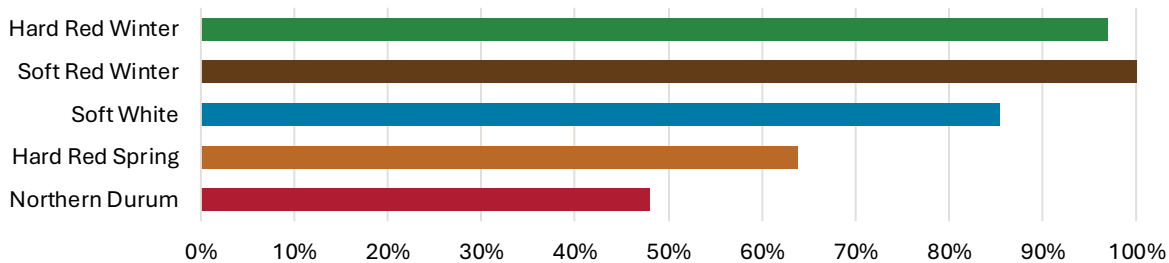


WEEKLY HARVEST REPORT – August 28, 2025

The HRW harvest is all but wrapped up as farmers turn to planting. The SW harvest continues with less than 20% remaining. HRS harvest is over 60% complete and initial sample data show test weight average of 61.2 lb/bu (80.5 kg/hl) and average protein 14.2% (12% mb). The first northern durum samples are in with the current grade a U.S. No. 2 Hard Amber Durum.

Estimated Percent of Sample Crop Harvested to Date
(data: NASS Weekly Crop Progress Reports and industry sources)



HARD RED WINTER

- **Crop progress:** The 2025 U.S. HRW harvest is winding down with Montana 82% complete, Idaho 92% and Washington 96%.
- **Crop conditions:** State representatives have been reporting better than expected yields. Much needed moisture fell in Kansas ahead of fall planting. The anticipated Montana crop average is 11.9% protein (12% mb) and 62.0 lb/bu test weight.
- **Wheat Data:** As harvest slows, only a few more samples were tested this week. Cumulative unweighted data remained almost unchanged. The current average grade is U.S. No. 2 HRW.
- **Flour Data:** There are 53 milled composites with an average laboratory milling extraction average of 75.8%, exhibiting a good milling crop. Average flour ash is 0.54% (14% mb). There was a slight decrease in flour yield due to humidity fluctuation in the laboratory. Dough development time is 4.8 minutes, stability 9.2, absorption 58.7. The crop is exhibiting good dough strength and extensibility. Loaf volumes are slightly lower than last year at 806 cc.
- **Weather:** Forecasts call for isolated showers and seasonable temperatures.

HRW: WHEAT DATA									GRADE FACTORS						
	Samples		Moisture %	Protein %	Dry Basis Protein %	Dockage %	TKW gm	FN sec	Grade	Test Weight		FM %	Damage %	S&B %	Defects %
	Tested	Expected								lb/bu	kg/hl				
This Week	528	500	11.9	12.1	13.8	0.6	30.8	370	2 HRW	59.9	78.8	0.1	0.3	0.6	1.0
Last Week	499	500	11.6	12.1	13.8	0.6	30.7	371	2 HRW	59.8	78.7	0.1	0.3	0.6	1.0
2024 Final	575	500	10.7	11.9	13.5	0.5	30.1	358	1 HRW	61.4	80.7	0.1	0.1	0.8	0.9
5-year Avg	493	500	10.9	12.9	14.6	0.6	30.6	358	1 HRW	60.4	79.5	0.1	0.5	1.0	1.7

Note: HRW averages in the weekly harvest report are simple averages and have not been weighted for production. Results shown represent tested samples collected to date. Data and commentary are on the following sampled states only: CO, ID, KS, MT, NE, OK, OR, SD, TX, WA, WY. Table data source: Plains Grains, Inc.

SOFT RED WINTER

The final 2025 SRW weekly harvest report was issued on August 8 and can be found online at <https://uswheat.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/08/HR-250808.pdf>.

SRW: WHEAT DATA									GRADE FACTORS						
	Samples		Moisture %	Protein %	Dry Basis Protein %	Dockage %	TKW gm	FN sec	Grade	Test Weight		FM %	Damage %	S&B %	Defects %
	Tested	Expected								lb/bu	kg/hl				
2025 Final	219	250	12.8	9.5	10.7	0.5	32.7	298	2 SRW	58.6	77.1	0.2	1.3	0.9	2.5
2024 Final	233	250	12.9	9.8	11.1	0.3	32.7	316	2 SRW	59.2	78.0	0.2	0.5	0.6	1.3
5-year Avg	235	250	13.3	9.4	10.7	0.3	35.9	320	2 SRW	59.6	78.4	0.1	0.3	0.6	1.0

Note: SRW averages in the weekly harvest report are simple averages and have not been weighted for production. Results shown represent tested samples collected to date. Data and commentary are on the following sampled states only: AL, AR, IL, IN, KY, MD, MO, NC, OH, TN, VA. Table data source: Great Plains Analytical Laboratory.

SOFT WHITE

- **Crop Progress:** After brief delays last week, Washington farmers are back in the field. Overall, the 2025/26 SW harvest is progressing with less than 5% of the winter wheat crop remaining and approximately 30% of the spring crop remaining.
- **Crop Conditions:** Winter wheat yields and quality are holding with farmers “pleasantly surprised”, while spring wheat yields and quality are below average due to prolonged heat and dryness.
- **Wheat Data:** There are now 324 samples in the lab undergoing analysis with minimal change in this week’s data. Weighted averages indicate a test weight of 61.1 lb/bu (80.4 kg/hl), moisture content of 9.3%; 1000 kernel weight of 33.5 g and falling number value of 315 seconds. Protein is holding steady at 11.4 (12% mb). The average grade at this time is a U.S. No. 1 SW.
- **Flour Data:** Weekly flour composites continue to show typical soft white functionality. Farinograph characteristics show suitably low water absorptions with short development times and stabilities. SRC profiles span the range appropriate for typical soft white end products.
- **Disease/Pest Pressure:** No major disease or pest issues have been reported to date.
- **Weather:** Chances of rain are very low in the coming week, allowing good harvest progress.

SW: WHEAT DATA									GRADE FACTORS						
	Samples		Moisture %	Protein %	Dry Basis Protein %	Dockage %	TKW gm	FN sec	Grade	Test Weight		FM %	Damage %	S&B %	Defects %
	Tested	Expected								lb/bu	kg/hl				
This Week	324	390	9.3	10.0	11.4	0.4	33.5	315	1 SW	61.1	80.4	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.6
Last Week	289	390	9.2	10.1	11.5	0.4	33.3	313	1 SW	61.1	80.4	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.6
2024 Final	429	390	9.0	9.2	10.5	0.4	35.7	339	1 SW	60.9	80.0	0.1	0.0	0.5	0.6
5-year Avg	411	390	9.2	10.3	11.6	0.5	33.8	336	1 SW	60.8	80.0	0.1	0.0	0.6	0.7

Note: SW averages in the weekly harvest report are simple averages and have not been weighted for production. Results shown represent tested samples collected to date. Data and commentary are on the following sampled states only: ID, OR, WA. Table data source: Wheat Marketing Center.

HARD RED SPRING

- **Crop Progress:** As of August 24, harvest is 84% complete in South Dakota, 58% in Montana, 73% in Minnesota and 40% in North Dakota. This week saw good progress in North Dakota and Montana, while northern Minnesota was delayed by thunderstorms.
- **Crop Conditions:** Reports from North Dakota indicate variability in protein content. Due to prolonged drought conditions in Montana, test weights are expected to average 60 lb/bu (78.9 kg/hl) with an average protein of 14.6 (12% mb). No quality concerns have been reported in Minnesota.
- **Wheat Data:** This week’s data, from 14% of expected samples, shows an average protein of 14.2% (12% mb), test weight of 61.2 lb/bu (80.5 kg/hl), and a falling number of 415 seconds – all slightly above last year. Vitreous kernel content averages 55%, making the current average grade a U.S. No. 1 Northern Spring (1 NS).
- **Disease/Pest Pressure:** Growers are keeping an eye on foliar diseases and potential quality concerns in susceptible areas.
- **Weather:** Mostly dry and warm weather is forecast with an isolated chance for showers.

HRS: WHEAT DATA									GRADE FACTORS							
	Samples		Moisture %	Protein %	Dry Basis Protein %	Dockage %	TKW gm	FN sec	Grade	Test Weight		FM %	Damage %	S&B %	Defects %	DHV %
	Tested	Expected								lb/bu	kg/hl					
This Week	61	436	12.4	14.2	16.1	0.7	32.5	415	1 NS	61.2	80.5	0.0	0.8	0.5	1.3	55
2024 Final	483	450	12.2	14.1	16.0	0.6	32.0	414	1 NS	61.1	80.4	0.0	0.7	0.8	1.5	67
5-year Avg	467	450	12.0	14.5	16.5	0.6	31.3	371	1 NS	61.4	80.8	0.0	0.3	0.9	1.2	66

Note: HRS averages in the weekly harvest report are simple averages and have not been weighted for production. Results shown represent tested samples collected to date. Data and commentary are on the following sampled states only: MN, MT, ND, SD. Table data source: North Dakota State University, Hard Red Spring Wheat Quality Laboratory

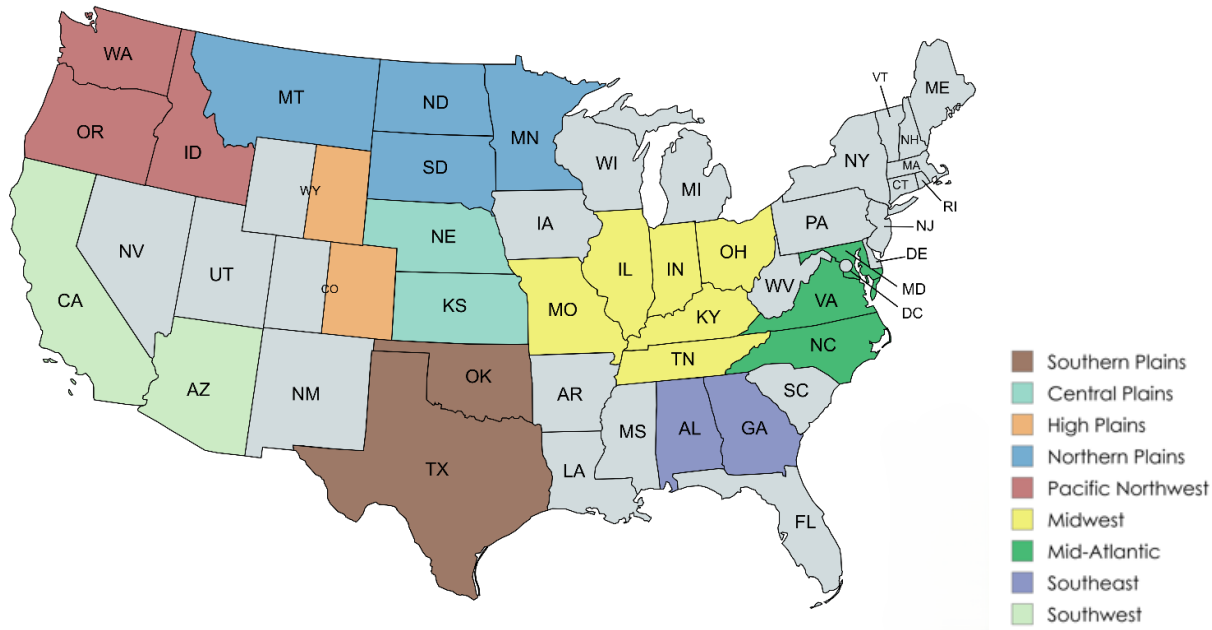
NORTHERN DURUM

- **Crop Progress:** The Northern Plains durum harvest is progressing with 66% of the crop harvested in Montana and 30% in North Dakota.
- **Crop Conditions:** Reports from North Dakota and Montana indicate variable quality depending on planting date and moisture received on mature fields.
- **Wheat Data:** Grain moisture is higher and falling number is lower than last year, reflecting damp harvest conditions. Protein content is lower than last year, but 1000 kernel weight and test weight are greater than last year. Dockage, total damage, and total defects are greater than last year which results in an average grade of U.S. No. 2 Hard Amber Durum (2 HAD).
- **Disease/Pest Pressure:** Growers are keeping an eye on foliar diseases and potential quality concerns in susceptible areas.
- **Weather:** Like HRS, mostly warm and dry conditions are forecast.

NORTHERN DURUM: WHEAT DATA									GRADE FACTORS							
	Samples		Moisture %	Protein %	Dry Basis Protein %	Dockage %	TKW gm	FN sec	Grade	Test Weight		FM %	Damage %	S&B %	Defects %	HVAC %
	Tested	Expected								lb/bu	kg/hl					
This Week	8	134	12.8	13.2	15.0	1.6	45.1	363	2 HAD	62.6	81.5	0.0	2.1	0.3	2.4	84
2024 Final	251	130	12.2	14.3	16.3	0.8	35.3	463	1 HAD	60.8	79.2	0.1	0.6	0.7	1.4	83
5-year Avg	113	123	11.2	14.1	16.0	1.0	42.7	404	1 HAD	61.3	79.8	0.0	0.8	0.8	1.6	83

Note: Northern durum averages in the weekly harvest report are simple averages and have not been weighted for production. Results shown represent tested samples collected to date. Data and commentary are on the following sampled states only: ND, MT. Table data source: North Dakota State University, Durum Wheat Quality Laboratory.

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