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Information contained herein is available to all without regard
to race, color, sex, or national origin

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INTRODUCTION

Corn hybrids are evaluated annually by the Alabama Agricultural Experiment Station in the Regular Corn Hybrid Test and the Preliminary Corn Test on a northern, central, and southern regional basis.

The Marion Junction, or Black Belt Substation, corn test is used as the prairie soil regional comparison. However, this test was abandoned in 1987 due to poor stand that was the result of insufficient rainfall at the time of planting. A second planting was attempted, but again lack of rainfall in June and July resulted in poor growth and no yield.

Entries in the preliminary tests are both experimental and newly released hybrids. If a hybrid is outstanding in the preliminary test, it is entered in the regular corn test the following year. White and early corn hybrids are tested at one location in each region. One regular and one white corn hybrid test are irrigated at Headland in southern Alabama.

The locations and cultural practices for the tests are shown in table 1. The tests were designed as a randomized complete block with four replications. Row width was 30 to 36 inches depending on location. Two-row plots were used, with row length ranging from 20 to 30 feet depending, again, on location. The target plant population for the tests was 20,000 plants per acre with a seeding rate of 23,000 seeds per acre. The irrigated tests at Headland were seeded at a rate of 30,000 plants per acre and thinned to 25,000.

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Grain yields were adjusted to 15.5 percent moisture and converted to bushels (56 pounds) per acre. Stalks broken or leaning more than 45 degrees were considered lodged. The mid-silk data measured the number of days from planting until one-half of the plants in the plots were showing silks. Bushel test weights are reported as regional averages from this year's data.

To aid in determining real yield differences, a statistical analysis of variance is performed on the data from each location. The L.S.D. (least significant difference) and C.V. (coefficient of variation) are given for each location's 1987 test. The difference in yield of two hybrids must exceed the L.S.D. value for one hybrid to be considered superior to the others in yield in that particular test. The C.V. is a measure of the variability in an experiment. An increase in its value indicates an increase in the unaccounted variability.

Since the performance of hybrids varies with location and year, long-term averages from several locations are more reliable than 1-year performance. Three-year regional averages are considered a reliable evaluation of the relative performance of hybrids.

A committee comprised of Department of Agronomy and Soils and Alabama Cooperative Extension Service personnel involved in corn research reviewed the past 3 years of corn hybrid test data to assemble the list of acceptable hybrids on page 24.

The recommended hybrids are not all equal in performance. Some are outstanding in one or more characteristics; while others may not be obviously outstanding, they might possess a satisfactory combination of all characteristics.

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E. V. Smith Research Center, Shorter - R. Duffield

Plant Breeding Unit, Tallassee - S. P. Nightengale

Southern Alabama

Brewton Experiment Field - J. R. Akridge

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TABLE 1. LOCATIONS AND CULTURAL PRACTICES FOR THE 1987 CORN HYBRID TESTS

Location	Planting date	Nitrogen ^{1/} rate	Plant population	Date harvested	Herbicides used
Northern Alabama					
Tennessee Valley Substation (Belle Mina)	April 6	140	20,000	September 1	Atrazine
Sand Mountain Substation (Crossville)					
Regular test	April 20	160	20,000	August 27	Atrazine + Dual
Preliminary test	April 21	160	20,000	August 27	Atrazine + Dual
White corn test	April 20	160	20,000	August 27	Atrazine + Dual
Early corn test	April 9	160	20,000	August 24	Atrazine + Princep
Upper Coastal Plain Substation (Winfield)	April 9	150	20,000	August 27	Atrazine
Central Alabama					
E.V. Smith Research Center (Shorter)					
Early corn test	April 9	120	20,000	August 13	Atrazine + Dual
White corn test	April 9	120	20,000	August 14	Atrazine + Dual
Plant Breeding Unit (Tallassee)	March 26	130	20,000	August 28	Atrazine
Prattville Experiment Field (Prattville)	March 20	120	20,000	August 24	Atrazine
Southern Alabama					
Brewton Experiment Field (Brewton)	March 16	120	20,000	August 30	Atrazine
Monroeville Experiment Field (Monroeville)					
Regular test	March 16	120	20,000	September 24	Atrazine
Date of planting 1	March 17	120	20,000	September 25	Atrazine
Date of planting 2	April 7	120	20,000	September 25	Atrazine
Date of planting 3	May 21	120	20,000	September 25	Atrazine
Lower Coastal Plain Substation (Camden)	April 10	120	20,000	September 8	Sutan
Wiregrass Substation (Headland)					
Regular test (unirrigated)	April 8	120	20,000	August 18	Atrazine
Regular test (irrigated)	April 8	200	25,000	August 18	Atrazine
White corn test (irrigated)	April 8	200	25,000	August 18	Atrazine
Gulf Coast Substation (Fairhope)					
Regular test	March 16	150	20,000	August 24	Atrazine + Dual
Preliminary test	March 16	150	20,000	August 24	Atrazine + Dual
Early corn test	March 3	150	20,000	August 21	Atrazine + Dual

^{1/}Pounds per acre N. Lime, phosphorus, potassium, zinc, and sulfur were applied according to recommendation based on soil test.

TABLE 2. TWO- AND THREE-YEAR YIELD AND LODGING AVERAGES FOR NORTHERN
ALABAMA,¹ 1985-87

BRAND NAME-HYBRID	YIELD PER ACRE, AV.		LODGED STALKS, AV.	
	3-YR. 1985-87	2-YR. 1986-87	3-YR. 1985-87	2-YR. 1986-87
	BU.	BU.	PCI.	PCI.
PIONEER 3165	132	117	2.1	2.0
MCCURDY 8172	129	113	4.9	5.2
ZIMMERMAN Z 27 Y	128	113	4.7	4.3
PIONEER 3320	126	110	3.7	3.5
PIONEER 3147	126	110	4.4	3.5
PIONEER 3187	125	112	3.0	2.3
NORTHROP KING PX 95	125	106	5.4	6.5
ASGROW/O'S GOLD 2570	122	109	5.4	6.3
JACQUES 8400	122	111	4.3	5.0
AGRATECH GK 850	122	108	3.1	3.8
FUNKS G-4733	120	108	3.6	3.7
CARGILL 8990	120	109	3.6	3.7
FUNKS G-4522	120	106	4.1	4.7
MCCURDY 8150	119	104	4.1	4.8
FUNK'S RING AROUND 1502	119	104	4.3	4.8
CARGILL 7990	119	104	4.4	5.7
SUNBELT 1802	119	100	3.4	3.8
SUNBELT 1827	117	101	5.3	5.2
NORTHROP KING PX 9581	117	103	5.7	6.2
ASGROW/O'S GOLD 5509	116	102	6.0	6.0
MCCURDY 84AA	115	101	4.9	4.2
COKER 21	115	101	5.0	5.0
STAUFFER S 7759	115	103	3.9	3.5
DEKALB DK 689	-	121	-	1.8
DEKALB DK 789	-	116	-	2.3
FFR 815	-	109	-	1.8
FFR 811	-	108	-	3.3
AGRATECH GK 900	-	107	-	3.5
JACQUES 8700	-	105	-	3.3
FUNKS G-4734	-	104	-	4.7
FUNKS G-4868	-	103	-	2.3
COKER 8905	-	101	-	2.8

¹ BELLE MINA, CROSSVILLE, AND WINFIELD.

TABLE 3. 1987 YIELD OF CORN HYBRIDS BY LOCATION AND REGIONAL AVERAGES OF HYBRID CHARACTERISTICS
IN NORTHERN ALABAMA

BRAND NAME-HYBRID	BELLE MINA	CROSSVILLE	WINFIELD	1987 REGIONAL AVERAGES			
				YIELD PER ACRE	LODGED STALKS	TEST WEIGHT	MID- SILK
DEKALB DK 711	153	146	69	122	1.7	58.3	6-21
DEKALB DK 689	156	132	69	119	1.0	55.6	6-23
ASGROW/O'S GOLD 2570	136	160	58	118	3.0	55.7	6-19
DEKALB DK 789	152	134	66	117	0.7	55.3	6-22
PIONEER 3165	145	139	68	117	1.7	56.9	6-23
MCCURDY 8172	154	133	63	117	2.3	57.3	6-24
FUNK'S RING AROUND 1502	147	151	52	116	2.0	55.6	6-19
AGRATECH GK 850	142	154	52	116	2.3	55.7	6-20
FUNKS G-4666	135	144	65	115	1.3	57.5	6-22
CARGILL 8990	145	137	62	115	2.0	57.4	6-23
JACQUES 8700	152	139	52	114	2.0	56.0	6-22
JACQUES 8400	142	145	56	114	3.7	58.1	6-22
FUNKS G-4733	143	133	66	114	3.3	57.8	6-22
SUNBELT 1827	154	133	53	113	3.7	56.3	6-22
AGRATECH GK 900	149	140	51	113	2.7	58.1	6-21
NORTHROP KING PX 9581	129	152	56	112	2.7	55.6	6-19
SEEDTEC ST-7750	138	134	65	112	2.7	55.8	6-23
SUNBELT 1802	145	135	55	112	2.0	56.1	6-20
FUNKS G-4522	140	142	53	112	2.7	55.5	6-20
NORTHROP KING PX 95	148	128	58	111	5.7	54.9	6-22
ZIMMERMAN Z 27 Y	143	142	49	111	1.3	55.8	6-24
PIONEER 3320	141	129	61	110	2.3	56.7	6-21
COKER 21	147	130	51	110	2.3	55.5	6-22
CARGILL 9427	142	136	51	110	2.0	55.7	6-21
PIONEER 3187	128	131	69	109	1.7	55.6	6-22
ASGROW/O'S GOLD 5509	143	138	46	109	5.0	55.5	6-23
FUNKS G-4734	139	127	60	109	3.7	57.5	6-22
MCCURDY 8150	145	133	48	109	3.3	56.5	6-21
CARGILL 8951	138	139	48	109	4.3	56.8	6-21
MCCURDY 84AA	136	137	51	108	3.0	56.0	6-20
PIONEER 3147	142	116	64	107	2.0	53.2	6-25
CARGILL 7990	142	139	41	107	4.3	54.2	6-20
DELTAPINE 5750	128	134	60	107	1.0	57.3	6-20
COKER 8625	124	149	48	107	2.7	58.0	6-20
FFR 815	128	133	59	107	1.0	55.8	6-23
STAUFFER S 7759	128	140	47	105	1.3	55.8	6-21
FUNKS G-4868	137	115	63	105	1.3	55.0	6-24
FFR 811	115	144	56	105	2.7	55.7	6-20
ASGROW/O'S GOLD RX 860	125	145	43	104	1.0	57.6	6-19
COKER 8905	135	118	56	103	2.3	56.2	6-26
ZIMMERMAN Z 45	127	144	38	103	1.7	56.3	6-20
NORTHROP KING PX 9540	121	143	38	101	2.0	57.6	6-20
TEST AVERAGE	139.4	137.3	55.5				
L.S.D. (.05)	13.4	12.9	11.7				
C.V. (%)	6.9	6.7	15.0				

TABLE 4. TWO- AND THREE-YEAR YIELD AND LODGING AVERAGES FOR CENTRAL
ALABAMA,¹ 1985-87

BRAND NAME-HYBRID	YIELD PER ACRE, AV.		LODGED STALKS, AV.	
	3-YR. 1985-87	2-YR. 1986-87	3-YR. 1985-87	2-YR. 1986-87
	BU.	BU.	PCT.	PCT.
PIONEER 3165	88	88	7.3	3.0
PIONEER 3320	78	79	15.3	7.0
SUNBELT 1876	77	71	8.0	4.0
ZIMMERMAN Z 27 Y	76	84	10.3	4.0
MCCURDY 8172	74	77	8.2	3.0
JACQUES 8400	73	78	11.8	4.0
PIONEER 3147	72	75	9.3	2.8
ASGROW/O'S GOLD 2570	71	79	16.2	4.0
MCCURDY 8150	69	79	14.3	3.5
SUNBELT 1827	67	81	18.3	4.0
ASGROW/O'S GOLD 5509	66	76	16.2	5.3
NORTHRUP KING PX 9581	65	74	11.5	3.3
FUNKS G-4733	65	70	7.5	3.5
COKER 21	65	74	15.3	4.5
SUNBELT 1802	64	76	13.5	2.8
AGRATECH GK 850	62	74	11.2	1.5
FUNK'S RING AROUND 1502	62	73	11.2	1.5
MCCURDY 84AA	60	70	15.8	4.8
FFR 811	59	68	15.8	6.0
STAUFFER S 7759	58	70	9.7	1.5
CARGILL SX 383	57	68	17.0	5.8
CARGILL 8951	55	66	15.2	3.8
CARGILL 8990	54	69	12.3	5.0
DEKALB DK 689	-	89	-	5.8
DEKALB DK 789	-	81	-	4.0
SUNBELT 1882	-	81	-	0.5
JACQUES 8700	-	78	-	6.8
COKER 8905	-	75	-	0.8
FFR 815	-	74	-	1.5
AGRATECH GK 900	-	74	-	4.8
CARGILL 9990	-	73	-	4.3
NORTHRUP KING PX 95	-	72	-	10.0

¹ PRATTVILLE, CAMDEN.

TABLE 5. 1987 YIELD OF CORN HYBRIDS BY LOCATION AND REGIONAL AVERAGES OF HYBRID CHARACTERISTICS
IN CENTRAL ALABAMA

BRAND NAME-HYBRID	PRATTVILLE	CAMDEN	1987 REGIONAL AVERAGES				
			YIELD PER ACRE	LODGED STALKS	TEST WEIGHT	MID- SILK	BU./BU. MO.-DA.
PIONEER 3165	BU.	BU.	BU.	PCI.	18./BU.	MO.-DA.	
DEKALB DK 689	81	137	109	0.5	57.8	6-14	
ZIMMERMAN Z 27 Y	87	126	106	3.5	58.9	6-13	
DEKALB DK 789	68	133	100	0.5	57.9	6-15	
SUNBELT 1827	75	121	98	1.5	58.8	6-14	
SUNBELT 1876	69	121	95	2.5	59.2	6-14	
JACQUES 8700	95	90	92	2.0	57.9	6-21	
COKER 21	70	113	91	2.5	59.8	6-15	
MCCURDY 8150	62	120	91	1.0	58.3	6-14	
SUNBELT 1882	69	112	90	0.5	58.6	6-16	
FUNKS G-4614	66	113	90	2.0	61.1	6-13	
NORTHRUP KING PX 95	72	105	88	7.0	58.7	6-14	
PIONEER 3147	72	105	88	2.0	54.7	6-16	
PIONEER 3320	54	122	88	10.5	59.6	6-13	
MCCURDY 8172	52	124	88	1.5	60.3	6-15	
ASGROW/O'S GOLD 5509	59	113	86	4.5	57.6	6-15	
AGRATECH GK 900	56	116	86	3.0	61.8	6-15	
ASGROW/O'S GOLD 2570	66	106	86	3.5	58.0	6-13	
MCCURDY 85-60	58	114	86	1.0	57.3	6-14	
JACQUES 8400	58	112	85	5.5	60.9	6-14	
COKER 8905	67	101	84	1.5	58.7	6-17	
FFR 815	64	102	83	1.5	58.0	6-15	
CARGILL 9990	66	99	82	1.5	58.1	6-19	
FUNKS G-4733	49	111	80	2.0	59.0	6-16	
FUNK'S RING AROUND 1502	58	102	80	1.5	58.0	6-12	
SUNBELT 1802	61	99	80	1.0	58.1	6-13	
NORTHRUP KING PX 9581	58	99	79	1.5	58.4	6-13	
CARGILL 980	55	100	77	1.5	63.3	6-15	
TR 4405	61	94	77	4.0	58.1	6-14	
MCCURDY 84AA	58	97	77	3.0	59.0	6-13	
FUNKS G-4666	37	114	76	1.5	58.4	6-14	
SEEDTEC ST-7750	44	107	75	2.5	57.7	6-14	
AGRATECH GK 850	52	99	75	2.0	59.4	6-13	
CARGILL 8990	58	92	75	2.0	59.3	6-14	
PIONEER 3187	52	97	75	1.5	58.0	6-14	
DELТАPINE 5750	41	108	75	0.0	58.9	6-14	
DEKALB DK 711	46	103	74	3.5	59.8	6-14	
CARGILL SX 16A	63	82	72	3.5	55.7	6-13	
STAUFFER S 7759	61	84	72	0.5	57.4	6-13	
CARGILL SX 383	50	94	72	2.5	59.6	6-14	
FFR 811	57	87	72	1.5	57.1	6-14	
ASGROW/O'S GOLD RX 860	40	97	69	1.5	59.6	6-12	
CARGILL 8951	49	87	68	1.0	59.2	6-13	
TEST AVERAGE	60.6	106.1					
L.S.D. (.05)	16.1	16.1					
C.V. (%)	19.0	10.9					

TABLE 6. TWO- AND THREE-YEAR YIELD AND LODGING AVERAGES FOR SOUTHERN
ALABAMA,¹ 1985-87

BRAND NAME-HYBRID	YIELD PER ACRE, AV.		LODGED STALKS, AV.	
	3-YR. 1985-87	2-YR. 1986-87	3-YR. 1985-87	2-YR. 1986-87
	BU.	BU.	PCT.	PCT.
PIONEER 3165	95	101	0.8	1.0
MCCURDY 8172	94	105	1.8	1.5
MCCURDY 8150	86	95	2.9	2.8
PIONEER 3320	85	86	2.0	2.4
SUNBELT 1827	84	97	2.8	1.9
PIONEER 3147	84	91	1.8	1.6
ASGROW/O'S GOLD 5509	83	97	2.7	2.8
COKER 21	82	93	2.2	1.8
ASGROW/O'S GOLD 2570	81	91	2.3	1.3
FUNKS G-4614	80	86	2.0	1.6
FUNKS G-4733	80	90	1.4	1.5
JACQUES 8400	79	88	2.3	1.5
ZIMMERMAN Z 27 Y	77	85	1.5	1.0
NORTHRUP KING PX 95	77	85	2.3	1.3
NORTHRUP KING PX 9581	77	86	3.6	2.8
MCCURDY 84AA	75	84	3.3	3.1
CARGILL SX 383	74	86	2.3	2.0
PIONEER 3187	73	80	0.9	1.4
CARGILL 8951	73	83	2.4	2.1
STAUFFER S 7759	72	81	1.7	1.4
SUNBELT 1802	72	81	3.4	3.1
AGRATECH GK 850	72	80	2.4	1.9
FFR 811	65	67	2.4	2.0
DEKALB DK 789	-	94	-	1.6
DEKALB DK 689	-	94	-	1.0
SUNBELT 1882	-	92	-	0.8
JACQUES 8700	-	91	-	1.9
COKER 8905	-	91	-	0.3
AGRATECH GK 900	-	90	-	1.4
CARGILL 9990	-	90	-	0.8
FFR 815	-	79	-	0.3

¹ FAIRHOPE, BREWTON, MONROEVILLE, HEADLAND.

TABLE 7. 1987 YIELD OF CORN HYBRIDS BY LOCATION AND REGIONAL AVERAGES OF HYBRID CHARACTERISTICS
IN SOUTHERN ALABAMA

BRAND NAME-HYBRID	FAIRHOPE	BREWTON	MONROEVILLE	HEADLAND	1987 REGIONAL AVERAGES.					
					YIELD PER ACRE	LODGED STALKS	TEST WEIGHT	MID- SILK	LBS./BU.	MO.-DA.
MCCURDY 8172	154	159	56	96	116	0.3	56.3	6-11		
SUNBELT 1860	157	128	69	86	110	1.0	55.3	6-11		
PIONEER 3165	140	151	45	89	106	0.3	55.4	6-9		
MCCURDY 8150	139	128	51	95	103	0.3	56.4	6-7		
SUNBELT 1827	140	135	41	92	102	1.0	56.1	6-7		
SUNBELT 1882	131	122	68	78	100	0.3	55.0	6-11		
DEKALB DK 789	136	114	66	79	99	0.3	55.1	6-10		
ASGROW/O'S GOLD 5509	168	106	42	74	97	0.8	54.8	6-8		
DEKALB DK 711	158	102	41	88	97	0.3	56.9	6-6		
COKER 8905	138	122	56	73	97	0.0	55.7	6-12		
COKER 21	140	138	26	84	97	0.0	54.5	6-9		
DEKALB DK 689	135	97	63	92	97	0.3	55.9	6-9		
FUNKS G-4733	134	122	47	77	95	0.5	57.1	6-8		
AGRATECH GK 900	147	124	35	73	95	0.5	56.9	6-7		
NORTHRUP KING PX 95	140	107	49	81	94	0.5	55.0	6-11		
SEEDTEC ST-7750	140	127	39	72	94	0.0	55.4	6-8		
PIONEER 3320	132	111	54	76	93	1.8	55.5	6-5		
PIONEER 3147	147	125	34	65	93	0.3	53.3	6-11		
COKER 3020	140	106	52	70	92	0.5	55.4	6-4		
FUNKS G-4666	136	122	44	64	92	0.3	56.3	6-6		
JACQUES 8700	148	105	36	77	91	0.5	56.3	6-8		
CARGILL 9990	125	106	61	75	91	0.3	55.3	6-13		
NORTHRUP KING PX 9581	132	91	49	81	88	0.3	54.6	6-4		
ASGROW/O'S GOLD 2570	128	101	51	73	88	0.0	54.6	6-5		
JACQUES 8400	133	88	48	80	87	1.0	57.4	6-7		
DELTAPINE 5750	129	113	49	56	87	0.0	55.9	6-7		
TR 4405	127	113	39	67	86	0.5	55.3	6-7		
MCCURDY 84AA	133	103	40	70	86	0.3	55.6	6-6		
CARGILL SX 383	143	96	31	73	86	0.8	55.0	6-8		
CARGILL 8990	147	101	28	66	85	0.5	56.3	6-10		
ASGROW/O'S GOLD RX 860	133	103	41	65	85	0.3	56.9	6-4		
SUNBELT 1802	127	106	45	62	85	0.3	55.7	6-4		
ZIMMERMAN Z 27 Y	140	98	33	67	85	0.0	54.8	6-10		
CARGILL 9427	143	115	30	51	85	1.0	54.7	6-9		
PIONEER 3110	136	94	33	75	85	0.3	56.9	6-11		
FUNKS G-4614	123	86	50	73	83	0.5	57.1	6-6		
CARGILL 8951	141	96	29	62	82	0.0	54.9	6-7		
COKER 8625	136	86	47	54	81	0.3	56.1	6-5		
AGRATECH GK 850	126	100	31	65	80	0.3	54.5	6-4		
FFR 815	118	84	52	68	80	0.3	54.3	6-10		
TR 3303	122	89	43	59	78	0.5	55.1	6-4		
STAUFFER S 7759	136	73	35	63	77	0.0	54.9	6-5		
PIONEER 3187	136	77	37	41	73	1.3	55.1	6-10		
FFR 811	93	70	45	49	64	0.8	54.0	6-7		
TEST AVERAGE	136.4	107.6	44.4	72.1						
L.S.D. (.05)	21.3	33.2	28.4	20.7						
C.V. (%)	11.1	22.0	45.6	20.2						

TABLE 8. IRRIGATED CORN HYBRID PERFORMANCE AND CHARACTERISTICS, HEADLAND, ALABAMA, 1985-87

BRAND NAME-HYBRID	YIELD PER ACRE, AV.			LODGED STALKS, AV.			MIDSILK	TEST	1987 WEIGHT LB./BU.
	3-YR. 1985-87	2-YR. 1986-87	1987	3-YR. 1985-87	2-YR. 1986-87	1987			
PIONEER 3165	140	120	128	1.7	1.0	1.0	6-14	56.1	
ASGROW/O'S GOLD 5509	139	130	123	0.7	1.0	2.0	6-11	57.5	
ZIMMERMAN Z 27 Y	138	128	120	1.7	1.5	3.0	6-11	56.7	
MCCURDY 8172	136	124	147	2.0	2.5	0	6-11	58.4	
NORTHRUP KING PX 95	135	122	131	2.3	3.0	4.0	6-9	56.2	
PIONEER 3147	134	124	132	2.7	3.0	2.0	6-18	55.0	
MCCURDY 8150	133	119	138	0.7	1.0	2.0	6-11	56.5	
AGRATECH GK 900	131	117	123	1.3	0.5	0	6-10	58.4	
AGRATECH GK 850	131	120	121	0.7	0.5	0	6-9	56.2	
ASGROW/O'S GOLD 2570	131	119	134	1.7	2.5	1.0	6-9	57.0	
MCCURDY 84AA	130	114	132	1.3	1.5	3.0	6-9	58.0	
FUNKS G-4614	125	104	115	1.7	2.0	3.0	6-11	58.1	
PIONEER 3320	125	110	110	1.7	2.5	4.0	6-9	55.5	
NORTHRUP KING PX 9581	124	115	112	2.0	3.0	3.0	6-9	56.7	
JACQUES 8400	117	108	125	1.0	1.5	1.0	6-11	58.1	
STAUFFER S 7759	116	104	117	1.3	1.5	1.0	6-9	56.6	
FFR 811	100	78	72	1.7	2.5	2.0	6-10	54.8	
SUNBELT 1827	-	133	134	-	1.5	1.0	6-11	58.1	
JACQUES 8700	-	124	121	-	1.0	2.0	6-11	58.0	
CARGILL SX 383	-	123	144	-	2.0	2.0	6-10	58.4	
CARGILL 9990	-	121	121	-	1.5	2.0	6-18	55.6	
COKER 21	-	120	118	-	1.5	1.0	6-10	57.6	
DEKALB DK 789	-	120	130	-	1.5	1.0	6-10	56.5	
FUNKS G-4733	-	119	121	-	1.5	3.0	6-11	58.1	
DEKALB DK 689	-	118	137	-	2.0	3.0	6-9	56.8	
CARGILL 8951	-	115	129	-	1.5	2.0	6-9	58.0	
SUNBELT 1882	-	115	126	-	0.5	0	6-18	57.0	
COKER 8905	-	113	126	-	0.5	1.0	6-18	56.6	
SUNBELT 1802	-	113	115	-	1.0	1.0	6-9	56.0	
PIONEER 3187	-	99	93	-	3.5	7.0	6-9	55.7	
FFR 815	-	92	97	-	2.0	1.0	6-11	55.5	
SUNBELT 1860	-	-	145	-	-	2.0	6-10	57.0	
DEKALB DK 711	-	-	139	-	-	4.0	6-10	58.9	
CARGILL 9427	-	-	136	-	-	0	6-10	56.8	
CARGILL 8990	-	-	128	-	-	3.0	6-11	58.0	
PIONEER 3110	-	-	127	-	-	4.0	6-11	58.6	
COKER 3020	-	-	125	-	-	2.0	6-9	56.8	
ASGROW/O'S GOLD RX 860	-	-	116	-	-	0	6-9	58.0	
SEEDTEC ST-7750	-	-	115	-	-	3.0	6-14	56.9	
TR 4405	-	-	114	-	-	1.0	6-11	56.6	
FUNKS G-4666	-	-	111	-	-	4.0	6-11	57.9	
DELTA PINE 5750	-	-	110	-	-	0	6-10	58.4	
COKER 8625	-	-	101	-	-	1.0	6-10	58.2	
TR 3303	-	-	96	-	-	2.0	6-9	56.7	
TEST AVERAGE			121.6						
L.S.D. (.05)			19.8						
G.V. (%)			11.6						

THE TEST RECEIVED APPROXIMATELY 16.5 INCHES OF IRRIGATION WATER IN 11 APPLICATIONS DURING THE MONTHS OF MAY, JUNE, AND JULY

TABLE 9. WHITE CORN HYBRID TEST, NORTHERN ALABAMA,¹ 1985-87

BRAND NAME-HYBRID	YIELD PER ACRE, AV.			LODGED STALKS, AV.			1987		
	3-YR. 1985-87	2-YR. 1986-87	1987	3-YR. 1985-87	2-YR. 1986-87	1987	MIDSILK	TEST	
	BU.	BU.	BU.	PCT.	PCT.	PCT.	MO./DA.	LB./BU.	
ZIMMERMAN Z 60 W	114	92	117	15.0	19.0	4.0	6-24	55.6	
ZIMMERMAN Z 14 W	109	86	118	15.3	20.5	2.0	6-24	55.6	
COKER 833 W	109	83	101	13.3	19.0	1.0	6-24	54.1	
FFR 929W	108	86	122	9.7	11.0	2.0	6-26	57.2	
ASGROW/O'S GOLD RX 405W	107	84	109	18.7	24.5	1.0	6-28	57.1	
DEKALB DK 77W	104	81	103	16.0	18.5	2.0	6-27	55.6	
ZIMMERMAN Z 11 W	104	77	110	11.0	14.5	2.0	6-25	56.7	
FUNKS G-4779W	101	76	104	8.3	11.5	1.0	6-26	56.3	
PIONEER 3165 +	-	105	132	-	3.5	2.0	6-26	57.8	
ZIMMERMAN Z 54 W	-	101	126	-	22.5	2.0	6-25	55.4	
PIONEER 3144W	-	98	122	-	15.5	1.0	6-24	55.1	
JACQUES W-210	-	96	120	-	24.0	1.0	6-23	58.8	
AGRATECH 921W	-	95	119	-	19.5	1.0	6-23	54.9	
JACQUES W-310	-	90	126	-	22.5	1.0	6-24	59.9	
FUNKS 6054W	-	86	114	-	12.5	2.0	6-24	56.9	
FUNK'S 6044W	-	-	134	-	-	2.0	6-24	58.9	
ZIMMERMAN Z 16 W	-	-	126	-	-	2.0	6-22	57.3	
CARGILL 9400W	-	-	124	-	-	2.0	6-23	58.9	
SEEDTEC H-2625W	-	-	124	-	-	0	6-24	58.4	
TEST AVERAGE				118.3					
L.S.D. (.05)				10.7					
C.V. (%)				6.4					

¹CROSSVILLE.

+YELLOW CORN CHECK HYBRID.

TABLE 10. WHITE CORN HYBRID TEST, CENTRAL ALABAMA,¹ 1985-87

BRAND NAME-HYBRID	YIELD PER ACRE, AV.			LODGED STALKS, AV.			1987	
	3-YR. 1985-87	2-YR. 1986-87	1987	3-YR. 1985-87	2-YR. 1986-87	1987	MIDSILK	TEST WEIGHT
	BU.	BU.	BU.	PCI.	PCI.	PCI.	MO./DA.	LB./BU.
ZIMMERMAN Z 14 W	93	67	96	5.3	7.5	12.0	6-18	53.0
ASGROW/O'S GOLD RX 405W	91	64	88	18.7	28.0	38.0	6-19	55.8
ZIMMERMAN Z 60 W	89	65	105	6.3	9.5	10.0	6-17	51.1
COKER 833 W	88	69	104	8.0	11.5	14.0	6-17	51.2
DEKALB DK 77W	84	62	92	7.0	10.0	20.0	6-19	53.0
ZIMMERMAN Z 11 W	76	63	108	5.3	8.0	10.0	6-18	53.0
FUNKS G-4779W	75	58	88	4.7	7.0	12.0	6-18	55.2
FFR 929W	74	55	85	9.3	13.5	16.0	6-21	52.3
PIONEER 3165 +	-	83	124	-	5.0	7.0	6-17	51.0
PICNEER 3144W	-	74	105	-	8.0	15.0	6-18	54.1
AGRATECH 921W	-	73	111	-	5.5	5.0	6-17	51.1
JACQUES W-210	-	68	93	-	4.5	8.0	6-17	57.0
ZIMMERMAN Z 54 W	-	64	99	-	8.0	12.0	6-17	51.5
JACQUES W-310	-	60	90	-	6.0	7.0	6-18	56.4
FUNKS 6054W	-	55	80	-	3.0	4.0	6-19	52.5
ZIMMERMAN Z 16 W	-	-	104	-	-	5.0	6-17	53.1
CARGILL 9400W	-	-	94	-	-	7.0	6-18	54.6
SEEDTEC H-2625W	-	-	89	-	-	6.0	6-18	55.4
FUNK'S 6044W	-	-	85	-	-	11.0	6-19	57.4
TEST AVERAGE			96.7					
L.S.D. (.05)			20.7					
C.V. (%)			15.1					

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+YELLOW CORN CHECK HYBRID.

TABLE 11. WHITE CORN HYBRID TEST, SOUTHERN ALABAMA,¹ 1985-87

BRAND NAME-HYBRID	YIELD PER ACRE, AV.			LODGED STALKS, AV.			1987		
	3-YR. 1985-87	2-YR. 1986-87	1987	3-YR. 1985-87	2-YR. 1986-87	1987	MIDSILK	TEST	
	BU.	BU.	BU.	PCI.	PCI.	PCI.	MD./DA.	WEIGHT LB./BU.	
ZIMMERMAN Z 14 W	128	116	133	3.0	4.0	1.0	6-13	56.6	
ZIMMERMAN Z 60 W	124	113	122	3.3	3.5	2.0	6-10	55.0	
DEKALB DK 77W	123	117	131	3.0	3.0	1.0	6-18	56.0	
COKER 833 W	118	112	124	1.3	1.5	2.0	6-11	55.8	
FFR 929W	111	100	130	3.3	4.0	4.0	6-9	57.0	
ASGROW/O'S GOLD RX 405W	106	96	133	5.7	7.5	3.0	6-18	57.8	
FUNKS G-4779W	102	90	116	4.3	5.5	2.0	6-11	55.7	
ZIMMERMAN Z 11 W	97	93	113	5.0	7.0	5.0	6-13	57.1	
ZIMMERMAN Z 54 W	-	123	154	-	3.0	4.0	6-13	55.0	
PIONEER 3165 +	-	119	151	-	1.0	1.0	6-18	56.3	
PIONEER 3144W	-	119	144	-	3.5	0	6-9	56.7	
JACQUES W-210	-	106	126	-	7.0	5.0	6-11	57.6	
FUNKS 6054W	-	105	127	-	3.0	0	6-10	56.3	
JACQUES W-310	-	101	116	-	3.5	1.0	6-11	57.9	
AGRATECH 921W	-	97	113	-	3.5	3.0	6-11	56.2	
ZIMMERMAN Z 16 W	-	-	145	-	-	1.0	6-9	56.8	
CARGILL 9400W	-	-	130	-	-	1.0	6-14	58.2	
FUNK'S 6044W	-	-	128	-	-	2.0	6-11	58.4	
SEEDTEC H-2625W	-	-	121	-	-	2.0	6-11	58.9	
TEST AVERAGE				129.1					
L.S.D. (.05)				18.2					
C.V. (%)				10.0					

¹HEADLAND.

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+YELLOW CORN CHECK HYBRID.

TABLE 12. EARLY CORN HYBRID TEST. NORTHERN ALABAMA,¹ 1985-87

BRAND NAME-HYBRID	YIELD PER ACRE, AV.			LODGED STALKS, AV.			1987	
	3-YR. 1985-87	2-YR. 1986-87	1987	3-YR. 1985-87	2-YR. 1986-87	1987	MIDSILK	TEST WEIGHT
ZIMMERMAN Z 27 Y	146	131	149	9.0	11.0	1.0	6-20	56.6
FUNKS G-4614	141	130	150	5.7	6.0	0	6-17	57.8
COKER 8601	140	130	150	5.3	7.0	2.0	6-18	55.7
ASGROW/O'S GOLD 2570	137	132	161	6.3	7.5	1.0	6-16	56.7
MCCURDY 7372	137	132	157	6.7	6.5	0	6-16	58.1
SEEDTEC H-2601	137	138	161	4.3	3.5	1.0	6-17	55.5
FFR 747	136	127	147	3.0	3.0	0	6-18	58.2
AGRATECH GK 750	135	126	151	2.3	2.0	0	6-17	58.5
JACQUES 7900	134	128	150	8.7	10.5	0	6-16	56.8
NORTHRUP KING PX 79	132	119	147	2.7	3.0	0	6-15	54.2
FUNKS G-4522	131	124	145	5.7	6.5	1.0	6-19	56.0
ASGROW/O'S GOLD RX 777	131	119	145	3.0	2.5	1.0	6-16	57.9
COKER 8575	130	126	147	3.0	3.0	1.0	6-17	55.8
JACQUES 7820	127	122	145	2.7	2.0	1.0	6-16	57.4
FUNK'S RING AROUND 1404	126	124	143	2.3	2.0	1.0	6-18	56.3
MCCURDY 7800	-	127	146	-	5.5	0	6-19	56.0
DEKALB DK 656	-	125	150	-	4.0	1.0	6-16	57.1
STAUFFER S 7751	-	124	147	-	2.5	0	6-17	57.8
SEEDTEC 7625	-	123	148	-	4.5	1.0	6-18	58.9
SUNBELT 5613	-	-	162	-	-	3.0	6-16	56.0
SUNBELT 1827	-	-	161	-	-	1.0	6-19	56.4
MCCURDY 7676	-	-	155	-	-	2.0	6-15	56.2
SUNBELT 6225	-	-	152	-	-	2.0	6-18	54.7
CARGILL 971	-	-	152	-	-	1.0	6-17	55.9
FUNK'S G-4543	-	-	150	-	-	1.0	6-16	58.9
ASGROW/O'S GOLD RX 860	-	-	148	-	-	1.0	6-15	57.6
SUNBELT 1802	-	-	148	-	-	1.0	6-16	56.1
GARST 8344	-	-	147	-	-	0	6-19	58.6
CARGILL SX 352	-	-	142	-	-	0	6-19	57.0
SEEDTEC ST-7680	-	-	140	-	-	0	6-17	57.9
DEKALB DK 636	-	-	139	-	-	0	6-18	58.1
CARGILL 973	-	-	139	-	-	3.0	6-16	56.6
FFR 767	-	-	135	-	-	3.0	6-15	57.0
TEST AVERAGE				148.9				
L.S.D. (.05)				15.8				
C.V. (%)				7.6				

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TABLE 12. EARLY CORN HYBRID TEST: CENTRAL ALABAMA¹, 1985-87

BRAND NAME-HYBRID	YIELD PER ACRE, AV.			LODGED STALKS, AV.			1987	
	3-YR. 1985-87	2-YR. 1986-87	1987	3-YR. 1985-87	2-YR. 1986-87	1987	MIDSILK	TEST
	BU.	BU.	BU.	PCI.	PCI.	PCI.	MO./DA.	LB./BU.
COKER 8601	103	72	117	3.3	4.5	4.0	6-14	57.7
MCCURDY 7372	103	71	106	8.3	12.0	19.0	6-12	57.8
FUNKS G-4614	102	68	102	5.0	7.5	14.0	6-14	60.5
ZIMMERMAN Z 27 Y	102	71	109	3.0	4.0	6.0	6-16	58.7
ASGROW/O'S GOLD 2570	99	82	122	4.7	7.0	11.0	6-13	58.6
FUNK'S RING AROUND 1404	96	69	111	3.3	5.0	7.0	6-13	56.7
FFR 747	93	71	110	5.3	8.0	10.0	6-12	59.6
COKER 8575	93	67	108	6.0	9.0	16.0	6-13	57.0
JACQUES 7820	93	73	115	5.7	8.5	15.0	6-12	59.9
SEEDTEC H-2601	92	71	108	8.3	12.0	23.0	6-14	55.5
AGRATECH GK 750	92	72	112	4.7	7.0	8.0	6-13	60.0
ASGROW/O'S GOLD RX 777	89	63	98	5.7	8.5	14.0	6-12	60.4
JACQUES 7900	88	69	113	5.7	8.5	15.0	6-12	57.5
NORTHRUP KING PX 79	83	53	80	5.0	7.0	10.0	6-16	56.6
STAUFFER S 7751	-	72	115	-	8.5	14.0	6-12	59.5
MCCURDY 7800	-	72	110	-	11.0	17.0	6-15	60.7
DEKALB DK 656	-	68	101	-	4.0	7.0	6-13	58.1
SEEDTEC 7625	-	66	99	-	7.5	12.0	6-14	60.4
SUNBELT 5613	-	-	128	-	-	8.0	6-12	58.5
SUNBELT 1802	-	-	126	-	-	13.0	6-13	59.5
ASGROW/O'S GOLD RX 860	-	-	119	-	-	7.0	6-12	60.6
SUNBELT 6225	-	-	119	-	-	8.0	6-16	58.5
SUNBELT 1827	-	-	117	-	-	13.0	6-15	58.8
DEKALB DK 636	-	-	109	-	-	18.0	6-14	59.3
GARST 8344	-	-	108	-	-	13.0	6-12	59.8
CARGILL 971	-	-	104	-	-	22.0	6-15	56.7
FUNK'S G-4543	-	-	103	-	-	8.0	6-13	60.1
SEEDTEC ST-7680	-	-	103	-	-	5.0	6-13	59.0
MCCURDY 7676	-	-	102	-	-	18.0	6-14	59.0
CARGILL 973	-	-	100	-	-	2.0	6-14	58.0
CARGILL SX 352	-	-	92	-	-	22.0	6-13	57.1
FFR 767	-	-	87	-	-	22.0	6-12	57.6
TEST AVERAGE			107.8					
L.S.D. (.05)			20.9					
C.V. (%)			13.8					

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TABLE 14. EARLY CORN HYBRID TEST. SOUTHERN ALABAMA,¹ 1985-87

BRAND NAME-HYBRID	YIELD PER ACRE, AV.			LODGED STALKS, AV.			1987	
	3-YR. 1985-87	2-YR. 1986-87	1987	3-YR. 1985-87	2-YR. 1986-87	1987	MIDSILK	TEST
	BU.	BU.	BU.	PCI.	PCI.	PCI.	MO./DA.	LB./BU.
ZIMMERMAN Z 27 Y	129	125	105	0.3	0.5	0	5-29	52.4
SEEDTEC H-2601	128	126	113	0	0	0	5-26	49.3
COKER 8575	126	128	98	0	0	0	5-27	50.1
FUNKS G-4522	125	131	109	0.3	0.5	0	5-28	50.5
COKER 8601	123	120	108	0	0	0	5-27	50.3
JACQUES 7820	122	119	104	0	0	0	5-26	54.1
MCCURDY 7372	122	119	105	0	0	0	5-25	52.6
ASGROW/O'S GOLD RX 777	121	120	106	0.3	0.5	0	5-26	55.0
FFR 747	121	117	105	0	0	0	5-26	53.5
AGRATECH GK 750	119	121	113	0	0	0	5-25	52.9
ASGROW/O'S GOLD 2570	119	115	102	2.3	3.5	0	5-27	50.4
FUNK'S RING AROUND 1404	116	117	96	0	0	0	5-26	49.4
JACQUES 7900	116	113	99	0.3	0.5	0	5-25	49.7
FUNKS G-4614	112	111	105	0	0	0	5-29	54.4
MCCURDY 7800	-	127	106	-	0.5	0	5-28	53.1
STAUFFER S 7751	-	125	113	-	0.5	0	5-26	53.4
NORTHRUP KING PX 79	-	118	106	-	0	0	5-27	53.1
DEKALB DK 656	-	117	93	-	0	0	5-25	49.5
SEEDTEC 7625	-	114	106	-	0	0	5-27	51.9
GARST 8344	-	-	115	-	-	0	5-26	53.7
SUNBELT 5613	-	-	112	-	-	0	5-25	51.6
SUNBELT 6225	-	-	112	-	-	0	5-30	51.2
SEEDTEC ST-7680	-	-	109	-	-	0	5-25	53.0
FUNK'S G-4543	-	-	108	-	-	0	5-25	52.7
CARGILL 971	-	-	107	-	-	0	5-27	49.8
SUNBELT 1827	-	-	105	-	-	0	5-29	52.5
SUNBELT 1802	-	-	104	-	-	0	5-26	51.6
CARGILL 973	-	-	100	-	-	0	5-26	50.2
DEKALB DK 636	-	-	99	-	-	0	5-25	52.4
ASGROW/O'S GOLD RX 860	-	-	99	-	-	0	5-25	54.8
MCCURDY 7676	-	-	99	-	-	0	5-29	51.0
CARGILL SX 352	-	-	95	-	-	0	5-26	53.5
FFR 767	-	-	88	-	-	0	5-25	51.6
TEST AVERAGE			104.3					
L.S.D. (.05)			16.4					
C.V. (%)			11.2					

¹ FAIRHOPE.

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TABLE 15. CHARACTERISTICS OF CORN HYBRIDS TESTED ONE YEAR AT CROSSVILLE
IN NORTHERN ALABAMA, 1987

BRAND NAME-HYBRID	AV. YIELD PER ACRE	LODGED STALKS	MIDSILK	TEST
				WEIGHT
				LB./BU.
DELTAPINE X6650	160	0	6-18	58.2
COKER 8696	158	0	6-24	56.0
CARGILL 7993	155	0	6-18	57.9
COKER 3020	155	1.0	6-19	55.9
DELTAPINE X4151	155	0	6-20	58.4
MCCURDY 85-60	154	1.0	6-21	56.3
FUNK'S EXCEL 6064E	154	0	6-19	58.0
ZIMMERMAN Z 27 Y	153	0	6-26	56.5
AGRATECH 888	153	1.0	6-21	57.4
CARGILL 8717	152	0	6-21	55.8
FFR 31288 EXP	151	1.0	6-21	58.0
JACQUES 8250	151	1.0	6-24	57.0
CRIST C-7118V	151	1.0	6-25	56.3
GARST 9180	151	1.0	6-22	56.7
CRIST C-7115	151	1.0	6-18	57.2
GARST N4116	151	1.0	6-25	56.8
JACQUES 8210	149	0	6-18	56.3
CRIST C-6122	148	1.0	6-23	57.6
ZIMMERMAN Z 38	147	1.0	6-18	57.7
FUNK'S G-4743	146	0	6-25	59.2
JACQUES 8350	146	1.0	6-18	56.0
STAUFFER S 7686	146	0	6-19	58.0
PIONEER 3358	146	0	6-21	56.4
PIONEER 3295	146	1.0	6-25	55.4
PIONEER 3110	145	0	6-25	58.5
DEKALB DK 689	145	0	6-25	54.9
TR 3303	145	0	6-19	55.9
ASGROW/O'S GOLD RX905	145	3.0	6-27	56.5
DELTAPINE X7345	144	1.0	6-25	56.2
SEEDTEC H-2695A	143	1.0	6-25	56.2
STAUFFER S 8645	143	1.0	6-25	57.3
FUNK'S EXCEL 6080E	143	1.0	6-22	56.9
PIONEER 3165	141	1.0	6-26	57.2
JACQUES EXP 7125V	140	0	6-19	57.3
FFR 810	139	1.0	6-20	58.6
DELTAPINE X8751	139	1.0	6-20	56.5
FFR 848	137	0	6-26	55.0
CARGILL 8967	137	1.0	6-21	57.3
GARST R4350	137	2.0	6-24	57.7
MCCURDY 7700	136	0	6-22	57.2
SUNBELT 7201	136	0	6-26	55.6
FUNKS G-4734	133	2.0	6-25	56.8
COKER 8690	132	0	6-21	55.2
DELTAPINE X9986	131	0	6-27	57.5
FUNKS G-4765	129	1.0	6-24	56.4
SUNBELT 7401	129	0	6-28	51.2
CX 6801	128	1.0	6-27	57.5
SUNBELT 1860	123	1.0	6-26	54.9
COKER 778	106	2.0	6-30	55.0
TEST AVERAGE	143.5			
L.S.D. (.05)	16.3			
C.V. (%)	6.3			

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TABLE 16. CHARACTERISTICS OF CORN HYBRIDS TESTED ONE YEAR AT TALLASSEE
IN CENTRAL ALABAMA, 1987

BRAND NAME-HYBRID	AV. YIELD PER ACRE	LODGED STALKS	MIDSILK	TEST
				WEIGHT
	BU.	PCT.	MO.-DA.	LB./BU.
N.K. MCNAIR 508	183	2.0	6-19	58.4
PIONEER 3110	168	0	6-12	61.0
CX 6801	163	4.0	6-14	59.1
SUNBELT 1860	162	1.0	6-16	58.6
DELTAPINE X9686	162	1.0	6-14	58.8
JACQUES 8210	159	0	6-11	60.5
CARGILL 9427	157	2.0	6-13	57.5
FUNKS G-4868	157	0	6-14	55.4
SUNBELT 7201	156	1.0	6-11	60.1
PIONEER 3320	155	0	6-13	59.0
DELTAPINE X9986	153	0	6-15	59.1
ASGROW/O'S GOLD RX905	153	1.0	6-11	58.9
SUNBELT 7401	153	3.0	6-15	56.8
GARST 8180	152	2.0	6-13	59.1
PIONEER 3295	151	1.0	6-12	57.9
COKER 8690	148	2.0	6-12	55.6
CRIST C-6122	148	2.0	6-13	60.0
FUNK'S G-4743	147	1.0	6-12	60.6
GARST N4116	145	0	6-13	60.5
CX 5059	144	0	6-13	59.1
DELTAPINE X4670	143	3.0	6-11	58.4
DELTAPINE X8751	142	2.0	6-12	59.0
COKER 77B	141	6.0	6-17	57.6
AGRATECH GK 850	140	2.0	6-14	58.5
CRIST C-7125	140	1.0	6-12	58.8
FUNKS G-4734	139	1.0	6-10	60.0
GARST R4350	137	0	6-12	59.9
DELTAPINE X6650	137	0	6-11	60.3
STAUFFER S 8645	137	0	6-14	60.0
SEEDTEC H-2695A	136	2.0	6-14	58.0
AGRATECH 888	136	1.0	6-12	60.0
ZIMMERMAN Z 38	136	0	6-12	60.3
FFR 31288 EXP	136	1.0	6-13	59.8
JACQUES 8250	135	3.0	6-12	59.1
PIONEER 3358	134	1.0	6-11	59.2
TR 3303	133	1.0	6-11	58.8
ZIMMERMAN Z 45	133	1.0	6-10	60.1
STAUFFER S 7686	133	1.0	6-13	59.9
COKER 3020	130	5.0	6-10	58.2
JACQUES 8350	129	4.0	6-11	58.1
CRIST C-7115	128	0	6-11	59.6
FFR 810	127	1.0	6-13	60.2
CARGILL 8967	126	0	6-11	58.3
COKER 8625	123	0	6-12	60.7
FUNK'S EXCEL 6064E	123	1.0	6-12	60.4
DELTAPINE X4151	119	0	6-9	60.7
MCCURDY 7700	116	0	6-13	60.3
NORTHROP KING PX 9540	114	3.0	6-13	59.9
FFR 848	113	6.0	6-12	58.7
TEST AVERAGE	141.4			
L.S.D. (.05)	16.3			
C.V. (%)	8.8			

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TABLE 17. CHARACTERISTICS OF CORN HYBRIDS TESTED ONE YEAR AT FAIRHOPE
IN SOUTHERN ALABAMA, 1987

BRAND NAME-HYBRID	AV. YIELD PER ACRE	LODGED STALKS	MIDSILK	TEST
				BU. PC% MO.-DA LBS./BU.
CX 6801	170	4.0	6-4	56.0
SUNBELT 7401	159	0	6-6	52.9
DELTAPINE X7345	154	0	5-31	54.8
SUNBELT 1876	149	4.0	6-8	54.0
STAUFFER S 8645	148	0	6-1	-
DELTAPINE X9686	147	0	6-2	56.4
PIONEER 3165	145	0	6-4	53.5
ASGROW/O'S GOLD RX905	145	0	5-31	56.4
CARGILL SX 379	144	1.0	6-2	56.0
N.K. MCNAIR 508	144	0	6-8	53.7
GARST N4116	143	0	6-3	56.3
GARST R4350	142	0	6-1	55.8
FFR 810	138	0	5-29	55.4
CARGILL 8967	135	0	6-1	54.4
CARGILL 8717	135	0	5-31	53.9
MCCURDY 85-60	135	2.0	6-2	54.8
FUNKS G-4614	134	0	6-3	57.5
JACQUES 8210	132	1.0	5-29	57.4
FFR 31288 EXP	132	0	5-31	56.2
DELTAPINE X4670	130	0	5-30	54.6
MCCURDY 8170	130	0	6-3	56.4
FUNKS G-4868	129	0	6-6	54.6
DELTAPINE X8751	129	1.0	5-31	56.1
CRIST C-6122	128	1.0	6-2	55.9
CRIST C-7115	128	0	5-29	55.6
FUNK'S EXCEL 6080E	128	0	6-2	55.7
GARST 8180	128	0	6-1	56.0
CARGILL 980	127	0	6-2	56.8
CX 5059	126	0	6-1	55.5
AGRATECH 888	126	0	6-2	56.8
STAUFFER S 7686	125	0	5-29	54.9
SUNBELT 7201	125	4.0	6-2	54.6
CRIST C-7119	125	0	5-29	55.8
SEEDTEC H-2695A	125	1.0	6-4	53.7
ZIMMERMAN Z 38	123	0	5-30	55.8
DELTAPINE X6650	123	0	5-29	56.5
FUNK'S G-4743	122	1.0	6-3	57.8
ZIMMERMAN Z 45	121	0	5-30	55.8
DELTAPINE X4151	120	0	5-30	56.7
COKER 8690	119	0	5-30	51.6
JACQUES 8350	118	0	5-30	57.0
CRIST C-7118V	116	0	6-3	54.5
PIONEER 3358	114	0	5-30	53.4
FFR 955	114	1.0	6-6	54.5
FFR 848	112	1.0	6-4	56.4
JACQUES EXP 7125V	112	0	5-31	-
COKER 8696	106	0	6-2	55.3
PIONEER 3295	106	0	5-31	53.8
MCCURDY 84-63	102	0	5-31	55.7
TEST AVERAGE	129.8			
L.S.D. (.05)	16.3			
C.V. (%)	12.2			

SOURCES OF 1987 CORN HYBRID TEST SEED

<u>Seed Company</u>	<u>Brand</u>	<u>Seed Company</u>	<u>Brand</u>
AgraTech Seeds, Inc. P.O. Box 644 Ashburn, GA 31714	GK	Garst Seed Company Rt. 3 Box 93 Bowling Green, MD 63334	Garst
Alabama Farmers Cooperative, Inc. P.O. Box 2227 Decatur, AL 35602	FFR	Jacques Seed Co. Prescott, WI 54021	Jacques
Asgrow Seed Co. 7000 Portage Rd. Kalamazoo, MI 49001	Asgrow/ O's Gold	McCurdy Seed Co. Fremont, IA 52561	McCurdy
Cargill Seed Division Box 5645 Minneapolis, MN 55440	Cargill	Northrup King Co. P.O. Drawer 889 Laurinburg, NC 38352	Northrup King McNair
Coker's Pedigreed Seed Co. P.O. Box 2629 West Memphis, AR 72301	Coker CX	Pioneer Hi-Bred Int. 1000 W. Jefferson St. Tipton, IN 46072	Pioneer
Crist Seed Outlets, Inc. Box 1107 Lynn Haven, FL 32444	Crist	Seed Processors, Inc. Rt. 4 Box 90 Wetumpka, AL 36092	Sunbelt
DeKalb-Pfizer Genetics 3100 Sycamore Road DeKalb, IL 60115	DeKalb	SeedTec International, Inc. Eldred, IL 62027	SeedTec
Delta and Pine Land Co. Scott, MS 38772	Deltapine	Stauffer Seeds, Inc. Box 377 Lone Tree, IA 52755	Stauffer
Funk Seeds International P.O. Box 2911 Bloomington, IL 61702	Funk's G Ring Around	Summit Seed Co. P.O. Box 10121 Lubbock, TX 79408	TR
		Zimmerman Hybrids, Inc. 5147 W. Franklin Rd. Evansville, IN 47712	Zimmerman

ACCEPTABLE HYBRIDS FOR 1988

All of the acceptable hybrids are not equal in performance. It is suggested that this report be carefully studied before choosing a hybrid. For relative maturity information, use the days to midsilk data in preceding tables. Unless otherwise noted, all acceptable hybrids have been tested at least 3 years in the regular variety tests and are listed in descending order of 3-year average yield.

NORTHERN ALABAMA

Yellow hybrids		White hybrids		Early hybrids	
Brand name	Hybrid	Brand name	Hybrid	Brand Name	Hybrid
Pioneer	3165	Zimmerman	Z 60 W	Zimmerman	Z 27 Y
McCurdy	8172	Zimmerman	Z 14 W	Sunbelt	1827
Zimmerman	Z 27 Y	Coker	833W	Funk's	G-4614
Pioneer	3320	FFR	929W	Coker	8601
Pioneer	3147	Asgrow/O's Gold	RX 405W	Asgrow/O's Gold	2570
Pioneer	3187	*Zimmerman	Z 11 W	McCurdy	7372
Northrup King	PX 95	*Funk's	G-4779W	SeedTec	H-2601
Asgrow/O's Gold	2570	**Zimmerman	Z 54 W	FFR	747
Jacques	8400	**Pioneer	3144W	AgraTech	GK 750
AgraTech	GK 850	**Jacques	W-210	Jacques	7900
*Funk's	G-4733	**AgraTech	921W	*Northrup King	PX 79
*Cargill	8990			*Funk's	G-4522
*Funk's	G-4522			*Asgrow/O's Gold	RX 777
*McCurdy	8150				
*Funk's	RA 1502				
*Northrup King	PX 9581				
*Asgrow/O's Gold	5509				
*McCurdy	84AA				
*Coker	21				
**DeKalb	DK 689				
**DeKalb	DK 789				

*If present trends continue, this hybrid will be removed from the acceptable list next year in the category indicated.

**Recommended based on exceptional 2-year average.

ACCEPTABLE HYBRIDS FOR 1988 (continued)
SOUTHERN ALABAMA

Yellow hybrid		White hybrid		Early Hybrid	
Brand name	Hybrid	Brand name	Hybrid	Brand name	Hybrid
Pioneer	3165	Zimmerman	Z 14 W	Zimmerman	Z 27 Y
McCurdy	8172	Zimmerman	Z 60 W	SeedTec	H-2601
McCurdy	8150	DeKalb	DK 77W	Sunbelt	1827
Pioneer	3320	Coker	833W	Sunbelt	1802
Sunbelt	1827	*FFR	929W	Coker	8575
Pioneer	3147	*Asgrow/O's Gold	RX 405W	Funk's	G-4522
Asgrow/O's Gold	5509	*Funk's	G-4779W	Coker	8601
Coker	21	*Zimmerman	Z 11 W	Jacques	7820
Asgrow/O's Gold	2570	**Zimmerman	Z 54 W	McCurdy	7372
Funk's	G-4614	**Pioneer	3144 W	Asgrow/O's Gold	RX 777
Funk's	G-4733			FFR	747
Jacques	8400			*AgraTech	GK 750
*Pioneer	3187			*Asgrow/O's Gold	2570
				*Funk's	RA 1404
				*Jacques	7900
				*Funk's	G-4614
				**McCurdy	7800
				**Stauffer	S 7751

*If present trends continue, this hybrid will be removed from the acceptable list next year in the category indicated.

**Recommended based on exceptional 2-year average.

ACCEPTABLE HYBRIDS FOR 1988 (continued)
CENTRAL ALABAMA

Yellow hybrids		White hybrids		Early hybrids		Black Belt	
Brand name	Hybrid	Brand name	Hybrid	Brand name	Hybrid	Brand name	Hybrid
Pioneer	3165	Zimmerman	Z 14 W	Coker	8601	Sunbelt	1860
Pioneer	3320	Asgrow/O's Gold	RX 405W	McCurdy	7372	Pioneer	3147
Sunbelt	1876	Zimmerman	Z 60 W	Funk's	G-4614	Funk's	G-4858
Zimmerman	Z 27 Y	Coker	833 W	Zimmerman	Z 27 Y	Asgrow/O's Gold	5509
McCurdy	8172	DeKalb	DK 77W	Asgrow/O's Gold	2570	McCurdy	84AA
Jacques	8400	*Funk's	G-4779W	Funk's	RA 1404	FFR	955
Pioneer	3147	*FFR	929W	*Coker	8575	Jacques	8400
Asgrow/O's Gold	2570	**Pioneer	3144W	*AgraTech	GK 750	Northrup King	PX 95
McCurdy	8150	**AgraTech	921W	*Asgrow/O's Gold	RX 777	**Zimmerman	Z 27 Y
Sunbelt	1827			*Northrup King	PX 79	**DeKalb	DK 789
*Asgrow/O's Gold	5509					**DeKalb	DK 689
*Northrup King	PX 9581						
**DeKalb	DK 689						
**DeKalb	DK 789						
**Sunbelt	1882						

*If present trends continue, this hybrid will be removed from the acceptable list next year in the category indicated.

**Recommended based on exceptional 2-year average.

Black Belt recommended list is based on prior data and is the same as for 1987.

