Harvest Summary of HRW August 14, 2015

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	<u>State</u>	Percent Complete:
0	Texas	100%
0	Oklahoma	100%
0	Kansas	100%
0	Colorado	100%
0	Nebraska	100%
0	South Dakota	95%
0	North Dakota	61%
0	Montana	91%
0	Washington	96%
0	Oregon	99%
0	Idaho	86%
0	Wyoming	99%

The 2015 HRW wheat harvest is rapidly winding down with North Dakota (61%) and Idaho (86%) being the only two states remaining at less than 90% of their crop cut. All states still harvesting have continued to report larger deviations than normal in yield, test weight and protein due to prevailing weather conditions during the latter stages of crop development. In the northern and northwestern states it was due to a drier and warmer than normal spring with what moisture that did fall doing so in a mosaic pattern. Those areas that got the timely rains proved to be the difference between being able to harvest average or above average yields as compared to those areas not receiving timely moisture harvesting poor crops (both also affecting protein).

Another 30 samples were collected and shipped to the lab this week (totaling 398 of an expected 530 samples) this includes samples and partial data from the Pacific Northwest (Washington, Oregon and Idaho) and 27 samples from Montana. Overall data averages did not change for this week as all new samples are currently in transit to the lab.

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Sam	ples *Partial	Data											
Tst	Exp	MST	Pro %	DKG	TKW	FN	Grade	Test Weight	FM	DMG	S&B	DEF	
398	530	11.6	12.3	0.8	29.3*	396*	2HRW	58.9 77.5	0.2	0.5	1.2	1.9	
August 7, 2015													
Samples *Partial Data													
Tst	Exp	MST	Pro %	DKG	TKW	FN	Grade	Test Weight	FM	DMG	S&B	DEF	
368	530	11.6	12.3	0.8	29.3*	396*	2HRW	58.9 77.5	0.2	0.5	1.2	1.9	
2014 Final													
Sam	<mark>ples</mark>												
Tst	Exp	MST	Pro %	DKG	TKV	V FN	Grade	Test Weight	FM	I DMG	S&B	DEF	
525	Final	11.7	13.3	0.4	30.7	7 387	1HRV	V 60.7 79.9	0.1	0.5	0.8	1.4	

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