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Ontario Dry Bean Variety Trials

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This Infosheet contains the most recent variety information for registered dry edible bean varieties planted and harvested in 2018. Experimental and non-registered varieties may also be included in the trials, but data is not presented. Contact one of the individuals listed below, for information on other varieties or to comment on the trials. The information is prepared annually by the Ontario Pulse Crop Committee (OPCC).

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Table 1a - 2014-2018 White Bean Variety Performance Trial, Long Season Area

Variety	Days to Maturity ²	Yield (lbs/ac) ¹											
		Long Season All Locations				St Thomas			Woodstock				
		5 Year	4 Year	3 Year	2 Year	3 Year	2 Year	2018	5 Year	4 Year	3 Year	2 Year	2018
AAC Shock	91	2667	2642	2647	2833	2877	2801	2588	2394	2467	2417	2866	3573
Bolt	91	2690	2744	2748	3058	2882	2920	2931	2527	2641	2614	3196	4161
OAC Thunder	92	2581	2483	2424	2756	2664	2807	2397	2294	2348	2184	2705	3303
Lightning	93	2681	2631	2588	2833	2618	2591	2324	2616	2641	2558	3076	4136
Fathom	95	2749	2719	2703	2923	2985	2929	3188	2375	2520	2421	2917	4107
AAC Argosy	95	3233	3150	3092	3425	3479	3629	3484	2954	2904	2704	3222	3913
Lighthouse	96	3126	3017	3052	3388	3482	3583	3472	2713	2667	2621	3194	4177
Mist	96	3014	2916	2844	3120	3211	3137	3486	2765	2694	2476	3103	3926
Indi	97	--	--	--	--	--	--	3811	--	--	--	--	4319
Nautica	97	3040	3059	3127	3454	3498	3636	3295	2755	2730	2756	3272	3970
T9905	97	3159	3269	3288	3657	3623	3734	4286	2988	3004	2954	3580	4459
Rexeter	99	3032	2964	2939	3221	3326	3316	3218	2759	2693	2551	3127	4042
Apex	99	3121	3024	2997	3320	3228	3231	2716	2875	2871	2766	3409	4185
Blizzard	99	--	--	--	--	--	--	3851	--	--	--	--	4029
DS105W0	102	--	3167	3171	3691	3479	3767	3464	--	2932	2863	3615	4457
Average Yield (lbs/ac) ¹		2924	2907	2894	3206	3181	3237	3234	2668	2701	2607	3176	4050
LSD (0.05) ³		136	188	212	274	363	476	751	152	186	217	271	430

¹ To convert lbs/acre to t/ha divide by 893.

² Maturity is 3 year average. Maturity rating is affected by planting date and area where variety is being grown. Varieties are rated as mature when 95% of the pods are ripe. Normally, 3-10 additional drying days are needed before the crop is dry enough for combining.

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Long Season Testing Locations					
St Thomas	2018	2017	2016	--	2014
Woodstock	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Highbury	--	--	--	--	2014

Table 1b - 2014-2018 White Bean Variety Performance Trial, Short Season Area

Variety	Days to Maturity ²	Yield (lbs/ac) ¹									
		Short Season All Locations				Exeter	Elora				
		5 Year	4 Year	3 Year	2 Year	2018	5 Year	4 Year	3 Year	2 Year	2018
Bolt	99	2803	2710	2728	2960	3178	2720	2670	2693	2898	2830
Lightning	99	2824	2702	2708	2908	3143	2803	2725	2707	2900	2909
AAC Shock	100	3173	3074	2941	3203	3469	3049	2982	2849	3077	2909
Indi	100	--	--	--	--	3776	--	--	--	--	2901
OAC Thunder	100	2868	2825	2779	3064	3317	2700	2711	2710	3078	3096
Fathom	103	3145	3076	3017	3198	3820	2968	2926	2883	2977	2892
Blizzard	104	--	--	--	--	3434	--	--	--	--	2910
Rexeter	104	3323	3221	3182	3407	3488	3175	3069	3018	3247	3100
Lighthouse	104	3297	3137	3004	3374	3616	3276	3034	2855	3323	3194
Nautica	104	3065	3040	3119	3118	3152	3072	3162	3195	3064	2908
T9905	104	3090	2963	2817	2872	3292	3048	2969	2867	2954	2923
Mist	104	3216	3119	3021	3451	3662	3131	3013	2871	3360	3247
AAC Argosy	104	3241	3113	3076	3455	3609	3298	3148	3029	3446	3223
Apex	105	3217	3071	3086	3383	3630	3108	2926	3096	3249	3301
DS105W0	106	--	3150	3139	3142	3425	--	3086	3075	2959	2654
Average Yield (lbs/ac) ¹		3105	3015	2971	3195	3467	3029	2955	2911	3118	3000
LSD (0.05) ³		88	103	126	157	345	151	185	229	277	347

¹ To convert lbs/acre to t/ha divide by 893.

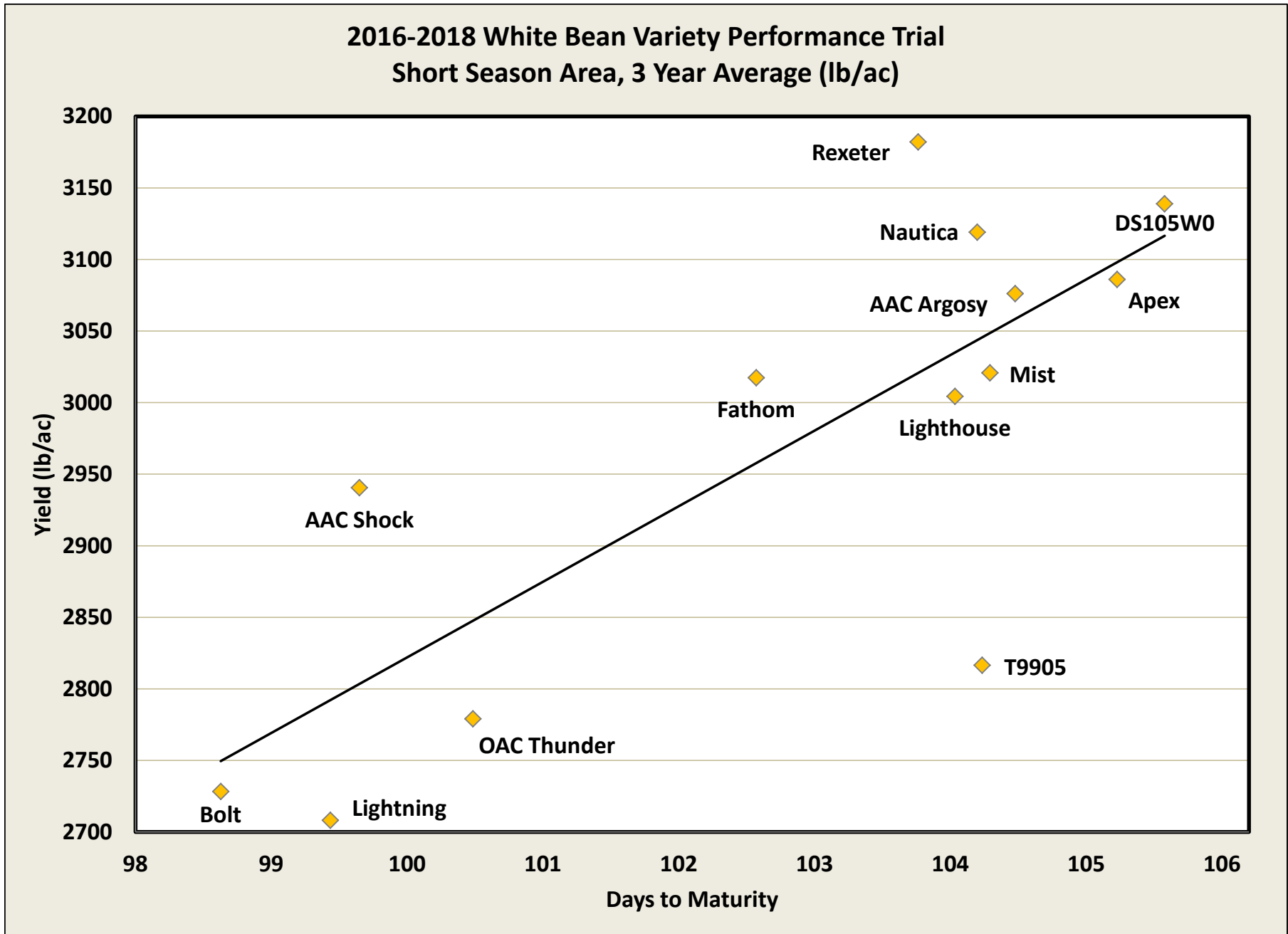
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Short Season Testing Locations					
Blyth	--	2017	2016	2015	2014
Exeter	2018	--	2016	2015	--
Elora	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014

Graph 1c: White Bean Short Season Area



Graph 1d: White Bean Long Season Area

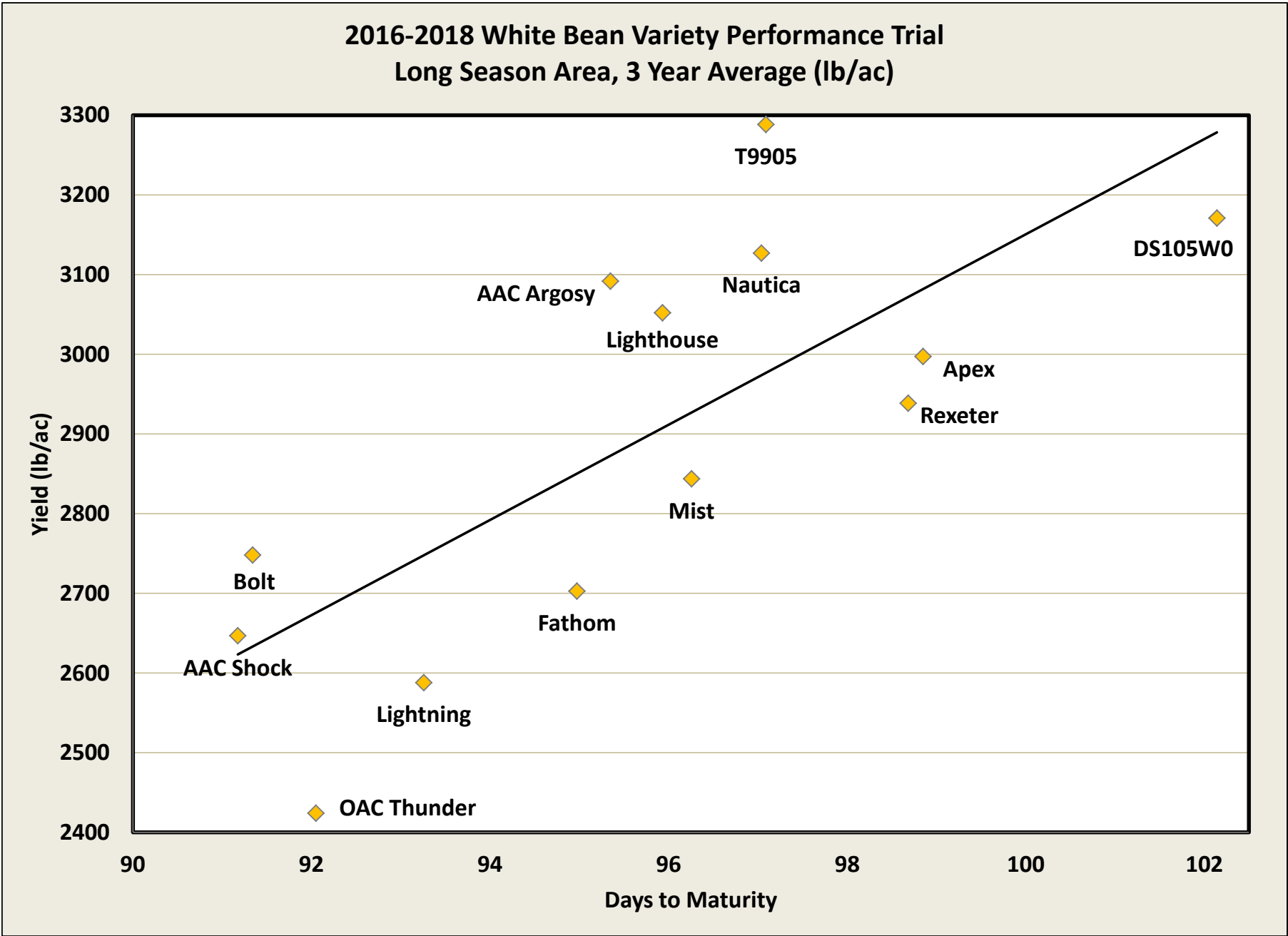


Table 2 - 2016-2018 White Bean Characteristics and Distributors

Variety	100 Seed Weight ³ (g)	Disease Reaction ¹					Common Blight	Suitability for Direct Harvest ⁴	Distributor
		Bean Common Mosaic Virus		Anthracnose ²					
		Race		Race					
		1	15	17	23	73			
Bolt	25.7	R	R	S	S	R	S	1.8	Hensall DC
AAC Shock	25.2	R	R	S	S	S	R	2.3	Hensall DC
Lightning	22.7	R	R	S	S	S	S	2.0	Hensall DC
OAC Thunder	24.2	R	R	S	S	S	S	2.4	SeCan
Indi	21.0	R	S	S	S	S		1.4	ADM Seedwest
Fathom	24.1	R	R	NA	NA	R	R	2.5	Hensall DC
AAC Argosy	25.1	R	R	S	S	S	R	2.4	Hensall DC
Lighthouse	23.6	R	R	NA	R	S	R	2.1	R.T. Bolton
Mist	23.7	R	R	S	S	S	R	1.9	Hensall DC
Nautica	21.0	R	R	S	S	S	S	2.0	SeCan
T9905	24.9	R	R	R	R	S	S	2.7	Treasure Valley
Rexeter	21.8	R	S	S	S	S	R	2.5	Hensall DC
Blizzard	22.2	NA	NA	NA	NA	S	S	2.5	ProVita, ADM Seedwest
Apex	25.3	R	R	S	R	S	R	2.2	SeCan
DS105W0	24.5	NA	NA	NA	NA	S	S	3.3	Treasure Valley

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² Anthracnose ratings, the predominant race found now in Ontario is Race 73. Race 17 (binary system) is equivalent to the Alpha race, race 23 (binary system) is equivalent to the Delta race.

³ To convert 100 seed weight (g) to seeds per pound divide 45,400 by seed weight. Example: 45,400 / 63 gm = 720 seeds/lb

⁴ A variety's suitability of direct harvest is based on a scale of 1-5, where 1 = upright plant type, standing erect with good bottom pod height and 5 = more prostrate plant type or plants that are not erect, with poor bottom pod height.

Table 3 - 2016-2018 Coloured Bean Characteristics and Distributors

Variety	Market Class	100 Seed Weight ² (g)	Disease Reaction ³					Suitability for Direct Harvest ⁵	Distributor
			Bean Common Mosaic Virus		Anthracnose ⁴				
			Race 1	Race 15	Alpha Race 17	Delta Race 23	Race 73		
Etna	Cranberry	65	R	R	S	S	S	2.4	Public
Red Rider	Cranberry	62	R	R	R	R	S	2.8	SeCan
Red Hawk	Dark Red Kidney	57	R	R	R	S	R	2.8	Public
Dynasty	Dark Red Kidney	65	R	S	R	S	R	2.8	Hensall DC
Big Red	Light Red Kidney	61	NA	NA	NA	NA	R	2.6	ProVita
Pink Panther	Light Red Kidney	65	R	R	R	S	R	2.9	Public
OAC Inferno	Light Red Kidney	68	R	S	R	S	R	3.3	Hensall DC
Yeti	White Kidney	61	R	R	NA	S	R	2.6	Hensall DC

¹ To convert lbs/acre to t/ha divide by 893.

² Yield, Days to Maturity and Seed weight are 3 year averages. Maturity rating is affected by planting date and area where variety is being grown.

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Table 4 - 2014-2018 Average Coloured Bean Performance

Variety	Market Class	Days to Maturity ²	100 Seed Weight ³ (g)	Yield (lbs/ac) ¹				
				5 Year	4 Year	3 Year	2 Year	2018
Etna	Cranberry	89	65	2249	2157	2182	2221	2407
Red Rider	Cranberry	94	62	2337	2275	2266	2291	2449
Average (lbs/ac)				2293	2216	2224	2256	2428
Red Hawk	Dark Red Kidney	89	57	1958	1838	1933	1878	2011
Dynasty	Dark Red Kidney	94	65	2393	2328	2339	2429	2498
Average (lbs/ac)				2176	2083	2136	2154	2254
Big Red	Light Red Kidney	86	61	2070	2070	2070	2119	2292
Pink Panther	Light Red Kidney	88	65	2137	2023	2089	2114	2282
OAC Inferno	Light Red Kidney	99	68	2449	2319	2362	2572	2842
Average (lbs/ac)				2219	2137	2174	2268	2472
Yeti	White Kidney	97	61	2228	2112	2128	2117	2343
Average (lbs/ac)				2228	2112	2128	2117	2343

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³Seed Weight is 3 year average. To convert 100 Seed weight (g) to seeds per pound divide 45,400 by seed weight.
Example: 45,400 / 63 gm = 720 seeds/lb

Testing Locations					
Monkton	--	--	--	--	2014
St Thomas	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Exeter	2018	--	2016	2015	--
Elora	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Woodstock	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014

Table 4a - St Thomas Station Report: 2014-2018 Coloured Bean Performance Trial

Variety	Market Class	Days to Maturity St Thomas ²	100 Seed Weight ³ (g)	Yield (lbs/ac) ¹					3 Year All Locations
				St Thomas					
				5 Year	4 Year	3 Year	2 Year	2018	
Etna	Cranberry	84	65	2853	2934	3126	3278	3583	2182
Red Rider	Cranberry	92	62	2835	2825	2917	3031	3229	2266
Average (lbs/ac)				2844	2879	3021	3155	3406	2224
Red Hawk	Dark Red Kidney	86	57	2379	2342	2606	2499	2759	1933
Dynasty	Dark Red Kidney	91	65	2841	2908	3042	3194	3067	2339
Average (lbs/ac)				2610	2625	2824	2847	2913	2136
Big Red	Light Red Kidney	80	61	3095	3095	3095	3311	3873	2070
Pink Panther	Light Red Kidney	83	65	2571	2580	2886	2791	2966	2089
OAC Inferno	Light Red Kidney	100	68	2657	2697	2928	3287	3639	2362
Average (lbs/ac)				2774	2791	2970	3130	3493	2174
Yeti	White Kidney	95	61	2626	2615	2772	2596	2706	2128
Average (lbs/ac)				2626	2615	2772	2596	2706	2128

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² Days to Maturity is 3 year average for St Thomas Station. Maturity rating is affected by planting date and area where variety is being grown. Varieties are rated as mature when 95% of the pods are ripe. Normally, 3-10 additional drying days are needed before the crop is dry enough for combining.

³ To convert 100 Seed weight (g) to seeds per pound divide 45,400 by seed weight. Example: 45,400 / 63 gm = 720 seeds/lb

Table 4b - Elora Station Report: 2014-2018 Coloured Bean Performance Trial

Variety	Market Class	Days to Maturity Elora ²	100 Seed Weight ³ (g)	Yield (lbs/ac) ¹					3 Year All Locations
				Elora					
				5 Year	4 Year	3 Year	2 Year	2018	
Etna	Cranberry	90	65	1938	1767	1578	1551	1491	2182
Red Rider	Cranberry	96	62	2116	2003	1848	1857	1575	2266
Average (lbs/ac)				2027	1885	1713	1704	1533	2224
Red Hawk	Dark Red Kidney	91	57	1693	1576	1542	1540	1421	1933
Dynasty	Dark Red Kidney	95	65	2153	1996	1839	1944	1649	2339
Average (lbs/ac)				1923	1786	1691	1742	1535	2136
Big Red	Light Red Kidney	87	61	1498	1498	1498	1452	1154	2070
Pink Panther	Light Red Kidney	88	65	1960	1758	1698	1752	1662	2089
OAC Inferno	Light Red Kidney	102	68	2310	2157	2081	2316	2176	2362
Average (lbs/ac)				1923	1804	1759	1840	1664	2174
Yeti	White Kidney	99	61	1916	1730	1610	1586	1397	2128
Average (lbs/ac)				1916	1730	1610	1586	1397	2128

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² Days to Maturity is 3 year average for Elora Station. Maturity rating is affected by planting date and area where variety is being grown. Varieties are rated as mature when 95% of the pods are ripe. Normally, 3-10 additional drying days are needed before the crop is dry enough for combining.

³ To convert 100 Seed weight (g) to seeds per pound divide 45,400 by seed weight. Example: 45,400 / 63 gm = 720 seeds/lb

Table 4c - Woodstock Station Report: 2014-2018 Coloured Bean Performance Trial

Variety	Market Class	Days to Maturity Woodstock ²	100 Seed Weight ³ (g)	Yield (lbs/ac) ¹					3 Year All Locations
				Woodstock					
				5 Year	4 Year	3 Year	2 Year	2018	
Etna	Cranberry	89	65	2108	2111	2141	2535	3734	2182
Red Rider	Cranberry	90	62	2189	2291	2267	2648	4027	2266
Average (lbs/ac)				2149	2201	2204	2591	3880	2224
Red Hawk	Dark Red Kidney	90	57	1819	1789	1828	2085	2968	1933
Dynasty	Dark Red Kidney	91	65	2317	2334	2379	2703	3952	2339
Average (lbs/ac)				2068	2062	2103	2394	3460	2136
Big Red	Light Red Kidney	87	61	1965	1965	1965	2279	3391	2070
Pink Panther	Light Red Kidney	89	65	2013	2007	1947	2393	3577	2089
OAC Inferno	Light Red Kidney	94	68	2312	2232	2247	2659	4079	2362
Average (lbs/ac)				2097	2068	2053	2444	3682	2174
Yeti	White Kidney	93	61	2199	2265	2261	2678	4169	2128
Average (lbs/ac)				2199	2265	2261	2678	4169	2128

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² Days to Maturity is 3 year average for Woodstock Station. Maturity rating is affected by planting date and area where variety is being grown. Varieties are rated as mature when 95% of the pods are ripe. Normally, 3-10 additional drying days are needed before the crop is dry enough for combining.

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Table 5 - 2014-2018 Coloured Minor Bean Variety Performance Trial

Variety	Days to Maturity ²	Yield (lbs/ac) ¹														
		All Locations				St Thomas					Exeter				Winchester	
		5 Year	4 Year	3 Year	2 Year	5 Year	4 Year	3 Year	2 Year	2018	4 Year	3 Year	2 Year	2018	2 Year	2018
La Paz	98	--	3371	3438	3547	--	3380	3395	3410	2962	3145	3239	3430	2981	3802	3734
OAC Rosito	99	2944	3065	3240	3273	2778	3038	3363	3397	3127	3252	3448	3679	3560	2745	2057
Zorro	100	3311	3412	3539	3479	3302	3552	3796	3698	3517	3376	3507	3537	3512	3202	2710
Viper	100	--	3431	3579	3667	--	3533	3829	3900	3803	3338	3441	3689	3651	3411	3259
Zenith	102	--	3221	3358	3412	--	3299	3580	3490	3643	3069	3128	3376	3467	3370	2881
Average Yield (lbs/ac) ¹		3127	3300	3431	3476	3040	3360	3593	3579	3410	3236	3352	3542	3434	3306	2928
LSD (0.05) ³		172	189	228	271	263	328	410	509	908	231	297	386	408	503	712

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Testing Locations					
St Thomas	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Exeter	2018	2017	2016	2015	--
Winchester	2018	2017	--	--	--

Table 6 - 2016-2018 Coloured Minor Bean Characteristics and Distributors

Variety	Market Class	100 Seed Weight ³ (g)	Disease Reaction ¹					Suitability for Direct Harvest ⁴	Distributor
			Bean Common Mosaic Virus		Anthracnose ²				
			Race		Race				
			1	15	17	23	73		
La Paz	Pinto	37.7	NA	NA	NA	NA	S	2.7	ADM Seedwest
OAC Rosito	Small Red	24.0	NA	NA	NA	NA	S	2.1	AAFC/U of G
Zorro	Black	23.3	R	R	R	R	S	1.9	Hensall DC
Viper	Small Red	31.0	NA	NA	NA	NA	S	2.5	ADM Seedwest
Zenith	Black	24.0	NA	NA	NA	NA	R	1.7	Hensall DC

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Table 7. Addresses of Distributors for Edible Bean Varieties

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