



High-Yielding Oat Variety Called “Drumlin”

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The Wisconsin Alumni Research Foundation is seeking commercial partners interested in a new, high-yielding oat variety.

Overview

In 2009, Wisconsin was the highest-producing state for oats with 13.3 million bushels. Wisconsin researchers are continually developing new varieties of oats suitable for the Upper Midwest.

The Invention

UW-Madison researchers have developed a new high-yield oat variety, called Drumlin. Drumlin has been successfully grown in tests at many locations in the northern United States and southern Canada. This variety matures a few days later than Moraine, an early-maturity line also developed by UW-Madison researchers.

Applications

- Commercial oat production

Key Benefits

- Provides consistently high grain yields
- Shows excellent resistance to crown rust
- Displays good tolerance to barley yellow dwarf virus (BYDV)
- Comparable to commercial varieties in most other crop traits

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