

Technical Bulletin

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AAC Paramount VB Soft White Spring Wheat



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Description:

AAC Paramount VB is a high yielding soft white spring wheat with an excellent agronomic package, large kernel size and improved falling number. AAC Paramount VB also has the SM1 gene for tolerance to the orange wheat blossom midge and AC Andrew will be the refuge in the varietal blend. AAC Paramount VB has maturity similar to AC Andrew, manage maturity by seeding early and increasing seeding rate to hasten maturity.

Parentage: Sadash X SWS366

Strengths:

- 6% higher yield than AC Andrew and 3% higher yield than AC[®] Sadash in Cooperative Registration trials
- Excellent lodging resistance similar to AC Andrew
- Larger kernel size than both AC Andrew and AC[®] Sadash
- Good resistance to stripe rust, loose smut and powdery mildew
- Improved falling number

Neutral Traits:

- Intermediate resistance to leaf rust, stem rust, black point and leaf spot
- 4cm taller than AC Andrew
- Maturity equal AC Andrew

Weaknesses:

- Susceptible to common bunt and FHB

Breeder:

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2012-2014 Western Soft White Spring Wheat Cooperative Registration Trials

Variety	Mean* (kg/ha)	% AC Andrew	Maturity* (days)	Lodging 1 = erect 9 = flat	Height (cm)	Test Weight (kg/hl)	Kernel Weight (mg/kernel)
AC Andrew	6772	100	105	2.5	92	76.4	38.0
AC [®] Sadash	6993	103	105	2.6	94	77.9	37.7
AAC Paramount VB	7185	106	105	2.6	96	77.4	39.6

Variety	Leaf Rust	Stem Rust	Stripe Rust	Common Bunt	Loose Smut	Powdery Mildew	Black Point	Leaf Spot	FHB
AC Andrew	MS	MR	I	S	S	R	I	I	I
AC [®] Sadash	I	MR	R	S	I	R	I	I	S
AAC Paramount VB	I	I	R	S	MR	R	I	I	MS

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2023 Seed Manitoba - Wheat Comparison

Variety	Site Years Tested	Yield bu/ac	Protein %	Maturity +/- 99 days	Height +/- 81cm	Spike Awned	Resistance to:								
							Lodging	Sprouting	Loose Smut	Common Bunt	Leaf Spot	Stem Rust	Leaf Rust	Stripe Rust	FHB
AAC Awesome VB	33	92	11.6	4	10	Y	G	P	I	I	I	R	MR	R	I
AAC Brandon	97	73	14.5	2	0	Y	VG	P	MR	S	I	R	R	MR	MR
AC® Sadash VB	35	77	10.8	4	8	Y	VG	P	I	S	---	MR	I	R	S
KWS® Alderon	33	81	12.0	9	-5	N	VG	F	---	MS	I	MR	R	MR	---
KWS® Sparrow VB	33	83	12.6	8	0	N	VG	G	---	I	I	MR	R	MR	---
Pasteur	39	81	13.0	7	5	N	VG	G	MS	S	I	MR	R	MR	I
WPB Whistler	31	83	11.9	7	1	N	VG	---	---	I	---	R	R	R	I
AAC Paramount VB	34	87	11.5	4	8	Y	VG	P	MR	S	---	I	I	R	MS

Lodging Ratings: F=Fair; G=Good; VG=Very Good

Disease Ratings: R=Resistant; MR=Moderately Resistant; I=Intermediate; MS=Moderately Susceptible; S=Susceptible

2023 Varieties of Grain Crops for Saskatchewan – Wheat Comparison

Variety	Years Tested	Yield as % AAC Brandon		Protein	Resistance to:									Awns	Stem Solid-ness	Relative Maturity (days)	Seed Weight (mg)	Test Weight (kg/hl)	Height (cm)
		Area 1 & 2	Area 3 & 4		Lodging	Sprouting	Stem Rust	Leaf Rust	Stripe Rust	Loose Smut	Bunt	Leaf Spot	FHB						
AAC Brandon	6	100	100	14.3	G	P	R	R	MR	MR	S	I	I	Y	H	101	35.9	80.6	81
AAC Awesome VB	5	125	126	-3.1	F	P	R	MR	R	I	I	I	I	Y	H	+1	+4.2	-1.6	+8
AC Andrew	5	122	129	-3.0	VG	P	MR	MS	I	S	---	I	Y	H	+1	+0.1	-3.2	+1	
AC® Sadash VB	5	129	131	-3.7	VG	P	MR	I	R	I	S	---	S	Y	H	0	-0.7	-2.7	+4
KWS® Alderon	5	126	121	-3.0	VG	F	MR	R	MR	---	MS	I	MS	N	H	+4	+0.1	-7.4	-5
KWS® Sparrow VB	5	124	125	-2.6	VG	G	MR	R	MR	---	I	I	MR	N	H	+4	-0.2	-4.3	+1
Pasteur	5	112	118	-2.0	VG	G	MR	R	MR	MS	S	I	I	N	H	+2	+0.3	-1.2	+5
WPB Whistler	3	106	120	-2.9	VG	G	R	R	R	---	I	---	MS	N	H	+3	+1.5	-4.7	-3
AAC Paramount VB	5	122	122	-3.3	VG	P	I	I	R	MR	S	---	MS	Y	H	+1	+0.7	-2.8	+8

VG = Very Good; G = Good; F = Fair; P = Poor; VP = Very Poor; Disease Ratings: R=Resistant; MR=Moderately Resistant; I=Intermediate; MS=Moderately Susceptible; S=Susceptible

2023 Alberta Seed Guide – Special Purpose and Soft White Spring Wheat Comparison

Variety	Most Recent Year of Testing	Station years of testing	Overall yield	Yield Category (% AAC Brandon)		Maturity Rating (Days +/- AAC Brandon)	Protein %	Test Weight (lb/bu)	Kernel Weight g/1000	Height (cm)	Awns (Y/N)	Resistance to:		Disease Tolerance:		
				Low <77 bu/ac	High >77 bu/ac							Lodging	Sprouting	Bunt	Stripe Rust	FHB
AAC Brandon (bu/ac)			83													
AAC Brandon - check	2022		100	100	100	104	14.0	63	40	84	Y	G	P	S	MR	MR
AAC Awesome VB	2018	37	128	124	129	0	-2.5	62	44	92	Y	G	P	I	R	I
AC Andrew	2022	57	119	113	122	+1	-3.1	62	40	85	Y	VG	P	S	I	I
AC® Sadash VB	2019	39	125	118	127	0	-3.2	63	40	88	Y	VG	P	S	R	S
KWS® Alderon	2018	37	128	116	131	+4	-2.8	58	41	81	N	VG	F	MS	MR	MS
KWS® Sparrow VB	2018	37	128	122	130	+4	-2.6	60	41	85	N	VG	G	I	MR	MR
Pasteur	2021	41	120	115	122	+3	-2.0	61	41	85	N	VG	G	S	MR	I
WPB Whistler	2021	27	120	113	122	+3	-2.6	59	41	78	N	VG	XX	I	R	MS
AAC Paramount VB	2019	39	125	116	127	0	-3.0	61	41	89	Y	VG	P	S	R	MS

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