

2008 BETTER HYBRIDS Performance Summary for Illinois West Central [ILWC]
EARLY SEASON TEST 105 - 110 Day CRM

TOP 30 OF 72 HYBRIDS FOR GROSS INCOME (SORTED BY YIELD)
AVERAGE of (18) REPLICATIONS

COMPANY	HYBRID	TECHNOLOGY†	IST††	YIELD (Bu/A)	MOIST (%)	LODGING (%)	GROSS INCOME	CLAYTON	GALVA	MACOMB	TREMONT	VIRDEN	WILLIAMSVILLE
LG Seeds	LG2555VT3	YGVT3	P250	243.2	22.5	7.2	\$1,125.2	228.4	257.7	263.7	233.4	246.7	229.2
Trisler	T-6N52VT3	YGVT3	P250	240.4	21.4	2.2	\$1,125.7	230.7	247.4	255.3	238.9	247.4	222.8
Midwest Seed	76996VT3	YGVT3	P250	238.4	19.4	0.9	\$1,139.6	223.0	254.6	243.9	237.5	248.4	223.2
Dyna-Gro	57V40	YGVT3	P250	238.4	20.8	1.4	\$1,123.7	204.6	248.5	257.9	248.2	232.4	239.0
Heritage	4610VT3	YGVT3	P250	238.4	21.5	2.9	\$1,114.1	224.9	256.6	246.2	238.3	248.4	215.8
AgSource	3T-110VT3	YGVT3	P250	237.4	21.2	0.7	\$1,113.5	217.0	255.7	259.3	237.5	227.1	227.5
LG Seeds	LG2552VT3	YGVT3	P250	237.0	21.8	6.4	\$1,103.8	204.4	250.3	249.9	247.4	245.1	224.7
Crows	4799VT3	YGVT3	C250	233.8	19.7	1.0	\$1,114.0	214.5	257.4	252.5	229.9	231.0	217.3
Pfister	2575VT3	YGVT3	P250	232.7	21.2	0.4	\$1,091.5	229.3	246.1	231.8	234.6	229.1	225.4
Great Lakes	5711G3VT3	YGVT3	P250	232.2	21.0	1.6	\$1,091.9	189.8	244.0	254.5	235.1	247.7	222.2
Lewis	810VT3	YGVT3	P250	232.2	21.0	1.8	\$1,091.3	216.9	231.7	254.0	243.3	229.4	217.9
AgriGold	A6394VT3	YGVT3	P250	232.1	21.0	0.2	\$1,091.1	209.8	223.8	252.7	233.9	241.4	231.1
DeKalb	DKC60-18	YGPL, RR2	P250	231.9	20.0	2.3	\$1,102.2	212.9	238.9	253.1	228.8	229.3	228.6
Crows	4688VT3	YGVT3	C250	231.7	21.4	5.2	\$1,084.8	211.3	230.9	250.1	228.2	250.3	219.4
LG Seeds	LG2545VT3	YGVT3	P250	231.6	20.6	0.8	\$1,093.5	196.7	248.5	255.9	231.8	246.9	209.7
Dairyland	9410	YGVT3	P250	231.6	20.4	2.1	\$1,095.9	215.2	230.7	248.0	227.0	240.9	227.7
Midwest Seed	76865VT3	YGVT3	C250	231.4	21.8	3.7	\$1,078.4	214.1	237.0	247.0	222.7	246.2	221.6
Brownseed	3T-510AVT3	YGVT3	P250	230.5	20.6	3.3	\$1,087.9	211.0	238.0	247.0	236.1	228.5	222.4
Kruger	K-6208VT3	YGVT3	C250	229.2	20.8	2.5	\$1,079.4	220.3	248.5	211.0	235.1	237.8	222.8
Stine	9624VT3	YGVT3	P250	229.0	19.4	0.9	\$1,094.5	209.8	246.1	246.3	226.8	227.4	217.8
iCORN.com	107.VT4	YGVT3	P250	228.8	19.0	2.5	\$1,098.2	211.1	239.1	227.8	232.4	235.6	227.2
NuTech Seed	3T-912AVT3	YGVT3	P250	227.9	21.2	5.4	\$1,068.5	202.1	246.5	249.2	219.8	235.3	214.6
Wyffels	W6526	YGVT3	P250	227.7	21.4	0.5	\$1,065.6	220.2	233.1	248.0	210.2	233.9	220.8
FS Seeds	FS58SV3	YGVT3	P250	227.0	19.5	1.3	\$1,083.9	235.3	241.2	235.8	215.8	226.5	207.3
Midwest Seed	76804Y	YGPL	C250	226.9	20.3	6.4	\$1,074.1	207.1	245.7	236.2	229.6	228.5	214.5
Becks	EX0842VT3	YGVT3	P250	226.8	20.5	1.1	\$1,071.8	180.7	254.0	243.0	229.5	235.3	218.2
Dyna-Gro	57V98	YGVT3	P250	226.8	19.5	0.1	\$1,083.0	195.1	244.6	249.1	222.0	235.3	214.5
AgriGold	A6439VT3	YGVT3	P250	226.0	20.6	0.6	\$1,067.0	207.3	246.6	227.2	210.3	237.8	227.1
Brownseed	3T-808BVT3	YGVT3	C250	224.6	20.0	2.1	\$1,067.2	210.9	242.7	237.8	203.9	238.8	213.2
Fielders Choice	NG6676	YGVT3	P250	222.4	18.9	1.2	\$1,069.0	197.3	232.3	239.1	227.5	229.5	209.1
Great Lakes	6069G3VT3 CK	YGVT3	P250	224.8	20.8	0.3	\$1,059.1	209.0	240.7	224.7	218.7	230.6	225.1
Test Average =				223.5	20.5	3.3	\$1,055.6	199.0	236.0	231.3	224.2	232.4	217.9
lsd(.10) =				13.7	2.0	5.9		27.1	16.0	17.6	18.6	12.5	18.0

Yield & Income Factors: Base Moisture = 15.0, Shrink = 1.4, Drying = \$0.050, Price = \$5.00

TECHNOLOGY: Corn Borer - CB, HX1, HXT, YGCB, YGPL, YGVT3; Corn Rootworm - HXT, RW, YGPL, YGRW, YGVT2, YGVT3; Clearfield - CL; Glyphosate - GT, RR2, YGVT2, YGVT3; Liberty - HX1, HXT, LL

†† IST (Insecticide Seed Treatment): C250 and C1250 - Cruiser @ 0.250 and 1.250 g ai / seed, P250 and P1250 - Poncho @ 0.250 and 1.250 g ai / seed.

→ identifies the check hybrid entered in both the early- and full-season tests to assist in comparing the results.

Yields in **bold** are significantly above the test average.

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2008 BETTER HYBRIDS Performance Summary for Illinois West Central [ILWC]
LATE SEASON TEST 111 - 114 Day CRM

TOP 30 OF 63 HYBRIDS FOR GROSS INCOME (SORTED BY YIELD)
AVERAGE of (15) REPLICATIONS

Revised Nov. 11, 2008

COMPANY	HYBRID	TECHNOLOGY [†]	IST ^{††}	YIELD (Bu/A)	MOIST (%)	LODGING (%)	GROSS INCOME	CLAYTON ^{†††}	GALVA	MACOMB	TREMONT	VIRDEN	WILLIMASVILLE
LG Seeds	LG2620VT3	YGVT3	P250	255.2	24.9	0.3	\$1,150.0	182.0	250.1	281.0	249.1	259.6	236.2
Great Lakes	6354G3VT3	YGVT3	P250	253.5	25.0	0.5	\$1,140.4	154.7	259.8	274.5	248.8	256.0	228.3
Wyffels	W7381	YGVT3	P250	246.7	23.1	1.1	\$1,133.6	199.4	238.5	259.3	244.7	251.9	239.1
DeKalb	DKC61-19	YGVT3	P250	243.8	21.1	0.0	\$1,144.9	188.2	237.7	259.9	267.7	232.4	221.2
LG Seeds	LG2625VT3	YGVT3	P250	242.6	25.4	0.6	\$1,086.8	224.5	234.6	250.2	246.7	253.3	228.2
DeKalb	DKC64-24	YGVT3	P250	242.4	22.2	0.5	\$1,125.2	195.9	244.5	252.9	245.8	235.8	233.0
Becks	6733HXTRR	HXT, RR2	P250	240.6	26.5	0.0	\$1,064.9	223.3	241.6	258.0	231.5	239.4	232.4
Great Lakes	6255G3VT3	YGVT3	P250	239.9	23.2	5.3	\$1,100.7	191.7	239.1	254.6	233.9	237.9	233.8
Lewis	914VT3	YGVT3	P250	239.2	25.0	0.0	\$1,075.8	226.7	226.3	262.3	230.3	246.0	230.9
DeKalb	DKC61-69	YGVT3	P250	239.0	21.9	0.1	\$1,112.6	194.0	242.5	230.8	250.5	231.5	239.6
LG Seeds	LG2642VT3	YGVT3	P250	238.9	26.7	1.3	\$1,055.0	241.3	238.0	251.6	237.5	246.9	220.5
Stone	7T765VT3	YGVT3	P250	238.7	22.5	0.1	\$1,104.2	178.6	231.9	242.1	249.8	236.9	232.9
AgSource	3T-115VT3	YGVT3	P250	238.6	27.0	1.1	\$1,049.1	207.3	232.1	250.1	233.4	248.6	228.7
Kruger	K-6411VT3	YGVT3	C250	238.4	22.7	0.7	\$1,100.2	185.1	235.9	262.1	230.1	236.4	227.5
Croplan	6331VT3	YGVT3	C250	237.5	23.1	0.2	\$1,091.9	199.4	240.0	223.3	253.1	238.0	233.3
iCORN.com	111.6VT3	YGVT3	P250	237.3	22.4	0.1	\$1,099.1	170.3	230.1	240.0	260.2	225.3	230.8
Stone	7T231VT3	YGVT3	P250	236.8	22.6	1.7	\$1,094.0	191.6	236.6	258.9	244.3	227.4	216.8
DeKalb	DKC63-42	YGVT3	P250	236.4	25.5	0.0	\$1,058.6	229.2	231.5	243.7	233.2	245.7	228.0
Gateway	7811	YGVT3	P250	235.8	23.7	3.5	\$1,076.0	201.0	239.9	246.4	241.5	238.6	212.8
AgriGold	A6633VT3	YGVT3	P250	235.0	25.9	1.3	\$1,046.9	205.0	217.3	240.3	242.9	244.1	230.5
NuTech Seed	3T-912VT3	YGVT3	P250	234.3	22.4	0.0	\$1,085.0	193.3	243.0	250.9	242.8	223.9	210.7
Stone	8T468VT3	YGVT3	P250	234.2	24.6	0.2	\$1,058.6	182.1	242.0	237.5	229.6	239.6	222.4
Stine	9806VT3	YGVT3	P250	234.2	24.5	0.1	\$1,060.1	211.3	235.3	253.1	226.0	238.0	218.6
Dyna-Gro	57V43	YGVT3	P250	232.2	22.3	0.1	\$1,076.3	162.5	237.7	213.0	239.9	230.2	240.1
FS Seeds	FS62JV3	YGVT3	P250	231.9	24.1	0.1	\$1,053.4	167.7	242.5	225.3	229.5	235.5	226.5
Kruger	K-6412VT3	YGVT3	C250	230.6	22.5	0.1	\$1,065.9	172.7	227.9	247.4	240.0	230.2	207.3
DeKalb	DKC62-54	YGVT3	P250	230.4	22.0	0.1	\$1,071.3	200.3	237.4	226.9	237.4	229.3	221.1
Midwest Seed	78135VT3	YGVT3	C250	228.8	22.9	0.1	\$1,054.0	134.1	228.3	249.1	238.9	226.0	201.5
Croplan	6525PL	YGPL	C250	225.2	21.5	0.1	\$1,052.9	158.9	226.7	195.6	245.1	235.6	223.0
FS Seeds	FS61AV3	YGVT3	P250	223.7	21.1	9.1	\$1,050.2	169.5	210.1	227.6	229.5	232.6	218.8
Great Lakes	6069G3VT3 CK	YGVT3	P250	212.4	22.5	0.1	\$982.8	208.2	237.1	189.9	221.7	213.3	200.1
Test Average =				230.7	23.9	1.4	\$1,051.0	192.2	228.7	238.6	233.1	234.3	219.0
Isd(.10) =				12.2	0.9	4.2		38.1	14.1	18.9	14.5	11.6	15.9

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