.2	5.0	3.0
U.S. No. 3	52.0	66.9 kg/hl	0.5	7.0	4.0
U.S. No. 4	49.0	63.1 kg/hl	1.0	10.0	5.0
U.S. No. 5	46.0	59.2 kg/hl	3.0	15.0	7.0
U.S. Sample Grade	< 46.0	<59.2 kg/hl	>3.0	>15.0	>7.0
U.S. Mix Grade	When % other colour in yellow maize samples >5 % and white maize samples >2 %				

U.S. Sample grade is corn that:

- a) Does not meet the requirements for the grades U.S. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5; or
- b) Contains 8 or more stones which have an aggregate weight in excess of 0.20 percent of the sample weight, 2 or more pieces of glass, 3 or more crotalaria seeds (*Crotalaria ssp.*), 2 or more castor beans (*Ricinus communis L.*), 4 or more particles of an unknown foreign substance(s) or a commonly recognized harmful or toxic substance(s), 8 or more cockleburs (*Xanthium ssp.*) or similar seeds singly or in combination, or animal filth in excess of 0.20 ssp.) or similar seeds singly or in combination, or animal filth in excess of 0.20 percent in 1000 grams; or
- c) Has a musty, sour, or commercially foreign odor; or
- d) Is heating or otherwise of distinctly low quality.

Source: Official United States Standard of Grain (excluding metric conversions.)

TABLE 12: NUTRITIONAL VALUES OF WHITE MAIZE ACCORDING TO GRADE 2005/06										TABLE 12: NUTRITIONAL VALUES OF YELLOW MAIZE ACCORDING TO GRADE 2005/06											
Number of samples	Region	% (db) Fat			% (db) Protein			% (db) Starch			Number of samples	Region	% (db) Fat			% (db) Protein			% (db) Starch		
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.			ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.
GRADE: WM 1										GRADE: YM 1											
1	Region 8	4.5	4.5	4.5	9.1	9.1	9.1	70.6	70.6	70.6	15	Region 10	3.8	3.4	3.9	8.1	7.6	8.9	72.1	71.5	72.8
8	Region 10	3.9	3.6	4.0	8.5	7.8	9.1	71.9	71.3	72.3	5	Region 11	3.8	3.5	4.1	8.2	7.7	8.7	71.8	70.6	72.5
8	Region 11	3.9	3.6	4.4	8.1	7.9	8.6	71.7	70.6	72.4	4	Region 12	3.9	3.8	4.0	8.7	8.4	9.1	71.1	70.8	71.6
8	Region 12	4.1	4.0	4.1	8.6	8.4	8.9	70.8	70.5	71.2	6	Region 13	3.8	3.7	4.0	8.9	8.3	9.4	70.8	70.0	71.4
11	Region 13	4.0	3.8	4.2	8.5	8.1	8.8	70.9	70.2	71.7	15	Region 14	3.7	3.3	4.0	8.3	8.0	8.9	71.7	70.2	72.9
16	Region 14	4.2	3.9	4.5	8.4	7.5	9.5	70.7	70.0	72.1	2	Region 15	4.3	4.1	4.5	9.3	9.3	9.3	70.1	69.7	70.5
8	Region 15	3.9	3.3	4.2	8.8	8.4	9.3	70.9	70.2	72.6	4	Region 16	4.0	3.8	4.1	8.6	8.4	8.8	71.0	70.3	71.2
10	Region 16	4.2	4.0	4.3	8.2	7.9	8.8	71.0	70.7	71.2	6	Region 17	3.8	3.6	4.1	8.5	8.3	8.7	71.7	71.2	72.1
9	Region 17	4.0	3.8	4.1	8.5	7.9	9.1	71.0	70.3	71.8	5	Region 18	3.8	3.6	4.1	8.9	8.8	9.1	71.2	70.4	71.9
12	Region 18	4.0	3.7	4.2	8.2	7.9	8.6	71.0	70.5	71.7	5	Region 19	4.0	3.7	4.4	8.7	8.1	9.4	71.0	70.5	71.6
7	Region 19	4.1	4.0	4.3	8.6	8.1	9.0	70.8	70.2	71.2	5	Region 20	3.6	3.3	3.8	8.5	8.1	8.7	71.9	70.7	72.5
7	Region 20	4.0	3.8	4.1	8.0	7.3	9.2	71.0	70.6	71.7	2	Region 21	4.0	3.8	4.2	8.1	7.3	9.0	71.1	70.6	71.5
5	Region 21	4.1	3.9	4.2	8.6	8.3	9.1	70.9	70.4	71.1	1	Region 22	4.3	4.3	4.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	70.1	70.1	70.1
13	Region 22	4.1	3.9	4.2	8.7	8.4	9.4	70.6	70.1	71.5	3	Region 23	4.2	4.1	4.5	9.2	8.9	9.7	70.4	69.6	71.0
23	Region 23	4.1	3.3	4.4	8.7	7.9	9.5	71.0	69.9	73.2	8	Region 24	4.0	3.6	4.4	8.9	8.4	9.4	71.0	70.4	72.0
22	Region 24	4.2	3.9	4.3	9.1	8.2	9.7	70.4	69.6	71.4	21	Region 25	3.9	3.3	4.7	7.8	6.8	8.5	71.6	71.0	72.9
10	Region 25	4.1	3.8	4.5	7.7	7.1	8.3	71.3	70.4	72.1	18	Region 26	4.1	3.6	4.4	8.6	7.6	9.4	71.0	69.8	72.4
7	Region 26	4.1	3.9	4.3	8.1	7.6	8.7	71.4	70.6	72.1	1	Region 27	4.2	4.2	4.2	8.9	8.9	8.9	70.9	70.9	70.9
3	Region 27	4.1	4.0	4.1	9.3	9.2	9.5	70.7	70.2	71.1	20	Region 28	4.0	3.3	4.4	8.2	6.6	9.4	71.8	70.9	73.3
15	Region 28	4.3	4.0	4.6	7.9	7.3	9.2	71.5	71.0	72.1	7	Region 29	4.0	3.7	4.2	7.8	7.1	8.2	71.5	71.0	72.6
8	Region 29	4.2	4.1	4.3	8.1	7.2	9.2	71.0	70.7	71.2	23	Region 30	3.9	3.7	4.1	8.3	7.9	9.2	71.5	70.6	71.9
16	Region 30	3.9	3.6	4.4	8.2	7.6	8.7	71.3	70.6	72.0	1	Region 32	4.1	4.1	4.1	8.3	8.3	8.3	71.5	71.5	71.5
2	Region 32	4.1	4.0	4.1	8.1	8.1	8.2	71.1	70.9	71.3	18	Region 33	3.8	3.2	4.1	8.2	7.1	9.0	71.7	70.9	72.6
19	Region 33	4.0	3.8	4.3	8.5	7.9	10.3	71.2	69.5	71.6	8	Region 34	4.0	3.7	4.3	8.4	8.3	8.7	71.2	70.7	71.7
30	Region 34	4.1	3.6	4.5	8.5	8.0	9.4	70.8	69.8	72.2	6	Region 35	4.3	3.7	4.9	8.6	8.1	9.2	71.1	69.5	71.9
8	Region 35	4.5	4.0	5.0	9.0	8.1	10.4	70.7	70.0	71.6											
7	Region 36	4.2	3.8	4.5	8.4	7.6	9.4	71.4	70.6	72.4											
293	Ave WM 1	4.1			8.5			71.0			209	Ave YM 1	3.9			8.3			71.5		
	Min WM 1		3.3			7.1			69.5			Min YM 1		3.2			6.6			69.5	
	Max WM 1			5.0			10.4			73.2		Max YM 1			4.9			9.7			73.3

TABLE 12: NUTRITIONAL VALUES OF WHITE MAIZE ACCORDING TO GRADE 2005/06 (continue)

TABLE 12: NUTRITIONAL VALUES OF YELLOW MAIZE ACCORDING TO GRADE 2005/06 (continue)

Number of samples	Region	% (db) Fat			% (db) Protein			% (db) Starch		
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.
GRADE: WM 2										
3	Region 10	3.9	3.8	3.9	8.9	8.8	9.1	71.4	70.8	71.7
4	Region 12	4.0	3.9	4.0	9.0	8.5	9.6	70.7	70.2	71.2
16	Region 13	4.0	3.8	4.1	8.2	7.7	8.8	71.0	70.1	71.5
23	Region 14	4.1	3.7	4.5	8.6	7.8	9.5	71.0	69.9	71.9
4	Region 15	4.1	3.9	4.3	9.0	8.7	9.5	70.4	69.6	71.0
4	Region 16	3.9	3.6	4.2	8.4	7.8	9.2	70.8	70.2	71.3
16	Region 17	3.9	3.7	4.1	8.3	7.8	8.7	71.3	70.6	72.0
13	Region 18	3.9	3.5	4.1	8.1	7.6	8.6	71.3	70.5	72.1
5	Region 19	4.0	3.9	4.0	8.4	8.1	8.6	70.9	70.1	71.4
6	Region 20	3.9	3.7	4.1	8.5	8.1	9.1	71.0	70.3	72.2
7	Region 21	4.2	4.1	4.3	8.9	8.2	9.7	70.4	69.9	71.0
8	Region 22	4.0	3.7	4.2	8.8	8.5	9.3	70.7	70.0	71.7
22	Region 23	4.1	3.8	4.4	8.8	8.1	9.3	70.8	70.1	71.5
13	Region 24	4.1	3.8	4.2	9.2	8.6	9.7	70.6	69.8	71.6
7	Region 25	4.0	3.4	4.4	7.8	6.6	8.8	71.5	70.9	72.5
18	Region 26	4.0	3.5	4.3	7.9	6.4	9.4	71.6	70.5	73.3
1	Region 27	4.2	4.2	4.2	8.0	8.0	8.0	71.1	71.1	71.1
15	Region 28	4.2	3.8	4.8	7.8	6.5	8.6	71.6	70.4	72.3
2	Region 29	4.1	4.0	4.2	8.2	8.1	8.3	71.1	70.6	71.5
14	Region 30	3.9	3.6	4.2	8.3	7.7	9.0	71.3	70.7	72.0
8	Region 33	4.0	3.9	4.1	8.3	8.0	8.9	71.4	71.1	71.6
12	Region 34	4.1	3.7	4.3	8.6	8.1	9.7	70.9	70.1	71.6
221	Ave WM 2	4.0			8.4			71.1		
	Min WM 2		3.4			6.4			69.6	
	Max WM 2			4.8			9.7			73.3

Number of samples	Region	% (db) Fat			% (db) Protein			% (db) Starch		
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.
GRADE: YM 2										
2	Region 10	3.8	3.7	3.8	8.6	8.4	8.9	71.7	71.6	71.8
5	Region 13	3.8	3.5	4.1	8.8	8.7	9.2	70.9	70.3	72.0
6	Region 14	4.0	3.8	4.2	8.5	8.2	8.9	70.9	70.1	71.3
1	Region 15	4.0	4.0	4.0	9.6	9.6	9.6	69.9	69.9	69.9
3	Region 16	4.2	4.2	4.3	8.1	7.8	8.8	71.0	70.8	71.4
5	Region 17	3.9	3.5	4.1	8.8	8.4	9.6	71.6	71.0	72.5
4	Region 18	4.0	3.7	4.4	8.7	8.3	9.1	70.9	70.1	71.7
4	Region 19	3.8	3.3	4.1	8.7	8.4	9.2	71.3	70.3	72.6
4	Region 20	3.7	3.5	4.2	8.9	8.9	9.0	71.5	70.6	72.2
6	Region 21	3.7	3.4	4.1	8.0	7.7	8.3	71.7	71.1	72.7
4	Region 22	3.8	3.6	4.0	9.0	8.6	9.4	70.9	70.7	71.2
2	Region 23	4.2	4.1	4.2	8.0	7.5	8.5	71.4	71.1	71.7
4	Region 24	3.8	3.4	4.2	8.5	7.8	9.2	71.7	70.8	72.5
8	Region 25	3.9	3.2	4.2	7.5	6.9	8.0	71.8	70.8	72.7
6	Region 26	3.9	3.7	4.3	8.4	7.6	9.3	71.4	70.3	72.3
1	Region 27	4.4	4.4	4.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	71.5	71.5	71.5
11	Region 28	4.1	3.8	4.3	8.2	7.3	8.7	71.6	70.6	72.2
2	Region 29	4.0	3.9	4.1	7.6	7.2	8.0	71.9	71.7	72.0
3	Region 30	3.5	3.4	3.6	7.9	7.6	8.4	72.6	72.3	72.7
1	Region 33	3.8	3.8	3.8	8.2	8.2	8.2	71.5	71.5	71.5
4	Region 34	3.7	3.6	3.9	8.7	8.3	9.3	71.6	71.1	72.2
86	Ave YM 2	3.9			8.4			71.4		
	Min YM 2		3.2			6.9			69.9	
	Max YM 2			4.4			9.6			72.7

TABLE 12: NUTRITIONAL VALUES OF WHITE MAIZE ACCORDING TO GRADE 2005/06 (continue)

TABLE 12: NUTRITIONAL VALUES OF YELLOW MAIZE ACCORDING TO GRADE 2005/06 (continue)

Number of samples	Region	% (db) Fat			% (db) Protein			% (db) Starch			Number of samples	Region	% (db) Fat			% (db) Protein			% (db) Starch		
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.			ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.
GRADE: WM 3										GRADE: YM 3											
2	Region 12	3.9	3.8	4.0	8.7	8.7	8.8	71.0	71.0	71.0	2	Region 14	3.6	3.3	3.8	8.5	8.3	8.8	71.7	71.4	71.9
7	Region 13	3.8	3.7	3.9	8.5	8.2	8.7	71.0	70.6	71.4	1	Region 19	4.1	4.1	4.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	71.6	71.6	71.6
7	Region 14	4.1	3.8	4.3	8.7	8.0	9.1	70.8	70.1	71.9	1	Region 20	3.7	3.7	3.7	9.4	9.4	9.4	72.0	72.0	72.0
1	Region 15	3.7	3.7	3.7	9.5	9.5	9.5	70.6	70.6	70.6	1	Region 28	4.3	4.3	4.3	6.6	6.6	6.6	72.7	72.7	72.7
2	Region 16	3.7	3.6	3.8	8.4	8.4	8.4	71.0	70.9	71.1											
6	Region 17	3.6	3.3	3.9	8.5	7.9	9.0	71.8	71.1	73.4											
5	Region 18	3.7	3.4	3.9	8.6	8.2	9.0	71.4	70.7	72.1											
2	Region 19	4.0	3.9	4.0	8.5	8.2	8.8	70.9	70.4	71.3											
7	Region 20	3.7	3.5	3.9	8.3	7.6	8.6	71.3	70.8	72.2											
2	Region 21	3.8	3.8	3.8	8.7	8.6	8.9	71.6	71.4	71.7											
5	Region 22	3.7	3.5	3.8	8.8	8.5	9.4	71.0	70.5	71.4											
14	Region 23	3.8	3.4	4.1	8.8	8.0	9.6	71.2	70.1	72.9											
3	Region 24	3.4	3.3	3.5	8.9	8.4	9.6	71.7	71.1	72.3											
2	Region 25	4.2	4.1	4.3	7.0	6.6	7.5	71.0	70.9	71.1											
5	Region 26	4.1	3.9	4.3	7.8	7.2	8.7	71.5	71.1	71.9											
2	Region 28	4.2	3.9	4.4	7.7	6.7	8.8	71.4	71.1	71.6											
2	Region 30	3.9	3.8	3.9	8.2	8.2	8.3	71.4	71.2	71.6											
1	Region 32	4.0	4.0	4.0	8.1	8.1	8.1	71.1	71.1	71.1											
1	Region 33	3.8	3.8	3.8	8.6	8.6	8.6	71.7	71.7	71.7											
1	Region 34	4.0	4.0	4.0	8.9	8.9	8.9	71.5	71.5	71.5											
77	Ave WM 3	3.8			8.5			71.2			5	Ave YM 3	3.8			8.2			71.9		
	Min WM 3		3.3			6.6		70.1				Min YM 3		3.3		6.6		71.4			
	Max WM 3			4.4		9.6		73.4				Max YM 3			4.3		9.4		72.7		
GRADE: COM										GRADE: COM											
1	Region 19	3.3	3.3	3.3	8.8	8.8	8.8	71.8	71.8	71.8	1	Region 12	3.8	3.8	3.8	8.9	8.9	8.9	71.0	71.0	71.0
1	Region 20	3.7	3.7	3.7	8.6	8.6	8.6	70.6	70.6	70.6	1	Region 16	4.1	4.1	4.1	8.7	8.7	8.7	71.3	71.3	71.3
											1	Region 21	3.5	3.5	3.5	8.0	8.0	8.0	72.0	72.0	72.0
											1	Region 23	3.9	3.9	3.9	9.0	9.0	9.0	71.1	71.1	71.1
											1	Region 26	4.4	4.4	4.4	7.8	7.8	7.8	70.9	70.9	70.9
											1	Region 28	4.2	4.2	4.2	8.1	8.1	8.1	71.5	71.5	71.5
											1	Region 33	3.9	3.9	3.9	8.7	8.7	8.7	71.6	71.6	71.6
2	Ave COM	3.5			8.7			71.2			7	Ave COM	4.0			8.4			71.4		
	Min COM		3.3			8.6		70.6				Min COM		3.5		7.8		70.9			
	Max COM			3.7		8.8		71.8				Max COM			4.4		9.0		72.0		
593	Ave White	4.0			8.5			71.1			307	Ave Yellow	3.9			8.4			71.5		
	Min White		3.3			6.4		69.5				Min Yellow		3.2		6.6		69.5			
	Max White			5.0		10.4		73.4				Max Yellow			4.9		9.7		73.3		
900	Ave Maize	4.0			8.4			71.2			900	Ave Maize	4.0			8.4			71.2		
	Min Maize		3.2			6.4		69.5				Min Maize		3.2		6.4		69.5			
	Max Maize			5.0		10.4		73.4				Max Maize			5.0		10.4		73.4		

**TABLE 13: NUTRITIONAL VALUES OF WHITE AND YELLOW
MAIZE 2005/2006**

Number of samples	Region	% (db) Fat			% (db) Protein			% (db) Starch		
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.
WHITE										
1	Region 8	4.5	4.5	4.5	9.1	9.1	9.1	70.6	70.6	70.6
11	Region 10	3.9	3.6	4.0	8.6	7.8	9.1	71.8	70.8	72.3
8	Region 11	3.9	3.6	4.4	8.1	7.9	8.6	71.7	70.6	72.4
14	Region 12	4.0	3.8	4.1	8.7	8.4	9.6	70.8	70.2	71.2
34	Region 13	3.9	3.7	4.2	8.4	7.7	8.8	71.0	70.1	71.7
46	Region 14	4.1	3.7	4.5	8.6	7.5	9.5	70.8	69.9	72.1
13	Region 15	3.9	3.3	4.3	8.9	8.4	9.5	70.7	69.6	72.6
16	Region 16	4.0	3.6	4.3	8.3	7.8	9.2	71.0	70.2	71.3
31	Region 17	3.9	3.3	4.1	8.4	7.8	9.1	71.3	70.3	73.4
30	Region 18	3.9	3.4	4.2	8.2	7.6	9.0	71.2	70.5	72.1
15	Region 19	4.0	3.3	4.3	8.5	8.1	9.0	70.9	70.1	71.8
21	Region 20	3.9	3.5	4.1	8.3	7.3	9.2	71.1	70.3	72.2
14	Region 21	4.1	3.8	4.3	8.8	8.2	9.7	70.7	69.9	71.7
26	Region 22	4.0	3.5	4.2	8.8	8.4	9.4	70.7	70.0	71.7
59	Region 23	4.0	3.3	4.4	8.7	7.9	9.6	71.0	69.9	73.2
38	Region 24	4.1	3.3	4.3	9.1	8.2	9.7	70.6	69.6	72.3
19	Region 25	4.1	3.4	4.5	7.7	6.6	8.8	71.4	70.4	72.5
30	Region 26	4.0	3.5	4.3	7.9	6.4	9.4	71.6	70.5	73.3
4	Region 27	4.1	4.0	4.2	9.0	8.0	9.5	70.8	70.2	71.1
32	Region 28	4.2	3.8	4.8	7.8	6.5	9.2	71.5	70.4	72.3
10	Region 29	4.2	4.0	4.3	8.1	7.2	9.2	71.0	70.6	71.5
32	Region 30	3.9	3.6	4.4	8.3	7.6	9.0	71.3	70.6	72.0
3	Region 32	4.0	4.0	4.1	8.1	8.1	8.2	71.1	70.9	71.3
28	Region 33	4.0	3.8	4.3	8.4	7.9	10.3	71.3	69.5	71.7
43	Region 34	4.1	3.6	4.5	8.6	8.0	9.7	70.8	69.8	72.2
8	Region 35	4.5	4.0	5.0	9.0	8.1	10.4	70.7	70.0	71.6
7	Region 36	4.2	3.8	4.5	8.4	7.6	9.4	71.4	70.6	72.4
593	Ave white	4.0			8.5			71.1		
	Min white	3.3			6.4			69.5		
	Max white	5.0			10.4			73.4		
YELLOW										
17	Region 10	3.8	3.4	3.9	8.2	7.6	8.9	72.1	71.5	72.8
5	Region 11	3.8	3.5	4.1	8.2	7.7	8.7	71.8	70.6	72.5
5	Region 12	3.9	3.8	4.0	8.8	8.4	9.1	71.1	70.8	71.6
11	Region 13	3.8	3.5	4.1	8.9	8.3	9.4	70.8	70.0	72.0
23	Region 14	3.7	3.3	4.2	8.4	8.0	8.9	71.5	70.1	72.9
3	Region 15	4.2	4.0	4.5	9.4	9.3	9.6	70.1	69.7	70.5
8	Region 16	4.1	3.8	4.3	8.4	7.8	8.8	71.0	70.3	71.4
11	Region 17	3.8	3.5	4.1	8.6	8.3	9.6	71.6	71.0	72.5
9	Region 18	3.9	3.6	4.4	8.8	8.3	9.1	71.1	70.1	71.9
10	Region 19	3.9	3.3	4.4	8.6	8.1	9.4	71.2	70.3	72.6
10	Region 20	3.7	3.3	4.2	8.7	8.1	9.4	71.8	70.6	72.5
9	Region 21	3.8	3.4	4.2	8.0	7.3	9.0	71.6	70.6	72.7
5	Region 22	3.9	3.6	4.3	9.1	8.6	9.4	70.8	70.1	71.2
6	Region 23	4.2	3.9	4.5	8.8	7.5	9.7	70.9	69.6	71.7

**TABLE 13: NUTRITIONAL VALUES OF WHITE AND YELLOW
MAIZE 2005/2006 (continue)**

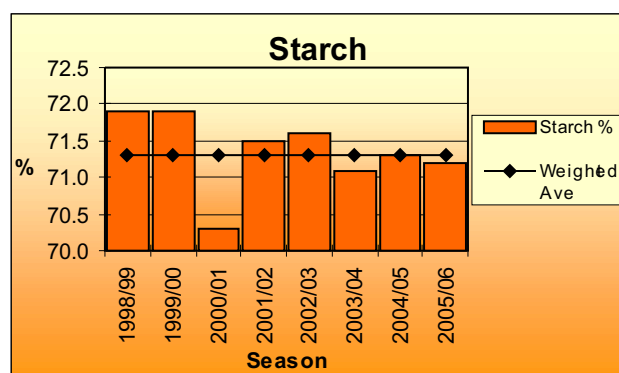
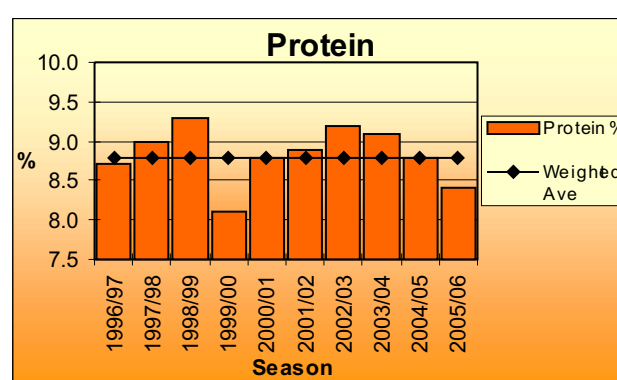
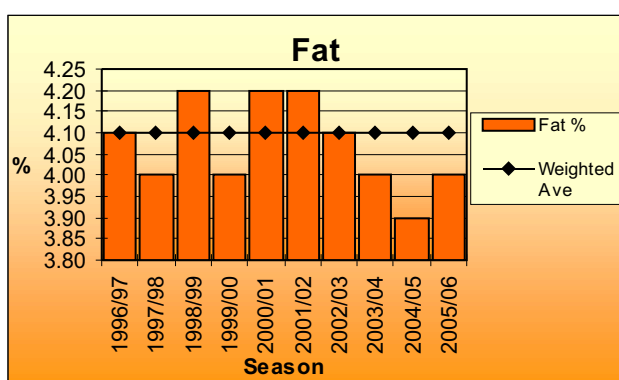
Number of samples	Region	% (db) Fat			% (db) Protein			% (db) Starch		
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.
YELLOW										
12	Region 24	3.9	3.4	4.4	8.8	7.8	9.4	71.2	70.4	72.5
29	Region 25	3.9	3.2	4.7	7.7	6.8	8.5	71.7	70.8	72.9
25	Region 26	4.1	3.6	4.4	8.5	7.6	9.4	71.1	69.8	72.4
2	Region 27	4.3	4.2	4.4	8.6	8.4	8.9	71.2	70.9	71.5
33	Region 28	4.1	3.3	4.4	8.1	6.6	9.4	71.7	70.6	73.3
9	Region 29	4.0	3.7	4.2	7.7	7.1	8.2	71.6	71.0	72.6
26	Region 30	3.8	3.4	4.1	8.3	7.6	9.2	71.6	70.6	72.7
1	Region 32	4.1	4.1	4.1	8.3	8.3	8.3	71.5	71.5	71.5
20	Region 33	3.8	3.2	4.1	8.2	7.1	9.0	71.7	70.9	72.6
12	Region 34	3.9	3.6	4.3	8.5	8.3	9.3	71.3	70.7	72.2
6	Region 35	4.3	3.7	4.9	8.6	8.1	9.2	71.1	69.5	71.9
307	Ave yellow	3.9			8.4			71.5		
	Min yellow		3.2			6.6			69.5	
	Max yellow			4.9			9.7			73.3
WHITE AND YELLOW										
1	Region 8	4.5	4.5	4.5	9.1	9.1	9.1	70.6	70.6	70.6
28	Region 10	3.8	3.4	4.0	8.4	7.6	9.1	72.0	70.8	72.8
13	Region 11	3.9	3.5	4.4	8.2	7.7	8.7	71.8	70.6	72.5
19	Region 12	4.0	3.8	4.1	8.7	8.4	9.6	70.9	70.2	71.6
45	Region 13	3.9	3.5	4.2	8.5	7.7	9.4	70.9	70.0	72.0
69	Region 14	4.0	3.3	4.5	8.5	7.5	9.5	71.1	69.9	72.9
16	Region 15	4.0	3.3	4.5	9.0	8.4	9.6	70.6	69.6	72.6
24	Region 16	4.1	3.6	4.3	8.3	7.8	9.2	71.0	70.2	71.4
42	Region 17	3.9	3.3	4.1	8.4	7.8	9.6	71.4	70.3	73.4
39	Region 18	3.9	3.4	4.4	8.4	7.6	9.1	71.2	70.1	72.1
25	Region 19	4.0	3.3	4.4	8.6	8.1	9.4	71.0	70.1	72.6
31	Region 20	3.8	3.3	4.2	8.4	7.3	9.4	71.3	70.3	72.5
23	Region 21	4.0	3.4	4.3	8.5	7.3	9.7	71.1	69.9	72.7
31	Region 22	4.0	3.5	4.3	8.8	8.4	9.4	70.7	70.0	71.7
65	Region 23	4.0	3.3	4.5	8.7	7.5	9.7	71.0	69.6	73.2
50	Region 24	4.0	3.3	4.4	9.0	7.8	9.7	70.7	69.6	72.5
48	Region 25	4.0	3.2	4.7	7.7	6.6	8.8	71.6	70.4	72.9
55	Region 26	4.1	3.5	4.4	8.2	6.4	9.4	71.3	69.8	73.3
6	Region 27	4.2	4.0	4.4	8.9	8.0	9.5	70.9	70.2	71.5
65	Region 28	4.1	3.3	4.8	8.0	6.5	9.4	71.6	70.4	73.3
19	Region 29	4.1	3.7	4.3	7.9	7.1	9.2	71.3	70.6	72.6
58	Region 30	3.9	3.4	4.4	8.3	7.6	9.2	71.4	70.6	72.7
4	Region 32	4.1	4.0	4.1	8.1	8.1	8.3	71.2	70.9	71.5
48	Region 33	3.9	3.2	4.3	8.3	7.1	10.3	71.5	69.5	72.6
55	Region 34	4.1	3.6	4.5	8.5	8.0	9.7	71.0	69.8	72.2
14	Region 35	4.4	3.7	5.0	8.8	8.1	10.4	70.9	69.5	71.9
7	Region 36	4.2	3.8	4.5	8.4	7.6	9.4	71.4	70.6	72.4
900	Ave white & yellow	4.0			8.4			71.2		
	Min white & yellow		3.2			6.4			69.5	
	Max white & yellow			5.0			10.4			73.4

TABLE 14: COMPARISON OF THE AVERAGE NUTRITIONAL VALUES BETWEEN WHITE AND YELLOW MAIZE OVER THE PAST TEN SEASONS

Season	White maize			Yellow maize		
	Fat	Protein	Starch	Fat	Protein	Starch
1996/97	3.9	8.7	-	4.2	8.7	-
1997/98	4.0	8.9	-	4.1	9.0	-
1998/99	4.1	9.2	71.8	4.2	9.5	72.1
1999/00	4.0	8.1	71.9	4.1	8.0	72.0
2000/01	4.2	8.8	70.2	4.2	8.7	70.5
2001/02	4.2	8.9	71.4	4.1	8.9	71.7
2002/03	4.1	9.2	71.4	4.1	9.2	72.0
2003/04	4.0	9.1	71.2	4.0	9.0	71.1
2004/05	4.0	8.9	71.1	3.8	8.6	71.7
2005/06	4.0	8.5	71.1	3.9	8.4	71.5

TABLE 15: AVERAGE NUTRITIONAL VALUES OF SOUTH AFRICAN MAIZE (1996/97 - 2005/06)

Season	Fat %	Protein %	Starch %
1996/97	4.1	8.7	-
1997/98	4.0	9.0	-
1998/99	4.2	9.3	71.9
1999/00	4.0	8.1	71.9
2000/01	4.2	8.8	70.3
2001/02	4.2	8.9	71.5
2002/03	4.1	9.2	71.6
2003/04	4.0	9.1	71.1
2004/05	3.9	8.8	71.3
2005/06	4.0	8.4	71.2
Weighted averages	4.1	8.8	71.3



Please note: Different starch methods have been used over years and data have been corrected accordingly.

TABLE 16: PHYSICAL QUALITY FACTORS OF WHITE MAIZE ACCORDING TO GRADE 2005/2006

Number of samples	Region	Hectolitre mass			100			Kernel size (%)									Breakage susceptibility (%)						Stress cracks (%)			Milling index			
		kg/hl			kernel mass (g)			Above 10 mm sieve			Above 8mm sieve			Below 8 mm sieve			< 6.3mm sieve			< 4.75mm sieve			ave. min. max.			ave. min. max.			
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.
GRADE: WM 1																													
1	Region 8	79.3	79.3	79.3	40.9	40.9	40.9	52.8	52.8	52.8	41.4	41.4	41.4	5.8	5.8	5.8	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.2	4.0	4.0	4.0	107.1	107.1	107.1	
8	Region 10	80.4	79.4	81.6	33.1	29.4	37.5	5.8	0.8	13.7	58.8	53.8	65.1	35.4	30.6	42.9	1.0	0.4	1.6	0.7	0.2	1.1	1.5	0.0	4.0	103.8	99.6	107.1	
8	Region 11	79.3	77.9	81.0	30.7	26.6	26.7	14.5	1.6	34.3	54.3	45.3	61.0	31.2	7.4	52.1	1.5	0.4	2.8	0.9	0.1	1.7	2.8	1.0	7.0	100.3	90.7	109.1	
8	Region 12	77.9	76.7	79.3	34.0	29.5	35.9	30.8	16.5	39.2	59.5	48.6	67.5	9.8	4.9	16.0	1.4	0.8	2.4	1.0	0.6	1.5	4.1	1.0	8.0	95.4	85.4	101.8	
11	Region 13	77.4	75.7	78.1	32.6	30.5	35.3	28.9	23.4	33.5	62.8	59.5	68.0	8.3	5.6	12.1	2.4	1.2	3.3	1.8	1.2	3.0	4.5	2.0	9.0	92.5	87.8	95.5	
16	Region 14	76.8	73.6	79.0	34.1	30.5	39.5	32.9	19.3	51.1	59.2	45.5	66.6	7.9	1.2	14.2	1.8	0.7	4.2	1.3	0.5	3.5	1.6	0.0	5.0	94.7	76.0	109.8	
8	Region 15	78.7	76.3	79.7	31.9	26.6	33.6	28.6	0.8	41.7	53.4	47.9	58.7	18.1	3.8	48.8	2.3	0.7	3.7	1.8	0.5	2.9	2.6	0.0	9.0	98.5	90.8	103.2	
10	Region 16	76.4	68.9	79.6	34.7	25.4	37.6	31.8	10.4	42.9	59.3	48.9	68.3	8.9	4.5	21.3	2.1	0.4	5.7	1.5	0.4	4.2	3.3	0.0	9.0	87.8	44.3	97.3	
9	Region 17	76.3	74.1	78.5	34.4	28.1	42.6	33.0	24.8	55.5	58.8	41.2	67.7	8.2	3.3	11.5	1.6	0.6	3.7	1.2	0.4	2.5	3.8	1.0	11.0	93.0	82.0	108.0	
12	Region 18	76.2	72.9	77.8	32.2	25.1	35.2	29.3	6.5	41.0	60.3	52.6	68.6	10.5	4.3	28.8	2.0	1.1	2.7	1.5	0.6	2.1	2.3	0.0	5.0	90.7	78.6	96.3	
7	Region 19	77.0	75.3	78.1	35.0	32.2	38.0	35.7	24.6	46.8	58.7	49.4	68.3	5.6	3.8	7.1	1.7	0.7	2.9	1.2	0.4	2.4	4.4	1.0	9.0	95.8	91.8	99.5	
7	Region 20	76.1	74.8	79.0	32.6	28.8	35.7	29.8	22.4	39.7	61.8	56.3	66.2	8.4	4.0	12.7	2.1	1.5	3.1	1.7	1.2	2.7	1.6	0.0	4.0	85.5	81.5	95.0	
5	Region 21	78.1	75.4	79.7	37.0	32.8	40.3	39.5	31.8	46.9	56.0	49.5	59.3	4.5	2.9	8.9	1.8	0.6	4.0	1.0	0.6	2.2	10.2	1.0	20.0	94.2	88.9	102.5	
13	Region 22	78.1	75.4	79.4	34.8	30.8	39.6	36.7	25.9	47.9	55.6	45.7	64.8	7.7	3.5	12.8	1.3	0.3	2.6	1.0	0.2	2.2	3.2	2.0	6.0	96.4	85.4	110.6	
23	Region 23	78.9	76.5	80.8	34.6	25.1	40.3	30.6	0.4	57.3	53.9	40.1	62.4	15.5	2.6	54.5	1.3	0.3	3.1	0.9	0.2	2.4	3.2	0.0	13.0	101.1	83.8	114.6	
22	Region 24	77.8	74.8	80.1	35.8	31.4	40.0	36.4	19.2	46.3	56.3	46.4	70.3	7.3	2.6	13.6	1.7	0.3	4.5	1.2	0.1	2.8	3.2	0.0	17.0	94.4	69.3	104.9	
10	Region 25	76.4	71.7	79.4	33.4	31.9	35.6	23.9	10.6	35.9	63.4	56.9	73.0	12.8	6.0	25.9	2.5	0.4	6.8	1.7	0.2	4.6	5.7	2.0	9.0	83.9	68.9	98.7	
7	Region 26	76.9	76.1	77.9	33.2	31.0	36.8	25.5	19.6	36.3	62.2	56.8	64.9	12.4	6.9	17.8	1.9	0.7	2.8	1.3	0.6	2.0	3.9	1.0	14.0	87.9	78.3	97.2	
3	Region 27	78.1	76.3	79.4	37.0	35.7	37.9	29.9	21.8	37.2	62.9	56.8	69.4	7.2	6.0	8.8	1.0	0.5	1.9	0.7	0.5	1.1	7.7	0.0	21.0	102.0	90.8	107.9	
15	Region 28	76.7	72.9	79.6	34.4	29.9	40.5	29.6	11.7	49.4	59.5	47.4	75.0	10.9	3.2	22.1	1.7	0.5	5.5	1.2	0.2	3.9	4.9	1.0	12.0	84.9	68.5	107.0	
8	Region 29	77.3	74.0	79.3	35.4	32.0	39.3	37.5	25.2	47.5	56.0	48.9	64.7	6.6	3.5	11.1	1.7	0.5	4.0	1.3	0.1	2.9	3.3	0.0	7.0	96.0	86.5	107.8	
16	Region 30	76.7	74.0	81.1	33.5	28.2	36.8	25.4	1.7	37.2	63.8	54.6	68.2	10.8	6.2	30.2	1.5	0.2	3.5	1.1	0.2	2.2	3.1	0.0	16.0	91.8	77.5	103.5	
2	Region 32	77.1	77.0	77.1	37.7	37.4	38.0	33.9	31.3	36.4	60.5	60.3	60.7	5.7	3.3	8.0	2.3	1.5	3.0	1.6	0.8	2.3	2.5	2.0	3.0	95.4	94.5	96.2	
19	Region 33	75.9	73.2	78.1	33.5	30.1	37.9	25.8	18.0	40.1	66.0	54.3	73.2	8.2	4.6	12.0	1.5	0.4	4.6	1.1	0.3	3.2	3.0	0.0	8.0	91.6	82.1	108.2	
30	Region 34	77.0	74.8	80.0	37.1	25.6	43.9	39.1	13.6	69.7	52.2	27.6	71.5	8.8	2.1	47.8	1.9	0.6	5.6	1.4	0.5	3.6	3.6	0.0	18.0	93.8	82.2	106.0	
8	Region 35	76.7	72.5	78.8	36.4	31.3	40.4	26.2	4.8	49.6	63.1	46.6	71.3	10.8	3.8	26.0	1.3	0.3	3.6	1.0	0.1	2.7	6.4	2.0	15.0	98.0	76.9	110.9	
7	Region 36	76.5	74.3	79.0	33.3	28.6	37.9	28.4	16.8	42.7	62.8	49.9	70.7	8.8	4.0	15.6	0.8	0.4	2.1	0.6	0.3	1.1	4.6	2.0	11.0	91.2	74.6	110.3	
293	Ave WM 1	77.3			34.4			30.5			58.6			11.0			1.7			1.2			3.6			93.7			
	Min WM 1	68.9			25.1			0.4			27.6			1.2			0.2			0.1			0.0			44.3			
	Max WM 1		81.6			43.9			69.7			75.0			54.5			6.8			4.6			21.0			114.6		

**TABLE :16 PHYSICAL QUALITY FACTORS OF WHITE MAIZE ACCORDING TO GRADE 2005/2006
(continue)**

Number of samples	Region	Hectolitre mass			100			Kernel size (%)									Breakage susceptibility (%)						Stress cracks (%)			Milling index		
		kg/hl			kernel mass (g)			Above 10 mm sieve			Above 8mm sieve			Below 8 mm sieve			< 6.3mm sieve			< 4.75mm sieve			ave. min. max.			ave. min. max.		
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.
GRADE: WM 2																												
3	Region 10	79.8	78.4	80.8	31.3	28.4	35.1	17.4	0.6	49.1	56.5	49.6	60.9	26.1	1.3	38.6	1.2	0.9	1.5	0.8	0.7	1.0	1.7	1.0	3.0	107.5	103.5	110.3
4	Region 12	76.4	75.7	77.6	31.7	27.4	36.3	28.9	27.3	32.3	62.3	61.1	63.5	8.8	6.3	11.2	2.1	1.2	3.3	1.7	1.0	2.5	2.5	0.0	4.0	90.0	83.5	95.6
16	Region 13	76.4	74.9	77.5	34.1	32.0	36.9	32.2	25.8	41.0	60.5	52.8	67.3	7.3	5.2	12.0	2.5	1.2	5.1	2.0	0.9	4.4	2.8	0.0	6.0	90.2	80.3	98.8
23	Region 14	74.9	71.3	76.8	33.4	29.2	37.4	27.4	16.4	38.4	62.7	53.2	73.3	9.9	5.6	15.0	1.8	0.4	3.4	1.4	0.0	2.3	3.5	0.0	10.0	92.0	75.5	107.7
4	Region 15	78.8	77.2	81.2	34.2	30.9	36.6	31.3	26.1	34.8	57.3	54.4	61.1	11.4	4.6	19.5	1.8	1.3	2.3	1.5	1.2	1.8	2.0	1.0	3.0	99.9	94.2	110.2
4	Region 16	75.4	71.1	79.0	33.2	26.3	38.9	30.6	16.4	50.6	61.4	46.8	72.9	8.1	2.6	10.7	3.4	1.0	5.1	2.5	0.8	3.5	2.0	0.0	5.0	88.1	76.9	102.8
16	Region 17	73.7	69.9	78.3	31.5	25.8	36.1	26.6	11.0	38.3	63.6	54.8	69.7	9.9	5.2	21.6	2.2	0.5	4.0	1.7	0.4	3.1	4.2	1.0	9.0	83.7	63.3	97.8
13	Region 18	74.3	71.7	78.0	33.3	29.7	39.5	34.0	25.1	43.7	57.8	48.3	65.5	8.2	4.9	11.6	2.6	0.9	4.2	1.8	0.5	2.9	2.7	0.0	6.0	85.4	74.8	97.6
5	Region 19	75.2	74.4	75.9	31.9	29.4	33.5	30.6	21.1	42.8	62.6	55.3	70.5	6.8	1.9	8.9	3.3	1.9	4.8	2.5	1.3	3.6	4.2	1.0	10.0	88.9	86.9	93.1
6	Region 20	74.4	73.0	77.5	30.7	28.4	34.1	28.3	17.5	40.8	61.7	55.2	69.7	10.0	4.0	14.1	2.5	0.8	5.9	1.8	0.5	4.4	2.2	1.0	7.0	84.9	76.5	89.2
7	Region 21	75.6	72.7	79.7	34.8	28.3	39.4	28.4	17.6	48.8	60.5	48.9	67.5	11.0	2.3	18.0	2.3	1.0	4.3	1.6	0.6	3.0	4.1	1.0	8.0	92.4	82.1	101.0
8	Region 22	75.6	71.4	78.3	31.9	27.6	34.4	30.2	17.9	37.9	61.4	55.3	68.7	8.4	4.7	13.4	2.5	1.4	3.9	1.9	1.3	2.9	1.9	0.0	4.0	91.8	76.0	100.3
22	Region 23	77.2	72.9	79.6	34.6	28.0	39.9	34.5	19.4	54.2	57.7	43.2	70.6	7.8	2.6	15.9	1.7	0.2	7.0	1.3	0.1	5.8	2.7	0.0	7.0	96.3	84.3	114.5
13	Region 24	76.6	74.0	79.4	35.2	30.7	38.2	33.8	20.2	46.8	57.9	48.4	69.7	8.3	4.3	17.0	2.3	0.9	4.4	1.7	0.8	3.0	4.5	1.0	10.0	93.4	80.9	107.7
7	Region 25	76.1	73.2	79.3	33.8	32.6	35.4	27.7	13.3	33.5	60.2	52.3	65.5	12.1	6.1	27.5	3.0	1.3	4.9	2.1	1.0	3.3	7.4	3.0	12.0	86.2	73.8	102.7
18	Region 26	74.8	67.3	78.2	31.9	22.9	35.1	27.0	13.7	45.0	62.6	49.9	70.4	10.3	5.0	22.6	2.4	0.8	4.4	1.7	0.7	3.6	3.9	0.0	10.0	77.2	62.4	98.2
1	Region 27	75.2	75.2	75.2	36.5	36.5	36.5	35.3	35.3	35.3	59.4	59.4	59.4	5.3	5.3	5.3	2.2	2.2	2.2	1.4	1.4	1.4	12.0	12.0	12.0	85.5	85.5	85.5
15	Region 28	74.9	71.7	77.9	33.4	28.5	38.5	31.4	10.4	47.9	57.6	48.2	67.7	11.0	3.7	23.3	2.4	0.5	6.8	1.7	0.4	5.4	6.5	2.0	36.0	79.3	63.3	94.9
2	Region 29	75.5	74.3	76.6	34.5	34.1	34.8	22.7	18.1	27.3	65.6	64.5	66.6	11.8	8.2	15.3	2.3	1.9	2.7	1.6	1.2	1.9	3.0	2.0	4.0	92.6	84.3	100.8
14	Region 30	75.9	72.2	79.8	33.9	29.0	39.2	28.9	16.9	45.6	61.4	51.4	71.6	9.7	3.0	13.4	1.4	0.5	2.5	1.0	0.3	1.8	3.9	0.0	11.0	91.7	74.6	102.8
8	Region 33	76.6	74.8	78.1	32.6	28.8	35.2	27.0	21.2	34.2	63.5	58.8	68.0	9.5	7.0	12.7	2.1	1.3	3.2	1.5	0.7	2.3	4.3	1.0	9.0	93.3	84.3	101.0
12	Region 34	75.5	71.8	79.4	35.6	31.7	44.7	35.3	14.0	73.9	56.8	24.6	71.9	7.9	1.5	14.1	3.2	1.2	6.5	2.3	0.9	4.7	3.7	1.0	12.0	90.3	82.2	101.0
221	Ave WM 2	75.6			33.4			30.2			60.4			9.5			2.3			1.7			3.7			89.0		
	Min WM 2		67.3			22.9			0.6			24.6		1.3			0.2			0.0			0.0			62.4		
	Max WM 2			81.2			44.7			73.9			73.3			38.6			7.0			5.8			36.0			114.5

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Number of samples	Region	Hectolitre mass			100			Kernel size (%)									Breakage susceptibility (%)						Stress cracks (%)			Milling index		
		kg/hl			kernel mass (g)			Above 10 mm sieve			Above 8mm sieve			Below 8 mm sieve			< 6.3mm sieve			< 4.75mm sieve			ave. min. max.			ave. min. max.		
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.
GRADE: WM 3																												
2	Region 12	77.1	76.2	78.0	34.6	31.4	37.8	21.8	15.4	28.1	62.3	58.5	66.0	16.0	13.4	18.6	3.4	3.1	3.7	2.6	2.1	3.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	84.6	83.8	85.3
7	Region 13	74.8	73.2	76.2	32.2	28.2	37.0	30.1	23.2	35.1	60.3	57.7	64.7	9.6	4.7	12.1	3.4	2.0	7.1	2.6	1.7	5.9	2.1	0.0	4.0	85.8	78.8	91.1
7	Region 14	75.0	73.1	76.5	33.7	32.2	38.5	27.6	19.8	46.1	62.6	47.0	69.0	9.8	4.9	14.3	2.8	2.1	3.8	2.0	1.5	2.8	2.7	0.0	6.0	92.7	82.9	101.2
1	Region 15	75.4	75.4	75.4	31.6	31.6	31.6	33.2	33.2	33.2	58.7	58.7	58.7	8.1	8.1	8.1	3.2	3.2	3.2	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.0	2.0	2.0	96.3	96.3	96.3
2	Region 16	73.5	72.5	74.5	30.1	28.9	31.2	24.7	18.7	30.6	63.8	59.9	67.7	11.6	9.5	13.6	5.7	5.2	6.1	4.2	3.7	4.6	5.0	4.0	6.0	83.5	80.0	86.9
6	Region 17	72.9	68.4	76.7	29.0	21.3	37.5	25.2	2.4	46.4	56.5	35.0	74.5	18.3	4.4	62.6	3.6	2.7	4.6	2.6	2.0	3.2	3.5	1.0	9.0	83.7	71.6	93.3
5	Region 18	73.3	71.1	74.7	31.6	27.3	34.3	31.7	19.5	42.1	63.2	55.3	72.6	5.1	2.6	7.9	3.2	1.8	4.1	2.3	1.5	3.0	1.8	0.0	5.0	87.0	75.2	94.7
2	Region 19	74.2	72.7	75.6	31.5	31.1	31.9	29.4	23.6	35.2	62.5	57.7	67.2	8.2	7.1	9.2	3.4	2.5	4.2	2.4	1.5	3.3	2.5	1.0	4.0	87.2	86.0	88.3
7	Region 20	72.9	71.4	73.9	30.7	24.7	33.5	28.8	23.5	32.0	62.0	58.0	69.4	9.2	6.8	12.5	4.4	1.9	6.1	3.2	1.2	4.4	4.9	0.0	15.0	83.8	76.3	92.8
2	Region 21	71.1	70.8	71.3	28.2	28.0	28.4	28.4	24.3	32.4	60.9	57.2	64.5	10.8	10.4	11.2	5.5	4.8	6.2	3.8	3.0	4.5	0.5	0.0	1.0	75.4	73.0	77.7
5	Region 22	75.0	69.9	78.0	32.2	26.1	36.0	35.9	25.6	48.5	53.8	43.5	64.4	10.3	8.0	13.6	3.4	2.3	4.6	2.2	1.2	3.5	1.0	0.0	3.0	85.0	69.9	91.1
14	Region 23	74.5	66.3	78.3	33.3	18.0	39.9	29.0	0.0	55.3	55.7	24.2	73.3	15.3	1.9	75.8	3.4	1.5	9.1	2.2	0.9	5.2	4.4	0.0	12.0	91.5	69.8	103.5
3	Region 24	67.3	58.3	73.0	27.0	18.9	32.5	19.1	5.6	36.4	64.7	55.4	72.9	16.2	8.2	21.5	6.6	2.3	12.6	5.1	1.5	10.4	2.7	0.0	7.0	55.0	29.5	78.0
2	Region 25	72.3	72.0	72.6	29.7	29.0	30.3	28.3	27.8	28.7	61.7	58.8	64.6	10.1	6.7	13.4	3.9	2.5	5.2	2.8	2.0	3.5	6.5	6.0	7.0	70.2	65.9	74.4
5	Region 26	75.0	72.6	78.3	32.0	28.3	34.7	28.2	13.5	37.1	62.0	51.7	68.4	9.8	4.0	18.1	1.7	0.8	2.4	1.1	0.3	2.1	3.0	1.0	6.0	74.6	64.1	93.8
2	Region 28	74.4	72.9	75.8	32.6	29.8	35.4	36.9	16.5	57.2	53.6	39.3	67.8	9.6	3.5	15.7	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.0	76.7	59.5	93.8
2	Region 30	76.7	76.3	77.1	35.9	33.6	38.1	21.9	14.3	29.4	57.3	51.6	63.0	20.9	7.6	34.1	1.8	1.2	2.3	1.2	0.9	1.5	5.5	5.0	6.0	97.0	92.7	101.2
1	Region 32	74.8	74.8	74.8	35.2	35.2	35.2	34.0	34.0	34.0	61.3	61.3	61.3	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.0	4.0	4.0	2.9	2.9	2.9	4.0	4.0	4.0	87.4	87.4	87.4
1	Region 33	73.2	73.2	73.2	27.7	27.7	27.7	21.8	21.8	21.8	64.1	64.1	64.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	2.8	2.8	2.8	1.6	1.6	1.6	10.0	10.0	10.0	96.3	96.3	96.3
1	Region 34	71.4	71.4	71.4	25.7	25.7	25.7	15.9	15.9	15.9	58.1	58.1	58.1	26.0	26.0	26.0	2.9	2.9	2.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	3.0	3.0	3.0	77.2	77.2	77.2
77	Ave WM 3	73.9			31.7			28.4			59.6			12.0			3.5			2.4			3.3			84.7		
	Min WM 3	58.3			18.0			0.0			24.2			1.9			0.8			0.3			0.0			29.5		
	Max WM 3	78.3			39.9			57.2			74.5			75.8			12.6			10.4			15.0			103.5		
GRADE: COM																												
1	Region 19	63.6	63.6	63.6	27.3	27.3	27.3	24.3	24.3	24.3	67.9	67.9	67.9	7.8	7.8	7.8	5.7	5.7	5.7	4.0	4.0	4.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	58.0	58.0	58.0
1	Region 20	68.0	68.0	68.0	27.8	27.8	27.8	27.4	27.4	27.4	62.0	62.0	62.0	10.6	10.6	10.6	11.1	11.1	11.1	8.0	8.0	8.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	74.1	74.1	74.1
2	Ave COM	65.8			27.6			25.9			65.0			9.2			8.4			6.0			1.5			66.1		
	Min COM	63.6			27.3			24.3			62.0			7.8			5.7			4.0			1.0			58.0		
	Max COM	68.0			27.8			27.4			67.9			10.6			11.1			8.0			2.0			74.1		
593	Ave white maize	76.2			33.7			30.1			59.4			10.5			2.1			1.6			3.6			90.8		
	Min white maize	58.3			18.0			0.0			24.2			1.2			0.2			0.0			0.0			29.5		
	Max white maize	81.6			44.7			73.9			75.0			75.8			12.6			10.4			36.0			114.6		
900	Ave maize	75.9			32.9			26.3			61.4			12.3			2.3			1.6			4.2			90.8		
	Min maize	53.4			18.0			0.0			24.2			1.2			0.1			0.0			0.0			29.5		
	Max maize	81.9			44.7			73.9			80.1			75.8			17.6			11.7			36.0			114.6		

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Number of samples	Region	Hectolitre mass			100			Kernel size (%)									Breakage susceptibility (%)						Stress cracks (%)			Milling index			
		kg/hl			kernel mass (g)			Above 10 mm sieve			Above 8mm sieve			Below 8 mm sieve			< 6.3mm sieve			< 4.75mm sieve			ave. min. max.			ave. min. max.			
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.
WHITE																													
1	Region 8	79.3	79.3	79.3	40.9	40.9	40.9	52.8	52.8	52.8	41.4	41.4	41.4	5.8	5.8	5.8	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.2	4.0	4.0	4.0	107.1	107.1	107.1	
11	Region 10	80.2	78.4	81.6	32.6	28.4	37.5	9.0	0.6	49.1	58.1	49.6	65.1	32.9	1.3	42.9	1.0	0.4	1.6	0.7	0.2	1.1	1.5	0.0	4.0	104.8	99.6	110.3	
8	Region 11	79.3	77.9	81.0	30.7	26.6	36.7	14.5	1.6	34.3	54.3	45.3	61.0	31.2	7.4	52.1	1.5	0.4	2.8	0.9	0.1	1.7	2.8	1.0	7.0	100.3	90.7	109.1	
14	Region 12	77.4	75.7	79.3	33.4	27.4	37.8	28.9	15.4	39.2	60.7	48.6	67.5	10.4	4.9	18.6	1.9	0.8	3.7	1.4	0.6	3.0	3.2	0.0	8.0	92.3	83.5	101.8	
34	Region 13	76.4	73.2	78.1	33.2	28.2	37.0	30.7	23.2	41.0	61.2	52.8	68.0	8.1	4.7	12.1	2.6	1.2	7.1	2.0	0.9	5.9	3.2	0.0	9.0	90.0	78.8	98.8	
46	Region 14	75.6	71.3	79.0	33.7	29.2	39.5	29.3	16.4	51.1	61.5	45.5	73.3	9.2	1.2	15.0	2.0	0.4	4.2	1.5	0.5	3.5	2.7	0.0	10.0	93.1	75.5	109.8	
13	Region 15	78.5	75.4	81.2	32.6	26.6	36.6	29.8	0.8	41.7	55.0	47.9	61.1	15.2	3.8	48.8	2.2	0.7	3.7	1.7	0.5	2.9	2.4	0.0	9.0	98.8	90.8	110.2	
16	Region 16	75.8	68.9	79.6	33.8	25.4	38.9	30.6	10.4	50.6	60.4	46.8	72.9	9.0	2.6	21.3	2.9	0.4	6.1	2.1	0.4	4.6	3.2	0.0	9.0	87.3	44.3	102.8	
31	Region 17	74.3	68.4	78.5	31.8	21.3	42.6	28.2	2.4	55.5	60.8	35.0	74.5	11.0	3.3	62.6	2.3	0.5	4.6	1.7	0.4	3.2	3.9	1.0	11.0	86.4	63.3	108.0	
30	Region 18	74.9	71.1	78.0	32.6	25.1	39.5	31.7	6.5	43.7	59.7	48.3	72.6	8.6	2.6	28.8	2.5	0.9	4.2	1.8	0.5	3.0	2.4	0.0	6.0	87.8	74.8	97.6	
15	Region 19	75.1	63.6	78.1	33.0	27.3	38.0	32.4	21.1	46.8	61.1	49.4	70.5	6.5	1.9	9.2	2.7	0.7	5.7	2.0	0.4	4.0	3.9	1.0	10.0	89.8	58.0	99.5	
21	Region 20	74.2	68.0	79.0	31.2	24.7	35.7	28.9	17.5	40.8	61.8	55.2	69.7	9.2	4.0	14.1	3.4	0.8	11.1	2.5	0.5	8.0	2.9	0.0	15.0	84.2	74.1	95.0	
14	Region 21	75.8	70.8	79.7	34.6	28.0	40.3	32.4	17.6	48.8	59.0	48.9	67.5	8.6	2.3	18.0	2.6	0.6	6.2	1.7	0.6	4.5	5.8	0.0	20.0	90.6	73.0	102.5	
26	Region 22	76.7	69.9	79.4	33.4	26.1	39.6	34.5	17.9	48.5	57.0	43.5	68.7	8.4	3.5	13.6	2.1	0.3	4.6	1.5	0.2	3.5	2.4	0.0	6.0	92.8	69.9	110.6	
59	Region 23	77.2	66.3	80.8	34.3	18.0	40.3	31.7	0.0	57.3	55.7	24.2	73.3	12.6	1.9	75.8	1.9	0.2	9.1	1.4	0.1	5.8	3.3	0.0	13.0	97.1	69.8	114.6	
38	Region 24	76.5	58.3	80.1	34.9	18.9	40.0	34.1	5.6	46.8	57.5	46.4	72.9	8.4	2.6	21.5	2.3	0.3	12.6	1.7	0.1	10.4	3.6	0.0	17.0	90.9	29.5	107.7	
19	Region 25	75.9	71.7	79.4	33.2	29.0	35.6	25.7	10.6	35.9	62.0	52.3	73.0	12.2	6.0	27.5	2.8	0.4	6.8	2.0	0.2	4.6	6.4	2.0	12.0	83.3	65.9	102.7	
30	Region 26	75.3	67.3	78.3	32.2	22.9	36.8	26.9	13.5	45.0	62.4	49.9	70.4	10.7	4.0	22.6	2.1	0.7	4.4	1.5	0.3	3.6	3.8	0.0	14.0	79.3	62.4	98.2	
4	Region 27	77.4	75.2	79.4	36.9	35.7	37.9	31.3	21.8	37.2	62.0	56.8	69.4	6.7	5.3	8.8	1.3	0.5	2.2	0.9	0.5	1.4	8.8	0.0	21.0	97.9	85.5	107.9	
32	Region 28	75.7	71.7	79.6	33.8	28.5	40.5	30.9	10.4	57.2	58.2	39.3	75.0	10.9	3.2	23.3	2.0	0.5	6.8	1.4	0.2	5.4	5.4	1.0	36.0	81.8	59.5	107.0	
10	Region 29	76.9	74.0	79.3	35.2	32.0	39.3	34.5	18.1	47.5	57.9	48.9	66.6	7.6	3.5	15.3	1.9	0.5	4.0	1.4	0.1	2.9	3.2	0.0	7.0	95.3	84.3	107.8	
32	Region 30	76.4	72.2	81.1	33.8	28.2	39.2	26.7	1.7	45.6	62.3	51.4	71.6	11.0	3.0	34.1	1.4	0.2	3.5	1.1	0.2	2.2	3.6	0.0	16.0	92.1	74.6	103.5	
3	Region 32	76.3	74.8	77.1	36.9	35.2	38.0	33.9	31.3	36.4	60.8	60.3	61.3	5.3	3.3	8.0	2.8	1.5	4.0	2.0	0.8	2.9	3.0	2.0	4.0	92.7	87.4	96.2	
28	Region 33	76.0	73.2	78.1	33.0	27.7	37.9	26.0	18.0	40.1	65.2	54.3	73.2	8.8	4.6	14.1	1.7	0.4	4.6	1.3	0.3	3.2	3.6	0.0	10.0	92.3	82.1	108.2	
43	Region 34	76.5	71.4	80.0	36.4	25.6	44.7	37.5	13.6	73.9	53.6	24.6	71.9	8.9	1.5	47.8	2.2	0.6	6.5	1.6	0.5	4.7	3.6	0.0	18.0	92.4	77.2	106.0	
8	Region 35	76.7	72.5	78.8	36.4	31.3	40.4	26.2	4.8	49.6	63.1	46.6	71.3	10.8	3.8	26.0	1.3	0.3	3.6	1.0	0.1	2.7	6.4	2.0	15.0	98.0	76.9	110.9	
7	Region 36	76.5	74.3	79.0	33.3	28.6	37.9	28.4	16.8	42.7	62.8	49.9	70.7	8.8	4.0	15.6	0.8	0.4	2.1	0.6	0.3	1.1	4.6	2.0	11.0	91.2	74.6	110.3	
593	Ave white	76.2			33.7			30.1			59.4			10.5			2.1			1.6			3.6			90.7			
	Min white	58.3			18.0			0.0			24.2			1.2			0.2			0.1			0.0			29.5			
	Max white	81.6			44.7			73.9			75.0			75.8			12.6			10.4			36.0			114.6			

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Number of samples	Region	Hectolitre mass			100			Kernel size (%)									Breakage susceptibility (%)						Stress cracks (%)			Milling index			
		kg/hl			kernel mass (g)			Above 10 mm sieve			Above 8mm sieve			Below 8 mm sieve			< 6.3mm sieve			< 4.75mm sieve			ave. min. max.			ave. min. max.			
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.
GRADE: YM 1																													
15	Region 10	78.2	76.6	79.4	34.6	28.8	40.1	5.9	1.3	13.6	68.9	54.4	77.9	25.2	9.9	44.3	0.8	0.1	1.7	0.5	0.1	1.3	2.2	0.0	4.0	93.6	82.8	103.1	
5	Region 11	77.3	75.7	79.2	32.8	30.4	35.2	11.7	4.1	21.1	64.6	51.5	80.1	23.6	14.7	43.9	1.5	0.3	2.2	1.1	0.2	1.8	3.6	1.0	7.0	91.5	85.5	97.4	
4	Region 12	75.7	73.1	77.5	28.1	25.7	32.6	17.6	12.3	27.0	65.2	57.5	74.7	17.3	10.1	26.8	3.5	2.2	5.5	2.1	1.1	4.1	5.3	2.0	8.0	94.3	90.1	99.2	
6	Region 13	75.5	74.5	77.1	31.7	29.7	35.0	21.4	9.3	37.2	65.9	53.1	73.9	12.7	9.7	16.9	2.6	1.5	4.0	2.1	1.0	3.2	5.0	2.0	8.0	96.5	92.9	99.4	
15	Region 14	75.7	74.1	77.4	32.8	30.7	35.1	19.0	10.6	30.9	68.1	60.6	74.9	12.8	8.5	19.1	1.8	0.5	4.0	1.3	0.2	2.9	4.1	1.0	6.0	90.8	84.7	100.4	
2	Region 15	77.2	76.7	77.6	34.3	32.9	35.7	26.1	21.2	30.9	65.4	60.8	69.9	8.6	8.3	8.9	1.9	1.6	2.2	1.4	1.3	1.5	5.5	5.0	6.0	101.9	97.3	106.4	
4	Region 16	74.9	72.9	76.6	32.5	29.1	36.2	22.7	13.6	30.7	65.1	62.7	68.5	12.3	6.6	17.9	2.9	1.4	3.9	2.2	1.2	2.9	5.3	3.0	9.0	92.0	85.4	97.8	
6	Region 17	75.6	74.7	77.9	30.9	28.9	33.9	17.8	8.1	33.8	66.3	55.7	70.2	15.9	10.5	22.2	1.6	1.3	1.8	1.2	0.9	1.4	4.7	1.0	11.0	93.6	87.8	99.9	
5	Region 18	74.9	73.9	75.4	29.9	29.2	31.0	15.1	10.2	19.4	69.8	67.0	75.2	15.1	13.0	20.8	2.1	1.3	3.2	1.7	1.2	2.6	2.8	2.0	4.0	93.1	88.3	100.2	
5	Region 19	74.0	72.9	75.4	29.2	25.0	32.7	13.6	8.1	19.8	66.0	59.0	75.9	20.4	12.4	30.5	3.7	0.7	7.3	2.6	0.4	5.4	8.2	1.0	19.0	90.8	86.1	96.3	
5	Region 20	75.0	73.4	76.3	29.6	27.8	30.5	12.1	3.6	23.0	67.8	61.6	72.7	20.1	11.4	30.1	2.3	1.6	2.9	1.5	0.9	2.3	5.4	1.0	11.0	89.5	84.5	97.6	
2	Region 21	74.1	73.9	74.2	29.8	27.9	31.7	16.4	12.5	20.3	69.1	67.7	70.4	14.6	12.0	17.1	3.3	3.1	3.5	2.4	2.0	2.8	3.0	2.0	4.0	89.3	84.6	93.9	
1	Region 22	76.6	76.6	76.6	33.1	33.1	33.1	27.9	27.9	27.9	62.4	62.4	62.4	9.7	9.7	9.7	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.2	2.2	2.2	1.0	1.0	1.0	102.4	102.4	102.4	
3	Region 23	75.1	72.6	76.5	29.8	27.3	31.8	18.5	7.3	26.4	64.8	61.4	68.1	16.7	8.7	24.6	3.3	0.9	6.0	2.4	0.8	4.3	5.0	0.0	13.0	92.7	91.1	95.4	
8	Region 24	76.3	74.4	78.4	32.2	26.6	37.7	22.1	9.2	35.7	62.7	56.2	70.2	15.3	6.4	25.2	2.3	1.0	4.8	1.6	0.6	2.8	4.8	2.0	9.0	96.8	82.6	107.8	
21	Region 25	76.2	73.1	78.3	33.0	28.8	37.8	18.7	5.5	51.7	66.6	45.1	74.2	14.7	3.2	22.6	2.3	0.3	5.1	1.6	0.3	3.1	8.8	2.0	24.0	88.7	76.0	100.9	
18	Region 26	76.3	71.1	78.1	33.0	27.7	37.4	24.2	9.6	37.5	63.8	57.5	69.3	12.0	5.0	23.6	1.8	0.5	3.1	1.3	0.3	2.3	5.6	1.0	19.0	95.8	75.5	105.2	
1	Region 27	76.6	76.6	76.6	31.7	31.7	31.7	31.2	31.2	31.2	63.1	63.1	63.1	5.7	5.7	5.7	2.5	2.5	2.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	24.0	24.0	24.0	101.4	101.4	101.4	
20	Region 28	76.0	73.5	78.3	31.9	24.7	35.8	18.9	10.1	36.5	65.6	56.2	74.7	15.5	3.9	33.7	1.5	0.4	2.9	1.0	0.3	2.0	5.6	2.0	10.0	89.8	60.9	104.4	
7	Region 29	76.3	75.7	77.2	33.3	30.1	35.3	21.9	10.0	28.4	64.5	58.8	70.5	13.5	10.1	19.5	1.6	0.6	2.6	1.1	0.4	1.7	3.7	0.0	9.0	92.4	78.7	98.9	
23	Region 30	77.3	74.5	81.9	33.1	27.6	40.1	22.2	1.7	35.9	64.3	54.9	78.6	13.5	6.7	32.8	1.3	0.3	3.7	0.9	0.2	2.1	3.3	0.0	8.0	98.6	89.8	113.6	
1	Region 32	76.6	76.6	76.6	34.2	34.2	34.2	30.8	30.8	30.8	65.5	65.5	65.5	3.7	3.7	3.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.1	2.1	2.1	4.0	4.0	4.0	97.6	97.6	97.6	
18	Region 33	75.6	72.6	78.4	31.2	27.0	34.5	21.3	3.1	39.2	64.1	55.4	76.5	14.6	4.4	28.2	2.4	0.6	7.5	1.7	0.2	5.9	6.3	0.0	21.0	89.6	72.5	101.2	
8	Region 34	76.2	73.5	78.3	33.0	27.9	38.5	26.6	18.7	46.9	60.7	49.7	70.0	12.7	3.4	20.6	2.2	0.6	5.2	1.6	0.2	3.6	4.9	1.0	9.0	93.7	86.5	105.6	
6	Region 35	75.2	72.3	78.1	34.3	24.1	38.7	18.9	7.2	24.8	65.9	62.3	68.2	15.3	9.2	28.9	2.0	0.6	3.4	1.4	0.4	2.4	8.0	1.0	23.0	95.4	76.5	105.0	
209	Ave YM 1	76.2			32.3			19.2			65.5			15.3			2.0			1.4			5.2			93.1			
	Min YM 1		71.1			24.1			1.3			45.1			3.2			0.1			0.1			0.0			60.9		
	Max YM 1			81.9			40.1			51.7			80.1			44.3			7.5			5.9			24.0			113.6	

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Number of samples	Region	Hectolitre mass			100			Kernel size (%)									Breakage susceptibility (%)						Stress cracks (%)			Milling index			
		kg/hl			kernel mass (g)			Above 10 mm sieve			Above 8mm sieve			Below 8 mm sieve			< 6.3mm sieve			< 4.75mm sieve			ave. min. max.			ave. min. max.			
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.
GRADE: YM 2																													
2	Region 10	77.4	77.2	77.6	30.4	24.6	36.2	3.1	1.2	4.9	61.4	48.0	74.7	35.6	20.4	50.8	1.6	1.4	1.7	1.2	1.1	1.3	3.0	0.0	6.0	93.7	93.6	93.8	
5	Region 13	74.7	73.2	75.7	30.2	25.1	33.9	19.5	9.8	26.6	65.8	62.5	70.3	14.7	7.6	27.7	3.7	3.2	4.5	2.6	1.9	3.2	5.8	3.0	8.0	89.8	86.9	94.8	
6	Region 14	74.0	71.1	76.7	29.8	23.7	34.9	23.0	12.5	32.1	60.9	57.0	64.6	16.1	10.5	27.6	3.4	1.6	7.3	2.4	1.3	4.8	4.7	2.0	10.0	91.9	83.4	97.3	
1	Region 15	75.3	75.3	75.3	29.5	29.5	29.5	12.6	12.6	12.6	67.9	67.9	67.9	19.5	19.5	19.5	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.0	94.6	94.6	94.6	
3	Region 16	74.3	72.8	77.2	29.0	26.7	31.2	18.1	13.2	24.5	67.8	64.4	70.3	14.1	11.1	16.5	4.2	1.4	5.6	2.9	1.0	4.2	5.3	2.0	7.0	85.0	78.3	92.9	
5	Region 17	71.7	67.7	74.4	27.4	22.0	31.8	13.8	9.6	25.9	68.0	64.2	71.1	18.2	9.9	24.1	4.3	2.4	6.5	3.0	1.8	4.7	3.2	0.0	6.0	84.9	74.0	89.3	
4	Region 18	72.7	69.8	74.9	28.5	25.2	31.8	17.0	10.3	26.2	67.7	66.3	69.7	15.3	7.5	23.2	4.8	3.2	8.4	3.6	2.4	5.8	2.8	2.0	4.0	87.6	82.5	92.0	
4	Region 19	74.2	72.9	76.1	28.2	26.4	32.0	12.0	2.9	20.0	69.0	61.7	77.4	19.1	13.9	27.0	3.0	2.0	4.5	2.5	1.5	3.7	1.0	0.0	2.0	90.7	88.7	92.8	
4	Region 20	73.9	71.7	75.4	29.1	25.3	33.0	23.2	11.5	53.1	60.8	43.3	72.7	16.1	3.6	26.3	3.2	1.6	6.3	2.2	1.0	4.3	5.3	3.0	10.0	90.3	82.4	97.1	
6	Region 21	74.7	73.5	75.7	31.1	27.5	34.5	18.2	12.3	25.9	67.9	61.8	76.3	13.9	9.7	23.0	2.9	2.1	4.2	2.1	1.4	2.9	2.8	0.0	8.0	86.6	80.5	92.6	
4	Region 22	76.0	74.3	76.6	30.7	28.4	33.3	16.2	11.4	19.9	69.4	65.6	75.4	14.4	12.6	16.8	2.0	0.2	3.6	1.5	0.0	2.5	4.0	3.0	5.0	95.0	93.1	95.8	
2	Region 23	75.4	74.1	76.6	30.2	28.6	31.8	24.1	15.0	33.2	66.6	60.3	72.9	9.3	6.5	12.1	1.6	0.9	2.2	1.0	0.7	1.2	7.0	3.0	11.0	87.0	75.7	98.3	
4	Region 24	69.8	53.4	77.4	29.7	22.0	35.2	16.4	1.1	34.3	64.7	56.3	75.8	19.0	5.4	42.6	4.8	2.1	7.1	2.9	1.7	3.7	8.8	0.0	17.0	80.5	54.9	91.1	
8	Region 25	75.6	74.4	77.5	31.2	28.6	35.3	20.3	7.2	42.2	64.8	52.7	75.4	14.9	5.1	22.1	3.4	0.4	6.4	2.4	0.3	4.6	5.4	0.0	9.0	82.4	68.7	91.3	
6	Region 26	75.3	72.5	77.4	31.6	29.3	34.1	22.3	11.8	30.8	66.2	60.3	76.8	11.5	5.3	19.2	3.5	1.6	9.9	2.2	0.9	5.8	5.5	3.0	10.0	88.8	69.2	101.5	
1	Region 27	74.0	74.0	74.0	30.6	30.6	30.6	24.0	24.0	24.0	65.6	65.6	65.6	10.4	10.4	10.4	4.0	4.0	4.0	2.2	2.2	2.2	14.0	14.0	14.0	88.3	88.3	88.3	
11	Region 28	73.8	68.9	76.1	31.6	26.3	35.4	22.3	12.2	31.1	63.0	56.4	69.9	14.7	7.0	25.0	3.6	0.7	10.6	2.3	0.2	6.9	6.2	1.0	15.0	85.8	71.9	94.6	
2	Region 29	71.3	68.7	73.9	26.5	24.5	28.5	15.1	14.7	15.4	68.1	66.2	70.0	16.9	14.6	19.1	11.1	4.6	17.6	7.5	3.3	11.7	9.0	8.0	10.0	79.9	74.7	85.0	
3	Region 30	73.4	72.3	74.9	26.2	24.9	27.6	10.6	2.3	15.1	61.9	57.0	66.0	27.5	19.5	35.1	2.2	1.8	2.4	1.4	1.1	1.7	4.0	3.0	5.0	76.8	68.6	82.7	
1	Region 33	74.8	74.8	74.8	33.5	33.5	33.5	26.8	26.8	26.8	59.4	59.4	59.4	13.8	13.8	13.8	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.3	1.3	1.3	12.0	12.0	12.0	94.7	94.7	94.7	
4	Region 34	72.5	68.6	75.7	29.7	25.2	32.3	18.9	16.6	22.4	65.5	61.9	67.3	15.6	11.9	21.5	6.4	1.8	9.4	4.4	1.4	6.0	4.3	1.0	6.0	85.5	71.8	96.6	
86	Ave YM 2	74.0			30.0			18.7			65.3			16.1			3.7			2.5			5.0			87.0			
	Min YM 2		53.4			22.0			1.1			43.3			3.6			0.2			0.0			0.0			54.9		
	Max YM 2			77.6			36.2			53.1			77.4			50.8			17.6			11.7			17.0			101.5	

**TABLE 17: PHYSICAL QUALITY FACTORS OF YELLOW MAIZE ACCORDING TO GRADE 2005/2006
(continue)**

Number of samples	Region	Hectolitre mass			100			Kernel size (%)									Breakage susceptibility (%)						Stress cracks (%)			Milling index		
		kg/hl			kernel mass (g)			Above 10 mm sieve			Above 8mm sieve			Below 8 mm sieve			< 6.3mm sieve			< 4.75mm sieve			ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.
GRADE: YM 3																												
2	Region 14	70.9	68.7	73.0	27.2	23.6	30.8	15.1	6.5	23.6	67.1	63.4	70.7	17.9	13.0	22.8	2.9	2.1	3.7	2.1	1.7	2.5	2.5	2.0	3.0	77.1	76.8	77.3
1	Region 19	69.9	69.9	69.9	28.6	28.6	28.6	14.6	14.6	14.6	70.7	70.7	70.7	14.7	14.7	14.7	7.1	7.1	7.1	4.5	4.5	4.5	9.0	9.0	9.0	73.7	73.7	73.7
1	Region 20	70.9	70.9	70.9	23.7	23.7	23.7	10.8	10.8	10.8	62.9	62.9	62.9	26.3	26.3	26.3	7.4	7.4	7.4	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	87.9	87.9	87.9
1	Region 28	74.4	74.4	74.4	24.5	24.5	24.5	9.8	9.8	9.8	46.4	46.4	46.4	43.8	43.8	43.8	2.0	2.0	2.0	0.2	0.2	0.2	1.0	1.0	1.0	68.1	68.1	68.1
5	Ave YM 3	71.4			26.2			13.1			62.8			24.1			4.5			2.8			4.0			76.8		
	Min YM 3	68.7			23.6			6.5			46.4			13.0			2.0			0.2			1.0			68.1		
	Max YM 3	74.4			30.8			23.6			70.7			43.8			7.4			5.0			9.0			87.9		
GRADE: COM																												
1	Region 12	74.9	74.9	74.9	28.6	28.6	28.6	16.1	16.1	16.1	63.1	63.1	63.1	20.8	20.8	20.8	4.4	4.4	4.4	2.6	2.6	2.6	7.0	7.0	7.0	88.7	88.7	88.7
1	Region 16	69.9	69.9	69.9	23.1	23.1	23.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	67.5	67.5	67.5	26.4	26.4	26.4	5.0	5.0	5.0	3.5	3.5	3.5	1.0	1.0	1.0	75.7	75.7	75.7
1	Region 21	74.1	74.1	74.1	33.5	33.5	33.5	18.8	18.8	18.8	58.4	58.4	58.4	22.8	22.8	22.8	2.1	2.1	2.1	1.4	1.4	1.4	18.0	18.0	18.0	88.2	88.2	88.2
1	Region 23	75.3	75.3	75.3	32.5	32.5	32.5	33.0	33.0	33.0	56.4	56.4	56.4	10.6	10.6	10.6	4.3	4.3	4.3	2.5	2.5	2.5	9.0	9.0	9.0	93.4	93.4	93.4
1	Region 26	72.6	72.6	72.6	30.7	30.7	30.7	22.7	22.7	22.7	67.6	67.6	67.6	9.7	9.7	9.7	4.6	4.6	4.6	2.2	2.2	2.2	15.0	15.0	15.0	83.0	83.0	83.0
1	Region 28	76.3	76.3	76.3	34.7	34.7	34.7	25.7	25.7	25.7	65.9	65.9	65.9	8.4	8.4	8.4	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.2	1.2	1.2	8.0	8.0	8.0	95.4	95.4	95.4
1	Region 33	75.7	75.7	75.7	32.1	32.1	32.1	17.4	17.4	17.4	65.1	65.1	65.1	17.5	17.5	17.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	12.0	12.0	12.0	90.2	90.2	90.2
7	Ave COM	74.1			30.7			20.0			63.4			16.6			3.4			2.1			10.0			87.8		
	Min COM	69.9			23.1			6.1			56.4			8.4			1.5			1.2			1.0			75.7		
	Max COM	76.3			34.7			33.0			67.6			26.4			5.0			3.5			18.0			95.4		
307	Ave yellow maize	75.4			31.5			19.0			65.4			15.7			2.5			1.7			5.3			91.0		
	Min yellow maize	53.4			22.0			1.1			43.3			3.2			0.1			0.0			0.0			54.9		
	Max yellow maize	81.9			40.1			53.1			80.1			50.8			17.6			11.7			24.0			113.6		
900	Ave maize	75.9			32.9			26.3			61.4			12.3			2.3			1.6			4.2			90.8		
	Min maize	53.4			18.0			0.0			24.2			1.2			0.1			0.0			0.0			29.5		
	Max maize	81.9			44.7			73.9			80.1			75.8			17.6			11.7			36.0			114.6		

TABLE 17: PHYSICAL QUALITY FACTORS OF YELLOW MAIZE 2005/2006

Number of samples	Region	Hectolitre mass			100 kernel mass (g)			Kernel size (%)									Breakage susceptibility (%)						Stress cracks (%)			Milling index		
		kg/hl			kernel mass (g)			Above 10 mm sieve			Above 8mm sieve			Below 8 mm sieve			< 6.3mm sieve			< 4.75mm sieve			Stress cracks (%)			Milling index		
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.
YELLOW																												
17	Region 10	78.1	76.6	79.4	34.1	24.6	40.1	5.6	1.2	13.6	68.0	48.0	77.9	26.4	9.9	50.8	0.9	0.1	1.7	0.6	0.1	1.3	2.3	0.0	6.0	93.6	82.8	103.1
5	Region 11	77.3	75.7	79.2	32.8	30.4	35.2	11.7	4.1	21.1	64.6	51.5	80.1	23.6	14.7	43.9	1.5	0.3	2.2	1.1	0.2	1.8	3.6	1.0	7.0	91.5	85.5	97.4
5	Region 12	75.6	73.1	77.5	28.2	25.7	32.6	17.3	12.3	27.0	64.8	57.5	74.7	18.0	10.1	26.8	3.7	2.2	5.5	2.2	1.1	4.1	5.6	2.0	8.0	93.2	88.7	99.2
11	Region 13	75.1	73.2	77.1	31.0	25.1	35.0	20.5	9.3	37.2	65.9	53.1	73.9	13.6	7.6	27.7	3.1	1.5	4.5	2.3	1.0	3.2	5.4	2.0	8.0	93.5	86.9	99.4
23	Region 14	74.8	68.7	77.4	31.5	23.6	35.1	19.7	6.5	32.1	66.1	57.0	74.9	14.1	8.5	27.6	2.3	0.5	7.3	1.6	0.2	4.8	4.1	1.0	10.0	89.9	76.8	100.4
3	Region 15	76.5	75.3	77.6	32.7	29.5	35.7	21.6	12.6	30.9	66.2	60.8	69.9	12.2	8.3	19.5	2.2	1.6	2.8	1.6	1.3	2.1	4.3	2.0	6.0	99.4	94.6	106.4
8	Region 16	74.1	69.9	77.2	30.0	23.1	36.2	18.9	6.1	30.7	66.4	62.7	70.3	14.7	6.6	26.4	3.7	1.4	5.6	2.6	1.0	4.2	4.8	1.0	9.0	87.3	75.7	97.8
11	Region 17	73.9	67.7	77.9	29.3	22.0	33.9	16.0	8.1	33.8	67.0	55.7	71.1	17.0	9.9	24.1	2.8	1.3	6.5	2.0	0.9	4.7	4.0	0.0	11.0	89.7	74.0	99.9
9	Region 18	73.9	69.8	75.4	29.3	25.2	31.8	15.9	10.2	26.2	68.8	66.3	75.2	15.2	7.5	23.2	3.3	1.3	8.4	2.5	1.2	5.8	2.8	2.0	4.0	90.7	82.5	100.2
10	Region 19	73.7	69.9	76.1	28.7	25.0	32.7	13.1	2.9	20.0	67.7	59.0	77.4	19.3	12.4	30.5	3.8	0.7	7.3	2.8	0.4	5.4	5.4	0.0	19.0	89.1	73.7	96.3
10	Region 20	74.1	70.9	76.3	28.8	23.7	33.0	16.4	3.6	53.1	64.5	43.3	72.7	19.1	3.6	30.1	3.2	1.6	7.4	2.1	0.9	5.0	5.3	1.0	11.0	89.7	82.4	97.6
9	Region 21	74.5	73.5	75.7	31.1	27.5	34.5	17.9	12.3	25.9	67.1	58.4	76.3	15.0	9.7	23.0	2.9	2.1	4.2	2.1	1.4	2.9	4.6	0.0	18.0	87.3	80.5	93.9
5	Region 22	76.1	74.3	76.6	31.2	28.4	33.3	18.6	11.4	27.9	68.0	62.4	75.4	13.5	9.7	16.8	2.1	0.2	3.6	1.6	0.0	2.5	3.4	1.0	5.0	96.5	93.1	102.4
6	Region 23	75.2	72.6	76.6	30.4	27.3	32.5	22.8	7.3	33.2	64.0	56.4	72.9	13.2	6.5	24.6	2.9	0.9	6.0	1.9	0.7	4.3	6.3	0.0	13.0	90.9	75.7	98.3
12	Region 24	74.1	53.4	78.4	31.4	22.0	37.7	20.2	1.1	35.7	63.3	56.2	75.8	16.5	5.4	42.6	3.1	1.0	7.1	2.0	0.6	3.7	6.1	0.0	17.0	91.4	54.9	107.8
29	Region 25	76.0	73.1	78.3	32.5	28.6	37.8	19.1	5.5	51.7	66.1	45.1	75.4	14.8	3.2	22.6	2.6	0.3	6.4	1.8	0.3	4.6	7.9	0.0	24.0	86.9	68.7	100.9
25	Region 26	75.9	71.1	78.1	32.5	27.7	37.4	23.7	9.6	37.5	64.5	57.5	76.8	11.8	5.0	23.6	2.4	0.5	9.9	1.6	0.3	5.8	6.0	1.0	19.0	93.6	69.2	105.2
2	Region 27	75.3	74.0	76.6	31.2	30.6	31.7	27.6	24.0	31.2	64.4	63.1	65.6	8.1	5.7	10.4	3.3	2.5	4.0	1.9	1.5	2.2	19.0	14.0	24.0	94.9	88.3	101.4
33	Region 28	75.2	68.9	78.3	31.7	24.5	35.8	20.0	9.8	36.5	64.1	46.4	74.7	15.8	3.9	43.8	2.2	0.4	10.6	1.4	0.2	6.9	5.7	1.0	15.0	88.0	60.9	104.4
9	Region 29	75.2	68.7	77.2	31.8	24.5	35.3	20.4	10.0	28.4	65.3	58.8	70.5	14.3	10.1	19.5	3.7	0.6	17.6	2.5	0.4	11.7	4.9	0.0	10.0	89.6	74.7	98.9
26	Region 30	76.9	72.3	81.9	32.3	24.9	40.1	20.9	1.7	35.9	64.0	54.9	78.6	15.1	6.7	35.1	1.4	0.3	3.7	0.9	0.2	2.1	3.3	0.0	8.0	96.1	68.6	113.6
1	Region 32	76.6	76.6	76.6	34.2	34.2	34.2	30.8	30.8	30.8	65.5	65.5	65.5	3.7	3.7	3.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.1	2.1	2.1	4.0	4.0	4.0	97.6	97.6	97.6
20	Region 33	75.6	72.6	78.4	31.4	27.0	34.5	21.4	3.1	39.2	63.9	55.4	76.5	14.7	4.4	28.2	2.3	0.6	7.5	1.7	0.2	5.9	6.9	0.0	21.0	89.9	72.5	101.2
12	Region 34	75.0	68.6	78.3	31.9	25.2	38.5	24.0	16.6	46.9	62.3	49.7	70.0	13.7	3.4	21.5	3.6	0.6	9.4	2.5	0.2	6.0	4.7	1.0	9.0	91.0	71.8	105.6
6	Region 35	75.2	72.3	78.1	34.3	24.1	38.7	18.9	7.2	24.8	65.9	62.3	68.2	15.3	9.2	28.9	2.0	0.6	3.4	1.4	0.4	2.4	8.0	1.0	23.0	95.4	76.5	105.0
307	Ave yellow	75.4			31.5			19.0			65.4			15.7			2.5			1.7			5.3			91.0		
	Min yellow	53.4			22.0			1.1			43.3			3.2			0.1			0.0			0.0			54.9		
	Max yellow	81.9			40.1			53.1			80.1			50.8			17.6			11.7			24.0			113.6		

TABLE 18: PHYSICAL QUALITY FACTORS OF MAIZE IN TOTAL FOR 2005/2006

Number of samples	Region	Hectolitre mass			100			Kernel size (%)									Breakage susceptibility (%)						Stress cracks (%)			Milling index			
		kg/hl			kernel mass (g)			Above 10 mm sieve			Above 8mm sieve			Below 8 mm sieve			< 6.3mm sieve			< 4.75mm sieve			ave. min. max.			ave. min. max.			
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.
WHITE AND YELLOW																													
1	Region 8	79.3	79.3	79.3	40.9	40.9	40.9	52.8	52.8	52.8	41.4	41.4	41.4	5.8	5.8	5.8	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.2	4.0	4.0	4.0	107.1	107.1	107.1	
28	Region 10	79.0	76.6	81.6	33.5	24.6	40.1	6.9	0.6	49.1	64.1	48.0	77.9	29.0	1.3	50.8	1.0	0.1	1.7	0.7	0.1	1.3	2.0	0.0	6.0	98.0	82.8	110.3	
13	Region 11	78.6	75.7	81.0	31.5	26.6	36.7	13.4	1.6	34.3	58.3	45.3	80.1	28.3	7.4	52.1	1.5	0.3	2.8	1.0	0.1	1.8	3.1	1.0	7.0	96.9	85.5	109.1	
19	Region 12	76.9	73.1	79.3	32.1	25.7	37.8	25.9	12.3	39.2	61.8	48.6	74.7	12.4	4.9	26.8	2.4	0.8	5.5	1.6	0.6	4.1	3.8	0.0	8.0	92.6	83.5	101.8	
45	Region 13	76.1	73.2	78.1	32.7	25.1	37.0	28.2	9.3	41.0	62.4	52.8	73.9	9.4	4.7	27.7	2.8	1.2	7.1	2.1	0.9	5.9	3.7	0.0	9.0	90.9	78.8	99.4	
69	Region 14	75.3	68.7	79.0	32.9	23.6	39.5	26.1	6.5	51.1	63.0	45.5	74.9	10.8	1.2	27.6	2.1	0.4	7.3	1.5	0.2	4.8	3.2	0.0	10.0	92.0	75.5	109.8	
16	Region 15	78.1	75.3	81.2	32.6	26.6	36.6	28.2	0.8	41.7	57.1	47.9	69.9	14.7	3.8	48.8	2.2	0.7	3.7	1.7	0.5	2.9	2.8	0.0	9.0	98.9	90.8	110.2	
24	Region 16	75.2	68.9	79.6	32.5	23.1	38.9	26.7	6.1	50.6	62.4	46.8	72.9	10.9	2.6	26.4	3.1	0.4	6.1	2.3	0.4	4.6	3.7	0.0	9.0	87.3	44.3	102.8	
42	Region 17	74.2	67.7	78.5	31.2	21.3	42.6	25.0	2.4	55.5	62.4	35.0	74.5	12.6	3.3	62.6	2.4	0.5	6.5	1.8	0.4	4.7	4.0	0.0	11.0	87.2	63.3	108.0	
39	Region 18	74.6	69.8	78.0	31.8	25.1	39.5	28.1	6.5	43.7	61.8	48.3	75.2	10.1	2.6	28.8	2.7	0.9	8.4	1.9	0.5	5.8	2.5	0.0	6.0	88.5	74.8	100.2	
25	Region 19	74.5	63.6	78.1	31.3	25.0	38.0	24.7	2.9	46.8	63.7	49.4	77.4	11.6	1.9	30.5	3.1	0.7	7.3	2.3	0.4	5.4	4.5	0.0	19.0	89.5	58.0	99.5	
31	Region 20	74.2	68.0	79.0	30.4	23.7	35.7	24.9	3.6	53.1	62.7	43.3	72.7	12.4	3.6	30.1	3.3	0.8	11.1	2.4	0.5	8.0	3.6	0.0	15.0	86.0	74.1	97.6	
23	Region 21	75.3	70.8	79.7	33.2	27.5	40.3	26.7	12.3	48.8	62.2	48.9	76.3	11.1	2.3	23.0	2.7	0.6	6.2	1.9	0.6	4.5	5.3	0.0	20.0	89.3	73.0	102.5	
31	Region 22	76.6	69.9	79.4	33.0	26.1	39.6	31.9	11.4	48.5	58.8	43.5	75.4	9.2	3.5	16.8	2.1	0.2	4.6	1.5	0.0	3.5	2.5	0.0	6.0	93.4	69.9	110.6	
65	Region 23	77.0	66.3	80.8	33.9	18.0	40.3	30.9	0.0	57.3	56.5	24.2	73.3	12.7	1.9	75.8	2.0	0.2	9.1	1.4	0.1	5.8	3.6	0.0	13.0	96.5	69.8	114.6	
50	Region 24	76.0	53.4	80.1	34.1	18.9	40.0	30.8	1.1	46.8	58.9	46.4	75.8	10.3	2.6	42.6	2.5	0.3	12.6	1.8	0.1	10.4	4.2	0.0	17.0	91.0	29.5	107.8	
48	Region 25	76.0	71.7	79.4	32.7	28.6	37.8	21.7	5.5	51.7	64.5	45.1	75.4	13.8	3.2	27.5	2.7	0.3	6.8	1.9	0.2	4.6	7.3	0.0	24.0	85.5	65.9	102.7	
55	Region 26	75.6	67.3	78.3	32.4	22.9	37.4	25.4	9.6	45.0	63.3	49.9	76.8	11.2	4.0	23.6	2.2	0.5	9.9	1.5	0.3	5.8	4.8	0.0	19.0	85.8	62.4	105.2	
6	Region 27	76.7	74.0	79.4	35.0	30.6	37.9	30.1	21.8	37.2	62.8	56.8	69.4	7.2	5.3	10.4	2.0	0.5	4.0	1.2	0.5	2.2	12.2	0.0	24.0	96.9	85.5	107.9	
65	Region 28	75.4	68.9	79.6	32.7	24.5	40.5	25.4	9.8	57.2	61.2	39.3	75.0	13.4	3.2	43.8	2.1	0.4	10.6	1.4	0.2	6.9	5.6	1.0	36.0	84.9	59.5	107.0	
19	Region 29	76.1	68.7	79.3	33.6	24.5	39.3	27.8	10.0	47.5	61.4	48.9	70.5	10.8	3.5	19.5	2.7	0.5	17.6	1.9	0.1	11.7	4.0	0.0	10.0	92.6	74.7	107.8	
58	Region 30	76.6	72.2	81.9	33.1	24.9	40.1	24.1	1.7	45.6	63.1	51.4	78.6	12.8	3.0	35.1	1.4	0.2	3.7	1.0	0.2	2.2	3.5	0.0	16.0	93.9	68.6	113.6	
4	Region 32	76.4	74.8	77.1	36.2	34.2	38.0	33.1	30.8	36.4	62.0	60.3	65.5	4.9	3.3	8.0	2.8	1.5	4.0	2.0	0.8	2.9	3.3	2.0	4.0	93.9	87.4	97.6	
48	Region 33	75.8	72.6	78.4	32.3	27.0	37.9	24.1	3.1	40.1	64.7	54.3	76.5	11.3	4.4	28.2	1.9	0.4	7.5	1.4	0.2	5.9	5.0	0.0	21.0	91.3	72.5	108.2	
55	Region 34	76.1	68.6	80.0	35.4	25.2	44.7	34.5	13.6	73.9	55.5	24.6	71.9	9.9	1.5	47.8	2.5	0.6	9.4	1.8	0.2	6.0	3.8	0.0	18.0	92.1	71.8	106.0	
14	Region 35	76.1	72.3	78.8	35.5	24.1	40.4	23.0	4.8	49.6	64.3	46.6	71.3	12.7	3.8	28.9	1.6	0.3	3.6	1.2	0.1	2.7	7.1	1.0	23.0	96.9	76.5	110.9	
7	Region 36	76.5	74.3	79.0	33.0	28.6	37.9	28.4	16.8	42.7	62.8	49.9	70.7	8.8	4.0	15.6	0.8	0.4	2.1	0.6	0.3	1.1	4.6	2.0	11.0	91.2	74.6	110.3	
900	Ave w & y	75.9			32.9			26.3			61.4			12.3			2.3			1.6			4.2			90.8			
	Min white & yellow	53.4			18.0			0.0			24.2			1.2			0.1			0.0			0.0			29.5			
	Max white & yellow	81.9			44.7			73.9			80.1			75.8			17.6			11.7			36.0			114.6			

TABLE 19: ROFF MILLING AND WHITENESS INDEX OF WHITE MAIZE (2005/2006)

Number of samples	Region	Roff Milling																		Whiteness index						
		Break 1, %			Break 2, %			Break 3, %			Grits, %			Bran/Germ, %			Extraction, % (Total meal)			Whiteness index unsifted			Whiteness index sifted 87:13			
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	
GRADE: WHITE																										
1	Region 8	11.6	11.6	11.6	9.4	9.4	9.4	23.3	23.3	23.3	33.6	33.6	33.6	22.1	22.1	22.1	77.9	77.9	77.9	26.6	26.6	26.6	18.8	18.8	18.8	
11	Region 10	12.7	10.1	14.2	10.0	9.2	13.2	26.3	23.5	28.3	30.5	28.0	33.7	20.4	19.1	22.5	79.6	77.5	80.9	24.2	19.1	31.0	14.3	6.3	21.5	
8	Region 11	13.3	11.9	14.0	9.6	9.3	9.9	24.5	22.6	25.8	29.8	27.7	30.6	22.9	21.8	24.7	77.1	75.3	78.2	31.4	29.3	33.4	19.6	18.1	21.8	
14	Region 12	13.6	11.8	15.6	9.5	8.7	10.1	23.3	21.0	24.7	30.8	28.3	33.9	22.8	20.8	24.4	77.2	75.6	79.2	31.2	22.2	36.9	19.7	9.4	24.3	
34	Region 13	14.5	12.8	16.4	9.9	9.3	10.9	22.8	20.8	25.5	29.0	26.1	32.1	23.8	20.5	25.6	76.2	74.4	79.5	30.8	24.7	37.3	20.4	15.3	26.4	
46	Region 14	13.7	10.5	17.0	9.8	8.4	11.4	23.2	19.8	27.2	29.1	24.4	34.3	24.2	19.1	27.2	75.8	72.8	80.9	29.8	22.6	36.4	19.2	10.1	23.2	
13	Region 15	13.3	12.3	14.6	9.8	9.5	10.2	25.2	23.2	26.7	30.4	27.2	33.7	21.3	17.7	25.5	78.7	74.5	82.3	27.6	24.9	35.5	18.0	15.0	22.4	
13	Region 16	15.1	13.3	16.2	10.0	9.5	10.5	23.8	21.6	26.2	28.3	24.7	30.8	22.8	20.0	27.1	77.2	72.9	80.0	28.5	23.9	34.8	19.2	14.3	22.7	
31	Region 17	14.6	10.9	17.5	9.8	8.9	11.1	22.6	20.3	24.8	28.7	22.6	34.3	24.3	20.7	28.3	75.7	71.7	79.3	31.2	22.5	38.8	20.2	12.2	25.7	
30	Region 18	14.6	12.2	16.8	10.0	8.6	14.9	23.0	20.1	27.7	28.1	24.5	31.2	24.2	20.2	29.6	75.8	70.4	79.8	32.3	25.3	38.2	21.7	17.7	26.2	
14	Region 19	14.1	11.5	16.4	10.1	9.0	13.0	23.6	20.1	26.5	28.8	23.0	32.5	23.5	18.6	30.6	76.5	69.4	81.4	31.9	26.6	36.3	21.0	18.2	25.6	
21	Region 20	15.3	13.3	19.5	10.0	9.0	10.9	22.3	20.7	24.8	27.7	25.3	29.7	24.6	19.5	26.9	75.4	73.1	80.5	32.7	26.1	37.9	21.7	14.5	27.5	
8	Region 21	13.8	12.3	15.9	9.9	9.0	10.4	22.2	20.6	25.5	29.1	26.0	32.9	25.0	21.2	29.0	75.0	71.0	78.8	32.5	26.8	34.6	20.4	14.2	24.1	
16	Region 22	13.6	11.4	14.8	9.9	9.2	10.9	24.7	22.7	27.1	29.9	27.4	33.5	21.9	20.0	26.1	78.1	73.9	80.0	26.6	21.0	31.6	17.3	11.3	23.0	
46	Region 23	13.1	10.2	17.8	9.8	8.8	11.8	24.0	20.5	27.0	30.8	23.8	34.4	22.2	17.2	26.1	77.8	73.9	82.8	28.2	22.2	37.7	17.8	11.7	24.4	
31	Region 24	13.1	10.3	20.6	9.8	9.0	11.1	23.9	15.2	27.7	30.2	14.8	33.3	23.0	18.6	39.1	77.0	60.9	81.4	28.0	21.1	44.2	18.1	10.7	33.3	
19	Region 25	16.2	13.6	19.4	10.5	9.7	12.6	22.6	19.5	26.4	26.1	21.8	31.5	24.6	20.6	29.0	75.4	71.0	79.4	31.1	27.7	36.6	19.1	14.1	23.3	
29	Region 26	15.9	13.1	18.8	10.6	9.6	13.9	21.9	18.4	30.2	26.9	22.3	31.4	24.7	21.2	29.7	75.3	70.3	78.8	32.3	24.8	43.8	21.0	14.6	29.0	
4	Region 27	13.4	10.8	14.9	9.7	9.0	10.7	22.0	21.0	24.1	29.0	26.2	33.2	25.8	22.9	29.1	74.2	70.9	77.1	29.6	26.6	31.9	20.4	17.4	24.4	
32	Region 28	16.2	12.1	22.2	10.6	9.3	12.0	22.4	19.8	24.7	27.0	19.2	31.3	23.9	19.7	28.1	76.1	71.9	80.3	30.1	23.7	43.8	18.7	9.5	31.7	
10	Region 29	14.7	12.0	16.4	10.1	9.2	10.7	23.7	21.5	27.0	27.9	25.2	32.2	23.6	21.0	26.9	76.4	73.1	79.0	28.9	23.1	34.1	20.3	13.5	24.2	
32	Region 30	14.8	12.9	17.2	9.9	8.8	10.9	23.4	19.8	25.7	27.9	24.4	32.1	24.0	21.1	28.8	76.0	71.2	78.9	30.6	25.3	35.4	20.4	12.7	24.8	
3	Region 32	14.4	13.8	15.2	10.0	9.8	10.2	22.7	22.0	23.8	29.3	26.5	31.1	23.6	22.6	24.4	76.4	75.6	77.4	29.6	29.3	29.7	17.4	17.0	17.8	
28	Region 33	14.8	11.6	16.2	9.9	9.1	10.7	23.0	20.2	27.3	28.5	23.5	33.1	23.9	20.2	28.4	76.1	71.6	79.8	28.2	-2.0	36.2	17.2	-15.2	23.2	
42	Region 34	14.1	9.9	16.1	10.0	8.9	15.4	23.0	20.1	25.5	29.3	25.8	32.5	23.6	19.4	27.5	76.4	72.5	80.6	30.9	25.3	45.2	19.9	15.0	25.5	
8	Region 35	13.2	10.7	17.0	9.5	8.7	10.5	23.2	21.6	24.5	31.0	26.3	33.0	23.1	21.2	25.0	76.9	75.0	78.8	27.1	23.3	29.7	18.0	15.6	21.8	
7	Region 36	14.5	11.4	17.9	9.8	9.2	10.3	22.7	20.7	25.0	28.6	24.3	33.7	24.4	20.0	27.6	75.6	72.4	80.0	32.3	26.2	37.9	21.2	16.4	24.9	
551	Ave white	14.3			10.0			23.2			28.9			23.6			76.4			30.0			19.4			
	Min white		9.9			8.4			15.2			14.8			17.2			60.9			-2.0			-15.2		
	Max white			22.2			15.4			30.2			34.4			39.1			82.8			45.2			33.3	

TABLE 19: ROFF MILLING AND WHITENESS INDEX OF WHITE MAIZE ACCORDING TO GRADE (2005/2006)

Number of samples	Region	Roff Milling																		Whiteness index							
		Break 1, %			Break 2, %			Break 3, %			Grits, %			Bran/Germ, %			Extraction, % (Total meal)			Whiteness index unsifted			Whiteness index sifted 87:13				
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.		
GRADE: WM 1																											
1	Region 8	11.6	11.6	11.6	9.4	9.4	9.4	23.3	23.3	23.3	33.6	33.6	33.6	22.1	22.1	22.1	77.9	77.9	77.9	26.6	26.6	26.6	18.8	18.8	18.8		
8	Region 10	12.9	10.1	14.2	10.1	9.2	13.2	26.1	23.5	28.3	30.2	28.0	33.7	20.7	19.4	22.5	79.3	77.5	80.6	25.1	20.0	31.0	15.7	9.9	21.5		
8	Region 11	13.3	11.9	14.0	9.6	9.3	9.9	24.5	22.6	25.8	29.8	27.7	30.6	22.9	21.8	24.7	77.1	75.3	78.2	31.4	29.3	33.4	19.6	18.1	21.8		
8	Region 12	13.7	12.9	14.9	9.5	8.9	10.1	23.4	22.6	24.4	30.8	29.0	33.9	22.6	20.8	24.4	77.4	75.6	79.2	31.6	27.6	36.9	20.4	17.5	24.3		
11	Region 13	14.4	13.5	15.7	9.9	9.5	10.5	23.1	21.3	25.5	29.8	27.1	32.1	22.9	20.5	25.4	77.1	74.6	79.5	32.2	27.5	37.3	22.2	18.6	26.4		
16	Region 14	13.9	10.6	17.0	10.0	9.1	11.4	24.4	21.9	27.0	28.6	26.2	31.8	23.1	19.1	25.7	76.9	74.3	80.9	31.0	23.0	36.4	19.9	17.1	23.2		
8	Region 15	13.5	12.9	14.6	9.8	9.5	10.1	25.4	23.2	26.7	30.0	27.2	32.1	21.4	20.3	25.5	78.6	74.5	79.7	27.7	25.5	35.5	18.4	16.0	22.4		
9	Region 16	14.8	13.3	16.1	10.0	9.5	10.5	24.3	22.9	26.2	29.2	27.6	30.8	21.7	20.0	23.1	78.3	76.9	80.0	27.0	23.9	30.8	18.1	14.3	22.7		
9	Region 17	14.1	11.6	16.0	9.9	9.1	11.1	22.8	21.0	24.8	30.2	28.1	32.9	23.0	20.7	24.5	77.0	75.5	79.3	30.5	28.1	33.3	20.6	17.4	24.0		
12	Region 18	14.5	13.2	15.4	9.9	8.8	10.7	24.0	22.0	27.7	28.5	27.0	30.3	23.1	20.2	26.3	76.9	73.7	79.8	32.7	27.8	37.9	22.1	18.2	24.7		
6	Region 19	14.2	12.8	14.9	9.8	9.5	10.4	23.3	20.4	25.3	30.4	28.7	32.5	22.4	18.6	24.5	77.6	75.5	81.4	32.3	27.4	35.1	21.6	18.2	25.6		
7	Region 20	15.7	13.6	17.8	10.0	9.4	10.6	22.4	20.8	23.8	27.3	26.2	29.0	24.7	23.6	25.9	75.3	74.1	76.4	34.0	30.7	36.2	22.7	20.3	24.8		
2	Region 21	14.3	13.6	15.0	10.1	10.0	10.2	22.1	20.9	23.3	29.1	28.9	29.3	24.4	23.7	25.1	75.6	74.9	76.3	33.0	31.6	34.4	20.1	18.1	22.2		
7	Region 22	13.2	11.4	14.6	9.8	9.2	10.1	25.3	23.9	26.2	30.6	28.4	33.5	21.1	20.0	21.8	78.9	78.2	80.0	26.9	25.2	31.1	17.9	14.9	21.2		
18	Region 23	12.4	10.2	14.7	9.4	8.8	10.3	24.0	21.8	26.5	32.3	28.2	34.4	21.9	19.3	24.0	78.1	76.0	80.7	27.8	24.8	31.0	18.2	14.8	21.0		
19	Region 24	12.9	11.5	14.5	9.9	9.4	11.1	24.5	22.2	27.7	30.7	27.3	32.5	21.9	18.6	24.5	78.1	75.5	81.4	27.4	21.2	34.6	17.9	12.8	21.4		
10	Region 25	16.0	13.6	18.4	10.5	9.7	12.6	22.3	19.5	26.4	26.5	22.9	31.5	24.7	20.6	29.0	75.3	71.0	79.4	31.0	28.3	34.4	19.0	14.1	22.4		
7	Region 26	15.6	13.1	16.6	10.7	9.7	13.9	22.7	20.6	30.2	26.8	22.3	31.4	24.2	21.7	25.9	75.8	74.1	78.3	32.8	29.0	40.4	20.7	18.0	23.4		
3	Region 27	13.0	10.8	14.7	9.4	9.0	10.0	22.4	21.0	24.1	29.3	26.2	33.2	25.9	22.9	29.1	74.1	70.9	77.1	30.6	28.8	31.9	20.2	17.4	24.4		
15	Region 28	15.6	12.1	17.1	10.6	9.3	12.0	23.0	20.3	24.7	27.7	25.3	31.3	23.1	19.7	25.8	76.9	74.2	80.3	29.8	23.7	43.8	18.4	12.1	31.7		
8	Region 29	14.6	12.0	16.4	10.1	9.2	10.7	24.0	22.0	27.0	28.2	25.2	32.2	23.0	21.0	25.6	77.0	74.4	79.0	29.4	26.4	34.1	21.3	19.0	24.2		
16	Region 30	14.9	12.9	16.1	9.8	8.8	10.7	23.2	20.8	25.7	27.7	25.6	30.2	24.4	21.1	28.8	75.6	71.2	78.9	30.9	25.9	35.4	20.5	12.7	24.3		
2	Region 32	14.1	13.8	14.3	10.0	9.8	10.1	22.2	22.0	22.4	30.7	30.3	31.1	23.1	22.6	23.6	76.9	76.4	77.4	29.5	29.3	29.7	17.2	17.0	17.4		
19	Region 33	14.8	11.6	16.2	9.8	9.1	10.5	22.6	20.2	24.6	28.4	23.5	33.1	24.4	22.3	28.4	75.6	71.6	77.7	27.4	-2.0	36.2	16.7	-15.2	23.1		
30	Region 34	14.0	9.9	16.0	10.1	8.9	15.4	23.1	20.8	25.4	29.4	26.6	32.5	23.5	20.8	27.5	76.5	72.5	79.2	30.8	25.3	45.2	20.0	15.4	25.5		
8	Region 35	13.2	10.7	17.0	9.5	8.7	10.5	23.2	21.6	24.5	31.0	26.3	33.0	23.1	21.2	25.0	76.9	75.0	78.8	27.1	23.3	29.7	18.0	15.6	21.8		
7	Region 36	14.5	11.4	17.9	9.8	9.2	10.3	22.7	20.7	25.0	28.6	24.3	33.7	24.4	20.0	27.6	75.6	72.4	80.0	32.3	26.2	37.9	21.2	16.4	24.9		
274	Ave WM 1	14.1			9.9			23.6			29.3			23.1			76.9			29.8			19.4				
	Min WM 1		9.9			8.7			19.5			22.3			18.6			70.9			-2.0			-15.2			
	Max WM 1			18.4			15.4			30.2			34.4			29.1			81.4			45.2			31.7		

TABLE 19: ROFF MILLING AND WHITENESS INDEX OF WHITE MAIZE ACCORDING TO GRADE (2005/2006)
(continue)

Number of samples	Region	Roff Milling																		Whiteness index					
		Break 1, %			Break 2, %			Break 3, %			Grits, %			Bran/Germ, %			Extraction, % (Total meal)			Whiteness index unsifted			Whiteness index sifted 87:13		
		ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.	ave.	min.	max.
GRADE: WM 2																									
3	Region 10	12.3	11.8	13.1	9.7	9.5	9.8	27.0	26.4	27.4	31.1	30.3	32.0	19.8	19.1	20.3	80.2	79.7	80.9	21.9	19.1	27.2	10.5	6.3	18.4
4	Region 12	13.6	12.6	15.6	9.5	8.7	10.0	22.5	21.0	23.6	30.9	28.3	32.2	23.5	21.9	24.4	76.5	75.6	78.1	31.9	29.3	35.6	20.5	18.5	22.2
16	Region 13	14.5	12.8	16.4	10.0	9.3	10.9	22.5	20.8	24.8	29.0	26.3	32.0	24.1	22.1	25.6	75.9	74.4	77.9	30.2	25.9	32.0	19.7	16.0	23.2
23	Region 14	13.7	10.5	16.4	9.7	8.4	10.9	22.7	19.8	27.2	28.9	24.4	34.3	25.0	19.7	27.2	75.0	72.8	80.3	30.0	23.0	34.4	19.5	10.1	22.8
4	Region 15	13.2	12.4	14.0	9.9	9.7	10.2	25.1	23.9	26.1	30.9	28.4	33.7	20.9	17.7	22.7	79.1	77.3	82.3	26.8	24.9	28.7	17.4	15.0	20.2
2	Region 16	15.9	15.8	16.1	10.2	10.1	10.2	23.7	23.4	23.9	25.8	24.7	26.9	24.4	23.3	25.6	75.6	74.4	76.7	31.8	31.7	31.9	21.4	21.3	21.6
16	Region 17	14.9	13.6	17.5	9.8	8.9	10.7	22.4	20.3	24.7	27.6	22.6	30.4	25.3	21.0	28.3	74.7	71.7	79.0	32.1	28.1	35.6	20.7	13.9	23.3
13	Region 18	14.6	12.2	16.4	10.3	8.6	14.9	22.3	20.7	24.6	27.8	24.5	31.2	25.1	22.0	29.6	74.9	70.4	78.0	32.4	25.3	38.2	21.6	17.7	26.2
5	Region 19	13.7	11.5	15.0	9.8	9.0	10.6	24.5	23.1	26.5	28.2	25.8	32.0	23.9	21.8	25.5	76.1	74.5	78.2	31.3	29.2	34.0	20.2	18.2	24.7
6	Region 20	14.9	13.3	15.7	10.0	9.5	10.5	22.5	21.5	24.6	28.2	25.8	29.7	24.4	20.9	26.9	75.6	73.1	79.1	30.2	27.5	32.0	19.2	17.7	21.6
5	Region 21	13.2	12.3	14.1	9.8	9.0	10.4	22.5	20.6	25.5	29.7	26.0	32.9	24.9	21.2	29.0	75.1	71.0	78.8	31.8	26.8	34.4	19.7	14.2	23.1
6	Region 22	13.8	12.5	14.4	10.0	9.7	10.9	24.5	22.9	27.1	29.2	27.4	30.7	22.5	20.2	26.1	77.5	73.9	79.8	27.0	23.8	31.6	18.8	15.8	23.0
18	Region 23	13.3	10.6	16.6	10.1	9.0	11.8	24.5	22.0	27.0	30.0	23.8	33.5	22.1	17.2	24.7	77.9	75.3	82.8	28.5	24.8	34.3	17.8	13.8	22.1
9	Region 24	12.4	10.3	14.2	9.5	9.0	10.0	23.8	21.8	25.3	31.4	28.6	33.3	22.8	20.6	25.5	77.2	74.5	79.4	26.6	21.1	30.7	16.3	10.7	19.7
7	Region 25	15.5	13.9	18.2	10.5	9.7	11.1	23.1	22.3	24.5	26.8	22.3	30.4	24.2	21.7	27.3	75.8	72.7	78.3	31.8	27.7	36.6	19.9	16.9	23.3
17	Region 26	16.0	13.2	18.8	10.5	9.6	11.1	21.7	18.4	25.7	27.1	23.5	30.3	24.7	21.2	29.7	75.3	70.3	78.8	31.6	24.8	34.8	20.2	14.6	23.1
1	Region 27	14.9	14.9	14.9	10.7	10.7	10.7	21.0	21.0	21.0	28.2	28.2	28.2	25.2	25.2	25.2	74.8	74.8	74.8	26.6	26.6	26.6	20.9	20.9	20.9
15	Region 28	16.4	13.8	20.0	10.7	10.2	11.6	21.9	19.8	23.8	26.7	21.6	30.3	24.3	21.5	27.4	75.7	72.6	78.5	30.2	24.0	35.3	19.2	9.5	23.8
2	Region 29	15.1	14.4	15.9	10.1	9.7	10.4	22.4	21.5	23.2	26.6	25.8	27.5	25.8	24.8	26.9	74.2	73.1	75.2	27.1	23.1	31.1	16.3	13.5	19.0
14	Region 30	14.7	13.1	17.2	10.0	8.9	10.9	23.6	19.8	25.0	28.1	24.4	32.1	23.7	22.0	26.0	76.3	74.0	78.0	30.0	25.3	34.1	20.1	14.0	24.0
8	Region 33	14.9	14.2	15.4	10.2	9.7	10.7	23.9	22.2	27.3	28.5	27.3	30.2	22.5	20.2	24.3	77.5	75.7	79.8	30.9	28.7	33.5	19.0	14.8	23.2
12	Region 34	14.3	11.8	16.1	10.0	9.2	11.2	22.9	20.1	25.5	29.0	25.8	32.0	23.8	19.4	27.1	76.2	72.9	80.6	31.4	27.3	36.0	19.7	15.0	24.3
206	Ave WM 2	14.5			10.0			23.0			28.5			23.9			76.1			30.2			19.4		
	Min WM 2		10.3			8.4			18.4			21.6			17.2			70.3			19.1			6.3	
	Max WM 2			20.0			14.9			27.4			34.3			29.7			82.8			38.2			26.2

Genetic modification

Ten percent of this crop samples (crop samples are made up of individual deliveries) were tested for the presence of MON 810 (Bt maize event) and NK 603 (RUR). The MON 810 limit of detection for the methodology used is 0,15 %. The highest reference standard is 2,0 % and the accuracy of results can only be guaranteed up to 2,0 %. Ninety-one percent of

the samples tested positive with values larger than 0,15 % (LOD).

The NK 603 limit of detection for the methodology used is 0,25 %. The highest reference standard is 1,8 % and the accuracy of the results can only be guaranteed up to 1,8 %. Thirty-one percent of the samples tested positive with values larger than 0,25 % (LOD).

TABLE 20: PRESENCE OF GENETICALLY MODIFIED MAIZE (2005/2006)

Region	Grade	% MON810	% RUR	Region	Grade	% MON810	% RUR
10	YM1	>2	< LOD	23	COM	1.2	< LOD
10	WM1	>2	< LOD	24	WM1	>2	< LOD
11	YM1	>2	< LOD	24	WM1	>2	< LOD
11	YM1	>2	< LOD	24	WM1	>2	0.8
12	WM1	>2	1.6	24	YM1	>2	< LOD
12	YM1	>2	< LOD	24	YM1	>2	< LOD
12	WM1	>2	< LOD	25	WM2	>2	< LOD
13	WM1	>2	>1.8	25	YM2	>2	< LOD
13	YM2	1.1	< LOD	25	WM1	>2	< LOD
13	WM2	>2	< LOD	25	YM1	>2	< LOD
14	YM2	>2	>1.8	26	YM1	0.6	< LOD
14	WM2	>2	< LOD	26	YM1	>2	< LOD
14	YM1	>2	< LOD	26	WM1	>2	< LOD
14	WM2	>2	< LOD	26	WM2	>2	< LOD
14	WM1	>2	< LOD	26	YM2	>2	0.7
14	WM3	>2	0.5	26	WM2	>2	< LOD
15	WM2	>2	< LOD	26	WM2	< LOD	< LOD
15	WM1	>2	< LOD	27	YM2	>2	< LOD
16	WM1	>2	1.2	28	WM2	>2	< LOD
16	YM2	>2	< LOD	28	WM1	>2	< LOD
16	YM1	>2	< LOD	28	YM1	>2	< LOD
17	WM2	1.3	>1.8	28	COM	0.2	< LOD
17	YM1	>2	< LOD	28	WM2	>2	< LOD
17	WM2	>2	< LOD	28	YM2	0.6	< LOD
18	WM1	>2	>1.8	29	WM1	0.4	< LOD
18	YM2	0.2	< LOD	29	YM2	>2	>1.8
18	WM2	< LOD	< LOD	30	YM1	>2	< LOD
18	YM2	>2	0.9	30	WM2	0.7	< LOD
19	WM2	1.9	>1.8	30	WM1	0.4	< LOD
19	YM2	>2	1.6	30	YM1	0.7	< LOD
19	WM2	1.9	>1.8	30	YM1	< LOD	< LOD
20	WM1	>2	1.4	32	WM1	0.3	< LOD
20	WM3	< LOD	< LOD	33	WM1	< LOD	>1.8
20	YM1	>2	0.5	33	YM1	1.0	1.0
20	YM1	>2	>1.8	33	WM2	1.0	>1.8
21	YM2	>2	< LOD	33	WM1	>2	0.4
21	YM2	>2	1.6	34	YM2	>2	0.7
21	WM2	< LOD	< LOD	34	WM1	>2	>1.8
22	WM2	>2	>1.8	34	WM1	>2	< LOD
22	YM1	>2	< LOD	34	WM2	0.6	< LOD
23	WM2	>2	< LOD	34	YM2	>2	0.6
23	YM2	>2	< LOD	34	WM1	0.8	>1.8
23	WM3	>2	< LOD	35	YM1	>2	< LOD
23	WM2	>2	< LOD	35	WM1	< LOD	< LOD
23	WM2	>2	>1.8	36	WM1	< LOD	< LOD
% Samples positive for MON 810				% Samples positive for NK 603			
2004/2005		78,0 %		2004/2005		31,0 %	
2005/2006		91,0 %		2005/2006		31,0 %	

TABLE 21: MYCOTOXIN RESULTS 2005/2006

Region	Grade	Aflatoxin ppb (LOD: 1 ppb)	Fumonisin ppm (LOD: 0.25 ppm)	Deoxynivalenol ppm (LOD: 0.5 ppm)	Zearalenone ppm (LOD: 0.1 ppm)	Ochratoxin ppb (LOD: 2 ppb)
10	YM1	0	6.80	2.30	0.00	0.00
10	WM1	0	0.75	1.30	0.00	0.00
11	YM1	0	1.00	0.89	0.00	0.00
11	YM1	0	8.60	3.00	0.00	0.00
12	WM1	0	0.00	2.10	0.00	0.00
12	YM1	0	0.29	2.10	0.00	0.00
12	WM1	0	1.10	3.90	0.00	0.00
13	WM1	0	0.39	1.40	0.00	0.00
13	YM2	0	0.00	2.00	0.00	0.00
13	WM2	0	0.71	3.70	0.13	0.00
14	YM2	0	0.51	4.50	0.00	0.00
14	WM2	0	0.90	2.40	0.00	0.00
14	YM1	0	0.80	1.30	0.00	0.00
14	WM2	0	0.81	2.80	0.00	0.00
14	WM1	0	1.10	0.77	0.00	0.00
14	WM3	0	0.00	5.30	0.12	0.00
15	WM2	0	2.00	3.60	0.00	0.00
15	WM1	0	2.90	1.60	0.12	0.00
16	WM1	0	0.76	1.20	0.00	0.00
16	YM2	0	0.51	2.30	0.00	0.00
16	YM1	0	0.00	2.80	0.00	0.00
17	WM2	0	0.46	3.60	0.10	0.00
17	YM1	0	0.00	2.50	0.00	0.00
17	WM2	0	0.00	2.90	0.00	0.00
18	WM1	0	1.30	1.70	0.00	0.00
18	YM2	0	0.37	3.50	0.00	0.00
18	WM2	0	0.00	2.80	0.00	0.00
18	YM2	0	0.00	4.90	0.00	0.00
19	WM2	0	0.49	2.70	0.00	0.00
19	YM2	0	1.20	2.40	0.00	0.00
19	WM2	0	1.60	4.50	0.00	0.00
20	WM1	0	0.56	2.30	0.00	0.00
20	WM3	0	0.43	5.40	0.00	0.00
20	YM1	0	0.00	3.60	0.00	0.00
20	YM1	0	0.00	2.30	0.00	0.00
21	YM2	0	0.00	1.30	0.00	0.00
21	YM2	0	0.59	4.30	0.26	2.90
21	WM2	0	0.26	1.70	0.00	0.00
22	WM2	0	1.10	2.50	0.00	0.00
22	YM1	0	0.36	4.70	0.00	0.00
23	WM2	0	0.74	2.80	0.13	0.00
23	YM2	0	0.00	2.60	0.00	0.00
23	WM3	0	0.00	2.80	0.00	0.00
23	WM2	0	0.00	1.60	0.00	0.00
23	WM2	0	0.36	5.10	0.00	0.00
23	COM (Y)	0	1.30	2.70	0.22	0.00
24	WM1	0	1.10	1.10	0.00	0.00
24	WM1	0	0.70	3.30	0.00	0.00
24	WM1	0	0.37	3.90	0.00	0.00
24	YM1	0	0.28	2.00	0.00	0.00
24	YM1	0	1.90	3.20	0.00	0.00

TABLE 21: MYCOTOXIN RESULTS 2005/2006 (continue)

Region	Grade	Aflatoxin ppb (LOD: 1 ppb)	Fumonisin ppm (LOD: 0.25 ppm)	Deoxynivalenol ppm (LOD: 0.5 ppm)	Zearalenone ppm (LOD: 0.1 ppm)	Ochratoxin ppb (LOD: 2 ppb)
25	WM2	0	0.50	1.60	0.00	0.00
25	YM2	0	0.00	2.80	0.00	0.00
25	WM1	0	1.10	3.90	0.00	0.00
25	YM1	0	0.00	5.90	0.00	0.00
26	YM1	0	0.50	2.80	0.00	0.00
26	YM1	0	0.00	2.40	0.00	0.00
26	WM1	0	0.00	2.50	0.00	0.00
26	WM2	0	0.00	6.20	0.00	0.00
26	YM2	0	0.25	4.20	0.00	0.00
26	WM2	0	0.00	4.00	0.00	0.00
26	WM2	0	0.00	4.10	0.00	0.00
27	YM2	0	2.70	1.30	0.21	0.00
28	WM2	0	1.90	1.20	0.23	2.70
28	WM1	0	0.00	2.00	0.16	0.00
28	YM1	0	0.96	1.90	0.39	0.00
28	COM (Y)	0	0.00	3.80	0.12	0.00
28	WM2	0	0.54	2.80	0.14	0.00
28	YM2	0	0.73	3.70	0.00	0.00
29	WM1	0	0.00	1.70	0.00	0.00
29	YM2	0	0.63	2.20	0.00	0.00
30	YM1	0	0.81	1.00	0.00	0.00
30	WM2	0	0.33	3.00	0.00	0.00
30	WM1	0	0.46	2.40	0.00	0.00
30	YM1	0	0.46	1.50	0.00	0.00
30	YM1	0	2.10	1.50	0.00	0.00
32	WM1	0	0.88	2.80	0.00	0.00
33	WM1	0	0.86	3.40	0.00	0.00
33	YM1	0	3.00	1.70	0.00	0.00
33	WM2	0	1.50	1.20	0.00	0.00
33	WM1	0	3.40	3.50	0.00	0.00
34	YM2	0	0.41	2.10	0.00	0.00
34	WM1	0	0.71	2.40	0.00	0.00
34	WM1	0	1.20	2.50	0.22	0.00
34	WM2	0	0.81	5.40	0.25	0.00
34	YM2	0	0.44	2.90	0.00	0.00
34	WM1	0	0.25	4.90	0.00	0.00
35	YM1	0	13.00	0.00	0.00	2.40
35	WM1	0	0.73	0.00	0.00	2.50
36	WM1	0	0.51	1.60	0.00	0.00
N=90 Average 2005/2006		0	0.97	2.74	0.03	0.12
Max value 2005/2006		0	13.00	6.20	0.39	2.90
Average 2004/2005		0	1.06	0.53	0.04	0.02
Average 2003/2004		0	1.36	0.35	0.05	0.47
Average 2002/2003		0	0.75	0.29	0.07	1.56
Average 2001/2002		0	0.78	0.70	0.07	1.58
Average 2000/2001		0	1.67	0.68	0.10	1.12

Note: All results < LOD and zero are reported as 0 or 0.00

LOD: Limit of detection

Methods

1. Grading

1.1 RSA grading

RSA grading was done in accordance with the Grading Regulations for maize, as published in the Government Gazette No. 19131 of 14 August 1998, regulation No. R.905.

Description of deviations relating to RSA grading

a. Defective maize kernels

The term "defective kernels" means all maize kernels and pieces of maize kernels which are shrivelled, obviously immature, frost-damaged, heat-damaged, mouldy or discoloured, have sprouted (including kernels whose growing point in the germ is visibly discoloured), have cavities in the germ or endosperm caused by insects or rodents, are visibly contaminated by smut, soil, smoke or coal-dust, can pass through the 6,35 mm round-hole sieve, are clearly of inferior quality and of subspecies other than *Zea mays indentata* or *Zea Mays indurata*.

b. Foreign matter

The term "foreign matter" means all matter other than maize, glass, stone, coal, dung or metal.

c. Other colour

The term "other colour" means maize kernels of a colour other than white or yellow but excludes pinked maize kernels.

d. Total deviation

The term "total deviation" means the total defective kernels plus foreign matter plus other colour kernels.

e. Pinked kernels

The term "pinked kernels" means maize kernels whose endosperm is white or yellow and whose pericarp or part thereof is red or pink in colour.

The specification, according to the Grading Regulations for classes 1 to 3 of white and yellow maize is a maximum of 12 %.

Fungal infection

All samples were inspected for the visual symptoms of *Diplodia* and *Fusarium cobrot*. There are four fungi which cause cobrot in South Africa namely *Stenocarpella maydis* (*Diplodia maydis*), *Fusarium moniliforme*, *Fusarium graminearum* and *Stenocarpella macrospora* (*Diplodia Macrospora*). *Fusarium* spp infections are localized on the cob with discoloured maize kernels, which become reddish (light pink to lilac). *Diplodia maydis* normally rots the entire maize cob and infected maize kernels are recognized by a light ash colour to black colour that appears at the germ and can infest the whole kernel.

1.2 USA grading

USA grading was determined in accordance with the method of the American Grading Regulations (United States Department of Agriculture).

There are seven grades or standards in US grading, Grades nos. 1 to 5, sample grade and mixed grade. No.1 is the most desirable followed by no. 2 down to sample grade and mixed grade.

Description of deviations relating to USA grading

a. Damaged kernels

Kernels and pieces of corn kernels that are badly ground-damaged, badly weather-damaged, diseased, frost-damaged, germ-damaged, heat-damaged, insect-bored, mould-damaged, sprout-damaged or otherwise materially damaged.

b. Heat-damaged kernels

Kernels and pieces of kernels which are materially discoloured by excessive respiration, with the dark discoloration extending out of the germ through the sides

and into the back of the kernel as well as kernels and pieces of kernels which are puffed or swollen and materially discoloured by external heat caused by artificial drying methods.

b. Broken corn and foreign material

Broken corn is all matter that passes readily through a 12/64-inch (4,76 mm) round-hole sieve and over a 6/64-inch (2,38 mm) round-hole sieve.

Foreign material is all matter that passes readily through a 2,38 mm round-hole sieve and all matter other than corn that remains on top of the 4,76 mm round-hole sieve after sieving.

Broken corn and foreign material is all matter that passes readily through a 4,76 mm round-hole sieve and all matter other than corn that remains in the sieved sample.

c. Bushel weight (Hectolitre mass)

Bushel weight is specified as a grading factor in the USA Grading Regulations.

Hectolitre mass was determined on the maize crop samples and the bushel weight spec in the USA Regulations converted to hectolitre mass by multiplication with a factor of 1,2872 to enable the grading of the samples according to the USA Grading Regulations.

d. Other colour

Maize samples are deemed to be mixed grade when maize kernels of another colour for white maize exceeds 2 % and for yellow maize exceeds 5 %.

2. Nutritional value

The Infratec 1241 Grain Analyzer (Near Infrared) (NIT) was calibrated against the different international chemical methods for determining nutritional values.

The chemical methods used to establish a set of calibration samples were:

- a) for fat, the petroleum ether extraction (Soxhlet) method (AACC 30-25, 1999),
- b) for protein, the Dumas (Leco) method

(AACC 46-30,1999), and

c) for starch, the Hydrochloric Acid dissolution method (Polarimeter) In house method 019 (Zeiss Polarimeter manual).

These sets of calibration samples were used to calibrate the Infratec 1241 Grain Analyzer (NIT) and results were checked by analysing every tenth sample by means of the primary methods.

3. Physical characteristics

Hectolitre mass

Hectolitre mass (grain density) means the mass in kilogram per hectolitre.

100 kernel mass - Industry accepted method 001

100 kernel mass is the weight in grams of one hundred whole maize kernels and provides a measure of grain size and density.

Kernel size - Industry accepted method 017

Kernel size is important to the sophisticated starch manufacturing industry. Kernels that are too small hamper the separation of kernel fractions in the wet milling process. The result is a lower starch yield. A mixture of small and large kernels causes additional problems, as homogeneous steeping cannot be achieved. On the other hand, very large kernels can also cause problems since the ratio between volume and mass is unfavourable to proper steeping.

The dry milling industry also prefers fairly larger maize kernels. However, a uniform kernel size is of particular importance to this industry, as kernels that are too large create problems especially when mixed with smaller kernels.

Kernel size is less important to the animal feed manufacturing industry. Larger kernels are nevertheless preferred, as small kernels are easily lost during the screening stage of processing. The determination of kernel size

comprises the sieving of a 100 g representative whole maize kernels for each Sample through both 8 mm and 10 mm round-hole grading sieves, normally used in the seed industry sample through both 8 mm and 10 mm round-hole grading sieves, normally used in the seed industry.

Breakage susceptibility - Industry accepted method 007

Maize is normally cleaned before processing. In the cleaning process, broken kernels are removed with other impurities, causing losses. Broken kernels are further broken during handling, resulting in much grain dust being generated. This creates the potential for dust explosions, health hazards, hygiene problems and so forth. Maize containing a high percentage of broken kernels tends to become insect infected more easily and is subject to general deterioration.

In the modern dry milling industry, maize is first cleaned and then conditioned by dampening before the germ is removed. Broken kernels cause many problems during these stages of processing. Broken kernels can also lead to a lower extraction of the so-called high-quality products, like samp and maize grits. The presence of many broken kernels cause problems with the fibre and fat content of other maize products, like the various grades of maize meal, because the quantity of germ required to be returned to the milled endosperm cannot be accurately determined.

In the wet milling process broken kernels steep more rapidly than whole kernels and by the time the whole kernels have been sufficiently steeped, the broken kernels have been over-steeped, causing an ineffective separation of protein and starch.

In the livestock feed industry breakability is not an important quality characteristic, except for dust and hygiene problems. Every sample was subjected to a breakage susceptibility test. After the sample of whole

maize kernels was propelled in a Stein Breakage tester for 4 minutes, the fraction below the 6,35 mm and 4,75 mm sieve was collected and the percentage broken kernels <6,35 mm and <4,75 mm was determined.

Stress cracks - Industry accepted method 006

Stress cracks are determined by visual inspection of a certain amount of whole maize kernels examined on top of a light box for small internal cracks in the endosperm. Some kernels may even have two or more internal cracks. Any form of stress may cause internal cracks, for example rapid moisture loss on the land, during harvest or during drying. Stress cracks are genetic and different cultivars will differ.

Milling index - Industry accepted method 015

Milling index is an indication of the milling abilities and milling quality of maize kernels where a higher milling index means a higher extraction of the high-grade and most profitable products like samp, maize rice and maize grits (degermed products) that are manufactured from the corneous part of the endosperm. The milling index is an indication of the relative differences between samples tested. The milling index is measured with the Infratec 1241 Grain Analyzer. The SAGL uses a calibration developed by the Grain Crops Institute of the ARC.

Whiteness index - Industry accepted method 004

Whiteness index of white maize meal was determined with the Hunterlab colorflex 45°/0°. Whiteness is associated with a region or volume in colour space in which objects are recognized as white. The degree of whiteness is measured by the degree of departure of the object from a perfect white. The higher the whiteness index value the whiter the sample.

Milling of maize on Roff maize mill - Industry accepted method 013

The Roff 150 Series maize mill is used to mill representative samples of 500 g. The mill should be pre-set to the following specifications: Break 1 roll nip - 0.3 mm, Break 2 roll nip - 0.18 mm and Break 3 roll nip - 0.08 mm. These settings are according to the specifications in the method developed by the ARC Grain Crops Institute. Every mill has three separations, namely germ, grits and maize meal. The grits from Break 1 are transferred to the Break 2 rolls and the grits from Break 2 are transferred to Break 3 rolls. The following fractions are weighed and determined as percentage:

Break 1 meal

Break 2 meal

Break 3 meal

Break 3 grits

Break 1, 2 and 3 germ and bran are combined and then weighed for determination of Bran/Germ %.

Break 3 grits is weighed for determination of % Grits.

Break 1, 2 and 3 meal are combined and weighed for determination of % extraction total meal.

4. Mycotoxin analyses

The pathogenic nature of certain species of fungi to plants has been observed virtually since the beginning of agriculture. These plant pathogens can produce metabolites

(mycotoxins) that show toxic effects when they are ingested.

The mycotoxin analyses were carried out in accordance with the Vicam immunoaffinity column technique using the different Vicam Instruction Manuals for the different mycotoxins. Detection of the toxins was done on a Fluorometer. 90 samples of the 900 maize crop samples were tested for Aflatoxin, Fumonisin, Deoxynivalenol, Zearalenone and Ochratoxin.

5. GMO (Genetically Modified Organisms)

90 samples of the 900 maize crop samples were tested for Bt (MON 810) and RUR Modified maize. Quantitative analyses for MON 810 maize were done using the procedure supplied with the Strategic Diagnostics Incorporated GMO Bt maize test kit. Cry 1 Ab protein in corn is produced from a gene derived from *Bacillus thuringiensis* (*Bt*). This method is a quantitative enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay (ELISA) test for the determination of *Bt* modified corn in corn flour. Proprietary antibodies specific for Cry 1 Ab protein are used.

The GMO Soya test kit from Strategic Diagnostics Incorporated (SDI) were used to quantitatively determine Roundup Ready (RUR). The procedure was adapted by SDI for maize.

Fungi	Toxin	Method reference	Detection limits
<i>Aspergillus flavus</i>	Aflatoxin	Vicam Aflatest Instruction Manual May 5, 1999	1 ppb
<i>Aspergillus ochraceus</i> and several species of <i>Penicillium sp.</i>	Ochratoxin	Vicam Ochratest Instruction Manual May 4, 1999	2 ppb
<i>Fusarium moniliforme</i>	Fumonisin	Vicam Fumonitest Instruction Manual Nov 15, 2002	0,25 ppm
<i>Fusarium graminearum</i>	Zearalenone	Vicam Zearalatest Instruction Manual Nov 19, 1998	0,1 ppm
<i>Fusarium graminearum</i>	Deoxynivalenol (DON)	Vicam DONFQ Instruction Manual Nov 1, 2004	0,5 ppm

IMPORTED MAIZE QUALITY
Imported maize quality versus RSA crop quality
2004/2005

Country of origin	Argentina Average		RSA Crop Average	
Class and grade yellow maize	YM2	COM	YM2	COM
RSA Grading				
Defective kernels above 6.35 mm sieve, %	3.2	3.0	6.8	27.2
Defective kernels below 6.35 mm sieve, %	7.6	5.8	3.6	2.9
Total defective kernels, %	10.8	8.8	10.4	30.1
Other colour maize kernels, %	0.0	0.0	0.4	1.0
Foreign matter, %	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.4
Combined deviation, %	10.9	8.9	11.0	31.5
Pinked maize kernels, %	11.3	20.3	0.2	0.0
Noxious seeds	0	0	0	0
Physical Factors				
Hectolitre mass, kg/hl	66.6	75.7	75.7	75.9
100 Kernel mass, g	30.7	31.0	31.7	33.4
Stress cracks, %	11	11	6	2
Milling Index	89.7	90.7	93.3	96.6
Kernel Size				
% on top 10 mm	3.7	5.4	17.1	16.6
% on top 8 mm	60.6	57.0	62.6	70.6
% through 8 mm	35.8	36.3	20.3	12.8
Breakage susceptibility, g				
Below 6.35 mm sieve	0.7	1.1	2.0	1.2
Below 4.8 mm sieve	0.8	0.7	1.4	1.0
Nutritional Factors				
Protein, %	8.0	8.4	8.7	9.0
Fat, % (db)	4.8	4.6	3.8	4.1
Starch, % (db)	71.1	70.7	71.7	70.8
Number of samples	2	33	70	1
Mycotoxins				
Total Aflatoxin, ppb (ug/kg) [max. value]	1.21 [11.00]		0.00 [0.00]	
Fumonisin, ppm (mg/kg) [max. value]	1.55 [3.20]		1.3 [3.50]	
Deoxynivalenol, ppm (mg/kg) [max. value]	< 0.5 [2.40]		1.0 [3.26]	
Ochratoxin, ppb (ug/kg) [max. value]	<2 [2.90]		< 2 [<2]	
Zearalenone, ppm (mg/kg) [max. value]	< 0.1 [0.29]		< 0.1 [0.31]	
Number of samples	14		7	
GMO				
MON810, % Samples positive (> LOD of 0.15 %)	100		100	
NK603 (Roundup Ready), % Samples positive (> LOD of 0.25 %)	86		57	
Number of samples	14		7	

IMPORTED MAIZE QUALITY
Imported maize quality versus RSA crop quality
2005/2006

Country of origin	Argentina Average		RSA Crop Average	
Class and grade yellow maize	YM2	COM	YM2	COM
RSA Grading				
Defective kernels above 6.35 mm sieve, %	1.9	2.5	8.3	8.1
Defective kernels below 6.35 mm sieve, %	8.3	5.4	2.5	3.1
Total defective kernels, %	10.2	8.2	10.8	11.2
Other colour maize kernels, %	0.0	0.3	0.4	7.4
Foreign matter, %	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2
Combined deviation, %	10.3	8.3	11.5	18.8
Pinked maize kernels, %	4.4	18.1	0.2	0.6
Noxious seeds	0	0	0	0
Physical Factors				
Hectolitre mass, kg/hl	75.4	76.3	74.0	74.1
100 Kernel mass, g	30.3	32.7	30.0	30.7
Stress cracks, %	10	8	5	10
Milling Index	104.1	93.9	87.0	87.8
Kernel Size				
% on top 10 mm	3.8	7.6	18.7	20.0
% on top 8 mm	70.1	47.3	65.3	63.4
% through 8 mm	26.1	44.6	16.1	16.6
Breakage susceptibility, g				
Below 6.35 mm sieve	1.8	1.0	3.7	3.4
Below 4.8 mm sieve	1.0	0.7	2.5	2.1
Nutritional Factors				
Protein, %	9.8	8.8	8.4	8.4
Fat, % (db)	4.3	4.7	3.9	4.0
Starch, % (db)	69.3	69.6	71.4	71.4
Number of samples	1	21	86	7
Mycotoxins				
Total Aflatoxin, ppb (ug/kg) [max. value]	< 1 [1.00]		0.00 [0.00]	
Fumonisin, ppm (mg/kg) [max. value]	1.61 [5.70]		0.54 [2.70]	
Deoxynivalenol, ppm (mg/kg) [max. value]	0.55 [2.10]		2.97 [4.90]	
Ochratoxin, ppb (ug/kg) [max. value]	< 2 [2.90]		< 2 [2.90]	
Zearalenone, ppm (mg/kg) [max. value]	0.13 [0.37]		< 0.1 [0.30]	
Number of samples	13		18	
GMO				
MON810, % Samples positive (> LOD of 0.15 %)	100		100	
NK603 (Roundup Ready), % Samples positive (> LOD of 0.25 %)	69		44	
Number of samples	13		18	

SOUTH AFRICAN MAIZE CROP QUALITY 2005/2006 (Averages)

Class and grade of maize	WM1	WM2	WM3	WCOM	YM1	YM2	YM3	YCOM	Weighted Ave
RSA Grading									
Defective kernels above 6.35 mm sieve, %	3.2	7.2	13.0	26.4	4.0	8.3	17.2	8.1	5.9
Defective kernels below 6.35 mm sieve, %	1.5	1.9	2.7	3.4	1.8	2.5	3.9	3.1	1.9
Total defective kernels, %	4.7	9.1	15.7	29.9	5.8	10.8	21.0	11.2	7.8
Other colour maize kernels, %	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.6	0.1	0.4	0.3	7.4	0.3
Foreign matter, %	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2
Combined deviation, %	5.1	9.6	16.3	30.8	6.0	11.5	21.5	18.8	8.2
Pinked maize kernels, %	0.3	0.6	0.8	1.4	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.6	0.4
Noxious seeds	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Physical Factors									
Hectolitre mass, kg/hl	77.3	75.6	73.9	65.8	76.2	74.0	71.4	74.1	75.9
100 Kernel mass, g	34.4	33.4	31.7	27.6	32.2	30.0	26.2	30.7	32.9
Stress cracks, %	3.6	3.7	3.3	1.5	5.2	5.0	4.0	10.0	4.2
Milling Index	93.7	89.0	84.7	66.1	93.1	87.0	76.8	87.8	90.8
Kernel Size									
% on top 10 mm	30.5	30.2	28.4	25.9	19.2	18.7	13.1	20.0	26.3
% on top 8 mm	58.6	60.4	59.6	65.0	65.5	65.2	62.8	63.4	61.4
% through 8 mm	11.0	9.5	12.0	9.2	15.3	16.1	24.1	16.6	12.3
Breakage susceptibility, g									
Below 6.35 mm sieve	1.7	2.3	3.5	8.4	2.0	3.7	4.5	3.4	2.3
Below 4.8 mm sieve	1.2	1.7	2.4	6.0	1.4	2.5	2.8	2.1	1.6
Nutritional Factors									
Protein, %	8.5	8.4	8.5	8.7	8.3	8.4	8.2	8.4	8.4
Fat, % (db)	4.1	4.0	3.8	3.5	3.9	3.9	3.8	4.0	4.0
Starch, % (db)	71.0	71.1	71.2	71.2	71.5	71.4	71.9	71.4	71.2
Number of samples	293	221	77	2	209	86	5	7	900
Mycotoxins									
Total Aflatoxin, ppb (ug/kg) [max. value] (LOD 1 ppb)	0.00 [0.00]	0.00 [0.00]	0.00 [0.00]	-	0.00 [0.00]	0.00 [0.00]	-	0.00 [0.00]	0.00
Fumonisin, ppm (mg/kg) [max. value] (LOD 0.25 ppm)	0.85 [3.40]	0.65 [2.00]	0.14 [0.43]	-	1.95 [13.00]	0.52 [2.70]	-	0.65 [1.30]	0.97
Deoxynivalenol, ppm (mg/kg) [max. value] (LOD 0.5 ppm)	2.33 [4.90]	3.14 [6.20]	4.50 [5.40]	-	2.35 [5.90]	2.94 [4.90]	-	3.25 [3.80]	2.74
Ochratoxin, ppb (ug/kg) [max. value] (LOD 2 ppb)	0.10 [2.50]	0.12 [2.70]	0.00 [<2]	-	0.11 [2.40]	0.18 [2.90]	-	0.00 [0.00]	0.12
Zearalenone, ppm (mg/kg) [max. value] (LOD 0.1 ppm)	0.02 [0.22]	0.04 [0.25]	0.04 [0.12]	-	0.02 [0.39]	0.03 [0.26]	-	0.17 [0.22]	0.03
Number of samples	25	23	3	-	21	16	-	2	90
GMO									
MON810, % Samples positive (> LOD of 0.15 %)	88	87	67	-	95	100	-	100	91
NK603 (Roundup Ready), % Samples positive (> LOD of 0.25 %)	40	26	67	-	14	50	-	0	31
Number of samples	25	23	3	-	21	16	-	2	90