



FACT SHEET

BILLINGS WHEAT

Billings is a hard red winter wheat variety released by Oklahoma State University in 2009. The primary area of adaptation for Billings is Oklahoma and southern Kansas. Billings has good overall disease resistance, including the new race of stripe rust and good tolerance to acid soils. Yield potential of Billings is excellent, however, it is not very drought tolerant. Baking and milling quality is excellent. Billings is a variety that could capture a large market share in our trade area.

Characteristics

Plant Height:	Medium
Maturity:	Early
Seed Size:	Very Large
Coleoptile Length:	Medium
Test Weight:	Very Good
Winterhardiness:	Good
Straw Strength:	Good
Milling & Baking:	Excellent
Yield Potential:	Excellent
Grazing Potential	Good

Disease & Insects

Barley Yellow Dwarf:	Intermediate
Hessian Fly:	Mod. Susceptible
Leaf Rust:	Resistant
Powdery Mildew:	Intermediate
Septoria Leaf Blotch:	Mod. Resistant
Soil Borne Mosaic:	Resistant
Stripe Rust:	Resistant
Spindle Streak Mosaic:	Resistant
Tan Spot:	Mod. Susceptible
Wheat Streak Mosaic:	Susceptible

Pedigree: Pioneer Experimental Lines & Ukrainian Line.

PVPA Status: Protected, must be sold only as a class of certified seed.