

2026 Central Plains Dryland Summary, Three-Year Data

Syngenta Commercial Variety Wheat Performance Test, 2024-2026

Variety	3-Yr Combined (2024-2026)		2-Yr Combined (2025-2026)		Combined (2026)		Belleville, KS	Junction City, KS	Pratt, KS	South Haven, KS
	Yield Bu/A	TWT Lb/Bu	Yield Bu/A	TWT Lb/Bu	Yield Bu/A	TWT Lb/Bu	Yield Bu/A	Yield Bu/A	Yield Bu/A	Yield Bu/A
Hard Winter Wheat										
AP24 AX	70.1	59.0	70.4	57.3	65.3	59.6	74.5	74.4	66.5	45.7
AP Tango	68.3	60.7	66.3	59.1	66.7	61.1	75.1	78.4	72.9	40.3
AP Sunbird	66.8	61.4	65.4	59.8	63.0	61.5	74.7	67.9	71.2	38.0
SY Wolverine	65.0	60.7	63.3	58.9	59.5	60.8	72.5	64.8	64.0	36.7
AP Bigfoot	64.0	61.8	63.0	60.7	61.4	61.9	72.8	56.8	77.5	38.7
AP Roadrunner	63.3	56.8	59.4	54.6	56.8	55.7	71.2	63.3	65.1	27.7
AP Prolific	62.7	60.5	60.4	59.4	59.4	60.3	68.7	61.1	70.0	37.8
AP Stocky	61.1	58.3	59.2	56.8	61.0	57.8	69.1	58.3	73.1	43.4
SY Monument	60.8	60.1	56.8	58.3	57.9	60.5	63.7	75.3	55.7	37.0
Bob Dole	58.3	59.1	57.0	57.4	55.6	59.6	65.5	55.2	60.6	41.0
WB4422	68.1	59.7	69.8	58.0	66.2	59.7	77.2	80.8	72.5	34.2
Showdown	65.7	59.8	60.4	57.4	56.4	59.8	68.8	53.3	67.7	35.9
KS Providence	64.5	60.4	62.1	58.9	58.6	60.7	71.3	63.7	66.4	33.0
Rockstar	64.4	58.8	61.0	56.9	56.9	58.8	69.4	66.4	58.2	33.7
LCS Atomic AX	62.0	62.2	59.7	61.2	53.4	62.4	63.5	53.8	61.9	34.3
WB4401	61.4	59.6	55.7	57.0	50.7	58.4	65.7	58.1	56.8	22.3
KS Bill Snyder			71.3	60.0	67.0	60.6	76.7	75.9	77.6	37.8
High Cotton			63.2	60.5	61.2	62.1	67.4	62.6	68.3	46.4
WB4699			60.8	57.2	57.1	58.9	68.7	65.5	60.4	33.9
Polansky Goldenhawk			59.2	57.9	57.0	59.5	65.6	72.0	58.8	31.7
Doublestop CLP			58.0	60.1	56.3	62.2	60.6	62.3	67.8	34.6
WB-Grainfield					57.9	60.0	73.1	73.1	64.6	20.7
Mean General	64.3	60.0	62.3	58.6	57.9	60.2	67.9	63.4	64.9	35.6
LSD General (5%) EE	4.6		5.9		8.6		7.5	6.7	11.4	6.0
CV (Effective)	8.6		8.3		8.6		6.6	6.4	10.8	10.2

Boldfaced numbers are within confidence interval at specific locations and combined years of yield data.

Locations

2024 — Belleville, Conway Springs, Junction City, Palco, Pratt, and Salina, KS; Carrier, OK

2025 — Belleville, Junction City, Pratt, and Salina, KS

2026 — Belleville, Junction City, Pratt, and South Haven, KS

2026 Notes

Belleville, KS — Very good yields despite later than usual topdress. Extremely clean data.

Junction City, KS — Good yields overall despite heavy freeze damage early in the spring. Field variation due to compaction patterns was worrisome but in the end, data was good.

Pratt, KS — Very good yields, especially for the year, due to timely rains.

South Haven, KS — New location for 2026. Lower yields but overall clean data. Planted directly into barely ready to harvest soybean stubble.

Locations not included: Carrier, OK (hail damage), Nickerson, KS (freeze damage), Salina, KS (heavy shattering due to >100 mph winds)