

BYRD

CHARACTERISTICS HARD RED WINTER

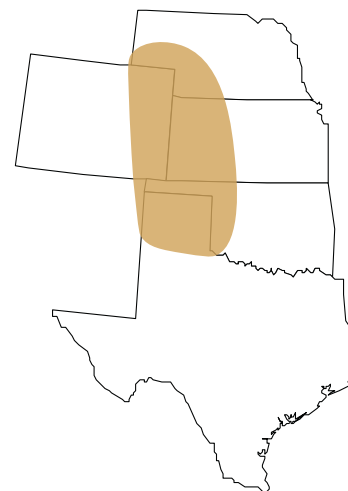
MATURITY	Medium-Early
HEIGHT	Medium
YIELD	Very High
DROUGHT TOLERANCE	Excellent
MILLING QUALITY	Very Good
BAKING QUALITY	Very Good
STRAW STRENGTH	Fair
TEST WEIGHT	Good
PROTEIN	Good
COLEOPTILE LENGTH	Medium-Long
PEDIGREE	TAM 112/CO970547-7

Variety Protection Status

PVP Unauthorized Propagation Prohibited - to Be Sold by Variety name Only As a Class of Certified Seed - U.S. Protected Variety - 1994 PVPA



AREA OF ADAPTATION



FEATURES & BENEFITS

Released in 2011, Byrd is still the most widely planted variety in Colorado. Byrd is among the yield leaders, showing consistent performance

under both drought stress and high moisture conditions. Byrd has good test weight, with very good end-use quality. Byrd established the use of the wheat curl mite resistance gene in the PlainsGold lineup, providing effective resistance to viral infections, including WSMV. PVP Protected; to be sold by variety name only as a class of certified seed.

PEST & DISEASE PROFILE

	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	
WHEAT STREAK MOSAIC	[Green bar covering 10-2]										
STRIPE RUST	[Green bar covering 10-5]										
LEAF RUST	[Green bar covering 10-6]										
SOILBORNE MOSAIC	[Green bar covering 10-2]										

Rating Scale: Excellent (1-2) Very Good (3-4) Good (5-6) Fair (7-8) Poor (9-10)



Management

- Excellent for drought conditions
- Very good for Wheat Streak situations
- Foliar fungicide advised under higher moisture conditions
- Use growth regulator in yield environments > 80 bushels