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USWBSI Individual Project(s)

USWBSI Research Category*	Project Title	ARS Award Amount
MGMT	Integrated Management Strategies and Fungicide Testing for FHB and DON in Small Grains in ND	$ 63,624
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* MGMT – FHB Management
FST – Food Safety & Toxicology
GDER – Gene Discovery & Engineering Resistance
PBG – Pathogen Biology & Genetics
EC-HQ – Executive Committee-Headquarters
BAR-CP – Barley Coordinated Project
DUR-CP – Durum Coordinated Project
HWW-CP – Hard Winter Wheat Coordinated Project
VDHR – Variety Development & Uniform Nurseries – Sub categories are below:
SPR – Spring Wheat Region
NWW – Northern Soft Winter Wheat Region
SWW – Southern Soft Red Winter Wheat Region

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Project 1: *Integrated Management Strategies and Fungicide Testing for FHB and DON in Small Grains in ND*

1. What are the major goals and objectives of the research project?

The primary objectives are to (1) evaluate the efficacy of adepidyn+propiconazole (Miravis Ace®), prothioconazole+tebuconazole, metconazole and tebuconazole on suppressing FHB and DON – efficacy trials (2) Evaluate integrated management strategies in small grain market classes (hard red spring wheat, hard red winter wheat, spring durum and spring barley) to suppress FHB and DON – integrated management trials.

2. What was accomplished under these goals or objectives? *(For each major goal/objective, address items a-b) below.)*

a) What were the major activities?

A strong statewide collaboration effort was used to establish fungicide efficacy and integrated management trials at five locations; Carrington, Fargo, Langdon, Prosper and Williston. A total of 13 experiments were established with 5 fungicide efficacy fungicide trials being conducted on spring barley, spring durum or hard red spring wheat and 8 integrated management trials being conducted on spring barley, spring durum, hard red spring wheat or hard red winter wheat.

b) What were the significant results?

Varying levels of scab pressure developed at the research sites. This is advantageous as the varieties and fungicide timings were evaluated under varying levels of disease pressure. The greatest amount of disease pressure occurred in Fargo, Carrington and Langdon. Field data showed that when Miravis Ace was applied at early-flowering in wheat or at full head in barley, the level of efficacy was comparable to both Prosaro and Caramba. However, when Miravis Ace was applied at half-head in both wheat and barley, results were inconsistent in reducing the level of DON in grain. The most DON reduction in the integrated management trials was achieved when a moderately resistant variety was used and when a fungicide was applied at early flowering or 4 to 7 days later in wheat and at full head or 4 to 7 days later in spring barley.

c) List key outcomes or other achievements.

When combined with other USWBSI IM-CP research, the efficacy of Miravis Ace is suggested to be the same as Prosaro® and Caramba® when applied at early-flowering in wheat or full head in barley. Additionally, good DON suppression was achieved when Miravis Ace, Prosaro and Caramba were applied at 3-7 days after the onset of flowering in wheat or 3-7 days after full-head in barley. This strongly supports that the application window has widened.

3. Was this research impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic (i.e. university shutdowns, reduced or lack of support personnel, etc.)? If yes, please explain how this research was impacted or is continuing to be impacted.

North Dakota State University was shut-down at the end of March, thus the only aspect significantly hindered was data analysis. In the upcoming fiscal year, there will be several other COVID-19 challenges the program will need to handle.

4. What opportunities for training and professional development has the project provided?

Research trials were used as an outside classroom for graduate students and research specialists in the NDSU Extension program. Individuals were taught about *Fusarium graminearum* biology, FHB management and principles of field research. Although no formal course was designed, students gained valuable insight and awareness on a very important disease in North Dakota. The research trials at the Fargo location were used as demonstrations for students visiting from Bismarck State College and North Dakota State College of Science.

5. How have the results been disseminated to communities of interest?

Data was included in a meta-analysis (submitted to Pierce Paul – Ohio State University) that will provide a robust summary of the collaborative work of the MGMT team and be used in future presentations. The results of the ND trials were communicated and disseminated to growers, Extension agents and other agriculture professionals through Extension meetings, agricultural expo shows, internet, interviews (radio, tv and print), CCA trainings and field days.

Training of Next Generation Scientists

Instructions: Please answer the following questions as it pertains to the FY19 award period (5/5/19 - 5/4/20). The term "support" below includes any level of benefit to the student, ranging from full stipend plus tuition to the situation where the student's stipend was paid from other funds, but who learned how to rate scab in a misted nursery paid for by the USWBSI, and anything in between.

1. **Did any graduate students in your research program supported by funding from your USWBSI grant earn their MS degree during the FY19 award period?**
   No.

   If yes, how many?

2. **Did any graduate students in your research program supported by funding from your USWBSI grant earn their Ph.D. degree during the FY19 award period?**
   No.

   If yes, how many?

3. **Have any post docs who worked for you during the FY19 award period and were supported by funding from your USWBSI grant taken faculty positions with universities?**
   No.

   If yes, how many?

4. **Have any post docs who worked for you during the FY19 award period and were supported by funding from your USWBSI grant gone on to take positions with private ag-related companies or federal agencies?**
   No.

   If yes, how many?

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Release of Germplasm/Cultivars

Instructions: In the table below, list all germplasm and/or cultivars released with full or partial support through the USWBSI during the FY19 award period. All columns must be completed for each listed germplasm/cultivar. Use the key below the table for Grain Class abbreviations.

NOTE: Leave blank if you have nothing to report or if your grant did NOT include any VDHR-related projects.

Name of Germplasm/Cultivar	**Grain Class**	**FHB Resistance** (S, MS, MR, R, where R represents your most resistant check)	**FHB Rating** (0-9)	**Year Released**

Add rows if needed.

NOTE: List the associated release notice or publication under the appropriate sub-section in the 'Publications' section of the FPR.

Abbreviations for Grain Classes

Barley - BAR
Durum - DUR
Hard Red Winter - HRW
Hard White Winter - HWW
Hard Red Spring - HRS
Soft Red Winter - SRW
Soft White Winter - SWW

Publications, Conference Papers, and Presentations

Instructions: Refer to the FY19-FPR_Instructions for detailed more instructions for listing publications/presentations about your work that resulted from all of the projects included in the FY19 grant award. Only citations for publications published (submitted or accepted) or presentations presented during the **award period (6/1/19 - 5/31/20**) should be included. If you did not publish/submit or present anything, state 'Nothing to Report' directly above the Journal publications section.

NOTE: Directly below each citation, you **must** indicate the Status (i.e. published, submitted, etc.) and whether acknowledgement of Federal support was indicated in the publication/ presentation.

Journal publications.

Nothing to report

Books or other non-periodical, one-time publications.

Other publications, conference papers and presentations.

Conference

Pierce A Paul , Sin Joe Ng , Gary Bergstrom , Kaitlyn Bissonnette, Kira Bowen, Carl Bradley, Emmanuel Byamukama, Martin Chilvers, Alyssa Collins, Christina Cowger, Heather Darby, Erick DeWolf, Ruth Dill Macky, Paul Esker, Andrew Friskop, Nathan Kleczewski, Alyssa Koehler, Laurence Madden, Juliet Marshall, Hillary Mehl, Wanderson Moraes, Martin Nagelkirk, Nidhi Rawat, Damon Smith, Darcy Telenko and Stephen Wegulo, and Heather Young-Kelly. 2019. "Fusarium head blight management coordinated project: Integrated management trials 2018-2019." In: S. Canty, A. Hoffstetter, H. Campbell and R. Dill-Macky (Eds.), *Proceedings of the 2019 National Fusarium Head Blight Forum* (pp. 20-24), Milwaukee, WI; December 8-10. University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY.
Status: Poster presentation given by lead author.
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Gross, P.L., Halvorson, J., Meyer, S., Schuh, C., Chapara, V., Hanson, B., Henry, L., Hakanson, T., Arens, A., Brueggeman, R., and Friskop, A. 2019. "Evaluating adepidyn and host resistance at two years and locations to reduce Fusarium head blight and deoxynivalenol in spring barley." In: S. Canty, A. Hoffstetter, H. Campbell and R. Dill-Macky (Eds.), *Proceedings of the 2019 National Fusarium Head Blight Forum* (pp. 25-29), Milwaukee, WI; December 8-10. University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY.
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Extension Presentations

Friskop, A. Major Wheat Diseases of North Dakota. Ukrainian Ag Professionals. Fargo, ND.
Status: Oral Presentation
Acknowledgement of Federal Support: Yes.

Friskop, A. Late-season Wheat Disease Management. Crop Management Field School. Carrington, ND.
Status: Oral and Hands-on Presentation
Acknowledgement of Federal Support: Yes.

Friskop, A. Small Grain Disease Update. Hettinger REC Field Day. Hettinger, ND.
Status: Oral Presentation
Acknowledgement of Federal Support: Yes.

Friskop, A. Small Grain Disease Management. Dickinson Area Wheat Production Workshop. Dickinson, ND.
Status: Oral and Hands-on Presentation
Acknowledgement of Federal Support: Yes.

Friskop, A. 2019 Cereal Disease Update. NDSU Agronomy Seed Farm Field Day. Casselton, ND.
Status: Oral Presentation
Acknowledgement of Federal Support: Yes.

Friskop, A. Wheat and Barley Disease Update. Langdon REC Field Day. Langdon, ND.
Status: Oral Presentation
Acknowledgement of Federal Support: Yes

Friskop, A. Case studies in ND Plant Pathology. NDSCS and BSC Prospective Student Visit. Fargo, ND.
Status: Hands-on Presentation
Acknowledgement of Federal Support: Yes

Friskop, A. Barley Disease Management. NDSU Barley Field School. Fargo, ND.
Status: Oral and Hand-on Presentation
Acknowledgement of Federal Support: Yes

Friskop, A. 2019 Crop Disease Review of Southwest ND. Western Dakota Crops Day. Hettinger, ND.
Status: Oral Presentation
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Status: Oral Presentation
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Friskop, A. Keeping Diseases at Bay in Reduced Tillage. Lake Region Roundup. Hettinger, ND.
Status: Oral Presentation
Acknowledgement of Federal Support: Yes.

Friskop, A. The Bad and the Ugly – BLS and FHB. Best of the Best East. Grand Forks, ND.
Status: Oral Presentation
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Friskop, A. The Bad and the Ugly – BLS and FHB. Best of the Best East. Moorhead, MN.
Status: Oral Presentation
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Friskop, A. Wheat Fungicides and Corn Diseases. Cass County Ag Improvement Meeting. Mapleton, ND.
Status: Oral Presentation
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Friskop, A. Small Grain Disease Update. Best of the Best West. Williston, ND.
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Friskop, A. Small Grain Disease Update. Best of the Best West. Minot, ND.
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Friskop, A. Small Grain Disease Update – What We Learned in 2019. International Crop Expo. Grand Forks, ND.
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