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## 2008 IDAHO WHEAT VARIETIES

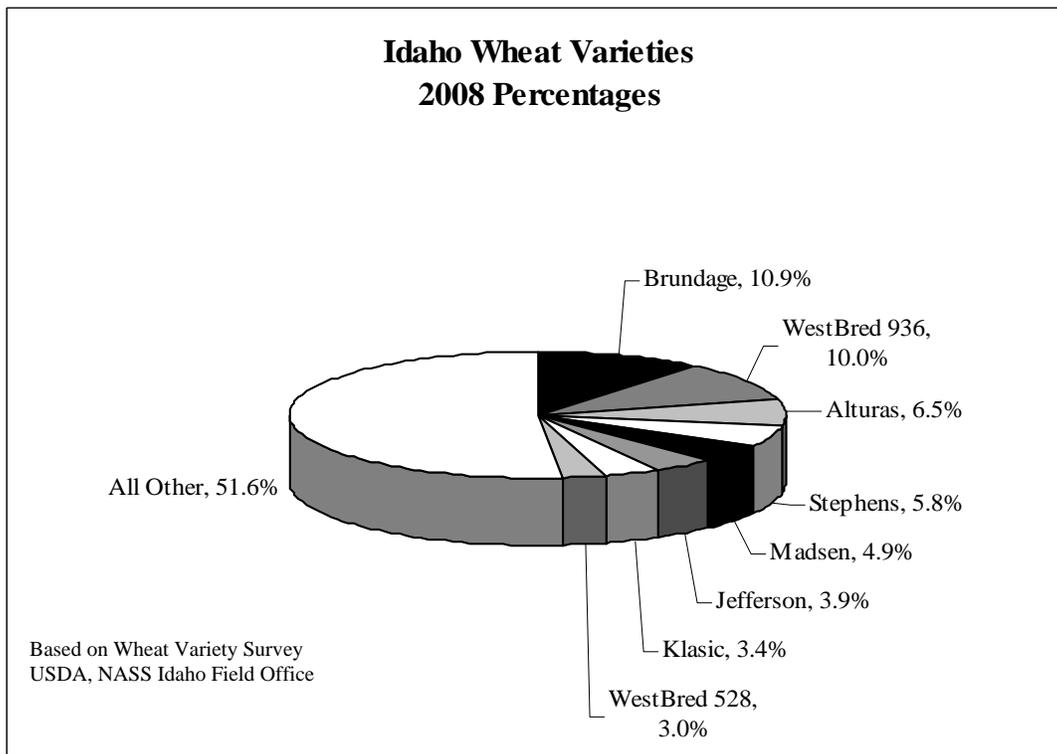
Brundage, a soft white winter variety, is Idaho's most popular wheat variety for the second time in the last four years. Statewide, Brundage accounts for 10.9 percent of all wheat planted compared to 8.4 percent of all wheat in 2007. WestBred 936, a hard red spring wheat was the second most popular variety accounting for 10.0 percent of the wheat seeded in 2008. The remaining top five varieties in 2008 are Alturas, a soft white spring, third with 6.5 percent; Stephens, a soft white winter, fourth with 5.8 percent and Madsen, soft white winter, fifth with 4.9 percent of all wheat planted.

Comparing 2008's top five varieties with where they ranked in 2007, Brundage and WestBred 936 switched from one and two. Alturas, was ranked third in both years. Fourth ranked Stephens was ranked seventh last year and fifth ranked Madsen was fourth a year ago.

By class, soft white winter wheat accounted for 41.1 percent of all wheat acres, up from 35.2 percent of the acreage in 2007. Hard red spring wheat accounts for 18.9 percent this year compared to 19.2 percent last year. The third most popular class in 2008 is hard red winter, accounting for 18.2 percent in 2008 compared to 21.5 percent of all wheat acres in 2007. Overall, 37.2 percent of the 2008 wheat crop is hard red winter and spring wheat, down 3.4 percentage points from last year. Soft white winter and spring wheat accounted for 54.4 percent, up 4.3 percentage points from last year. The remaining 8.4 percent of the wheat planted was hard white winter and spring wheat, club wheat and durum wheat.

This publication includes estimates for the twenty wheat varieties with the largest acreage planted. A supplemental publication showing estimates for additional varieties is available under the publications link on our website, from the Idaho Wheat Commission, and by direct request to our office.

## LEADING WHEAT VARIETIES PLANTED



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## 2008 IDAHO WHEAT VARIETIES

### ACRES OF WHEAT PLANTED TO VARIOUS VARIETIES 1/

VARIETY	CLASS	2008				
		DISTRICT 10	DISTRICT 70	DISTRICT 80	DISTRICT 90	STATE
Brundage.....	SWW	11,000	10,000	24,000	111,000	156,000
WestBred 936.....	HRS	--	--	23,800	116,000	142,000
Alturas.....	SWS	2,300	1,800	14,800	74,400	93,300
Stephens.....	SWW	9,700	54,500	14,000	4,000	82,200
Madsen.....	SWW	67,600	--	--	900	69,200
Jefferson.....	HRS	20,600	--	--	34,700	55,700
Klasic.....	HWS	--	--	15,200	33,600	48,800
WestBred 528.....	SWW	31,900	3,000	4,600	3,100	42,600
Boundary.....	HRW	27,000	--	10,600	--	40,900
WestBred 470.....	SWW	5,000	2,700	10,100	18,800	36,600
Tubbs.....	SWW	27,000	7,300	1,500	--	35,800
Eddy.....	HRW	34,000	--	--	--	34,300
Promontory.....	HRW	--	--	21,000	13,000	34,200
Lambert.....	SWW	27,500	--	--	4,000	31,500
Penawawa.....	SWS	1,400	1,000	4,800	21,400	28,600
Moreland.....	HRW	--	--	5,800	19,800	26,700
Brundage 96.....	SWW	21,000	1,200	500	3,000	25,700
Utah 100.....	HRW	--	--	3,300	20,300	24,000
Louise.....	SWS	24,000	--	--	--	24,000
Deloris.....	HRW	--	--	1,500	18,800	21,700
Other <sup>2/</sup> .....	—	177,100	18,400	48,500	127,200	371,200
<b>ALL WHEAT</b> .....	—	490,000	103,000	205,000	627,000	1,425,000
<b>CLASS</b>						
Soft White Winter.....	SWW	270,000	89,000	64,000	162,000	585,000
Hard Red Spring.....	HRS	70,000	5,000	30,000	165,000	270,000
Hard Red Winter.....	HRW	78,000	1,000	55,000	126,000	260,000
Soft White Spring.....	SWS	46,000	8,000	29,000	107,000	190,000
Hard White Spring.....	HWS	1,000	-	23,000	53,000	77,000
Winter Club.....	WC	22,000	-	-	-	22,000
Durum.....	DURUM	-	-	3,000	12,000	15,000
Hard White Winter.....	HWW	-	-	1,000	2,000	3,000
Spring Club.....	SC	3,000	-	-	-	3,000
<b>ALL WHEAT</b> .....	—	490,000	103,000	205,000	627,000	1,425,000

1/ Some district acreages omitted in order to prevent disclosure of individual operations. 2/ Includes varieties not listed above and unknown varieties.

## 2008 IDAHO WHEAT VARIETIES

PERCENTAGE OF WHEAT PLANTED TO VARIOUS VARIETIES 1/

VARIETY	CLASS	2008					2007	2006
		DISTRICT 10	DISTRICT 70	DISTRICT 80	DISTRICT 90	STATE		
Brundage.....	SWW	2.2	9.7	11.7	17.7	10.9	8.4	10.7
WestBred 936.....	HRS	--	--	11.6	18.5	10.0	10.7	11.6
Alturas.....	SWS	0.5	1.7	7.2	11.9	6.5	7.1	3.4
Stephens.....	SWW	2.0	52.9	6.8	0.6	5.8	4.0	4.0
Madsen.....	SWW	13.8	--	--	0.1	4.9	5.5	6.8
Jefferson.....	HRS	4.2	--	--	5.5	3.9	4.0	6.1
Klasic.....	HWS	--	--	7.4	5.4	3.4	2.4	3.5
WestBred 528.....	SWW	6.5	2.9	2.2	0.5	3.0	0.8	0.2
Boundary.....	HRW	5.5	--	5.2	--	2.9	4.5	2.4
WestBred 470.....	SWW	1.0	2.6	4.9	3.0	2.6	1.9	2.9
Tubbs.....	SWW	5.5	7.1	0.7	--	2.5	3.1	3.9
Eddy.....	HRW	6.9	--	--	--	2.4	1.3	3/
Promontory.....	HRW	--	--	10.2	2.1	2.4	2.7	3.7
Lambert.....	SWW	5.6	--	--	0.6	2.2	2.1	3.4
Penawawa.....	SWS	0.3	1.0	2.3	3.4	2.0	2.5	3.3
Moreland.....	HRW	--	--	2.8	3.2	1.9	2.5	1.3
Brundage 96.....	SWW	4.3	1.2	0.2	0.5	1.8	1.5	1.1
Utah 100.....	HRW	--	--	1.6	3.2	1.7	2.3	1.4
Louise.....	SWS	4.9	--	--	--	1.7	1.6	0.3
Deloris.....	HRW	--	--	0.7	3.0	1.5	1.3	1.0
Other <sup>2/</sup> .....	—	36.1	17.9	23.7	20.3	26.0	29.8	29.0
ALL WHEAT.....	—	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
<b>CLASS</b>								
Soft White Winter.....	SWW	55.1	86.4	31.2	25.8	41.1	35.2	41.9
Hard Red Spring.....	HRS	14.3	4.9	14.6	26.3	18.9	19.2	24.1
Hard Red Winter.....	HRW	15.9	1.0	26.8	20.1	18.2	21.5	15.4
Soft White Spring.....	SWS	9.4	7.8	14.1	17.1	13.3	14.9	11.1
Hard White Spring.....	HWS	0.2	--	11.2	8.5	5.4	5.0	4.3
Winter Club.....	WC	4.5	--	--	--	1.5	2.8	1.7
Durum.....	DURUM	--	--	1.5	1.9	1.1	1.1	1.2
Hard White Winter.....	HWW	--	--	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3
Spring Club.....	SC	0.6	--	--	--	0.2	0.1	0.1
ALL WHEAT.....	—	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

1/ Percents are derived and may not multiply to acreage or add to total due to rounding. Some district percents are omitted in order to prevent disclosure of individual operations. 2/ Includes varieties not listed above and unknown varieties. 3/ Did not publish.

# LEADING WHEAT VARIETIES

## STATE

Brundage	10.9%
WestBred 936	10.0%
Alturas	6.5%
Stephens	5.8%
Madsen	4.9%

## DISTRICT 10

Madsen	13.8%
Eddy	6.9%
WestBred 528	6.5%
Lambert	5.6%
Tubbs	5.5%
Boundary	5.5%

## DISTRICT 90

WestBred 936	18.5%
Brundage	17.7%
Alturas	11.9%
Jefferson	5.5%
Klasic	5.4%

## DISTRICT 70

Stephens	52.9%
Brundage	9.7%
Tubbs	7.1%
Alpowa	4.5%
WestBred 528	2.9%

## DISTRICT 80

Brundage	11.7%
WestBred 936	11.6%
Promontory	10.2%
Klasic	7.4%
Alturas	7.2%