## WILDCAT AGRI-SERVICE'S PICKS FOR THE 2021 SEASON

We just wanted to highlight the top performers in Corn, Soybeans and Sorghum. Our thoughts are as follows:

### Corn

# Full season Hybrids: PICK P1828AM, P1847AML, P1903AM, P2042AML & P2089AML

We would suggest you take a hard look at the hybrids P1828, 1903 and 1847. They showed excellent performance this past year over all other hybrids from competitors and Pioneer. We liked P1828 more on continuous corn acres. P1847 did well in most all plots and is a proven yield leader; it had excellent grain quality and handled stress very well. P2042 is a new corn that showed particularly good performance and may deserve a look. P1828 is also available in a triple stack for your continuous corn acres. P2089 is an older number that is proven in high yielding environments. P1847, P2042 and P2089\_are available in our new earworm event and show great control for a potential few added bushels.

## Mid-Season Hybrids: PICK P1366, P1464, P1572 and P1197

Top choices would be P1464, P1366, and P1197 in this maturity class. P1197 is proven in plots for several years. These hybrids have great results. With the addition of P1464 & P1366 we have a strong line up in this maturity. All three have proven themselves to produce yields that compare or exceed the fuller season numbers. P1185 & P1464 being the newest of these and are very impressive. P1415 & P1366 are available in triple stack. All of them fit in a wide range of soils and possess excellent grain dry down for a little quicker harvest. Take a look at P1244, P1138, & P1089 on dryland if you're looking for a fuller maturity for some better acres. P1366 and P1464 are available in our AML earworm technology and show great control for a potential few added bushels

# **Short Season Hybrids:** PICK P0622, P0589, P1138, P0343, P0306 & P0688

P0622, and P1185 will be hybrids we would use on *Limited* irrigation. They do well for their maturity with a little more stress and have the flex to reach high yields when given some help from rainfall. These are now proven hybrids in this class and will be used on many acres. We will again continue to look at some of the other new hybrids and evaluate them for future years. If you have limited water or want the ability for a quicker harvest, both of these advantages make these shorter maturity hybrids very attractive.

P0589, P0688 P0622, P0343 and P0306 will carry much of the **Dryland** acres. Aqua Max hybrids P0306 is a shorter maturity hybrid in the dryland market. We would like to continue to split many acres between P0589, P0622 & P0688 as they are major players in dryland. We suggest you consider trying them on your dryland acres. P0622 will also be where we will lean for a double crop irrigated hybrid. P1138 has become a proven hybrid and a little fuller season for more top end potential. We have seen a trend toward better land going to this maturity and P1089, P1138, and p1244 are an excellent fit for those acres.

## **Soybeans:**

Irrigated Beans: PICK Xtend Varieties 35A91BX, 39A45X,

39A58X & 42A96X,

Irrigated Beans: PICK Liberty Varieties 37A56L, 38A49L, &

44A37L

PICK Enlist Varieties 39T61SE, & 41T07E

We like P35A91SX 39A45x & 39A58X because they have an excellent defensive package. They possess good sudden death tolerance, cyst nematode resistance and seem to even have the ability to handle poorly drained soils. Both are widely adapted to our area and should consume a lot of acres.

We continue to use 42A96X a lot which shows pretty good sudden death tolerance. It has yielded very well in plots and has a great disease package. We will use 42A96X on many of the acres along with 42A52. P42A52X and P35A70X are also salt excluders with decent SDS tolerance. P38A98X will be used when you have an Iron Chlorosis problem as they showed the best tolerance overall under pressure and high PH ground.

Don't forget P44A72BX, P47A81SX, and P46A57BX if you are planning on needing STS for double crop.

Dryland Beans: PICK Xtend Varieties 39A58X, 42A52X, 42A96X, 47A64X, & 48A60X

PICK Liberty Varieties 41T79L, 47A76L & 44A37L PICK Enlist Varieties 41T07E, 45t88E & 48T22E

P39A58X, 42A52X, P42A96X, and P48A60X should be in the mix on the Roundup/Xtend side. They have proven the past couple of years to be very good numbers. They have shown in our plots and breeding program a positive yield advantage over some of the older numbers. P42A96X has really stood out as an all-around yield leader and consumes a lot of acres. Overall, they really stood out in about every yield check. If you are looking for our overall pick, we like P48A60X, the other group 4's are doing equally as well. If you are looking for a group 3 bean P39A58X is the bean of choice for us on dry land.

## Sorghum:

### Mid Early Season

Mid Early would be 86G32 or 86P20 these hybrids are both excellent and we have a lot of confidence in them. The new 86P33 & 86Y89 also look very good. We would suggest looking at these two newer numbers. They have both shown great strides in yield.

#### Mid-Season

Much of the Mid-season sorghum acres are planted to 85P44. Introducing the new 85P75 may take some acres away from it going forward. These hybrids are very proven performers and cover a significant number of acres between them. If you don't mind yellow Milo plant 85Y40 it is keeping up or outperforming these other two hybrids. 85P44 however has performed very well, has great sooty stripe tolerance and better than average Aphid tolerance and should be strongly considered.

## **Full Season**

In the full season segment 84P72 for better dryland ground and irrigation is still as good as anything out there. Also 84P68 has been right there with it for all other soil types and possesses better head exertion, and our best rating on Sugarcane Aphids resistance and good drought tolerance during dryer times.