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INTRODUCTION

This Research Report is a summary of the research programs conducted by SMSC Agricultural Department for growers in the SMSC sugarbeet growing area. The coded variety trials were conducted by the American Crystal Sugar Research Center in cooperation with SMSC.

As margins between profit and loss become smaller, the sugarbeet grower must exercise his production options timely and wisely. The objectives of the research reported in this booklet were intended to increase the overall information on various production inputs so that growers may maximize root yields and still maintain a high level of beet quality.

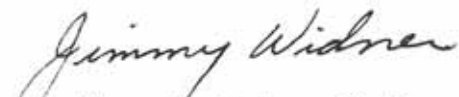
The average slice per day at SMSC has increased significantly over the past five years. The Cooperative has also experienced a general increase in percent sucrose during this period. Record highs for root yield and percent sugar were established on the 1985 crop (21.7 tons per acre and 16.2% sugar).

There are several advantages for the Cooperative to have a campaign length of 150-170 days or 1,200,000 - 1,375,000 harvested net tons. In order to achieve maximum extraction and minimize losses during storage on this length of campaign, several factors of production must be accomplished in the field:

1. Proper balance of all plant nutrients.
2. Regulation of available nitrates late in the growing season.
3. Develop high levels of beet quality in early September.
4. Maintain optimum level of beet population at harvest.
5. Effective disease control.

6. Proper selection of varieties.
7. Exercise care during harvest in order to deliver clean, unfrozen beets for storage.

The observations and conclusions reported herein are to supplement prior information discussed in the annual Sugarbeet Research and Extension Reports, Sugarbeet Production Guides and technical bulletins. The recommendations provide an average starting point and may need to be adjusted for individual situations. The authors do not make any guarantees or offer any warranties, either stated or implied, on data summarized in this report. Mention of chemicals or equipment are not endorsements to the exclusion of other similar products.


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1. Variety Evaluations. A total of 18 varieties are available to SMSC for use in 1987. In addition, two special varieties are approved for use in areas with high root rot potential. One variety was approved for test market because of the relatively high recoverable sugar per acre and per ton based on data from 1985 and 1986.
2. Date of Harvest. A summary of data from 1985 and 1986 indicate that there are differences among the 10 varieties tested in ability to accumulate relatively high levels of sugar early in the growing season. Several factors, including variety, must be considered in making comparisons between fields for early harvest.
3. Pelleted Sugarbeet Seed. The data for one year only and two locations indicate that the two seed coatings evaluated on two varieties showed no improvement in emergence or stand establishment over bare seed.
4. Late Season Foliar Nitrogen. Foliar nitrogen applied in early August showed no improvement in root yield. There was no significant decrease in beet quality; however, previous results generally show late applications of nitrogen significantly increase the impurity levels and decrease percent extraction.
5. Root Rot Soil Samples. Sixteen beet fields were sampled at the 6-inch depth to determine possible differences in soil nutrients or pH from areas infected with root rots. There was a general tendency for soil pH levels to be more acidic in areas where root rot occurred.
6. Disease Index Summary. A Cercospora leaf spot model was used to determine relative activity of the spores. Hourly temperature and relative humidity readings were used to calculate infection

potential. Accurate measurement of conditions favorable for leaf spot spore germination and infection will enable growers to apply fungicides when the spores are active.

7. Chlorine Studies. Two sources of chlorine were spring applied to determine possible increased tolerance of sugarbeets to root rots. No apparent benefits could be measured by addition of 50 and 100 lbs. of chlorine.
8. Fungicide Applications Based on Model. Fungicides were applied on a calendar basis and intervals based on the disease model. Leaf spot was not a significant problem in 1986, so no conclusions could be drawn on this test. Further evaluation of the model will continue in 1987.
9. Weather Data for 1986. Rainfall was considerably above average for the entire growing season as measured at five official weather stations. A high of 33 inches was recorded at Willmar between April and November. The lowest temperatures recorded during harvest occurred on October 13 and 14.

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Planned Research for 1987

Many factors affect sugarbeet production and obtaining an optimum yield. Leaf spot, root rot, weeds, insects, nitrogen management, and planting date can greatly affect yield. Research for the 1987 growing season will be geared to address many of the problems associated to the SMSC growing area.

Root rot disease is a major thrust of the program with experiments involving soil moisture, soil fumigation, pH adjustment, herbicide interactions, compaction, sulfur, seed treatments, resistant varieties, and tillage. Weeds continue to be a major problem and various herbicides will be evaluated in 1987. Nitrogen trials will be initiated to evaluate split and foliar applications on yield and quality. Fungicide experiments will be used again to evaluate the *Cercospora* leaf spot model.

VARIETY EVALUATIONS - SOUTHERN MINNESOTA SUGAR COOPERATIVE (SMSC)

For 1987, SMSC has 18 fully approved varieties, two special varieties which offer some resistance to seedling diseases and one test market variety. Relative performance summaries for these varieties are shown in Tables 1 - 3.

Three-year summaries of all varieties tested in SMSC commercial coded trials for 1986 are shown in Table 4. Semi-commercial coded trials are summarized in Table 5. Leaf spot ratings are presented in Tables 6 and 7.

Table 8 gives the list of approved varieties for SMSC since 1980. BJ Monofort is the only variety remaining in 1987 from the 1980 list. Seventeen varieties which were formerly on the approved list are no longer approved for SMSC. Seven new varieties were added to the approved list for the first time in 1987.

Additionally, special varieties are approved for special conditions, i.e., increased tolerance to leaf spot, seedling diseases or root aphids. These special varieties are generally below the minimum standards in recoverable sugar per acre or recoverable sugar per ton and therefore use is limited to small areas within the Cooperative.

VARIETY APPROVAL POLICY

The current policy for the Cooperative for approval of varieties is as follows:

- a. For a variety to remain on the approved list, it must equal or exceed 97% of the 3-year mean of approved varieties for both recoverable sugar per ton and recoverable sugar per acre.

- b. For a new variety to be considered for approval, it must exceed the poorest approved variety for recoverable sugar per acre and recoverable sugar per ton.
- c. Average Cercospora leaf spot rating must be at or lower than 110% of the mean of approved varieties with an average maximum rating not to exceed 5.3 on a 1-9 rating system.
- d. The total amount of all seed that may be issued under the test market status shall not exceed 10% of the total seed usage.

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List of Approved Varieties for 1987

Table 1. Three year performance summary of varieties evaluated at SMSC, 1984-1986.

| Variety | Recov. Sugar/Acre | Recov. Sugar/Ton | Leaf Spot Rating* | Tons/Acre | % Sugar | Seedling Vigor* | Est. Grower Return/Ton |
|----------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|----------------------|-----------|---------|-----------------|---------------------------|
| ACS ACH 164 | 7713 | 303.9 | 4.89 | 25.4 | 16.9 | 1.3 | 36.93 |
| Betaseed 1230 | 7899 | 294.7 | 4.78 | 26.9 | 16.4 | 2.0 | 35.18 |
| 5494 | 7651 | 306.9 | 4.40 | 25.0 | 16.9 | 1.7 | 36.93 |
| 6264 | 7704 | 300.3 | 4.58 | 25.8 | 16.7 | 1.7 | 36.23 |
| BJ Monofort | 7798 | 290.3 | 5.02 | 27.0 | 16.3 | 1.3 | 34.83 |
| 1310 | 7505 | 300.5 | 3.83 | 24.9 | 16.7 | 1.8 | 36.23 |
| Hilleshog 4046 | 7827 | 303.2 | 5.04 | 26.0 | 16.9 | 1.8 | 36.93 |
| 5090 | 7768 | 301.7 | 4.58 | 25.8 | 16.8 | 1.5 | 36.58 |
| 5135 | 8072 | 311.4 | 4.93 | 26.0 | 17.2 | 1.6 | 37.98 |
| KW 1132 | 7775 | 297.4 | 4.82 | 26.3 | 16.5 | 1.6 | 35.53 |
| 3265 | 8068 | 296.1 | 4.86 | 27.3 | 16.4 | 1.5 | 35.18 |
| 3394 | 7829 | 301.5 | 4.88 | 26.1 | 16.8 | 1.5 | 36.58 |
| Maribo Ultramono | 7655 | 301.0 | 4.89 | 25.5 | 16.8 | 1.2 | 36.58 |
| 403 | 7876 | 301.2 | 4.84 | 26.2 | 16.8 | 1.3 | 36.58 |
| Mitsui Monohikari | 7728 | 301.5 | 4.56 | 25.6 | 16.6 | 2.2 | 35.88 |
| Mono Hy M7 | 7603 | 290.7 | 4.68 | 26.3 | 16.3 | 1.4 | 34.83 |
| R103 | 7648 | 303.2 | 4.14 | 25.3 | 16.9 | 1.7 | 36.93 |
| R117 | 7631 | 301.2 | 4.50 | 25.4 | 16.8 | 2.2 | 36.58 |
| <u>Specialty Varieties</u> | | | | | | | |
| ACS ACH 146 | 7371 | 299.3 | 4.39 | 24.7 | 16.7 | 1.7 | 36.23 |
| 176 | 7292 | 308.1 | 4.16 | 23.7 | 17.1 | 1.9 | 37.63 |
| <u>Test Market</u> | | | | | | | |
| Betaseed 3614 | (7663) | (314.8) | (4.77) | (24.4) | (17.1) | (1.3) | (37.63) |

*Lower numbers indicate better resistance to leaf spot and seedling vigor.

() Data for 2 years only.

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Table 2 Percent field emergence corrected for twins, doubles, and triples obtained in lab germination tests.

| <u>Variety</u> | <u>2 Locations 1986</u> | <u>3 Locations 1985</u> | <u>3 Locations 1984</u> | <u>3-year Mean</u> |
|---|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|
| <u>Approved Varieties-1986</u> | | | | |
| ACH 146 | 56.3 | 64.7 | 65.2 | 62.1 |
| 164 | 61.9 | 70.1 | 60.6 | 64.2 |
| Betaseed 1230 | 59.5 | 60.3 | 60.9 | 60.2 |
| 6264 | 62.6 | 65.2 | 55.1 | 61.0 |
| B J Monofort | 71.3 | 72.0 | 61.2 | 68.2 |
| 1310 | 63.8 | 62.8 | - | (63.3) |
| K W 1132 | 63.3 | 61.8 | 59.3 | 61.5 |
| 3394 | 65.0 | 62.0 | 62.4 | 63.1 |
| 3265 | 62.7 | 62.0 | 65.0 | 63.2 |
| Maribo Ultramono | 62.9 | 67.5 | 61.7 | 64.0 |
| 403 | 56.7 | 67.2 | 62.1 | 62.0 |
| Mono Hy M7 | 73.3 | 71.5 | 61.7 | 68.8 |
| MEAN OF APPROVED | 63.3 | 65.6 | 61.4 | 63.5 |
| <u>Candidate Varieties (Tested 3 years)</u> | | | | |
| ACH 176 | 53.3 | 64.3 | | |
| Beta 5494 | 59.5 | - | | |
| Hilleshog 4046 | 65.9 | 63.2 | | |
| 5090 | 66.7 | 70.0 | | |
| 5135 | 67.7 | 66.3 | | |
| Mitsui Monohikari | 73.1 | 70.9 | | |
| Mono Hy R103 | 68.1 | 62.2 | 56.7 | |
| R117 (82TMS4798) | 73.6 | - | | |

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List of Approved Varieties for 1987

Table 3

% of Mean of Approved Varieties

| Variety | Recov Sugar/A | Recov Sugar/T | Leaf Spot Rating* | Tons/ Acre | % Sugar | Seedling Vigor* | Est Grower Return/Ton |
|-------------------|------------------|------------------|----------------------|---------------|------------|--------------------|--------------------------|
| ACH 164 | 99.3 | 101.2 | 104.5 | 97.9 | 101.2 | 80.0 | 101.9 |
| Betaseed 1230 | 101.7 | 98.1 | 102.2 | 103.7 | 98.2 | 122.9 | 97.0 |
| 5494 | 98.5 | 102.2 | 94.0 | 96.4 | 101.2 | 104.4 | 101.9 |
| 6264 | 99.2 | 100.0 | 97.9 | 99.5 | 100.0 | 104.4 | 99.9 |
| BJ Monofort | 100.4 | 96.6 | 107.3 | 104.1 | 97.6 | 80.0 | 96.1 |
| 1310 | 96.7 | 100.0 | 81.9 | 96.0 | 100.0 | 110.6 | 99.9 |
| Hilleshog 4046 | 100.8 | 100.9 | 107.7 | 100.3 | 101.2 | 110.6 | 101.9 |
| 5090 | 100.0 | 100.4 | 97.9 | 99.5 | 100.6 | 92.1 | 100.9 |
| 5135 | 104.0 | 103.7 | 105.4 | 100.3 | 102.9 | 98.3 | 104.8 |
| KW 1132 | 100.1 | 99.0 | 103.0 | 101.4 | 98.8 | 98.3 | 98.0 |
| 3265 | 103.9 | 98.6 | 103.9 | 105.3 | 98.2 | 92.1 | 97.0 |
| 3394 | 100.8 | 100.4 | 104.3 | 100.6 | 100.6 | 92.1 | 100.9 |
| Maribo Ultramono | 98.6 | 100.2 | 104.5 | 98.3 | 100.6 | 73.7 | 100.9 |
| 403 | 101.4 | 100.3 | 103.4 | 101.0 | 100.6 | 80.0 | 100.9 |
| Mitsui Monohikari | 99.5 | 100.4 | 97.5 | 98.7 | 99.4 | 135.1 | 99.0 |
| Mono-Hy M7 | 97.9 | 96.8 | 100.0 | 101.4 | 97.6 | 86.0 | 96.1 |
| R103 | 98.5 | 100.9 | 88.5 | 97.6 | 101.2 | 104.4 | 101.9 |
| R117 | 98.3 | 100.3 | 96.2 | 97.9 | 100.6 | 135.1 | 100.9 |
| MEAN | 7764 | 300.4 | 4.68 | 25.9 | 16.7 | 1.6 | 36.25 |

*Lower numbers indicate better resistance to leaf spot and seedling vigor.

Three Year Performance Summary of 1986 SMSC Commercial Coded Entries
Three Locations

Table 4

| Variety | Recoverable Sugar / Ton | | | | | | Recoverable Sugar / Acre | | | | | | Loss to Molasses | | | | | |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------------------------|------|------|-------|-------|--------|------------------|------|------|-------|-------|--------|
| | 1984 | 1985 | 1986 | 2 Yr | 3 Yr | 3 Yr | 1984 | 1985 | 1986 | 2 Yr | 3 Yr | 3 Yr | 1984 | 1985 | 1986 | 2 Yr | 3 Yr | 3 Yr |
| | | | | Mean | Mean | % Mean | | | | Mean | Mean | % Mean | | | | Mean | Mean | % Mean |
| | | | | 85-86 | 84-86 | 84-86 | | | | 85-86 | 84-86 | 84-86 | | | | 85-86 | 84-86 | 84-86 |
| ACS ACH 146 | 305.9 | 296.7 | 295.2 | 296.0 | 299.3 | 99.4 | 7599 | 8419 | 6094 | 7257 | 7371 | 95.4 | 1.57 | 1.68 | 1.41 | 1.55 | 1.55 | 105.3 |
| ACS ACH 164 | 305.5 | 304.0 | 302.2 | 303.1 | 303.9 | 100.9 | 8091 | 9007 | 6042 | 7525 | 7713 | 99.8 | 1.53 | 1.54 | 1.37 | 1.46 | 1.48 | 100.3 |
| ACS ACH 176 | 308.0 | 306.7 | 309.6 | 308.2 | 308.1 | 102.3 | 7519 | 8734 | 5622 | 7178 | 7292 | 94.3 | 1.49 | 1.56 | 1.31 | 1.44 | 1.45 | 98.5 |
| ACS ACH 178 | | 306.9 | 311.6 | 309.3 | | | | 8823 | 6103 | 7463 | | | | 1.59 | 1.33 | 1.46 | | |
| ACS ACH 180 | | 299.6 | 307.1 | 303.3 | | | | 8711 | 6222 | 7467 | | | | 1.63 | 1.34 | 1.49 | | |
| Beta 1230 | 295.7 | 288.8 | 299.6 | 294.2 | 294.7 | 97.9 | 8255 | 9179 | 6263 | 7721 | 7899 | 102.2 | 1.58 | 1.57 | 1.31 | 1.44 | 1.49 | 100.8 |
| Beta 3614 (614) | | 317.5 | 312.0 | 314.8 | | | | 9248 | 6078 | 7663 | | | | 1.44 | 1.24 | 1.34 | | |
| Beta 5494 (594) | 306.4 | 303.5 | 311.0 | 307.2 | 306.9 | 101.9 | 8158 | 8714 | 6082 | 7398 | 7651 | 99.0 | 1.43 | 1.51 | 1.23 | 1.37 | 1.39 | 94.3 |
| Beta 6264 | 299.7 | 296.9 | 304.4 | 300.7 | 300.3 | 99.7 | 8087 | 8796 | 6228 | 7512 | 7704 | 99.7 | 1.50 | 1.55 | 1.29 | 1.42 | 1.45 | 98.1 |
| Beta 6625 (625) | | 320.7 | 321.3 | 321.0 | | | | 8410 | 6264 | 7337 | | | | 1.46 | 1.24 | 1.35 | | |
| Bush Johnson 1310 | 301.7 | 307.9 | 291.8 | 299.9 | 300.5 | 99.8 | 7658 | 8613 | 6244 | 7429 | 7505 | 97.1 | 1.52 | 1.48 | 1.32 | 1.40 | 1.44 | 97.6 |
| Bush Johnson Monofort | 284.2 | 291.3 | 295.5 | 293.4 | 290.3 | 96.4 | 7859 | 9253 | 6283 | 7768 | 7798 | 100.9 | 1.67 | 1.57 | 1.39 | 1.48 | 1.54 | 104.6 |
| Hilleshog 4046 | 314.9 | 291.6 | 303.2 | 297.4 | 303.2 | 100.7 | 7825 | 9236 | 6421 | 7829 | 7827 | 101.3 | 1.55 | 1.61 | 1.37 | 1.49 | 1.51 | 102.4 |
| Hilleshog 5090 | 305.4 | 297.5 | 302.2 | 299.9 | 301.7 | 100.2 | 8110 | 8839 | 6356 | 7598 | 7768 | 100.5 | 1.57 | 1.56 | 1.34 | 1.45 | 1.49 | 101.0 |
| Hilleshog 5135 | 314.7 | 308.7 | 310.9 | 309.8 | 311.4 | 103.4 | 8313 | 9470 | 6433 | 7952 | 8072 | 104.4 | 1.53 | 1.49 | 1.35 | 1.42 | 1.46 | 98.8 |
| KW 1014 (314) | | 296.3 | 308.6 | 302.5 | | | | 9048 | 6233 | 7641 | | | | 1.61 | 1.28 | 1.45 | | |
| KW 1132 | 300.3 | 291.9 | 299.9 | 295.9 | 297.4 | 98.8 | 8071 | 8847 | 6407 | 7627 | 7775 | 100.6 | 1.52 | 1.59 | 1.28 | 1.44 | 1.46 | 99.2 |
| KW 3265 (332) | 295.4 | 292.8 | 300.0 | 296.4 | 296.1 | 98.3 | 8431 | 9314 | 6459 | 7887 | 8068 | 104.4 | 1.50 | 1.54 | 1.26 | 1.40 | 1.43 | 97.2 |
| KW 3394 | 299.8 | 299.3 | 305.4 | 302.4 | 301.5 | 100.1 | 7905 | 9271 | 6310 | 7791 | 7829 | 101.3 | 1.57 | 1.55 | 1.32 | 1.44 | 1.48 | 100.3 |
| Maribo 403 | 305.4 | 295.4 | 302.8 | 299.1 | 301.2 | 100.0 | 8386 | 9083 | 6159 | 7621 | 7876 | 101.9 | 1.53 | 1.54 | 1.42 | 1.48 | 1.50 | 101.5 |
| Maribo 411 | 309.4 | 311.4 | 307.2 | 309.3 | 309.3 | 102.7 | 8018 | 9426 | 6278 | 7852 | 7907 | 102.3 | 1.53 | 1.53 | 1.34 | 1.44 | 1.47 | 99.4 |
| Maribo 851 | | 292.9 | 302.2 | 297.5 | | | | 8962 | 6034 | 7498 | | | | 1.63 | 1.38 | 1.51 | | |
| Maribo 861 | | | 308.9 | | | | | | 6169 | | | | | | 1.34 | | | |
| Maribo Ultramono | 302.1 | 298.0 | 302.8 | 300.4 | 301.0 | 100.0 | 7956 | 8932 | 6076 | 7504 | 7655 | 99.0 | 1.55 | 1.62 | 1.35 | 1.49 | 1.51 | 102.1 |
| Mitsui Monohikari | 301.9 | 302.9 | 299.6 | 301.3 | 301.5 | 100.1 | 8185 | 9613 | 5386 | 7500 | 7728 | 100.0 | 1.40 | 1.36 | 1.26 | 1.31 | 1.34 | 90.9 |
| Mono-Hy 2601 | | | 308.5 | | | | | | 6096 | | | | | | 1.38 | | | |
| Mono-Hy 2602 | | | 296.7 | | | | | | 5680 | | | | | | 1.25 | | | |
| Mono-Hy M7 | 286.4 | 290.8 | 294.9 | 292.9 | 290.7 | 96.5 | 7699 | 8660 | 6450 | 7555 | 7603 | 98.4 | 1.64 | 1.64 | 1.37 | 1.51 | 1.55 | 105.1 |
| Mono-Hy R103 | 311.0 | 298.4 | 300.2 | 299.3 | 303.2 | 100.7 | 7713 | 9010 | 6222 | 7616 | 7648 | 98.9 | 1.51 | 1.62 | 1.38 | 1.50 | 1.50 | 101.9 |
| Mono-Hy R117(82TMS4798) | 305.9 | 304.7 | 293.0 | 298.8 | 301.2 | 100.0 | 7635 | 8933 | 6324 | 7629 | 7631 | 98.7 | 1.52 | 1.54 | 1.39 | 1.47 | 1.48 | 100.6 |
| Mean | 302.8 | 300.5 | 303.6 | 302.0 | 301.1 | 100.0 | 7975 | 8983 | 6167 | 7586 | 7730 | 100.0 | 1.53 | 1.56 | 1.33 | 1.44 | 1.48 | 100.0 |

Three Year Performance Summary of 1986 SMSC Commercial Coded Entries
Three Locations

| Variety | Sugar Content (%) | | | | | | Root Yield (Tons / Acre) | | | | | | Seedling Vigor Rating | | | | | |
|-------------------------|-------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-----------------------|------|------|-------|-------|--------|
| | 1984 | 1985 | 1986 | 2 Yr | 3 Yr | 3 Yr | 1984 | 1985 | 1986 | 2 Yr | 3 Yr | 3 Yr | 1984 | 1985 | 1986 | 2 Yr | 3 Yr | 3 Yr |
| | | | | Mean | Mean | % Mean | | | | Mean | Mean | % Mean | | | | Mean | Mean | % Mean |
| | | | | 85-86 | 84-86 | 84-86 | | | | 85-86 | 84-86 | 84-86 | | | | 85-86 | 84-86 | 84-86 |
| ACS ACH 146 | 17.47 | 16.51 | 16.18 | 16.3 | 16.7 | 99.9 | 24.82 | 28.43 | 20.79 | 24.6 | 24.7 | 95.9 | 1.75 | 1.69 | 1.77 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 106.7 |
| ACS ACH 164 | 17.40 | 16.74 | 16.48 | 16.6 | 16.9 | 100.8 | 26.45 | 29.67 | 20.08 | 24.9 | 25.4 | 98.7 | 1.35 | 1.17 | 1.50 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 82.3 |
| ACS ACH 176 | 17.49 | 16.90 | 16.79 | 16.8 | 17.1 | 102.0 | 24.35 | 28.51 | 18.24 | 23.4 | 23.7 | 92.1 | 1.99 | 1.39 | 2.24 | 1.8 | 1.9 | 115.1 |
| ACS ACH 178 | | 16.94 | 16.91 | 16.9 | | | | 28.82 | 19.71 | 24.3 | | | | 1.30 | 1.08 | 1.2 | | |
| ACS ACH 180 | | 16.64 | 16.69 | 16.7 | | | | 29.16 | 20.37 | 24.8 | | | | 1.29 | 2.01 | 1.6 | | |
| Beta 1230 | 16.97 | 16.01 | 16.29 | 16.2 | 16.4 | 98.2 | 27.92 | 31.90 | 21.01 | 26.5 | 26.9 | 104.7 | 1.76 | 1.77 | 2.39 | 2.1 | 2.0 | 121.2 |
| Beta 3614 (614) | | 17.32 | 16.84 | 17.1 | | | | 29.15 | 19.56 | 24.4 | | | | 1.14 | 1.50 | 1.3 | | |
| Beta 5494 (594) | 17.35 | 16.71 | 16.78 | 16.7 | 16.9 | 101.3 | 26.56 | 28.82 | 19.65 | 24.2 | 25.0 | 97.2 | 1.41 | 2.11 | 1.56 | 1.8 | 1.7 | 104.1 |
| Beta 6264 | 17.08 | 16.39 | 16.51 | 16.5 | 16.7 | 99.6 | 26.93 | 29.71 | 20.64 | 25.2 | 25.8 | 100.1 | 1.91 | 1.35 | 1.83 | 1.6 | 1.7 | 104.2 |
| Beta 6625 (625) | | 17.53 | 17.31 | 17.4 | | | | 26.30 | 19.68 | 23.0 | | | | 2.06 | 1.52 | 1.8 | | |
| Bush Johnson 1310 | 17.21 | 16.87 | 15.91 | 16.4 | 16.7 | 99.6 | 25.31 | 27.92 | 21.47 | 24.7 | 24.9 | 96.7 | 1.93 | 1.92 | 1.64 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 112.5 |
| Bush Johnson Monofort | 16.48 | 16.14 | 16.17 | 16.2 | 16.3 | 97.2 | 27.67 | 31.77 | 21.45 | 26.6 | 27.0 | 104.7 | 1.39 | 1.21 | 1.39 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 81.7 |
| Hilleshog 4046 | 17.90 | 16.19 | 16.53 | 16.4 | 16.9 | 100.8 | 24.82 | 31.73 | 21.32 | 26.5 | 26.0 | 100.8 | 1.69 | 1.96 | 1.67 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 109.0 |
| Hilleshog 5090 | 17.43 | 16.44 | 16.45 | 16.4 | 16.8 | 100.2 | 26.54 | 29.81 | 21.19 | 25.5 | 25.8 | 100.4 | 1.80 | 1.31 | 1.39 | 1.4 | 1.5 | 92.2 |
| Hilleshog 5135 | 17.87 | 16.93 | 16.90 | 16.9 | 17.2 | 103.0 | 26.38 | 30.76 | 20.85 | 25.8 | 26.0 | 101.0 | 1.65 | 1.78 | 1.46 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 100.1 |
| KW 1014 (314) | | 16.45 | 16.71 | 16.6 | | | | 30.63 | 20.30 | 25.5 | | | | 1.81 | 1.64 | 1.7 | | |
| KW 1132 | 17.18 | 16.19 | 16.27 | 16.2 | 16.5 | 98.9 | 26.88 | 30.41 | 21.55 | 26.0 | 26.3 | 102.1 | 1.64 | 1.35 | 1.76 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 97.3 |
| KW 3265 (332) | 16.87 | 16.18 | 16.26 | 16.2 | 16.4 | 98.2 | 28.51 | 31.89 | 21.45 | 26.7 | 27.3 | 106.0 | 1.39 | 1.44 | 1.67 | 1.6 | 1.5 | 92.2 |
| KW 3394 | 17.16 | 16.51 | 16.59 | 16.6 | 16.8 | 100.1 | 26.34 | 31.03 | 20.85 | 25.9 | 26.1 | 101.3 | 1.61 | 1.49 | 1.48 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 93.8 |
| Maribo 403 | 17.40 | 16.31 | 16.56 | 16.4 | 16.8 | 100.1 | 27.46 | 30.74 | 20.51 | 25.6 | 26.2 | 101.9 | 1.26 | 1.09 | 1.54 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 79.7 |
| Maribo 411 | 17.60 | 17.12 | 16.70 | 16.9 | 17.1 | 102.4 | 25.86 | 30.29 | 20.54 | 25.4 | 25.6 | 99.3 | 1.26 | 1.00 | 1.24 | 1.1 | 1.2 | 71.6 |
| Maribo 851 | | 16.29 | 16.49 | 16.4 | | | | 30.68 | 20.04 | 25.4 | | | | 1.17 | 1.07 | 1.1 | | |
| Maribo 861 | | | 16.79 | | | | | | 20.10 | | | | | | 1.00 | | | |
| Maribo Ultramono | 17.26 | 16.52 | 16.49 | 16.5 | 16.8 | 100.1 | 26.31 | 29.98 | 20.18 | 25.1 | 25.5 | 99.0 | 1.26 | 1.00 | 1.37 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 74.3 |
| Mitsui Monohikari | 17.09 | 16.50 | 16.24 | 16.4 | 16.6 | 99.3 | 27.06 | 31.72 | 18.05 | 24.9 | 25.6 | 99.5 | 2.20 | 2.08 | 2.46 | 2.3 | 2.2 | 138.1 |
| Mono-Hy 2601 | | | 16.81 | | | | | | 19.90 | | | | | | 1.63 | | | |
| Mono-Hy 2602 | | | 16.09 | | | | | | 19.20 | | | | | | 2.54 | | | |
| Mono-Hy M7 | 16.55 | 16.18 | 16.12 | 16.2 | 16.3 | 97.3 | 26.84 | 29.86 | 22.11 | 26.0 | 26.3 | 102.0 | 1.42 | 1.44 | 1.33 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 85.8 |
| Mono-Hy R103 | 17.66 | 16.54 | 16.39 | 16.5 | 16.9 | 100.8 | 24.74 | 30.21 | 20.98 | 25.6 | 25.3 | 98.3 | 1.91 | 1.77 | 1.30 | 1.5 | 1.7 | 102.0 |
| Mono-Hy R117(82TMS4798) | 17.41 | 16.81 | 16.04 | 16.4 | 16.8 | 100.1 | 24.91 | 29.45 | 21.72 | 25.6 | 25.4 | 98.5 | 2.82 | 2.53 | 1.30 | 1.9 | 2.2 | 136.2 |
| Mean | 17.28 | 16.59 | 16.51 | 16.5 | 16.7 | 100.0 | 26.32 | 29.98 | 20.45 | 25.3 | 25.7 | 100.0 | 1.69 | 1.54 | 1.61 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 100.0 |

Table 5

COMBINED ANALYSIS
SOUTHERN MINN SEMI COMMERCIAL CODED TEST
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AMERICAN CRYSTAL SUGAR COMPANY RESEARCH CENTER

| 29 varieties | | 19 repsXlocs | 3 tests combined | | | |
|--------------------------|------|--------------|------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| VARIETY | CODE | Rec. lbs/T | Rec. lbs/A | Loss to Mol. | Sugar % | Yield T/A |
| ACS C84-239 | 158 | 306.9(101.0) | 6584(101.7) | 1.41(104.3) | 16.76(101.3) | 21.58(100.6) |
| KW 2915 (315) | 159 | 307.2(101.1) | 6569(101.5) | 1.24(91.6) | 16.60(100.3) | 21.51(100.3) |
| Maribo 864 | 160 | 299.5(98.6) | 6516(100.7) | 1.39(102.7) | 16.36(98.9) | 21.94(102.2) |
| Bush Johnson 1322 | 161 | 297.8(98.0) | 6353(98.2) | 1.44(106.0) | 16.32(98.7) | 21.46(100.0) |
| ACH 181 | 162 | 303.3(99.8) | 6548(101.2) | 1.39(102.4) | 16.55(100.1) | 21.73(101.3) |
| ACH 189 | 163 | 312.0(102.7) | 6038(93.3) | 1.39(102.8) | 16.99(102.7) | 19.46(90.7) |
| KW 1286 | 164 | 309.2(101.8) | 6918(106.9) | 1.35(99.3) | 16.80(101.6) | 22.43(104.5) |
| Mono-Hy 2603 | 165 | 304.9(100.4) | 6572(101.5) | 1.33(98.0) | 16.57(100.2) | 21.69(101.1) |
| Maribo Ultramono (check) | 166 | 303.0(99.7) | 6561(101.4) | 1.38(102.1) | 16.53(99.9) | 21.84(101.8) |
| Hilleshog 8277 | 167 | 305.8(100.7) | 6257(96.7) | 1.37(101.3) | 16.66(100.7) | 20.60(96.0) |
| Beta 6186 | 168 | 298.7(98.3) | 6494(100.3) | 1.40(103.6) | 16.34(98.7) | 21.92(102.2) |
| ACH 185 | 169 | 314.8(103.6) | 6057(93.6) | 1.34(98.7) | 17.08(103.2) | 19.35(90.2) |
| Maribo 862 | 170 | 312.0(102.7) | 6427(99.3) | 1.35(99.7) | 16.95(102.4) | 20.78(96.8) |
| Hilleshog 5167 | 171 | 300.4(98.9) | 6641(102.6) | 1.37(101.1) | 16.39(99.1) | 22.22(103.6) |
| ACS C84-232 | 172 | 312.3(102.8) | 6359(98.2) | 1.29(95.0) | 16.90(102.2) | 20.42(95.2) |
| KW 3145 (335) | 173 | 300.3(98.9) | 6596(101.9) | 1.32(97.8) | 16.34(98.8) | 22.01(102.6) |
| Maribo 868 | 174 | 289.5(95.3) | 6248(96.5) | 1.43(105.4) | 15.90(96.1) | 21.71(101.2) |
| Mono-Hy 2605 | 175 | 294.3(96.9) | 6186(95.6) | 1.43(105.9) | 16.15(97.6) | 21.18(98.7) |
| Beta 5516 | 176 | 304.4(100.2) | 6036(93.3) | 1.30(96.3) | 16.52(99.9) | 19.94(92.9) |
| Beta 5315 (515) | 177 | 307.7(101.3) | 6012(92.9) | 1.24(91.7) | 16.62(100.5) | 19.68(91.7) |
| Maribo 867 | 178 | 305.0(100.4) | 6235(96.3) | 1.36(100.4) | 16.61(100.4) | 20.57(95.9) |
| Beta 6269 (615) | 179 | 314.8(103.6) | 6619(102.3) | 1.27(93.4) | 17.00(102.8) | 21.19(98.8) |
| Beta 1230 (check) | 180 | 295.2(97.2) | 6615(102.2) | 1.37(100.8) | 16.13(97.5) | 22.61(105.4) |
| Beta 5266 | 181 | 297.2(97.8) | 7514(116.1) | 1.39(102.4) | 16.25(98.2) | 25.39(118.4) |
| Maribo 869 | 182 | 309.0(101.7) | 6478(100.1) | 1.36(100.5) | 16.81(101.6) | 21.15(98.6) |
| Hilleshog 8291 | 183 | 301.6(99.3) | 6744(104.2) | 1.32(97.7) | 16.40(99.1) | 22.51(104.9) |
| KW 3265 (check) | 184 | 299.8(98.7) | 6664(103.0) | 1.31(96.5) | 16.30(98.5) | 22.43(104.6) |
| Mono-Hy 2604 | 185 | 301.8(99.3) | 6535(101.0) | 1.37(101.1) | 16.46(99.5) | 21.82(101.7) |
| Mono-Hy 2606 | 186 | 302.1(99.4) | 6326(97.7) | 1.37(101.5) | 16.48(99.6) | 21.07(98.2) |

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|-------------------------------|--------|------------|--------|---------|--------|
| General Mean Across Varieties | 303.81 | 6472.44 | 1.35 | 16.54 | 21.45 |
| Coeff. of Var. (%) | 3.03 | 7.39 | 8.32 | 2.39 | 7.61 |
| Variety Mean Square | 748.14 | 1706423.00 | 0.05 | 1.58 | 26.10 |
| Error Mean Square (Error B) | 84.10 | 229553.10 | 0.01 | 0.15 | 2.70 |
| F Value | 8.90** | 7.43** | 4.19** | 10.17** | 9.68** |
| L.S.D. (.05) | 5.80 | 303.00 | 0.07 | 0.25 | 1.04 |
| L.S.D. (.01) | 7.41 | 387.65 | 0.09 | 0.32 | 1.33 |

* significant at 5% ** significant at 1% ns not significant

Value in parenthesis represents percent of check.
General Mean used as check.

| 29 varieties | | 19 repsXlocs | 3 tests combined | | |
|--------------------------|------|---------------|------------------|-------------|------------|
| VARIETY | CODE | Impurity Val. | Na ppm | K ppm | Am.N ppm |
| ACS C84-239 | 158 | 10354(104.3) | 227(89.2) | 2315(97.5) | 397(121.4) |
| KW 2915 (315) | 159 | 9098(91.6) | 258(101.5) | 2211(93.1) | 281(85.9) |
| Maribo 864 | 160 | 10198(102.7) | 317(124.8) | 2410(101.5) | 322(98.6) |
| Bush Johnson 1322 | 161 | 10528(106.0) | 247(97.1) | 2553(107.5) | 345(105.7) |
| ACH 181 | 162 | 10174(102.4) | 273(107.2) | 2365(99.6) | 348(106.5) |
| ACH 189 | 163 | 10205(102.8) | 237(93.2) | 2431(102.4) | 347(106.2) |
| KW 1286 | 164 | 9864(99.3) | 245(96.3) | 2484(104.6) | 294(90.0) |
| Mono-Hy 2603 | 165 | 9737(98.0) | 238(93.5) | 2425(102.2) | 299(91.5) |
| Maribo Ultramono (check) | 166 | 10142(102.1) | 303(119.0) | 2423(102.1) | 318(97.4) |
| Hilleshog 8277 | 167 | 10056(101.3) | 225(88.5) | 2360(99.4) | 355(108.4) |
| Beta 6186 | 168 | 10289(103.6) | 229(90.2) | 2404(101.3) | 366(112.0) |
| ACH 185 | 169 | 9799(98.7) | 213(83.8) | 2231(94.0) | 366(111.9) |
| Maribo 862 | 170 | 9901(99.7) | 279(109.6) | 2405(101.3) | 306(93.7) |
| Hilleshog 5167 | 171 | 10041(101.1) | 247(97.2) | 2427(102.2) | 327(100.0) |
| ACS C84-232 | 172 | 9436(95.0) | 200(78.7) | 2284(96.2) | 319(97.4) |
| KW 3145 (335) | 173 | 9708(97.8) | 258(101.2) | 2435(102.6) | 286(87.6) |
| Maribo 868 | 174 | 10471(105.4) | 335(131.7) | 2512(105.8) | 318(97.2) |
| Mono-Hy 2605 | 175 | 10514(105.9) | 240(94.2) | 2400(101.1) | 387(118.3) |
| Beta 5516 | 176 | 9565(96.3) | 262(102.9) | 2233(94.1) | 323(98.6) |
| Beta 5315 (515) | 177 | 9105(91.7) | 224(87.9) | 2233(94.1) | 288(88.2) |
| Maribo 867 | 178 | 9972(100.4) | 305(119.7) | 2398(101.0) | 307(93.7) |
| Beta 6269 (615) | 179 | 9279(93.4) | 216(84.8) | 2245(94.6) | 307(93.8) |
| Beta 1230 (check) | 180 | 10013(100.8) | 279(109.6) | 2449(103.2) | 307(93.8) |
| Beta 5266 | 181 | 10173(102.4) | 236(92.9) | 2382(100.3) | 357(109.2) |
| Maribo 869 | 182 | 9986(100.5) | 300(118.0) | 2386(100.5) | 313(95.6) |
| Hilleshog 8291 | 183 | 9700(97.7) | 212(83.5) | 2389(100.6) | 314(96.1) |
| KW 3265 (check) | 184 | 9583(96.5) | 276(108.6) | 2290(96.5) | 304(93.0) |
| Mono-Hy 2604 | 185 | 10042(101.1) | 259(101.9) | 2377(100.1) | 336(102.8) |
| Mono-Hy 2606 | 186 | 10078(101.5) | 238(93.5) | 2388(100.6) | 345(105.5) |

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|-------------------------------|------------|----------|-----------|----------|
| General Mean Across Varieties | 9931.44 | 254.43 | 2373.88 | 326.97 |
| Coeff. of Var. (%) | 8.32 | 25.96 | 4.85 | 17.82 |
| Variety Mean Square | 2896018.00 | 22506.72 | 146889.10 | 17247.43 |
| Error Mean Square (Error B) | 690777.80 | 4463.18 | 13359.24 | 3450.60 |
| F Value | 4.19** | 5.04** | 11.00** | 5.00** |
| L.S.D. (.05) | 525.31 | 42.23 | 73.05 | 37.13 |
| L.S.D. (.01) | 671.28 | 53.96 | 93.35 | 47.44 |

* significant at 5% ** significant at 1% ns not significant

Value in parenthesis represents percent of check.
General Mean used as check.

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SOUTHERN MINN SEMI COMMERCIAL CODED TEST

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29 varieties 19 repsXlocs 3 tests combined

| VARIETY | CODE | Rec.Sugar % | Gr.Sugar lbs/A | Chem.Purity% | Vigor |
|--------------------------|------|-------------|----------------|--------------|-------------|
| ACS C84-239 | 158 | 91.5(99.7) | 7200(102.0) | 94.6(99.9) | 1.15(71.7) |
| KW 2915 (315) | 159 | 92.5(100.8) | 7108(100.7) | 95.1(100.5) | 2.21(137.5) |
| Maribo 864 | 160 | 91.4(99.6) | 7133(101.0) | 94.5(99.8) | 1.08(67.3) |
| Bush Johnson 1322 | 161 | 91.1(99.3) | 6975(98.8) | 94.3(99.6) | 1.29(79.8) |
| ACH 181 | 162 | 91.6(99.8) | 7156(101.4) | 94.6(99.9) | 2.14(133.1) |
| ACH 189 | 163 | 91.8(100.0) | 6584(93.3) | 94.7(100.0) | 1.23(76.1) |
| KW 1286 | 164 | 92.0(100.2) | 7521(106.5) | 94.8(100.1) | 1.70(105.7) |
| Mono-Hy 2603 | 165 | 91.9(100.2) | 7152(101.3) | 94.8(100.1) | 2.46(153.0) |
| Maribo Ultramono (check) | 166 | 91.5(99.8) | 7171(101.6) | 94.6(99.9) | 1.32(82.1) |
| Hilleshog 8277 | 167 | 91.7(100.0) | 6828(96.7) | 94.7(100.0) | 2.08(129.4) |
| Beta 6186 | 168 | 91.3(99.5) | 7115(100.8) | 94.4(99.7) | 1.38(85.8) |
| ACH 185 | 169 | 92.1(100.4) | 6579(93.2) | 94.9(100.2) | 1.23(76.1) |
| Maribo 862 | 170 | 92.0(100.2) | 6997(99.1) | 94.8(100.1) | 1.30(80.6) |
| Hilleshog 5167 | 171 | 91.6(99.8) | 7255(102.8) | 94.6(99.9) | 1.52(94.6) |
| ACS C84-232 | 172 | 92.4(100.7) | 6890(97.6) | 95.1(100.4) | 1.93(119.8) |
| KW 3145 (335) | 173 | 91.8(100.1) | 7180(101.7) | 94.7(100.0) | 1.38(85.8) |
| Maribo 868 | 174 | 90.9(99.1) | 6872(97.3) | 94.2(99.5) | 1.07(66.5) |
| Mono-Hy 2605 | 175 | 91.0(99.2) | 6798(96.3) | 94.3(99.5) | 1.92(119.0) |
| Beta 5516 | 176 | 92.0(100.3) | 6562(92.9) | 94.9(100.2) | 1.90(118.3) |
| Beta 5315 (515) | 177 | 92.5(100.8) | 6508(92.2) | 95.2(100.5) | 1.55(96.1) |
| Maribo 867 | 178 | 91.8(100.0) | 6795(96.2) | 94.7(100.0) | 1.15(71.7) |
| Beta 6269 (615) | 179 | 92.5(100.8) | 7165(101.5) | 95.2(100.5) | 1.07(66.5) |
| Beta 1230 (check) | 180 | 91.5(99.7) | 7239(102.5) | 94.5(99.8) | 2.24(139.0) |
| Beta 5266 | 181 | 91.4(99.6) | 8223(116.5) | 94.5(99.8) | 1.57(97.6) |
| Maribo 869 | 182 | 91.8(100.1) | 7063(100.1) | 94.7(100.0) | 1.08(67.3) |
| Hilleshog 8291 | 183 | 91.9(100.1) | 7345(104.0) | 94.8(100.1) | 1.75(108.7) |
| KW 3265 (check) | 184 | 91.9(100.2) | 7263(102.9) | 94.8(100.1) | 1.75(108.7) |
| Mono-Hy 2604 | 185 | 91.6(99.9) | 7136(101.1) | 94.6(99.9) | 1.77(110.1) |
| Mono-Hy 2606 | 186 | 91.6(99.9) | 6911(97.9) | 94.6(99.9) | 2.45(152.3) |

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|-------------------------------|--------|------------|--------|--------|
| General Mean Across Varieties | 91.75 | 7059.44 | 94.70 | 1.61 |
| Coeff. of Var. (%) | 0.94 | 7.43 | 0.54 | 31.83 |
| Variety Mean Square | 3.30 | 2085303.00 | 1.21 | 2.48 |
| Error Mean Square (Error B) | 0.74 | 276537.40 | 0.27 | 0.26 |
| F Value | 4.48** | 7.54** | 4.58** | 9.41** |
| L.S.D. (.05) | 0.54 | 332.56 | 0.33 | 0.39 |
| L.S.D. (.01) | 0.69 | 425.48 | 0.42 | 0.51 |

* significant at 5% ** significant at 1% ns not significant

Value in parenthesis represents percent of check.

General Mean used as check.

Vigor ratings taken at Bird Island and Renville only.

1986 Cercospora Leaf Spot Ratings for SMBSC Commercial Coded Entries
Betaseed Nursery - Shakopee, MN

Table 6

| Code | Entry | Average Rating at Each Date (1986)* | | | | | | | Mean All Ratings* | | | |
|------|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|
| | | 7/23 | 7/28 | 7/31 | 8/5 | 8/8 | 8/11 | 8/14 | 1986 | 2 Yr Mean | 3 Yr Mean | 3 Yr % Mean |
| | | 7/23 | 7/28 | 7/31 | 8/5 | 8/8 | 8/11 | 8/14 | 1986 | 85-86 | 84-86 | 84-86 |
| 74 | ACS ACH 146 | 2.00 | 2.75 | 3.25 | 4.00 | 4.50 | 5.50 | 6.00 | 4.00 | 4.23 | 4.39 | 94.5 |
| 81 | ACS ACH 164 | 2.25 | 3.25 | 3.75 | 4.75 | 5.75 | 6.75 | 7.25 | 4.82 | 4.75 | 4.89 | 105.3 |
| 68 | ACS ACH 176 | 2.25 | 3.25 | 3.50 | 4.00 | 4.50 | 5.50 | 6.25 | 4.18 | 4.09 | 4.16 | 89.4 |
| 63 | ACS ACH 178 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 4.00 | 5.00 | 5.67 | 6.33 | 4.14 | 4.05 | | |
| 73 | ACS ACH 180 | 2.50 | 4.00 | 4.25 | 4.50 | 5.75 | 6.50 | 7.00 | 4.93 | 4.82 | | |
| 60 | Beta 1230 | 2.25 | 3.50 | 3.75 | 4.50 | 5.50 | 6.75 | 6.75 | 4.71 | 4.64 | 4.78 | 102.7 |
| 82 | Beta 3614 (614) | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.25 | 3.75 | 4.25 | 5.75 | 6.25 | 4.04 | 4.77 | | |
| 65 | Beta 5494 (594) | 1.50 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 4.00 | 3.75 | 5.00 | 6.00 | 3.75 | 3.79 | 4.40 | 94.7 |
| 80 | Beta 6264 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.50 | 4.00 | 5.25 | 6.00 | 7.00 | 4.39 | 4.50 | 4.58 | 98.6 |
| 69 | Beta 6625 (625) | 2.00 | 3.50 | 3.25 | 4.00 | 5.50 | 7.00 | 7.25 | 4.64 | 4.86 | | |
| 70 | Bush Johnson 1310 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 3.75 | 5.25 | 5.75 | 6.50 | 4.18 | 3.78 | 3.83 | 82.5 |
| 59 | Bush Johnson Monofort | 2.50 | 3.25 | 3.75 | 4.00 | 5.75 | 6.75 | 7.25 | 4.75 | 4.91 | 5.02 | 108.1 |
| 64 | Hilleshog 4046 | 2.50 | 3.25 | 3.50 | 4.50 | 5.25 | 6.50 | 7.25 | 4.68 | 4.84 | 5.04 | 108.4 |
| 85 | Hilleshog 5090 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 3.75 | 5.00 | 6.00 | 6.75 | 4.21 | 4.38 | 4.58 | 98.6 |
| 75 | Hilleshog 5135 | 2.00 | 3.25 | 3.50 | 4.00 | 5.00 | 6.25 | 7.00 | 4.43 | 4.73 | 4.93 | 106.0 |
| 78 | KW 1014 (314) | 2.00 | 3.25 | 3.50 | 3.75 | 4.75 | 5.50 | 6.50 | 4.18 | 4.32 | | |
| 62 | KW 1132 | 2.25 | 3.50 | 4.00 | 4.75 | 5.00 | 6.25 | 7.00 | 4.68 | 4.80 | 4.82 | 103.8 |
| 61 | KW 3265 (332) | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.50 | 3.75 | 5.50 | 6.25 | 6.50 | 4.36 | 4.70 | 4.86 | 104.5 |
| 72 | KW 3394 | 2.25 | 3.25 | 3.50 | 4.25 | 5.25 | 6.75 | 7.00 | 4.61 | 4.86 | 4.88 | 105.0 |
| 79 | Maribo 403 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.25 | 4.00 | 5.00 | 5.50 | 5.75 | 4.07 | 4.70 | 4.84 | 104.2 |
| 83 | Maribo 411 | 2.25 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 4.75 | 5.25 | 6.00 | 6.75 | 4.43 | 4.61 | 4.82 | 103.7 |
| 66 | Maribo 851 | 2.25 | 3.50 | 3.75 | 4.25 | 5.75 | 6.50 | 7.25 | 4.75 | 4.90 | | |
| 87 | Maribo 861 | 2.00 | 3.50 | 3.25 | 3.50 | 5.00 | 5.50 | 5.75 | 4.07 | | | |
| 67 | Maribo Ultramono | 2.50 | 3.75 | 3.75 | 4.50 | 5.75 | 6.50 | 6.75 | 4.79 | 4.82 | 4.89 | 105.3 |
| 71 | Mitsui Monohikari | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 4.50 | 5.00 | 5.50 | 6.50 | 4.21 | 4.36 | 4.56 | 98.1 |
| 77 | Mono-Hy 2601 | 2.25 | 3.25 | 3.75 | 4.25 | 5.25 | 6.75 | 7.00 | 4.64 | | | |
| 58 | Mono-Hy 2602 | 2.50 | 3.75 | 3.75 | 4.50 | 5.50 | 6.25 | 7.00 | 4.75 | | | |
| 86 | Mono-Hy M7 | 2.50 | 3.50 | 4.25 | 4.25 | 5.75 | 6.75 | 7.00 | 4.86 | 4.66 | 4.68 | 100.6 |
| 76 | Mono-Hy R103 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.50 | 3.75 | 4.75 | 6.00 | 6.25 | 4.18 | 4.20 | 4.14 | 89.2 |
| 84 | Mono-Hy R117(82TMS4798) | 1.75 | 3.00 | 3.75 | 3.75 | 5.00 | 6.00 | 6.25 | 4.21 | 4.38 | 4.50 | 96.8 |
| | Mean | 2.14 | 3.24 | 3.49 | 4.13 | 5.15 | 6.12 | 6.67 | 4.42 | 4.53 | 4.65 | 100.0 |

* Lower numbers indicate better leaf spot resistance. (1=Ex,9=Poor)

Table 7

SMBSC Semi Commercial Coded Trials
1986 Cercospora Trial Readings *

| | | Average Rating at Each Date (1986) | | | | | | | Average |
|--------------|--------------------------|------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|---------|
| Code | Entry | 7/23 | 7/28 | 7/31 | 8/5 | 8/8 | 8/11 | 8/14 | |
| 162 | ACH 181 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.25 | 4.25 | 5.00 | 5.75 | 6.25 | 4.21 |
| 169 | ACH 185 | 1.50 | 3.25 | 3.25 | 3.50 | 4.50 | 5.00 | 6.50 | 3.93 |
| 163 | ACH 189 | 2.00 | 3.25 | 3.25 | 4.50 | 5.25 | 6.25 | 6.75 | 4.46 |
| 172 | ACS C84-232 | 2.00 | 2.75 | 3.00 | 3.25 | 4.00 | 5.25 | 5.75 | 3.71 |
| 158 | ACS C84-239 | 2.00 | 3.50 | 3.50 | 4.25 | 4.75 | 6.00 | 6.00 | 4.29 |
| 180 | Beta 1230 (Check) | 2.25 | 3.50 | 3.75 | 4.50 | 5.50 | 6.75 | 6.75 | 4.71 |
| 181 | Beta 5266 | 2.50 | 3.00 | 3.25 | 4.00 | 5.25 | 6.25 | 7.00 | 4.46 |
| 177 | Beta 5315 (515) | 2.00 | 3.25 | 3.50 | 4.00 | 5.00 | 5.75 | 6.50 | 4.29 |
| 176 | Beta 5516 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.25 | 3.75 | 4.75 | 5.75 | 6.25 | 4.11 |
| 168 | Beta 6186 (633) | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.50 | 3.50 | 5.25 | 5.75 | 6.50 | 4.21 |
| 179 | Beta 6269 (615) | 2.25 | 3.50 | 4.00 | 4.25 | 5.75 | 6.50 | 7.00 | 4.75 |
| 161 | Bush Johnson 1322 | 2.25 | 3.50 | 3.75 | 4.25 | 5.75 | 6.75 | 6.75 | 4.71 |
| 171 | Hilleshog 5167 | 2.50 | 3.50 | 4.00 | 4.75 | 6.25 | 7.00 | 7.25 | 5.04 |
| 167 | Hilleshog 8277 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 4.25 | 5.50 | 6.50 | 7.00 | 4.46 |
| 183 | Hilleshog 8291 | 2.50 | 3.75 | 4.25 | 5.00 | 6.75 | 7.50 | 8.00 | 5.39 |
| 164 | KW 1286 | 2.50 | 3.75 | 3.75 | 5.00 | 6.25 | 7.50 | 7.50 | 5.18 |
| 159 | KW 2915 (315) | 2.25 | 3.50 | 4.00 | 4.75 | 5.50 | 6.50 | 6.75 | 4.75 |
| 173 | KW 3145 (335) | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.50 | 4.50 | 5.75 | 6.50 | 6.75 | 4.57 |
| 184 | KW 3265 (Check) | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.50 | 3.75 | 5.50 | 6.25 | 6.50 | 4.36 |
| 170 | Maribo 862 | 2.50 | 4.00 | 4.25 | 5.00 | 6.25 | 7.25 | 7.25 | 5.21 |
| 160 | Maribo 864 | 2.50 | 3.75 | 4.00 | 5.00 | 6.50 | 6.75 | 7.25 | 5.11 |
| 178 | Maribo 867 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.25 | 3.75 | 5.25 | 6.25 | 6.25 | 4.25 |
| 174 | Maribo 868 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 3.75 | 5.00 | 6.00 | 6.50 | 4.18 |
| 182 | Maribo 869 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.50 | 4.75 | 6.00 | 6.50 | 7.25 | 4.71 |
| 166 | Maribo Ultramono (Check) | 2.50 | 3.75 | 3.75 | 4.50 | 5.75 | 6.50 | 6.75 | 4.79 |
| 165 | Mono-Hy 2603 | 3.00 | 4.00 | 4.50 | 5.00 | 6.25 | 7.00 | 7.50 | 5.32 |
| 185 | Mono-Hy 2604 | 2.00 | 3.00 | 3.50 | 3.75 | 5.00 | 5.75 | 6.25 | 4.18 |
| 175 | Mono-Hy 2605 | 2.25 | 3.00 | 4.00 | 4.25 | 6.00 | 6.75 | 7.25 | 4.79 |
| 186 | Mono-Hy 2606 | 2.25 | 3.50 | 4.00 | 4.25 | 5.75 | 6.75 | 7.25 | 4.82 |
| General Mean | | 2.18 | 3.30 | 3.61 | 4.30 | 5.46 | 6.36 | 6.85 | 4.58 |

* Lower numbers indicate better leaf spot resistance (1=Ex, 9=Poor)

List of Approved Varieties Since 1980.

Table 8

| | | | |
|------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| <u>1980</u> | <u>1981</u> | <u>1982</u> | <u>1983</u> |
| Beta 1443 | Beta 1443 | Beta 1237 | Beta 1230 |
| Beta 1345 | Beta 1345 | Beta 1230 | Beta 1237 |
| Beta 1237 | Beta 1237 | Mono-Hy R1 | Mono-Hy R1 |
| Mono-Hy R1 | Beta 1230 | Mono-Hy M7 | Mono-Hy M7 |
| Mono-Hy E4 | Mono-Hy R1 | Mono-Hy M8 | Mono-Hy M8 |
| BJ Monofort | Mono-Hy M8 | Mono-Hy E4 | ACH 14 |
| Holly HH33 | Mono-Hy M7 | BJ Monofort | ACH 30 |
| ACH 14 | Mono-Hy X73 | Holly HH33 | BJ Monofort |
| ACH 12 | ACH 14 | ACH 14 | Maribo Ultramono |
| ACH 17 | ACH 30 | ACH 17 | |
| ACH 30 | ACH 151 | ACH 30 | |
| | Maribo Unica | ACH 145 | |
| | Maribo Ultramono | | |
| | Holly HH33 | | |
| | BJ Monofort | | |
| <u>1984</u> | <u>1985</u> | <u>1986</u> | <u>1987</u> |
| ACH 30 | ACH 30 | ACH 30 | ACH 164 |
| ACH 145 | ACH 145 | ACH 146 | Beta 1230 |
| ACH 154 | ACH 154 | ACH 164 | Beta 5494 |
| Beta 1230 | Beta 1230 | Beta 1230 | Beta 6264 |
| BJ Monofort | BJ Monofort | Beta 6264 | BJ Monofort |
| Mono-Hy R1 | Mono-Hy R1 | BJ Monofort | BJ 1310 |
| Mono-Hy M7 | Mono-Hy M7 | BJ 1310 | KW 1132 |
| KW 3394 | KW 1132 | Mono-Hy M7 | KW 3265 |
| Maribo Ultramono | KW 3394 | KW 1132 | KW 3394 |
| | Maribo Ultramono | KW 3394 | Hilleshog 4046 |
| | Maribo 401 | KW 3265 | Hilleshog 5090 |
| | | Maribo Ultramono | Hilleshog 5135 |
| | | Maribo 401 | Maribo Ultramono |
| | | Maribo 403 | Maribo 403 |
| | | | Mono-Hy M7 |
| | | | Mono-Hy R103 |
| | | | Mono-Hy R117 |
| | | | Mitsui Monohikari |

Date of Harvest Study

Objectives:

Evaluate 10 sugarbeet varieties for relative root yield and quality characteristics harvested early and late.

Experimental Procedures

Trials were planted at three locations in 1985 and repeated at three different locations in 1986. Two locations were harvested in 1985, and one location in 1986.

The 10 varieties included in these trials were:

| | |
|----------------|------------------|
| Mono Hy M7 | Maribo Ultramono |
| Mono Hy R103 | Maribo 403 |
| Monohikari | ACH 164 |
| Hilleshog 4046 | KW 3265 |
| Hilleshog 5135 | KW 3394 |

All Varieties were planted in 4-row plots 30 feet in length and six replications. Planting dates were May 1-2 and May 28-29 for 1985 and 1986, respectively. Harvest dates were scheduled to begin about September 20 for the early date and October 20 for the late harvest. All trials were hand thinned to final population of 120-130 plants per 100 feet. Standard production practices were utilized for weed and disease control.

Results and Discussion

Variety performance data for the early and late harvest dates for the two locations in 1985 are shown in tables 1, 2 and 3. The average increase in root yield for all

varieties was 4.4 tons per acre over the 4 week period. Average sugar content increased 2.2% over the same period.

The data for 1986 are shown in tables 4 and 5. Root yields showed only a slight increase from early to late harvest dates. Normally, all varieties will have an increase in root yield as the growing season increases in length. The abnormally wet field conditions in 1986 limited the development of the tap root and secondary feeder roots; thus, yields were considerably below average. Since the root yields in the trial do not accurately represent normal development, tonnage information will not be presented in this report. Sugar content increased an average of 2.2 % over the 4-week period.

Average deviations from percent of the mean for percent sugar and recoverable sugar per ton are shown in figures 1 and 2, respectively. Based on these data, certain varieties appear to be better selections than others for early harvest. Although quality increased from early to late harvest, some varieties may show a greater potential to accumulate a relatively higher level of sugar earlier in the growing season. Also certain varieties show the ability to accumulate ton and sugar more rapidly than others. These data indicate that Mono Hy R103, Hilleshog 5135, KW 3394, Ultramono and Maribo 403 would be likely

candidates for early harvest. Other varieties not included in the 10 evaluated in this study may also be well suited for early harvest.

A grower must consider several factors other than variety when making a determination of which field to harvest early or late:

- 1) Plant population.
- 2) General plant growth and development throughout the growing season.
- 3) Plant stress caused by excess water, hail, insects, disease, weeds, etc.
- 4) Relative soil fertility
- 5) Relative planting dates, emergence dates, speed of plant growth, etc.
- 6) Relative ability for plants to respond to the environment and continue rapid growth.

Any single factor or combination of the above list could overwhelm a "high sugar variety" planted specially for early harvest, and actually have lower quality than a "tonnage" variety.

Table 1. Comparison of varieties harvested early and late
Renville MN 1985

| Variety | Recov. S/A | | | Recov. S/Ton | | |
|------------------|------------|-------|--------|--------------|-------|--------|
| | Early | Late | Change | Early | Late | Change |
| Mono Hy M7 | 4,693 | 7,698 | 3,005 | 240.7 | 290.5 | 49.8 |
| Mono Hy R103 | 4,719 | 7,968 | 3,249 | 243.6 | 297.3 | 53.7 |
| Hilleshog 4046 | 5,326 | 8,503 | 3,177 | 247.6 | 292.4 | 44.8 |
| Hilleshog 5135 | 5,937 | 8,884 | 2,947 | 256.5 | 305.1 | 48.6 |
| Monohikari | 5,431 | 8,906 | 3,475 | 247.1 | 297.0 | 49.9 |
| KW 3394 | 5,406 | 8,642 | 3,236 | 249.4 | 298.0 | 48.6 |
| KW 3265 | 5,185 | 8,648 | 3,463 | 240.0 | 293.3 | 53.3 |
| Maribo Ultramono | 5,658 | 8,249 | 2,591 | 249.3 | 298.2 | 48.9 |
| Maribo 403 | 5,449 | 8,310 | 2,861 | 244.6 | 291.0 | 46.4 |
| ASC ACH 164 | 5,331 | 8,310 | 2,979 | 252.1 | 300.7 | 48.6 |
| Mean | 5,314 | 8,412 | 3098 | 247.1 | 296.3 | 49.3 |
| LSD (.05) | 655 | 500 | | 6.9 | 7.6 | |
| CV % | 12.3 | 5.9 | | 2.8 | 2.6 | |

Table 1. Continued

| Variety | Tons/Acre | | | %Sucrose | | |
|------------------|-----------|------|--------|----------|-------|--------|
| | Early | Late | Change | Early | Late | Change |
| Mono Hy M7 | 19.5 | 26.6 | 7.1 | 13.37 | 16.12 | 2.75 |
| Mono Hy R103 | 19.4 | 26.8 | 7.4 | 13.59 | 16.47 | 2.88 |
| Hilleshog 4046 | 21.5 | 29.1 | 7.6 | 13.64 | 16.18 | 2.54 |
| Hilleshog 5135 | 23.1 | 29.2 | 6.1 | 14.09 | 16.77 | 2.68 |
| Monohikari | 21.9 | 30.0 | 8.1 | 13.52 | 16.17 | 2.65 |
| KW 3394 | 21.6 | 29.1 | 7.5 | 13.74 | 16.41 | 2.67 |
| KW 3265 | 21.6 | 29.5 | 7.9 | 13.30 | 16.11 | 2.81 |
| Maribo Ultramono | 22.6 | 27.6 | 5.0 | 13.76 | 16.46 | 2.70 |
| Maribo 403 | 22.3 | 28.5 | 6.2 | 13.57 | 16.07 | 2.50 |
| ASC ACH 164 | 21.0 | 27.7 | 6.7 | 13.92 | 16.52 | 2.60 |
| Mean | 21.4 | 28.4 | 7.0 | 13.65 | 16.33 | 2.68 |
| LSD (.05) | 2.4 | 1.8 | | 0.32 | 0.33 | |
| CV % | 11.2 | 6.4 | | 2.4 | 2.0 | |

Table 2. Comparison of varieties harvested early and late
Clara City MN 1985

| Variety | Recov. S/A | | | Recov. S/Ton | | |
|------------------|------------|-------|--------|--------------|------|--------|
| | Early | Late | Change | Early | Late | Change |
| Mono Hy M7 | 7,393 | 8,556 | 1,163 | 272 | 303 | 31 |
| Mono Hy R103 | 7,449 | 8,715 | 1,266 | 286 | 313 | 27 |
| Hilleshog 4046 | 7,828 | 9,094 | 1,266 | 283 | 305 | 22 |
| Hilleshog 5135 | 7,396 | 9,272 | 1,876 | 274 | 312 | 38 |
| Monohikari | 7,589 | 9,349 | 1,760 | 284 | 321 | 37 |
| KW 3394 | 7,985 | 9,012 | 1,027 | 286 | 316 | 30 |
| KW 3265 | 8,064 | 9,543 | 1,479 | 278 | 316 | 38 |
| Maribo Ultramono | 7,308 | 8,985 | 1,677 | 283 | 318 | 35 |
| Maribo 403 | 7,545 | 8,391 | 846 | 286 | 304 | 18 |
| ASC ACH 164 | 7,585 | 9,340 | 1,755 | 286 | 320 | 34 |
| Mean | 7,614 | 9,026 | 1,412 | 282 | 313 | 31 |
| LSD (.05) | NS | 646 | | 7 | 8 | |
| CV % | 8.2 | 6.2 | | 3 | 3 | |

Table 2. Continued

| Variety | Tons/Acre | | | %Sucrose | | |
|------------------|-----------|------|--------|----------|------|--------|
| | Early | Late | Change | Early | Late | Change |
| Mono Hy M7 | 30.8 | 31.9 | 1.1 | 14.9 | 16.7 | 1.8 |
| Mono Hy R103 | 29.7 | 31.5 | 1.8 | 15.5 | 17.1 | 1.6 |
| Hilleshog 4046 | 31.6 | 33.8 | 2.2 | 15.4 | 16.7 | 1.3 |
| Hilleshog 5135 | 30.9 | 33.8 | 2.9 | 15.0 | 17.0 | 2.0 |
| Monohikari | 30.2 | 32.7 | 2.5 | 15.3 | 17.3 | 2.0 |
| KW 3394 | 32.0 | 32.4 | 0.4 | 15.5 | 17.3 | 1.8 |
| KW 3265 | 33.2 | 34.2 | 1.0 | 15.1 | 17.2 | 2.1 |
| Maribo Ultramono | 29.7 | 32.1 | 2.4 | 15.4 | 17.3 | 1.9 |
| Maribo 403 | 29.9 | 31.7 | 1.8 | 15.5 | 16.7 | 1.2 |
| ASC ACH 164 | 30.1 | 32.9 | 2.8 | 15.5 | 17.4 | 1.9 |
| Mean | 30.8 | 32.7 | 1.9 | 15.3 | 17.1 | 1.8 |
| LSD (.05) | NS | NS | | NS | NS | |
| CV % | 7.2 | 5.4 | | 2.8 | 3 | |

Table 3. Comparison of varieties harvested early and late averaged for both locations in 1985

| Variety | Recov. S/A | | | Recov. S/Ton | | |
|------------------|------------|-------|--------|--------------|------|--------|
| | Early | Late | Change | Early | Late | Change |
| Mono Hy M7 | 6,043 | 8,127 | 2,084 | 256 | 297 | 41 |
| Mono Hy R103 | 6,084 | 8,342 | 2,258 | 265 | 305 | 40 |
| Hilleshog 4046 | 6,577 | 8,799 | 2,222 | 265 | 299 | 33 |
| Hilleshog 5135 | 6,667 | 9,078 | 2,412 | 265 | 309 | 43 |
| Monohikari | 6,510 | 9,128 | 2,618 | 266 | 309 | 43 |
| KW 3394 | 6,696 | 8,827 | 2,132 | 268 | 307 | 39 |
| KW 3265 | 6,625 | 9,096 | 2,471 | 259 | 305 | 46 |
| Maribo Ultramono | 6,483 | 8,617 | 2,134 | 266 | 308 | 42 |
| Maribo 403 | 6,497 | 8,351 | 1,854 | 265 | 298 | 32 |
| ASC ACH 164 | 6,458 | 8,825 | 2,367 | 269 | 310 | 41 |
| Mean | 6,464 | 9,026 | 2,255 | 282 | 313 | 40.2 |

Table 3. Continued

| Variety | Tons/Acre | | | %Sucrose | | |
|------------------|-----------|------|--------|----------|------|--------|
| | Early | Late | Change | Early | Late | Change |
| Mono Hy M7 | 25.2 | 29.3 | 4.1 | 14.1 | 16.4 | 2.3 |
| Mono Hy R103 | 24.6 | 29.2 | 4.6 | 14.5 | 16.8 | 2.2 |
| Hilleshog 4046 | 26.6 | 31.5 | 4.9 | 14.5 | 16.4 | 1.9 |
| Hilleshog 5135 | 27.0 | 31.5 | 4.5 | 14.5 | 16.9 | 2.3 |
| Monohikari | 26.1 | 31.4 | 5.3 | 14.4 | 16.7 | 2.3 |
| KW 3394 | 26.8 | 30.8 | 4.0 | 14.6 | 16.9 | 2.2 |
| KW 3265 | 27.4 | 31.9 | 4.5 | 14.2 | 16.7 | 2.5 |
| Maribo Ultramono | 26.2 | 29.9 | 3.7 | 14.6 | 16.9 | 2.3 |
| Maribo 403 | 26.1 | 30.1 | 4.0 | 14.5 | 16.4 | 1.9 |
| ASC ACH 164 | 25.6 | 30.3 | 4.8 | 14.7 | 17.0 | 2.3 |
| Mean | 26.1 | 30.6 | 4.4 | 14.5 | 16.7 | 2.2 |

Table 4. Sugar content of ten varieties harvested early and late at Sacred heart 1986.

| Variety | % Sucrose | | Change | % of Mean | |
|------------|-----------|-------|--------|-----------|-------|
| | Early | Late | | Early | Late |
| M7 | 13.33 | 15.97 | 2.64 | 93.5 | 96.7 |
| 103 | 14.39 | 16.53 | 2.14 | 100.9 | 100.1 |
| 4046 | 14.23 | 16.53 | 2.30 | 99.8 | 100.1 |
| 5135 | 15.02 | 17.00 | 1.98 | 105.3 | 103.0 |
| Monohikari | 13.99 | 16.35 | 2.36 | 98.1 | 99.0 |
| 3394 | 14.35 | 16.48 | 2.13 | 100.6 | 99.8 |
| 3265 | 14.32 | 16.28 | 1.96 | 100.4 | 98.6 |
| Ultramono | 14.71 | 16.63 | 1.92 | 103.2 | 100.7 |
| 403 | 14.26 | 16.65 | 2.39 | 100.0 | 100.8 |
| 164 | 13.99 | 16.65 | 2.66 | 98.1 | 100.8 |
| Mean | 14.26 | 16.51 | | | |
| LSD(.05) | 0.94 | 0.42 | | | |
| % CV | 4.46 | 1.72 | | | |

Table 5. Recoverable sugar per ton of ten varieties harvested early and late at Sacred Heart 1986.

| Variety | Rec. Sug/Ton | | Change | % of Mean | |
|------------|--------------|------|--------|-----------|-------|
| | Early | Late | | Early | Late |
| M7 | 242 | 295 | 53 | 92.4 | 95.8 |
| 103 | 265 | 309 | 44 | 101.1 | 100.3 |
| 4046 | 260 | 308 | 48 | 99.2 | 100.0 |
| 5135 | 277 | 318 | 41 | 105.7 | 103.2 |
| Monohikari | 259 | 306 | 47 | 98.9 | 99.4 |
| 3394 | 265 | 308 | 43 | 101.1 | 100.0 |
| 3265 | 264 | 305 | 41 | 100.8 | 99.0 |
| Ultramono | 272 | 311 | 39 | 103.8 | 101.0 |
| 403 | 262 | 312 | 50 | 100.0 | 101.3 |
| 164 | 257 | 312 | 55 | 98.1 | 101.3 |
| Mean | 262 | 308 | | | |
| LSD(.05) | 19.38 | 8.96 | | | |
| % CV | 4.98 | 1.96 | | | |

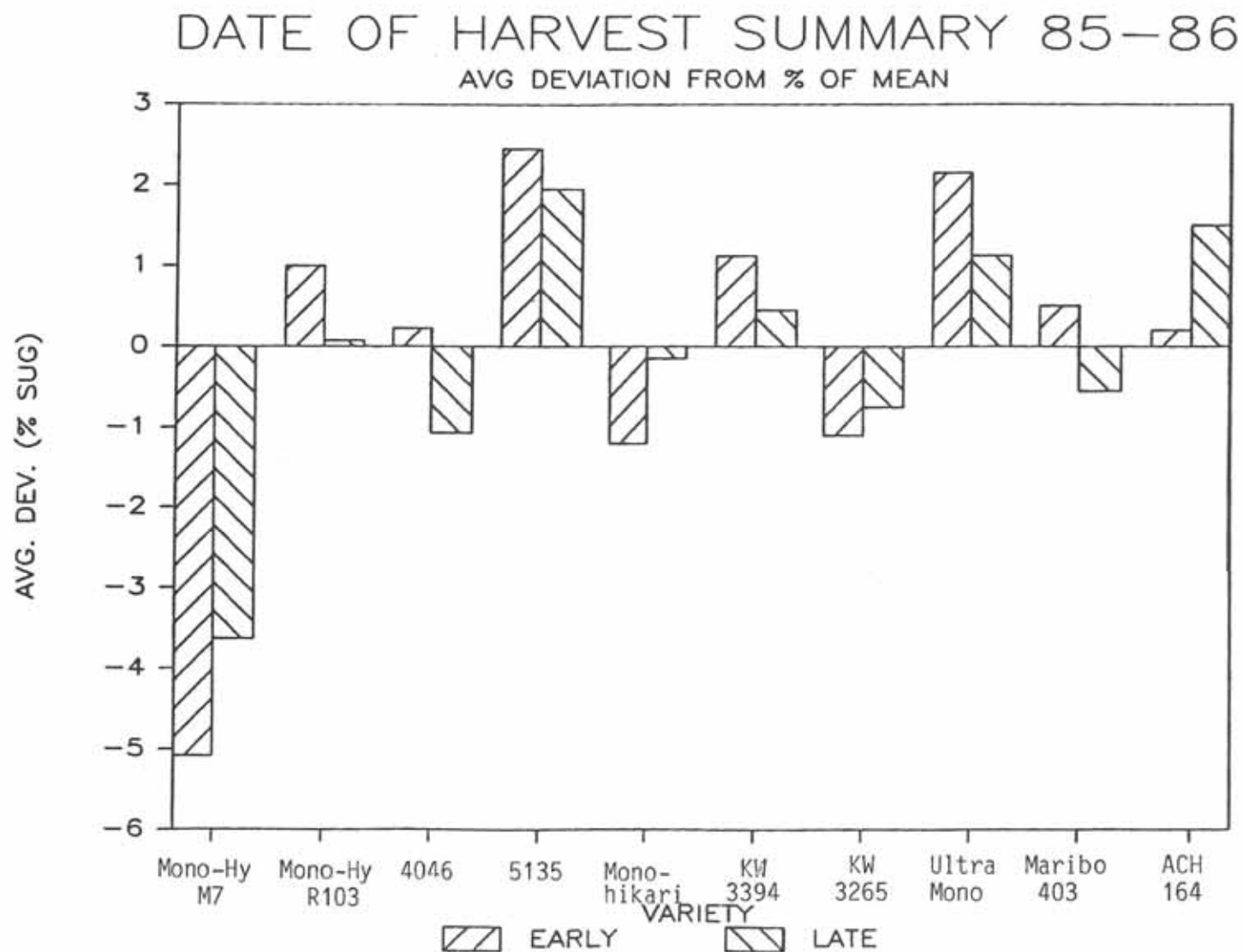


Figure 1. The average deviation from the mean for % sugar combined for 1985 and 1986.

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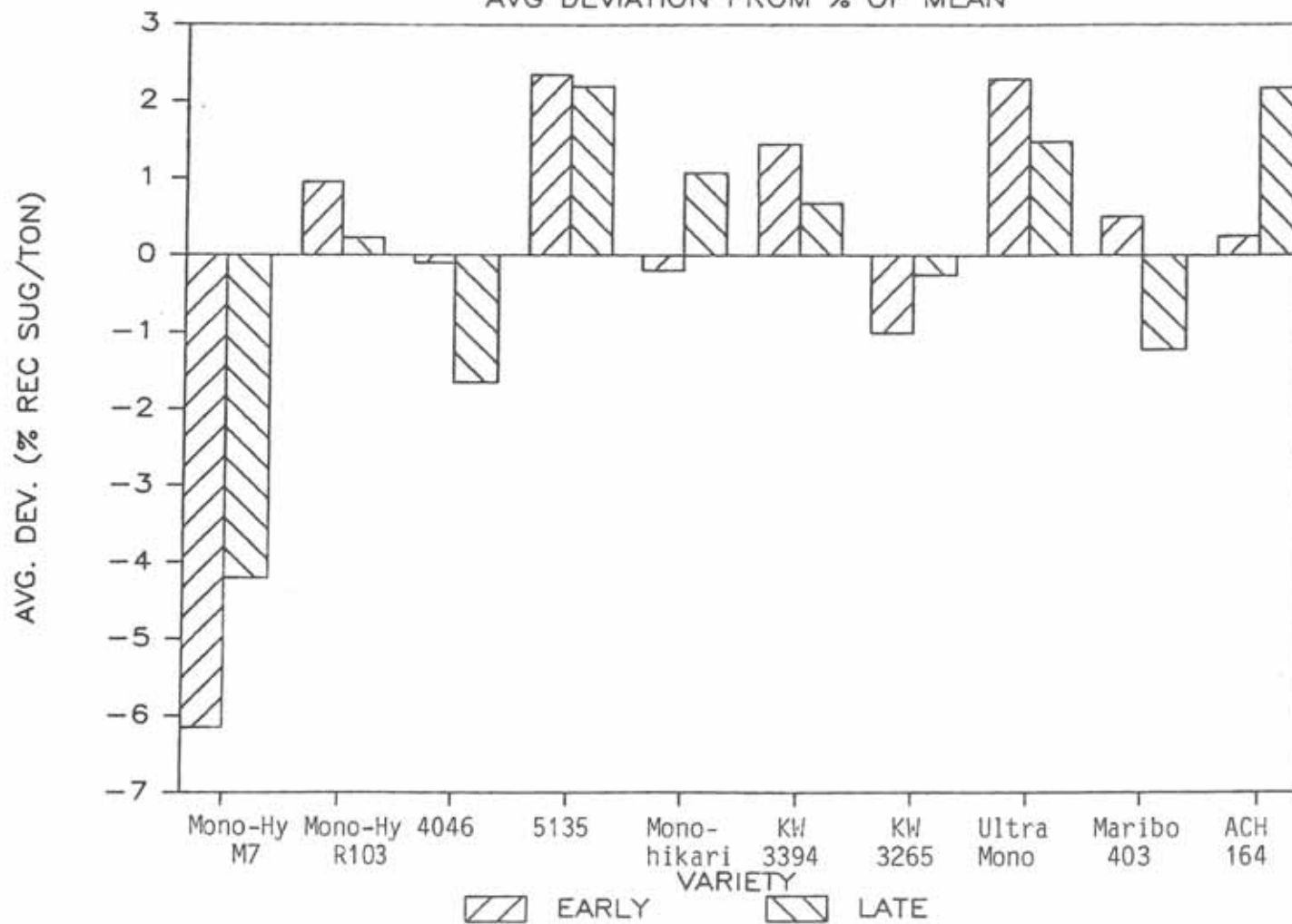


Figure 2. The average deviation from the mean for recoverable sugar per ton combined for 1985 and 1986.

Evaluation of Pelleted Sugarbeet Seed

Objective

Evaluate the effect of two (2) commercial sugarbeet pellets on emergence.

Experimental Procedures

The trials were established at Bird Island, Sacred Heart, and Clara City, Minnesota. Two commercial varieties (Ultramono and 3394) were treated with coatings from Germain and Seedcoat. Treatments of bare (seed with a fungicide treatment) and raw (seed without a fungicide treatment) were also used as a untreated check. The experiments were planted with a four (4) row nodet planter. The plots were four (4) 25 ft rows with a seed spacing of 2.5 inches. The seed bed was adequate and the seeds were planted to a depth of 1 (one) inch. The combinations are shown in table 1 and 2. The treatments were arranged in a randomized complete block design with six (6) replications. The trials were seeded on May 19, 28 and 30 at Bird Island, Sacred Heart, and Clara City, respectively. The final population was 130 plants per 100 feet. Stand counts were the average of a ten ft section of the center two (2) rows and were made on June 2 and June 9 at Bird Island, and June 2 at Sacred Heart.

Stand counts represent the total emergence and does not consider post emergence seedling disease.

Results and Discussion

Table 1 (Bird Island) and table 2 (Sacred Heart) shows the stand counts prior to thinning. The Clara City location received root rot damage and was not reported.

The pellet coatings did not improve stand counts over bare seed (Table 1 and Table 2) at either the Bird Island or Sacred Heart locations. Soil moisture throughout the growing season was excessive and therefore, this conclusion is specific for 1986 and may not hold true for years with different environmental conditions. The unusual variability in this experiment could well be associated to the excessive rainfall in 1986. It is also important to note that some planter types may have difficulty planting pelleted seed.

Table 2. Stand counts for pelleted sugarbeet seeds at Sacred Heart. For each column, values followed by the same letter are not significantly different (P. 0.05).

| <u>Treatment Averages Stand/10 ft.</u> | | |
|--|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| <u>TRT #</u> | | <u>Stand Count June 2, 1986</u> |
| 1 | KW 3394 Germain | 25.25 bc |
| 2 | KW 3394 Germain - Mini | 26.42 abc |
| 3 | KW 3394 Seedcoat | 22.17 c |
| 4 | KW 3394 Bareseed | 33.33 a |
| 5 | Ultramono Germain | 22.42 c |
| 6 | Ultramono Raw | 33.75 a |
| 7 | Ultramono Seedcoat | 23.92 bc |
| 8 | Ultramono Bareseed | 30.92 ab |
| | High | 33.33 |
| | Low | 22.17 |
| | Mean | 27.27 |
| | LSD (5%) | 7.04 |
| | Coeff of Var. | 17.40 |

Table 1. Stand counts for pelleted sugarbeet seeds at Bird Island. For each column, values followed by the same letter are not significantly different (P. 0.05).

| | | <u>Treatment Averages Stand/10 ft.</u> | |
|--------------|---------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
| <u>TRT #</u> | | <u>Stand Count June 2, 1986</u> | <u>Stand Count June 9, 1986</u> |
| 1 | KW 3394 Germain | 23.00 bc | 24.17 bc |
| 2 | KW 3394 Germain - Mini | 19.92 bc | 21.00 bc |
| 3 | KW 3394 Seedcoat | 19.08 c | 19.75 c |
| 4 | KW 3394 Bareseed | 27.00 ab | 29.33 ab |
| 5 | Ultramono Germain | 27.17 ab | 27.92 ab |
| 6 | Ultramono Raw | 32.67 a | 33.08 a |
| 7 | Ultramono Seedcoat | 21.58 bc | 22.42 bc |
| 8 | Ultramono Bareseed | 32.17 a | 33.00 a |
| | High | 32.67 | 33.08 |
| | Low | 19.08 | 19.75 |
| | Mean | 25.32 | 26.33 |
| | LSD (5%) | 6.55 | 6.77 |
| | Coeff of Var. | 17.41 | 17.41 |

Effect of Foliar Nitrogen on Sugarbeet Quality

Objective:

To Determine the effect of foliar applied nitrogen on subsequent quality.

Experimental Procedure

The experiment was located at Sacred Heart and treatments were 0, 7, 10, 15, and 20 lbs of 28% foliar applied Nitrogen. The experiment was a systematically arranged randomized complete block design with three (3) replications. The nitrogen was applied with 10 gallons carrier volume per acre on August 8, 1986. Two samples were taken on August 19 and September 6, 1986.

Results and Discussion

The samples were evaluated for levels of impurities and there was no evidence that impurity levels increased from additions foliar nitrogen (Tables 1 and 2). The results are similar to that found by Moraghan and Cattanach. None of treatments caused any leaf damage and field evaluations were made to see if the foliage "greened up"; however, no apparent color change took place as a result of the nitrogen application.

Table 1. Effect of foliar applied nitrogen on % sugar, potassium, sodium, harmful amino nitrogen and loss to molasses for the first sampling date, August 19. For each column, values followed by the same letter are not significantly different (5%).

| Treatment | | Tons/A | % Sugar | K | Na | HAN | LTM |
|----------------|--------|--------|---------|-------|------|------|-------|
| 1 | 0 lbs | 9.8a | 12.52a | 2626a | 198a | 192a | 1.24a |
| 2 | 7 lbs | 10.9a | 11.82a | 2739a | 271a | 192a | 1.31a |
| 3 | 10 lbs | 10.4a | 12.11a | 2682a | 223a | 171a | 1.24a |
| 4 | 15 lbs | 8.1a | 12.08a | 2733a | 172a | 196a | 1.27a |
| 5 | 20 lbs | 11.9a | 12.15a | 2510a | 205a | 193a | 1.20a |
| High | | 11.9 | 12.52 | 2739 | 271 | 196 | 1.31 |
| Low | | 8.1 | 11.82 | 2510 | 172 | 171 | 1.20 |
| Mean | | 10.2 | 12.13 | 2658 | 214 | 189 | 1.25 |
| LSD (5%) | | 9.6 | 2.53 | 455 | 164 | 90 | 0.28 |
| Coeff. of Var. | | 14.6 | 5.94 | 4.88 | 21.8 | 13.6 | 6.30 |

Table 2. Effect of foliar applied nitrogen on % sugar, potassium, sodium, harmful amino nitrogen and loss to molasses for the second sampling date, September 6. For each column, values followed by the same letter are not significantly different (5%).

| Treatment | | Tons/A | % Sugar | K | Na | HAN | LTM |
|----------------|--------|--------|---------|-------|------|------|-------|
| 1 | 0 lbs | 16.8a | 15.02a | 2638a | 117a | 115a | 1.10a |
| 2 | 7 lbs | 13.3a | 14.37a | 2657a | 197a | 139a | 1.18a |
| 3 | 10 lbs | 16.3a | 14.51a | 2781a | 185a | 154a | 1.24a |
| 4 | 15 lbs | 14.0a | 14.88a | 2587a | 157a | 150a | 1.15a |
| 5 | 20 lbs | 17.2a | 15.16a | 2383a | 154a | 138a | 1.07a |
| High | | 17.2 | 15.52 | 2781 | 197 | 154 | 1.24 |
| Low | | 13.3 | 13.64 | 2383 | 117 | 115 | 1.07 |
| Mean | | 15.5 | 14.79 | 2609 | 162 | 139 | 1.15 |
| LSD (5%) | | 7.2 | 2.01 | 535 | 212 | 80 | 0.33 |
| Coeff. of Var. | | 13.19 | 3.86 | 5.83 | 37.3 | 16.4 | 8.27 |

Survey of Root Rot Soil Samples

Objective:

Obtain a basis for common characteristics associated to root rot infested fields.

Procedure

Samples were taken from root rot infested fields throughout the growing area. Paired samples were taken from an infested area and an unaffected area adjacent to the first sample. These samples were tested for many different characteristics (Table 1).

Results and Discussion

Soil pH was consistently lower in the root rot affected soil samples. Iron (Fe) and actual Ma was higher in all root rot samples. Although these trends were identified there is evidence that the observation made in the SMSC growing area made may not hold true in other sugarbeet areas. These samples were taken in 1986 and more sampling is needed to develop a larger data base of information.

| SATATION | ROOT ROT | OM% | Ph | SOIL SALINE | Na | CEC | P | K | Ma | Ca | S | Zn | Fe | Mn | Cu | Act Ca | Act Ma | Act K | Act Na |
|------------------|-------------|------|-----|----------------|----|------|-----|------|------|-------|----|-------|------|------|------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|
| MILAN #1 | YES | 4.0% | 7.1 | 0.37 | 48 | 23.1 | 26 | 261 | 1260 | 7000 | 3 | 1.49 | 56.3 | 67.5 | 1.43 | 75.7 | 22.7 | 1.4 | 0.4 |
| MILAN #1 | NO | 4.1% | 7.5 | 0.46 | 46 | 23.9 | 45 | 463 | 1260 | 7200 | 4 | 3.76 | 17.6 | 10.0 | 0.90 | 75.3 | 21.9 | 2.4 | 0.4 |
| MILAN #2 | NO | 3.4% | 7.7 | 0.40 | 42 | 30.4 | 21 | 291 | 1020 | 10300 | 3 | 1.57 | 22.0 | 22.5 | 1.13 | 84.7 | 13.9 | 1.2 | 0.3 |
| MILAN #2 | YES | 4.9% | 7.0 | 0.49 | 73 | 26.7 | 44 | 331 | 1790 | 7500 | 5 | 4.38 | 28.5 | 20.3 | 0.96 | 70.2 | 27.9 | 1.5 | 0.5 |
| REVILLE #1 | NO | 2.4% | 7.8 | 0.32 | 40 | 32.0 | 31 | 168 | 710 | 11500 | 2 | 1.35 | 8.8 | 8.0 | 0.91 | 89.8 | 9.2 | 0.7 | 0.2 |
| REVILLE #1 | YES | 3.3% | 7.0 | 0.30 | 58 | 20.8 | 88 | 223 | 1180 | 6200 | 2 | 1.72 | 32.0 | 18.5 | 0.92 | 74.5 | 23.6 | 1.3 | 0.6 |
| CLARA CITY #1 | NO | 3.6% | 7.6 | 0.39 | 24 | 31.8 | 58 | 190 | 800 | 11300 | 3 | 1.88 | 11.7 | 8.6 | 0.94 | 88.8 | 10.4 | 0.7 | 0.1 |
| CLARA CITY #1 | YES | 3.9% | 6.5 | 0.27 | 54 | 20.8 | 35 | 225 | 1000 | 6500 | 10 | 1.56 | 52.0 | 27.8 | 1.05 | 78.1 | 20.0 | 1.3 | 0.5 |
| BIRD ISLAND #1 | NO | 5.5% | 7.6 | 0.47 | 43 | 38.4 | 50 | 375 | 1120 | 13300 | 3 | 3.49 | 24.5 | 14.2 | 1.03 | 86.5 | 12.1 | 1.2 | 0.2 |
| BIRD ISLAND #1 | YES | 5.8% | 6.9 | 0.35 | 62 | 28.9 | 95 | 402 | 1520 | 8800 | 3 | 4.11 | 41.0 | 19.7 | 0.94 | 76.1 | 21.9 | 1.7 | 0.4 |
| BIRD ISLAND #2 | NO | 4.6% | 6.9 | 0.50 | 39 | 23.6 | 17 | 203 | 1270 | 7200 | 3 | 1.09 | 46.9 | 28.2 | 1.09 | 76.2 | 22.4 | 1.1 | 0.3 |
| BIRD ISLAND #2 | YES | 4.4% | 6.5 | 0.33 | 46 | 21.3 | 23 | 216 | 1260 | 6300 | 3 | 1.13 | 63.7 | 42.2 | 1.31 | 73.9 | 24.6 | 1.3 | 0.4 |
| BIRD ISLAND #3 | NO | 7.4% | 7.6 | 0.50 | 56 | 35.0 | 122 | 491 | 1520 | 11200 | 4 | 12.26 | 18.6 | 7.1 | 1.50 | 80.0 | 18.0 | 1.7 | 0.3 |
| BIRD ISLAND #3 | YES | 5.8% | 7.2 | 0.45 | 60 | 27.5 | 128 | 481 | 1810 | 7700 | 5 | 6.80 | 51.3 | 19.1 | 1.22 | 69.9 | 27.4 | 2.2 | 0.4 |
| BIRD ISLAND #4 | NO | 6.5% | 7.2 | 0.54 | 50 | 28.2 | 49 | 441 | 1710 | 8200 | 4 | 2.04 | 21.2 | 10.6 | 0.95 | 72.6 | 25.2 | 2.0 | 0.3 |
| BIRD ISLAND #4 | YES | 6.5% | 7.0 | 0.50 | 68 | 32.5 | 52 | 402 | 2320 | 8900 | 4 | 2.00 | 24.7 | 8.6 | 1.07 | 68.4 | 29.7 | 1.5 | 0.4 |
| HECTOR #1 | NO | 4.4% | 7.8 | 0.30 | 21 | 31.4 | 50 | 473 | 790 | 11000 | 3 | 1.82 | 13.5 | 8.9 | 0.72 | 87.5 | 10.4 | 1.9 | 0.1 |
| HECTOR #1 | YES | 4.5% | 7.8 | 0.30 | 31 | 23.8 | 150 | 1206 | 1130 | 7000 | 5 | 2.47 | 36.6 | 15.2 | 1.02 | 73.5 | 19.7 | 6.4 | 0.2 |
| HECTOR #2 | NO | 3.5% | 7.7 | 0.35 | 40 | 31.2 | 45 | 212 | 1420 | 10000 | 4 | 1.81 | 9.0 | 5.1 | 0.81 | 80.1 | 18.9 | 0.8 | 0.2 |
| HECTOR #2 | YES | 3.4% | 7.4 | 0.40 | 53 | 24.6 | 63 | 234 | 1370 | 7400 | 5 | 1.26 | 18.0 | 14.4 | 0.98 | 75.2 | 23.2 | 1.2 | 0.4 |
| HECTOR #3 | NO | 5.2% | 7.8 | 0.34 | 29 | 35.2 | 23 | 114 | 1220 | 12000 | 3 | 0.67 | 11.0 | 3.9 | 0.65 | 85.2 | 14.4 | 0.4 | 0.1 |
| HECTOR #3 | YES | 4.6% | 7.4 | 0.30 | 26 | 24.9 | 34 | 268 | 1270 | 7700 | 5 | 0.81 | 11.3 | 4.3 | 0.60 | 77.3 | 21.2 | 1.3 | 0.2 |
| MAYNARD #1 | NO | 4.5% | 7.6 | 0.37 | 53 | 32.5 | 50 | 391 | 1240 | 10700 | 7 | 1.02 | 14.5 | 8.7 | 0.97 | 82.3 | 15.8 | 1.5 | 0.3 |
| MAYNARD #1 | YES | 5.5% | 6.5 | 0.33 | 62 | 19.5 | 59 | 442 | 1230 | 5500 | 3 | 1.43 | 58.7 | 30.6 | 1.08 | 70.5 | 26.2 | 2.9 | 0.6 |
| REDWOOD FALLS #1 | NO | 3.8% | 7.3 | 0.29 | 34 | 21.6 | 66 | 433 | 900 | 6900 | 4 | 0.83 | 31.8 | 53.2 | 0.84 | 79.8 | 17.3 | 2.5 | 0.3 |
| REDWOOD FALLS #1 | YES | 4.3% | 6.6 | 0.33 | 46 | 20.6 | 64 | 337 | 980 | 6400 | 3 | 1.19 | 61.6 | 40.8 | 0.78 | 77.6 | 19.8 | 2.0 | 0.4 |
| RENVILLE #2 | NO | 3.4% | 7.5 | 0.40 | 41 | 25.2 | 43 | 193 | 1240 | 7900 | 3 | 1.65 | 18.8 | 16.6 | 1.15 | 78.3 | 20.5 | 0.9 | 0.3 |
| RENVILLE #2 | YES | 3.4% | 7.4 | 0.34 | 73 | 23.0 | 28 | 174 | 1350 | 6800 | 3 | 1.44 | 76.6 | 91.2 | 2.31 | 73.9 | 24.4 | 0.9 | 0.6 |
| BIRD ISLAND #5 | NO | 3.8% | 7.6 | 0.37 | 30 | 19.6 | 37 | 308 | 710 | 6500 | 3 | 2.14 | 31.2 | 10.4 | 0.85 | 82.9 | 15.0 | 2.0 | 0.3 |
| BIRD ISLAND #5 | YES | 3.0% | 6.9 | 0.30 | 71 | 17.1 | 36 | 184 | 1080 | 4900 | 3 | 1.29 | 32.3 | 19.7 | 0.74 | 71.6 | 26.3 | 1.3 | 0.9 |
| RHEINGANS | YES | 5.5% | 6.1 | 0.42 | 44 | 23.1 | 103 | 600 | 1680 | 6100 | 4 | 1.93 | 73.3 | 40.2 | 1.20 | 66.0 | 30.3 | 3.3 | 0.4 |

Table 1. Soil test results from sampled fields infested with root rot.

Disease Index Summary of 1986

Introduction

A remote weather station was installed in a sugarbeet field 1 mile north of Renville. This station monitored: temperature, RH, and leaf wetness on an hourly basis. The recorded data were used in a Cercospora computer model developed by Shane and Teng of The University of Minnesota.

The purpose of this program was to give the grower an indication of a high probability of leaf spot infection. The predictive nature of leaf spot lead to the development of a model, using temperature, RH, and time. Sugarbeet fields are highly variable in spore number, consequently, the model should be used in conjunction with field disease monitoring. The data are presented in Figures 1,2,3 and 4.

Results

The growing season of 1986 had relatively few days at which the disease index value was in the favorable category (greater than 6-7 for 2 day total or 3-4 on single day) (Figure 1). The few incidences of favorable conditions resulted in a relatively small occurrence of Cercospora. Usually if a particular day had high relative humidity the temperatures were low and visa versa. The spores require high RH (90% to free moisture) and high temperatures (65-80°) and that combination did not develop very often during the 1986 growing season.

Three or four infectious periods occurred during the growing season; July 15-16, July 27, August 14 and Aug 19. Daily temperatures and relative humidity values were not in the optimum range for a substantial period for sporulation and germination to occur, and allow leaf spot to develop to a significant degree

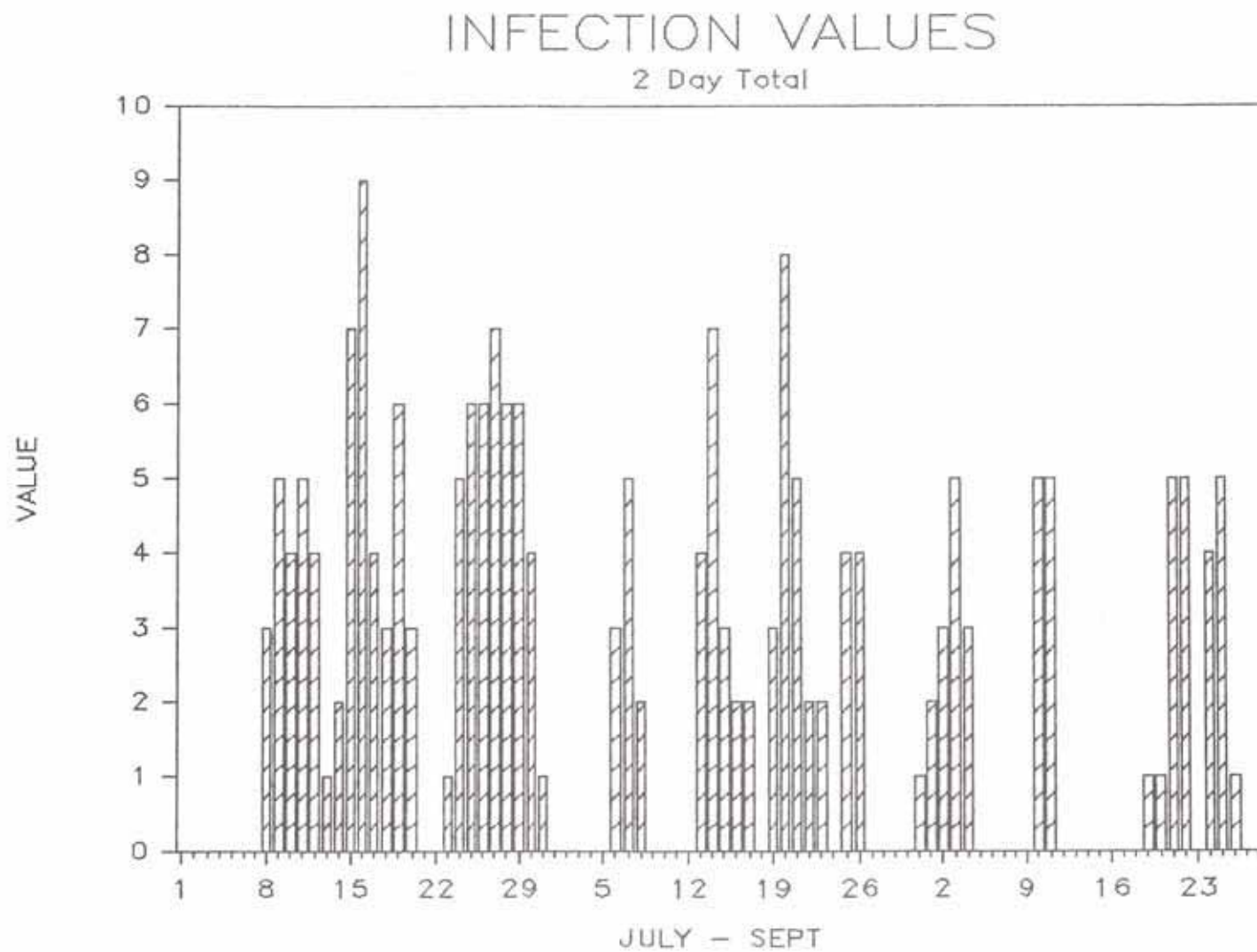


Figure 1. Two day total infection values from July through September 1986.

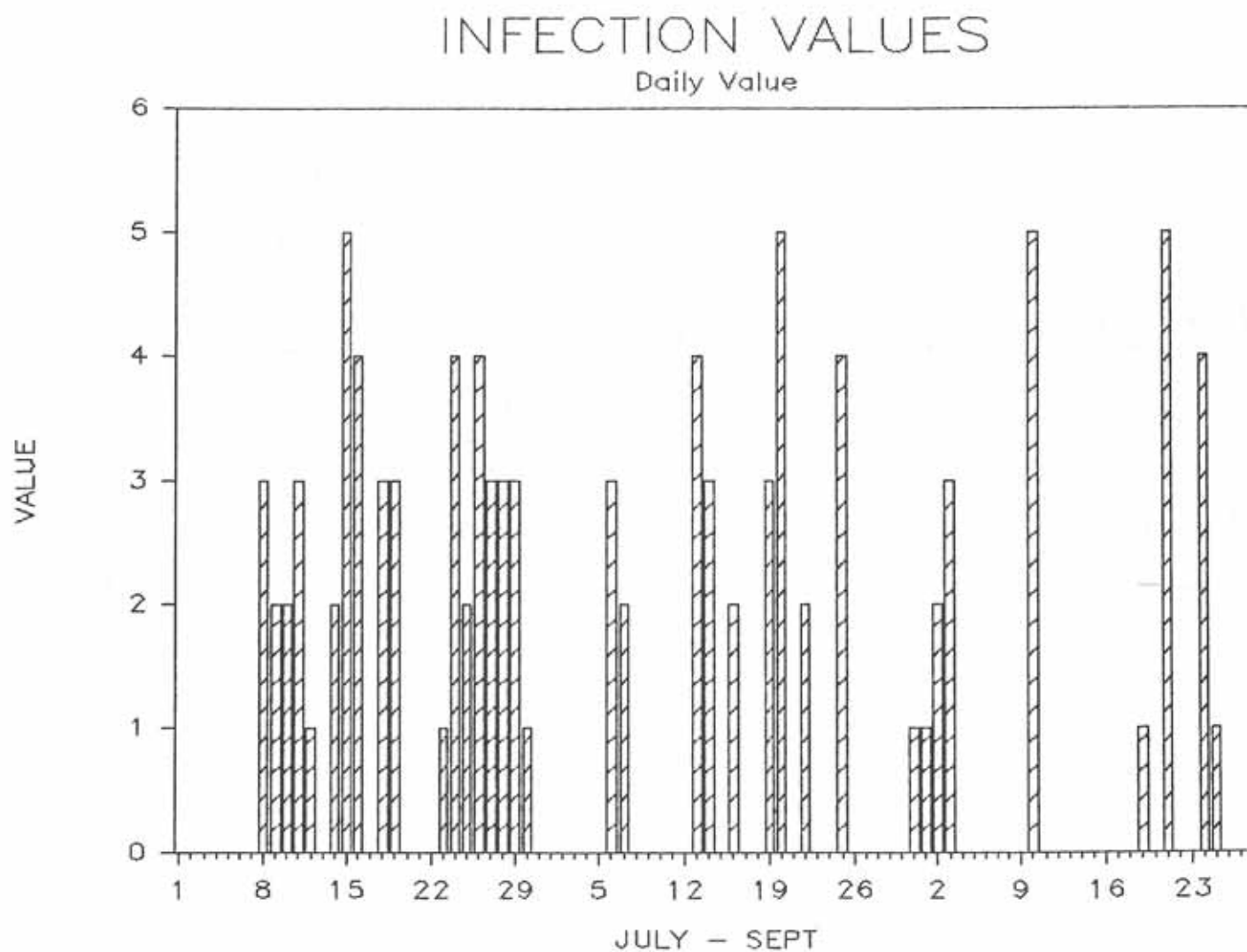


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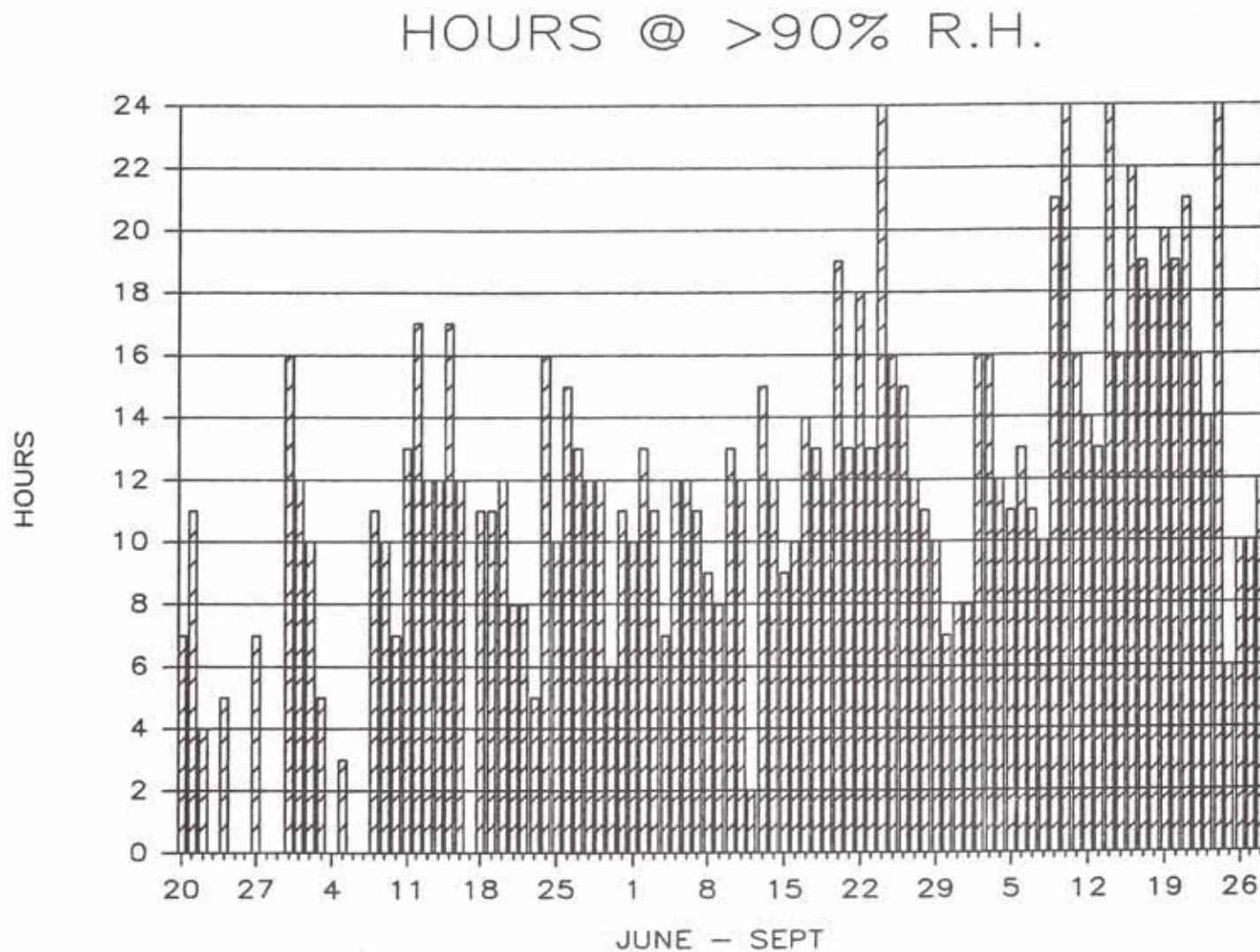


Figure 3. The total number of hours at which the relative humidity was over 90% for June through September 1986.

AVERAGE TEMPERATURE @ >90% R.H.

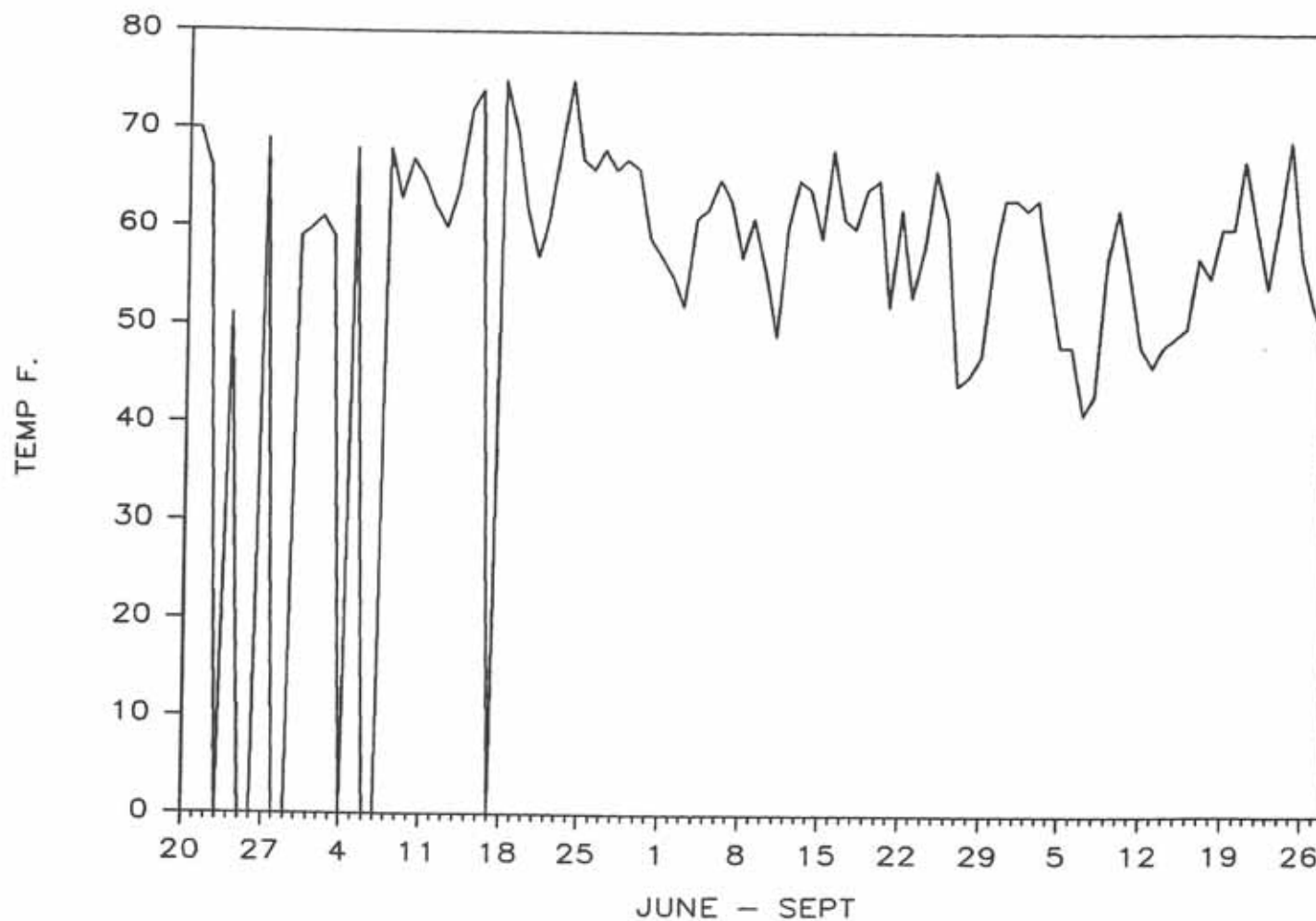


Figure 4. The average temperature at which the relative humidity was over 90% for June through September 1986.

Effect of Chlorine on Sugarbeets

Objective:

Evaluate root rot disease and quality in sugarbeets from the additions of chlorine.

Experimental Procedures

Three locations were chosen for their potential of root rot. The locations were Olivia, Bird Island, and Hector. The experiment consisted of an untreated check, KCl at 50 and 100 lbs applied and CaCl at 50 and 100 lbs applied. The experiment was a randomized complete block design with six (6) replications. The trials were planted May 10, 1986, May 19, 1986, and June 4, 1986, at Bird Island, Olivia, and Hector, respectively.

Results and Discussion

The trials were evaluated throughout the summer to determine if any tolerance could be detected to root rot. There was no evidence that Chlorine increased the tolerance of sugarbeet to root rot (data not presented). The additions of even 100 lbs applied chlorine expressed no significant difference in root rot activity.

Chlorine is an impurity in sugarbeets and could have an effect on loss to molasses. The effect of additions of chlorine were evaluated and are presented in Table 1. No significant difference was evident in additions of 100 lbs of either KCl or CaCl in loss to molasses.

Table 1. Effect of 100 lbs applied chlorine on % sugar, potassium, sodium, harmful amino nitrogen and loss to molasses. For each column, values followed by the same letter are not significantly different (5%).

| Treatment | | % Sugar | K | Na | HAN | LTM |
|----------------|-------|---------|-------|------|------|-------|
| 1 | Check | 14.67a | 2639a | 267a | 96a | 1.15a |
| 2 | KCl | 14.37a | 3319a | 220a | 98a | 1.36a |
| 3 | CaCl | 15.40a | 2598a | 212a | 83a | 1.09a |
| High | | 15.40 | 3319 | 267 | 98 | 1.36 |
| Low | | 14.37 | 2598 | 212 | 83 | 1.09 |
| Mean | | 14.79 | 2852 | 233 | 92 | 1.20 |
| LSD (5%) | | 2.09 | 1620 | 306 | 63 | 0.51 |
| Coeff. of Var. | | 4.02 | 16.16 | 37 | 19.3 | 11.99 |

Fungicide Applications based on the Cercospora Model

Objective:

To evaluate the effect of fungicide applications at labeled intervals and also intervals based on the disease index value of the Cercospora Model.

Experimental Procedure

The experiment was established at Sacred Heart. The treatments were Supertin at 8 oz/acre on a 14 day interval, Supertin at 8 oz/acre based on disease index values, and Dithane FZ at 1 quart/acre on a 10 day interval. The experiment had three (3) replications and was a randomized complete block design. The spray dates are as follows:

| <u>Supertin (14 day)</u> | <u>Supertin (Model)</u> | <u>Dithane (10 day)</u> |
|--------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| 7/31/86 | 7/31/86 | 7/31/86 |
| 8/15/86 | 8/15/86 | 8/11/86 |
| 8/29/86 | | 8/22/86 |

Results and Discussion

The experiment was evaluated throughout the spray period. There was no evidence of leaf spot, even in the untreated check. These results are typical of the growing area as Cercospora infections were limited to isolated areas and were not very widespread in 1986. To better evaluate the merits of the Cercospora prediction system similar experiments of this nature will continue in 1987.

Weather Data For 1986

The following is summary of the weather data for the 1986 growing season.

- Figure 1. Comparative rainfall amounts between April and November for Morris (Mor.), Hutchinson (Hut.), Willmar (Wil.), Olivia (Ol.), and Redwood Falls (RWF) for 1986.
- Figure 2. Total rainfall amounts between April and November for Morris (Mor.), Hutchinson (Hut.), Willmar (Wil.), Olivia (Ol.), and Redwood Falls (RWF) for 1986.
- Figure 3. The maximum, minimum and average relative humidity summary for June 1986.
- Figure 4. The maximum, minimum and average relative humidity summary for July 1986.
- Figure 5. The maximum, minimum and average relative humidity summary for August 1986.
- Figure 6. The maximum, minimum and average relative humidity summary for September 1986.
- Figure 7. The maximum, minimum and average relative humidity summary for October 1986.
- Figure 8. The maximum, minimum and average temperature summary for June 1986.
- Figure 9. The maximum, minimum and average temperature summary for July 1986.
- Figure 10. The maximum, minimum and average temperature summary for August 1986.
- Figure 11. The maximum, minimum and average temperature summary for September 1986.
- Figure 12. The maximum, minimum and average temperature summary for October 1986.

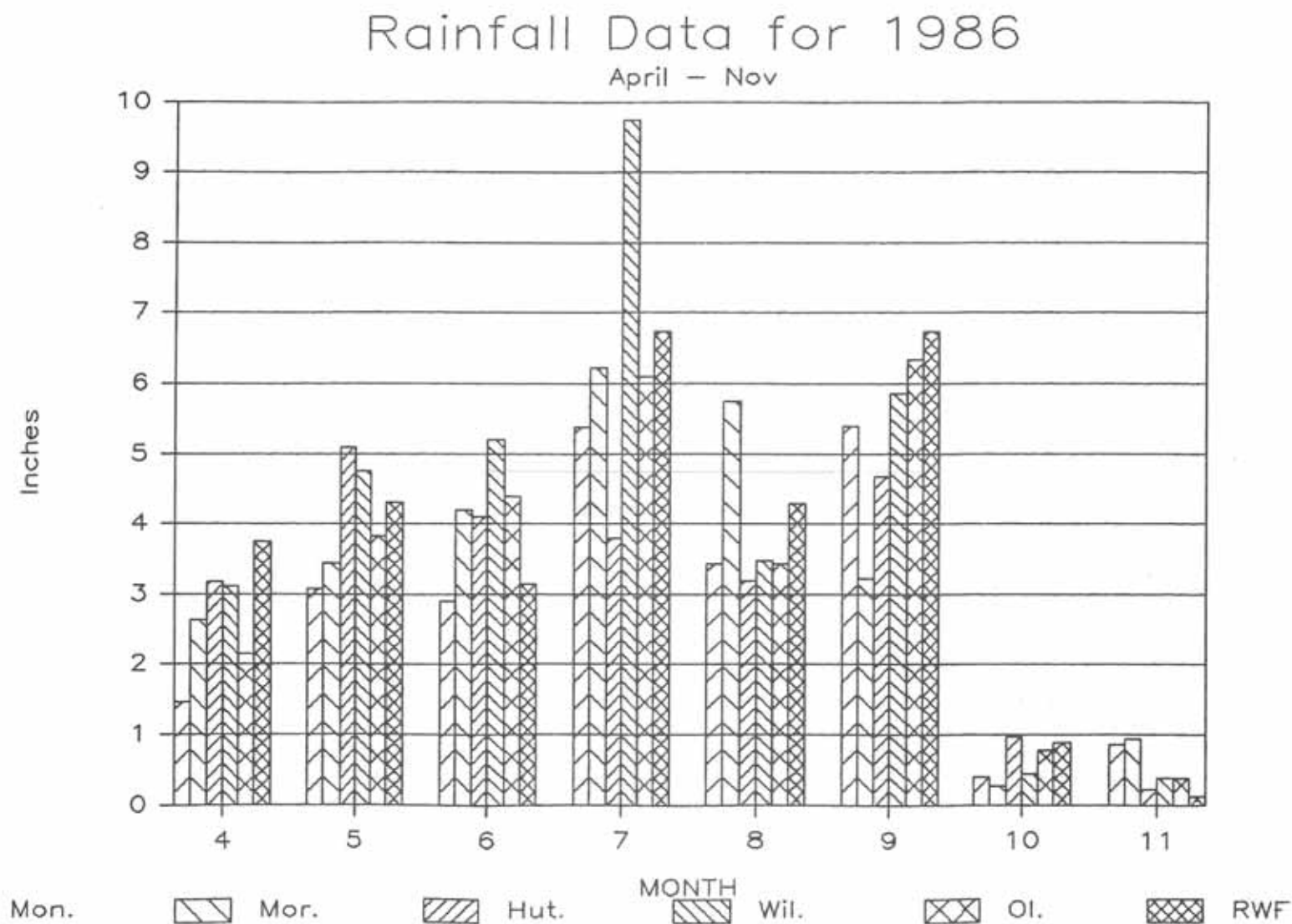


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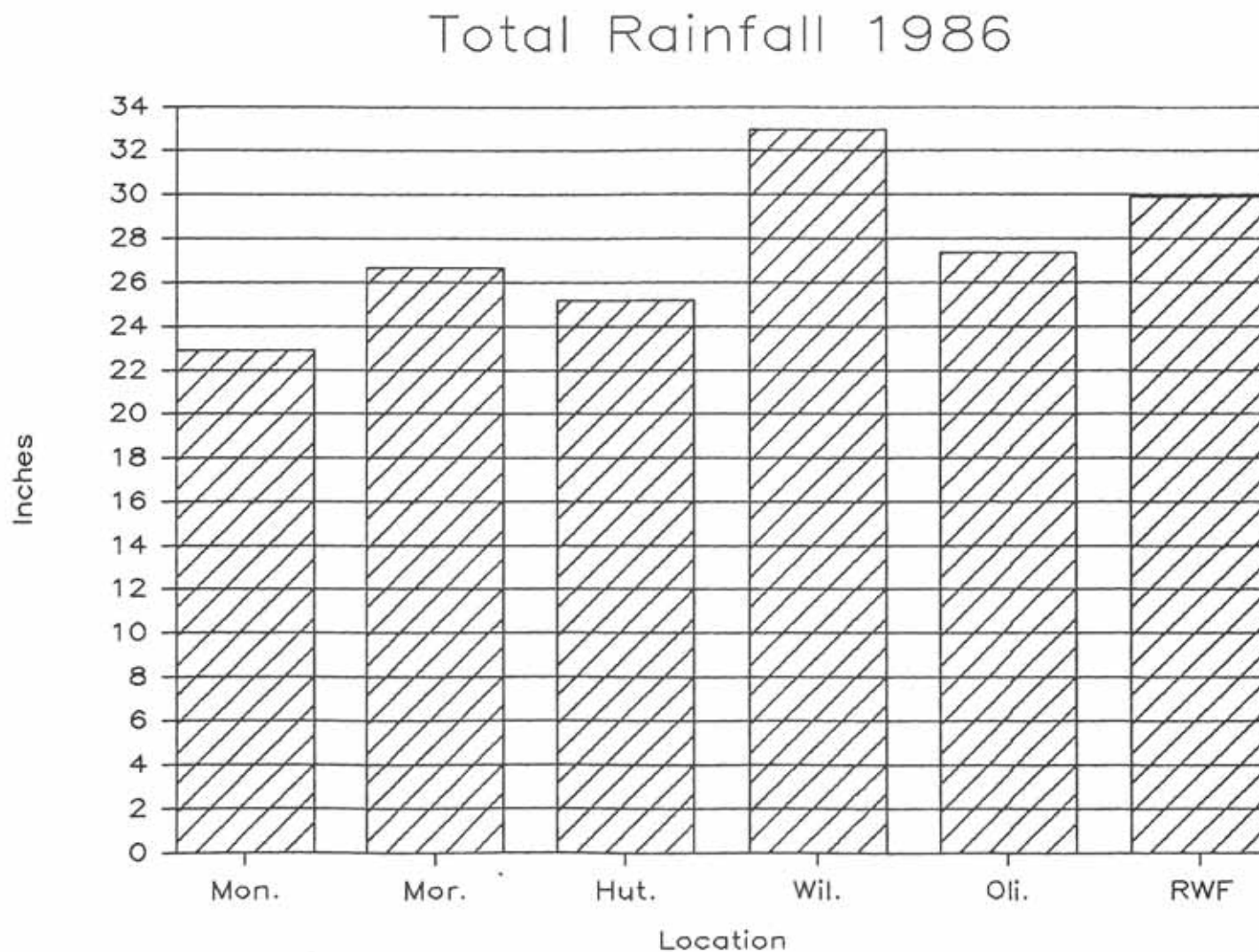


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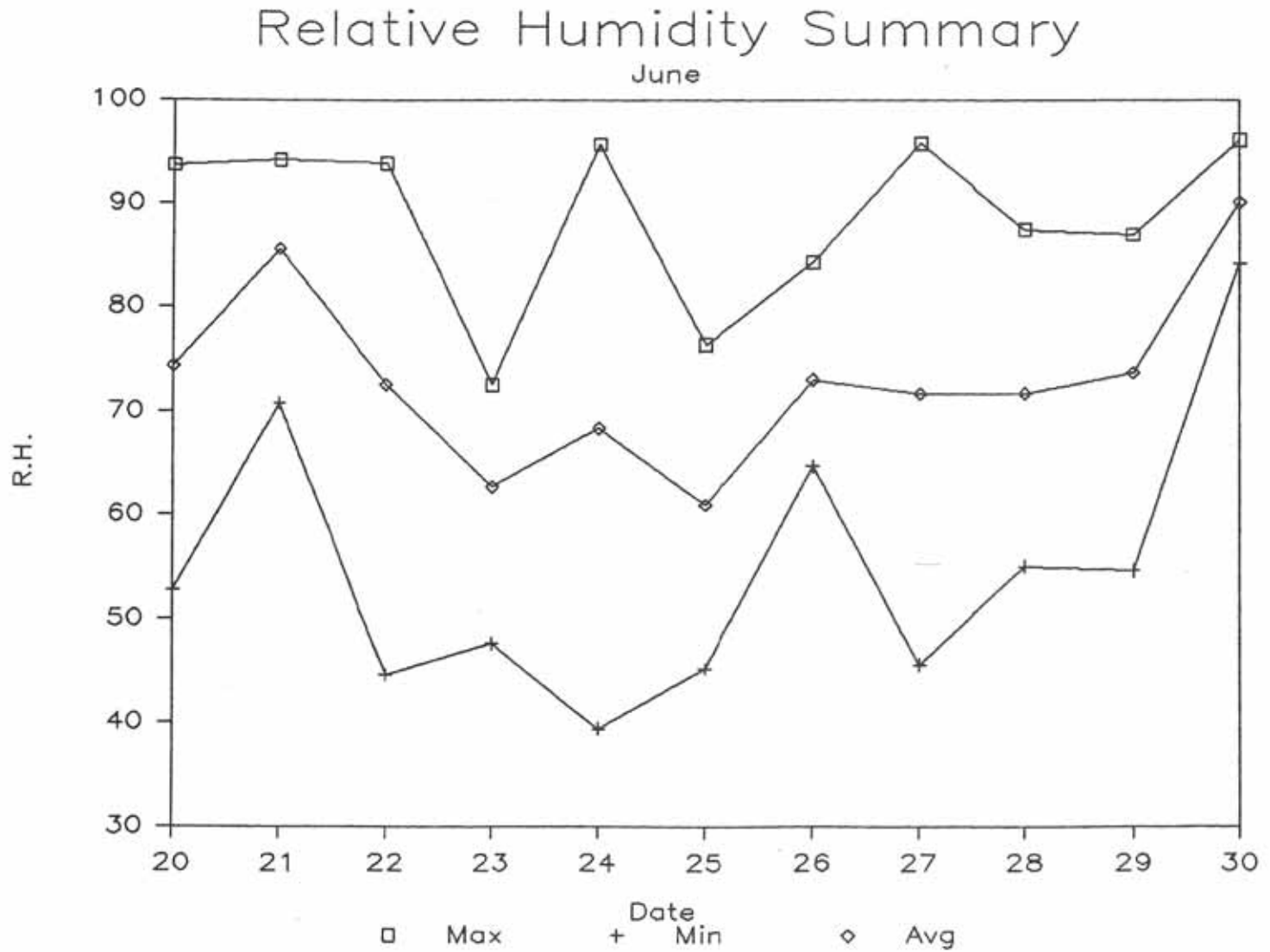


Figure 3. The maximum, minimum and average relative humidity summary for June 1986.

Relative Humidity Summary

July

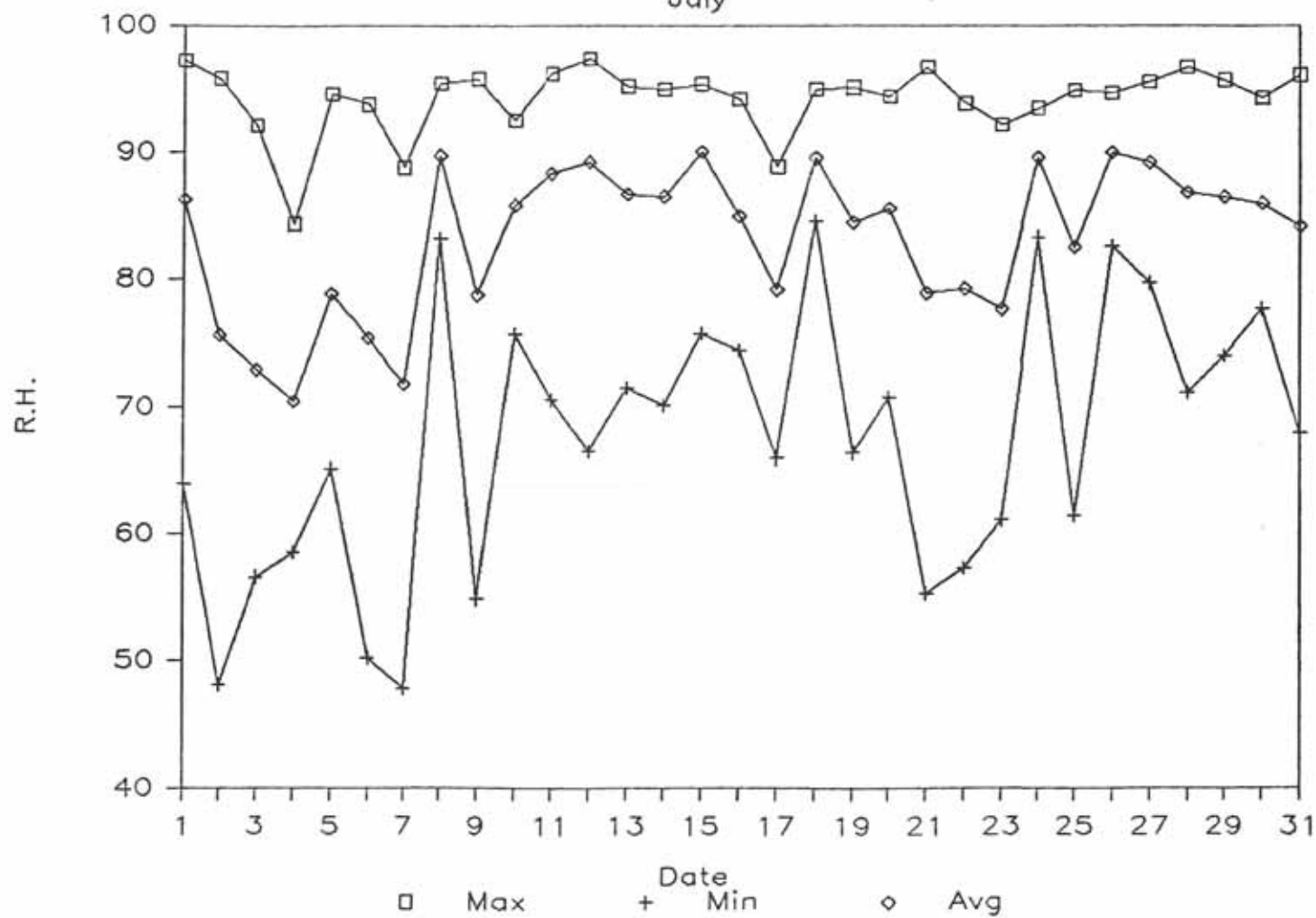


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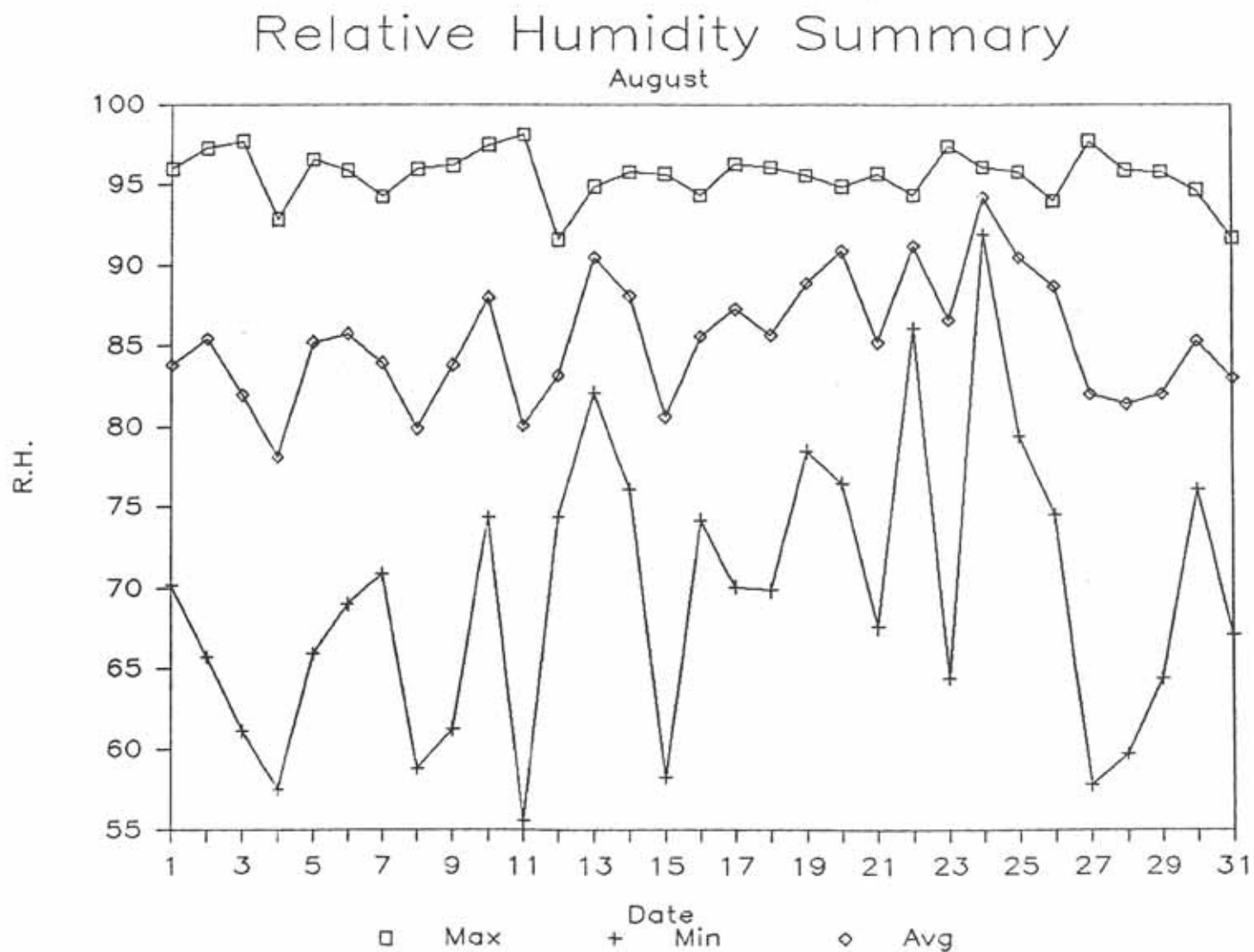


Figure 5. The maximum, minimum and average relative humidity summary for August 1986.

Relative Humidity Summary

September

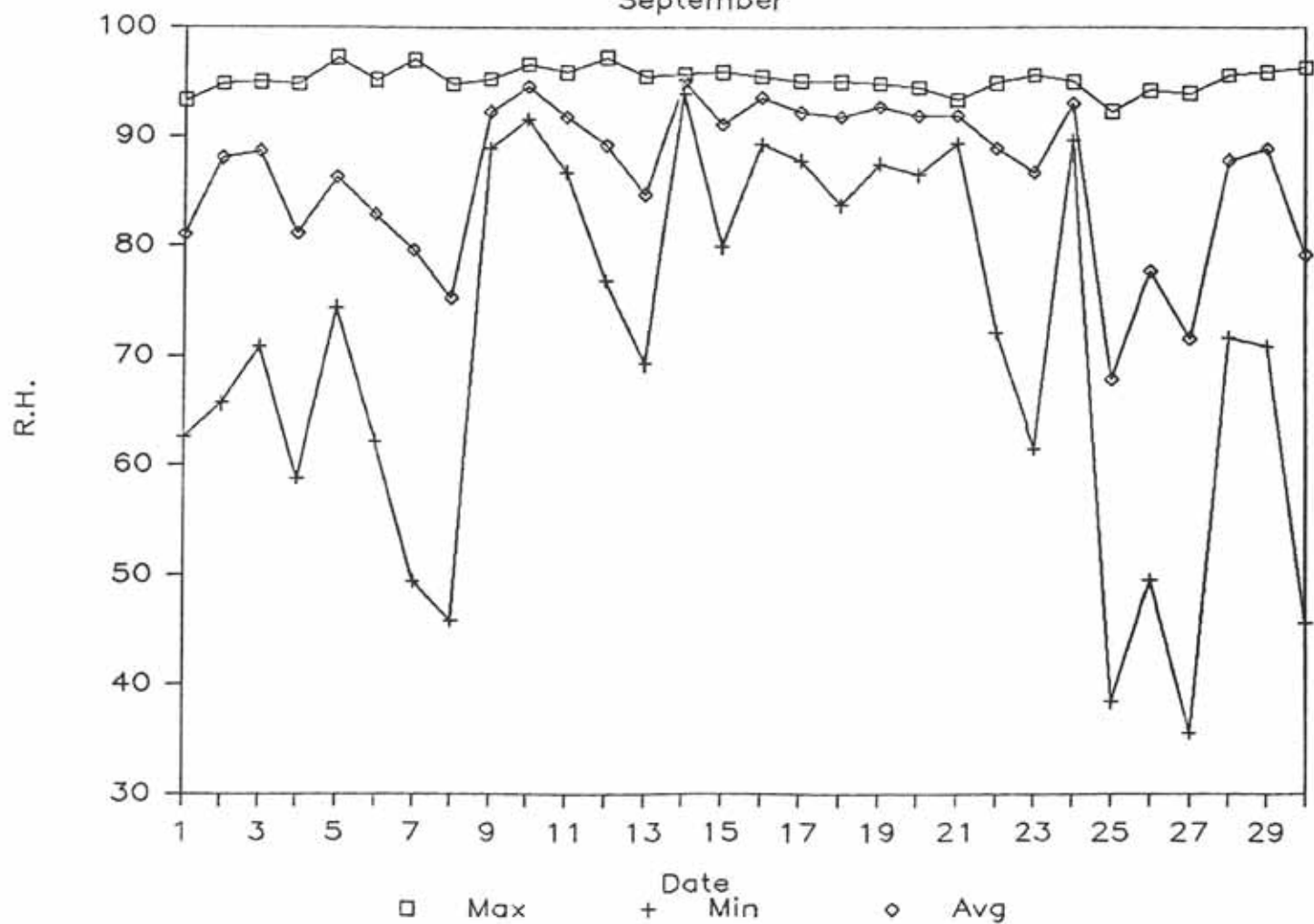


Figure 6. The maximum, minimum and average relative humidity summary for September 1986.

Relative Humidity Summary

October

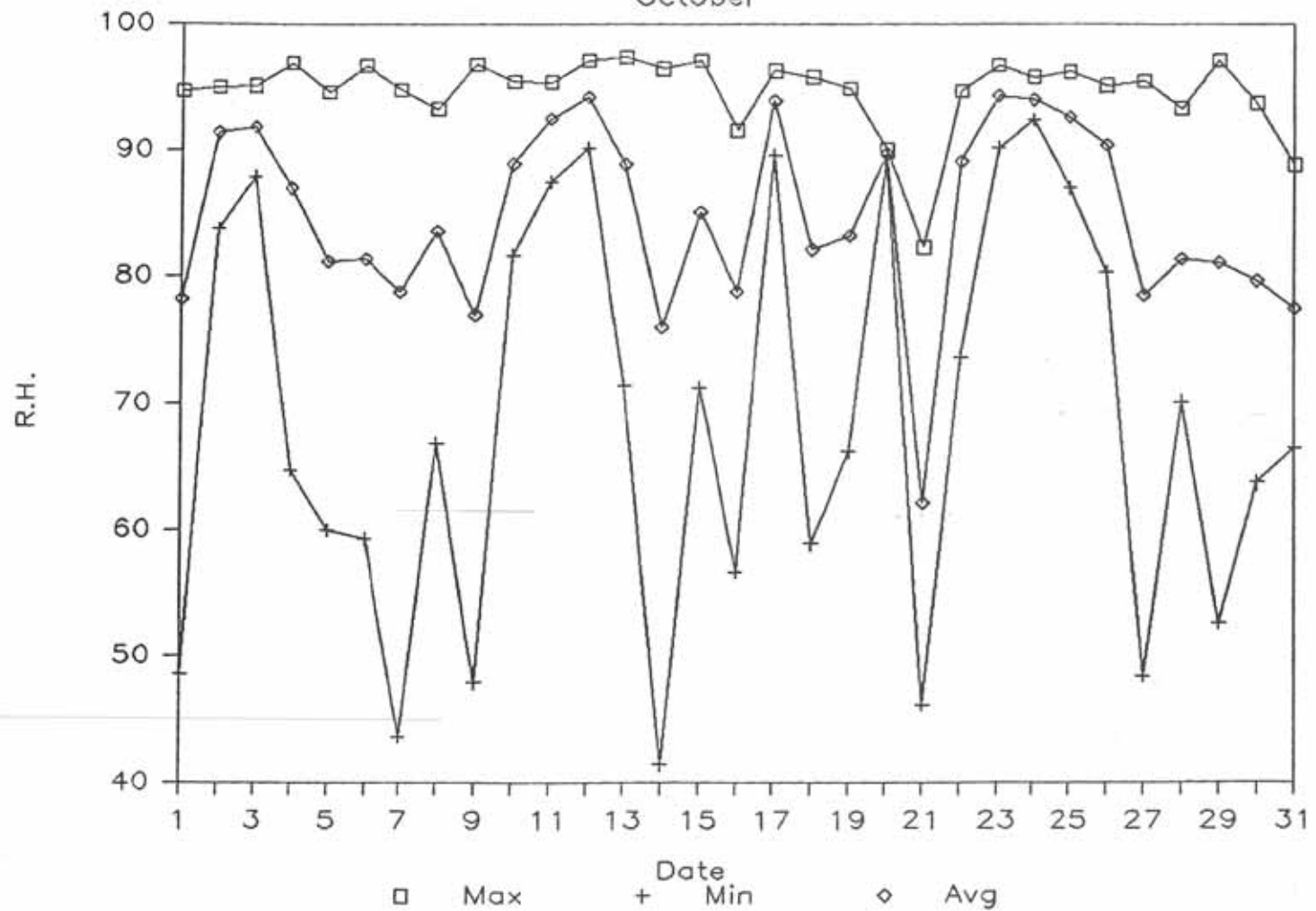


Figure 7. The maximum, minimum and average relative humidity summary for October 1986.

Temperature Summary

June

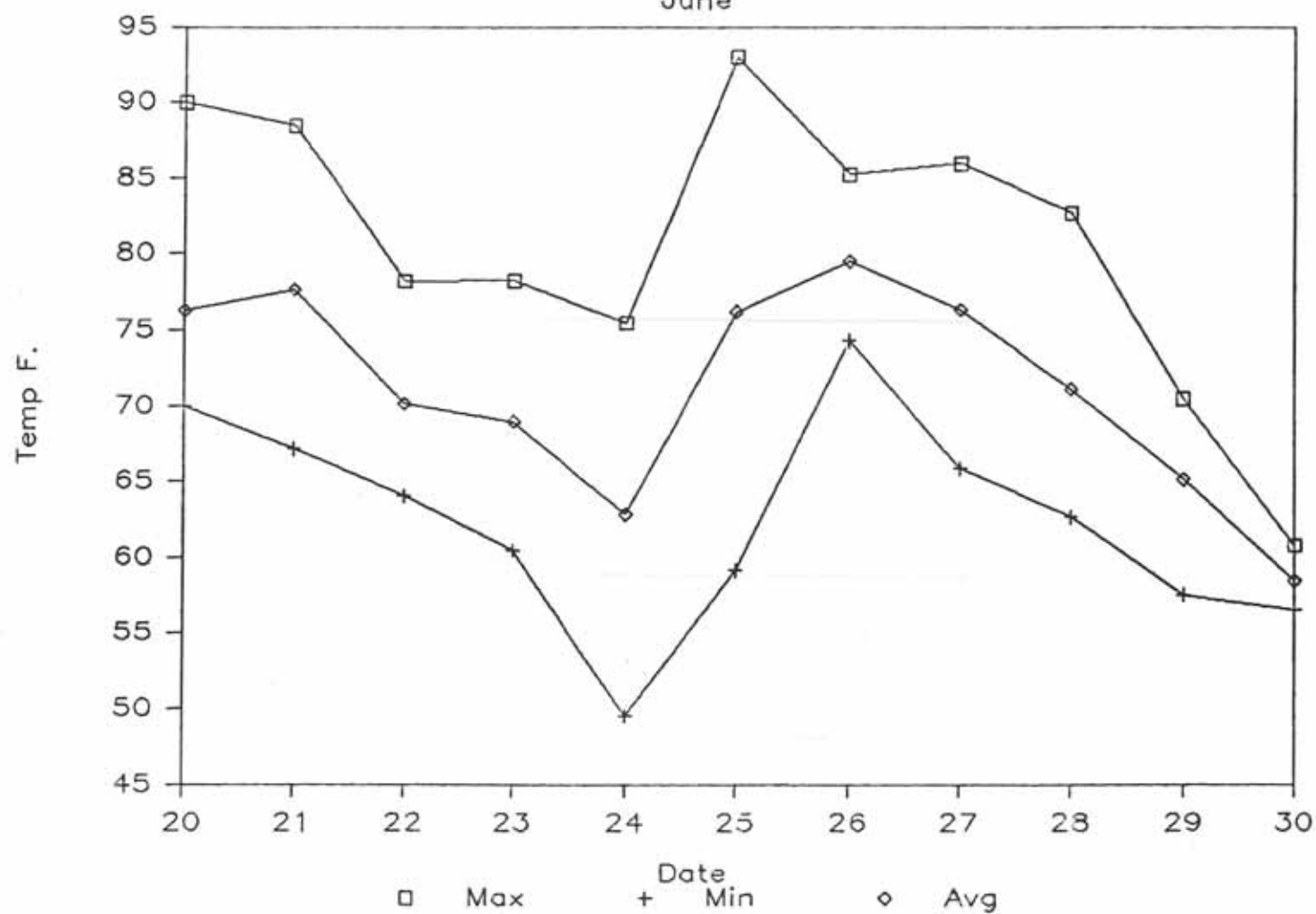


Figure 8. The maximum, minimum and average temperature summary for June 1986.

Temperature Summary

July

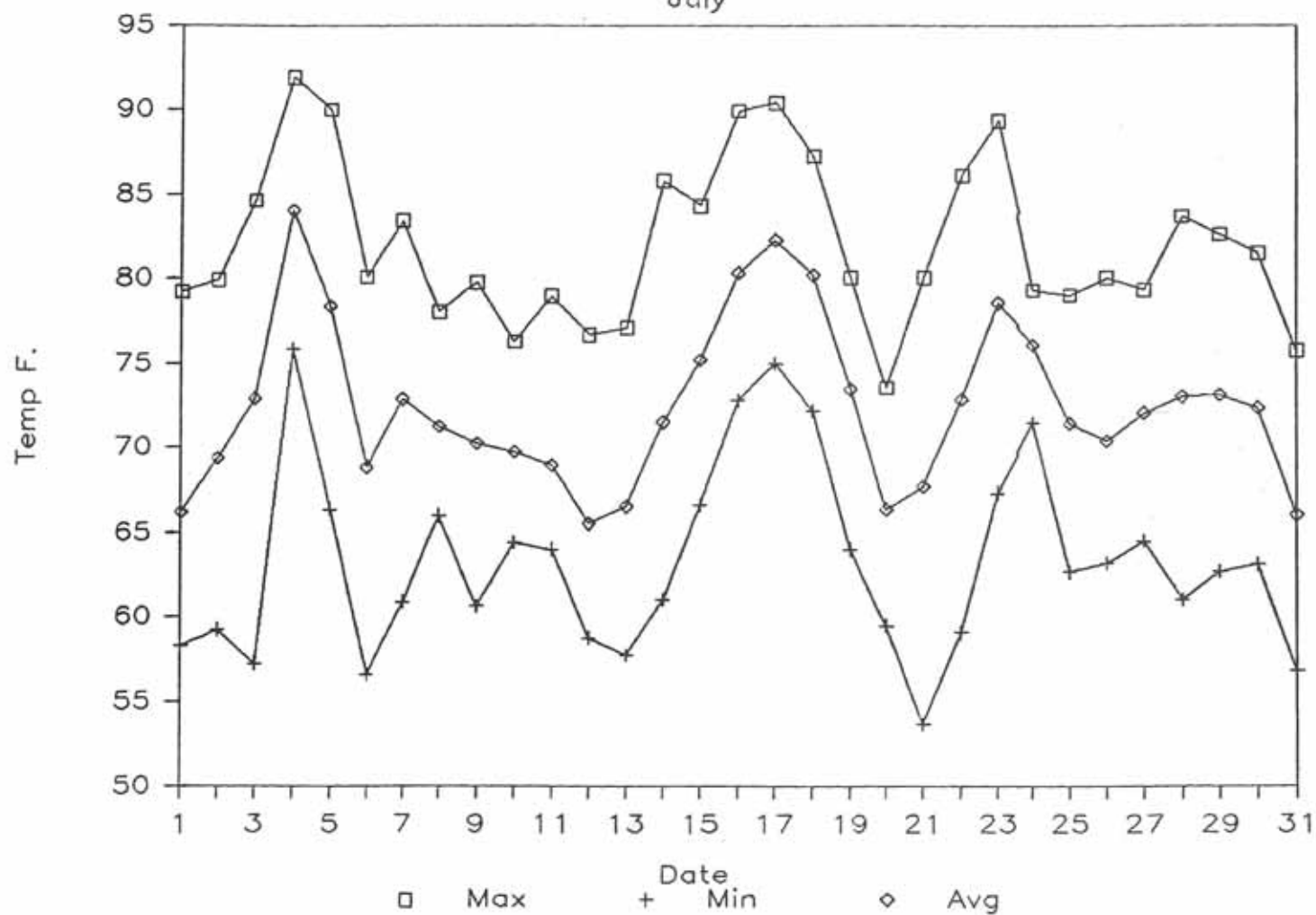


Figure 9. The maximum, minimum and average temperature summary for July 1986.

Temperature Summary

August

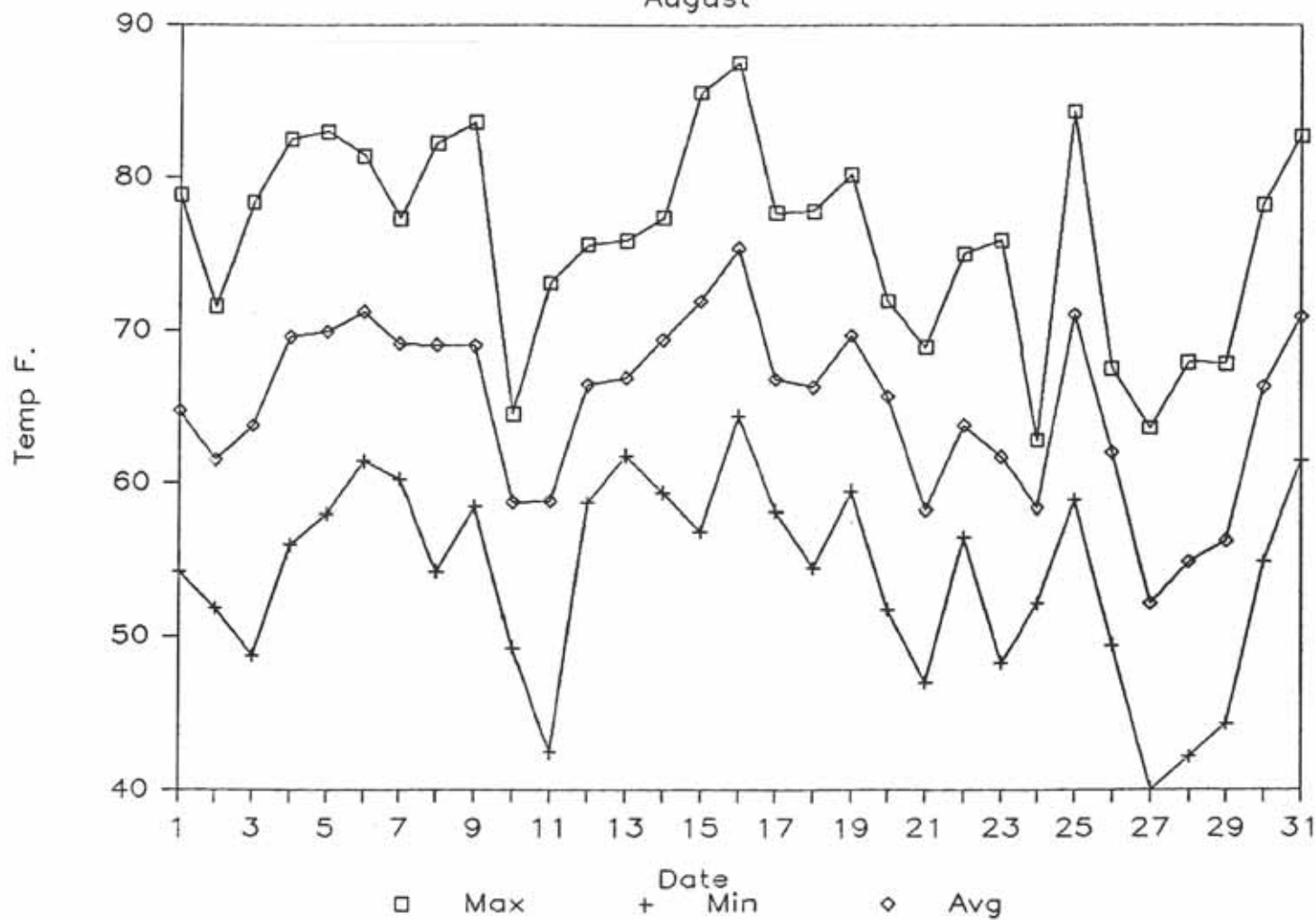


Figure 10. The maximum, minimum and average temperature summary for August 1986.

Temperature Summary

September

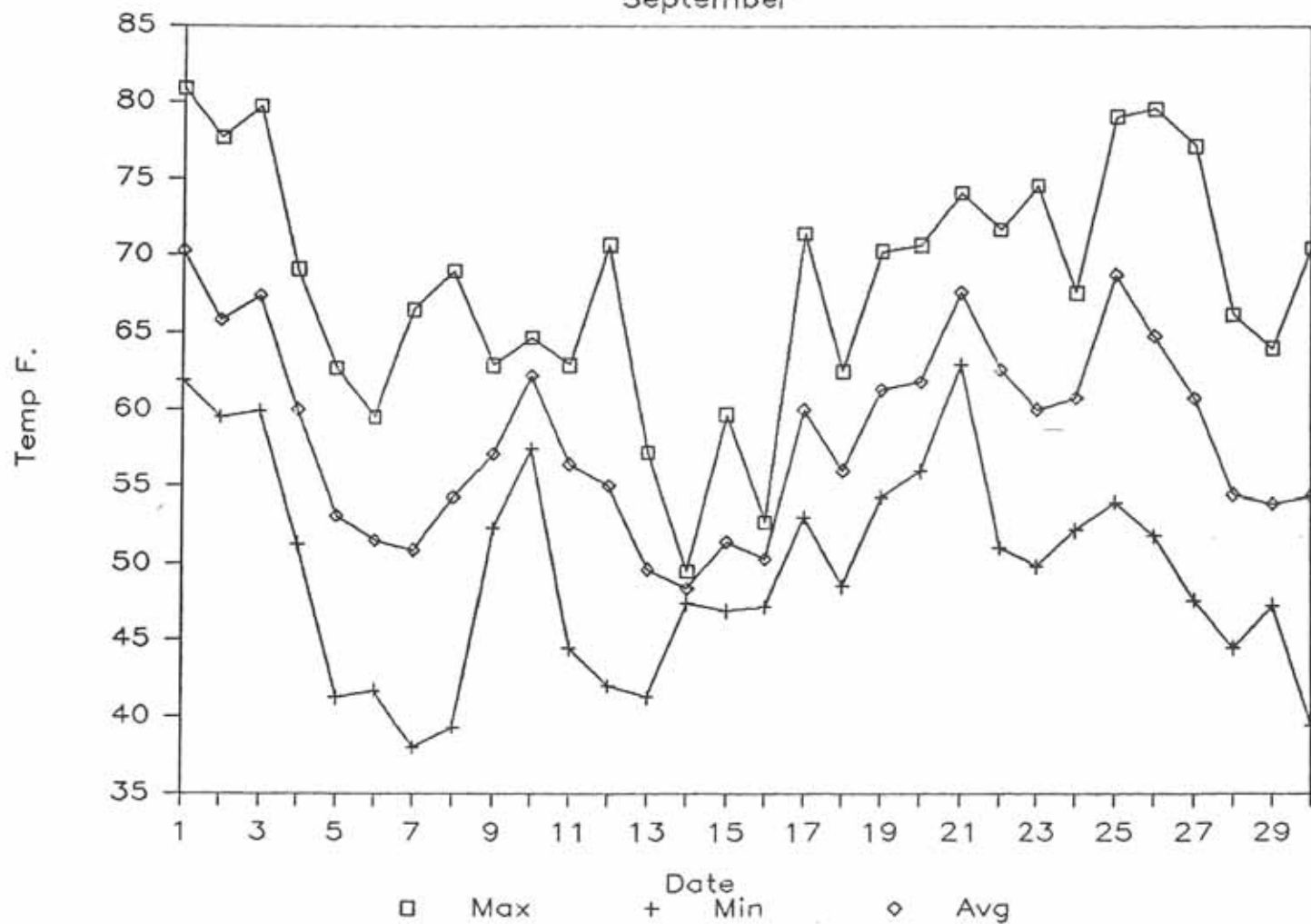


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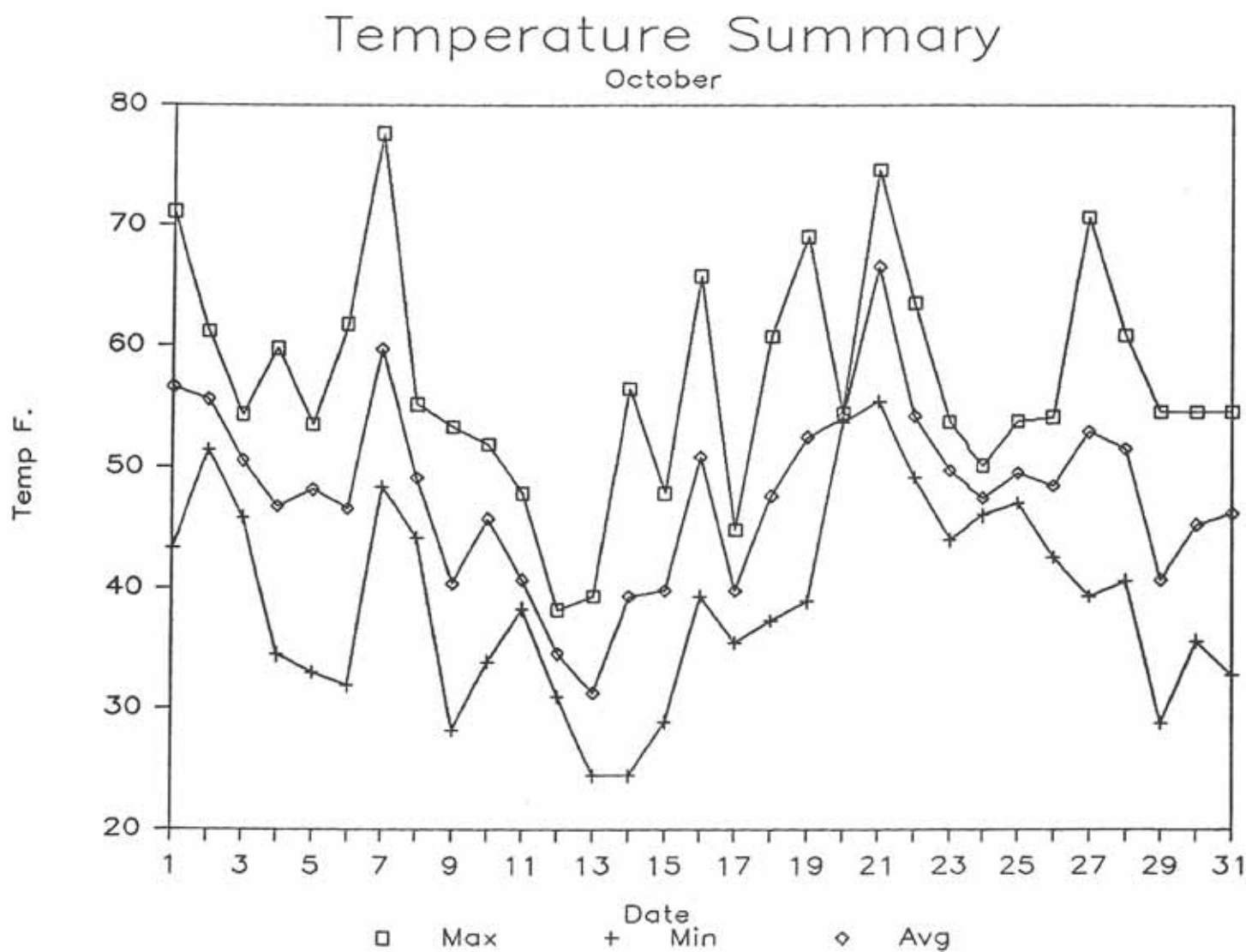


Figure 12. The maximum, minimum and average temperature summary for October 1986.