Harvest Summary of HRW August 15, 2014

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	<u>State</u>	<u>Percent Complete</u> :
0	Texas	100%
0	Oklahoma	100%
0	Kansas	100%
0	Colorado	100%
0	Nebraska	100%
0	South Dakota	83%
0	North Dakota	5%
0	Montana	77%
0	Washington	87%
0	Oregon	88%
0	Idaho	69%
0	Wyoming	85%

The 2014 HRW wheat harvest continues to by well ahead of normal for this date in the Pacific Northwest (PNW) and Montana. Washington is now 87% complete with harvest (the 5-year average for this date is just over 50% cut on this date). Oregon is now 88% complete with harvest (the 5-year average is just over 70% cut by this date). Idaho is now 69% complete with harvest (the 5-year average is only 40% cut on this date). Montana is also well ahead of schedule with harvest (77% complete) exceeding the 5-year average by more than 20%. In contrast, South Dakota is slightly behind the 5-year average harvest percentage for this date at 83% of HRW now cut. Kernel data indicates the crop in South Dakota has very good test weight ranging from 61.3 – 63.7 lb/bu (80.6 – 83.7 kg/hl) and averaging 62.5 lb/bu (82.1 kg/hl). Protein has also been very good in South Dakota ranging from 11.4% to 13.5% and averaging 12.6%.

Dough and bake lab results continue to be impressive with all testing now being complete in Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas and southeastern Colorado. The average farinograph absorption (14% mb) is 60.7% (above last year's 59.8% and significantly above the 5-year average of 57.9%), average development time is 6.5 minutes and an average stability time of 9.3 minutes. Loaf volume average is still very good (875 cc), this exceeds last year's overall average of 860 (cc) and exceeds the 5-year average of 804 (cc).

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Tst	Exp	MST	Pro %	DKG	TKW*	FN*	Grade	Test Weight	FM	DMG	S&B	DEF
381	530	12.0	13.4	0.4	30.0	387	1HRW	60.6 79.8	0.1	0.5	0.9	1.5
*Parti	ial Data											
Aug	gust 8,	2014										
Sampl	les											
Tst	Exp	MST	Pro %	DKG	TKW	FN*	Grade	Test Weight	FM	DMG	S&B	DEF
353	530	12.0	13.5	0.5	30.0	384	1HRW	60.5 79.6	0.2	0.5	0.9	1.6
*Parti	ial Data											
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Tst	Exp	MST	Pro %	DKG	TKV	V FN	Grade	Test Weight	FM	DMG	S&B	DEF
534	Final	10.9	13.4	0.6	26.0	421	2HRW	V 59.9 78.8	0.2	0.1	1.6	2.0

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