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92/R/CS/302

EYESPOT RESISTANCE TO MBC

Object: To study the development of resistance to MBC fungicides in eyespot and the ability of resistant strains to survive, spread and infect - Meadow.

Sponsor: G.L. Bateman.

The eighth year, w. wheat.

For previous years see 85-91/R/CS/302.

Design: 2 randomised blocks of 4 plots split into 6.

Whole plot dimensions: 12.0 x 24.0.

Treatments: All combinations of:-

Whole plots

FUNGCIDE Fungicides applied cumulatively 1985-92:

NONE None

CARB Carbendazim at 0.25 kg
PRO Prochloraz at 0.40 kg

CARB+PRO Carbendazim at 0.25 kg + prochloraz at 0.40 kg

Sub plots

Eyespot inoculum, applied in first year only:

NATURAL Natural background population (duplicated)

W 19R 1S Inoculated with wheat strains in proportion 19 resistant

to one sensitive

W 1R 19S As above but one resistant to 19 sensitive

R 19R 1S Inoculated with rye strains, 19 resistant to one

sensitive

R 1R 19S As above but one resistant to 19 sensitive

NOTE: The eyespot inoculum was colonised on oat seed and this was broadcast in October, 1984.

Experimental diary:

28-Aug-91 : B : Straw chopped.

03-Sep-91 : B : PK as(0:16:36) at 1040 kg.

06-Sep-91 : B : Dolomite at 5.0 t.

24-Sep-91 : B : Ploughed, furrow pressed.

26-Sep-91 : B : Rotary harrowed. Mercia drilled at 160 kg, rolled.

16-Nov-91 : B : Pinnacle at 5.0 1 in 200 1.

21-Nov-91 : T : FUNGCIDE CARB: Bavistin FL at 0.50 1 in 200 1. : T : FUNGCIDE PRO: Sportak 45 at 0.90 1 in 200 1.

: T : FUNGCIDE CARB+PRO: Bavistin FL at 0.50 1 in 200 1 and Sportak 45 at 0.90 1 in 200 1, applied separately.

27-Feb-92 : B : 34.5% N at 120 kg.

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Experimental diary:

06-Apr-92 : B : 34.5% N at 460 kg.

20-Apr-92 : B : Harmony M at 0.06 kg and Starane 2 at 0.75 1 in 200 1.

05-May-92 : T : FUNGCIDE CARB: Bavistin FL at 0.50 1 in 200 1.

: T : FUNGCIDE PRO: Sportak 45 at 0.90 1 in 200 1.

: T : FUNGCIDE CARB+PRO: Bavistin FL at 0.50 1 in 200 1 and Sportak 45 at 0.90 1 in 200 1, applied separately.

29-Jul-92 : B : Combine harvested.

NOTE: Eyespot and sharp eyespot were assessed on plants sampled in early July on the EYE INOC NATURAL plots. Isolates of the eyespot fungus were identified by type (W and R) and assessed for resistance to carbendazim and prochloraz.

GRAIN TONNES/HECTARE

***** Tables of means *****

EYE INOC	NATURAL	W 19R 1S	W 1R 19S	R 19R 1S	R 1R 19S	Mean
FUNGCIDE						
NONE	5.86	5.91	5.91	6.18	5.45	5.86
CARB	5.52	5.91	5.63	5.38	5.64	5.60
PRO	6.02	5.98	5.96	5.93	6.59	6.09
CARB+PRO	7.16	6.99	6.81	6.83	6.79	6.95
Mean	6.14	6.20	6.08	6.08	6.12	6.13

*** Standard errors of differences of means ***

EYE INOC

max-min NATURAL v any of the remainder min.rep any of the remainder

* Within the same level of FUNGCIDE only

***** Stratum standard errors and coefficients of variation *****

Stratum	d.f.	s.e.	cv*
BLOCK.WP	3	0.412	6.7
BLOCK.WP.SP	24	0.335	5.5

GRAIN MEAN DM% 88.8

SUB PLOT AREA HARVESTED 0.00138