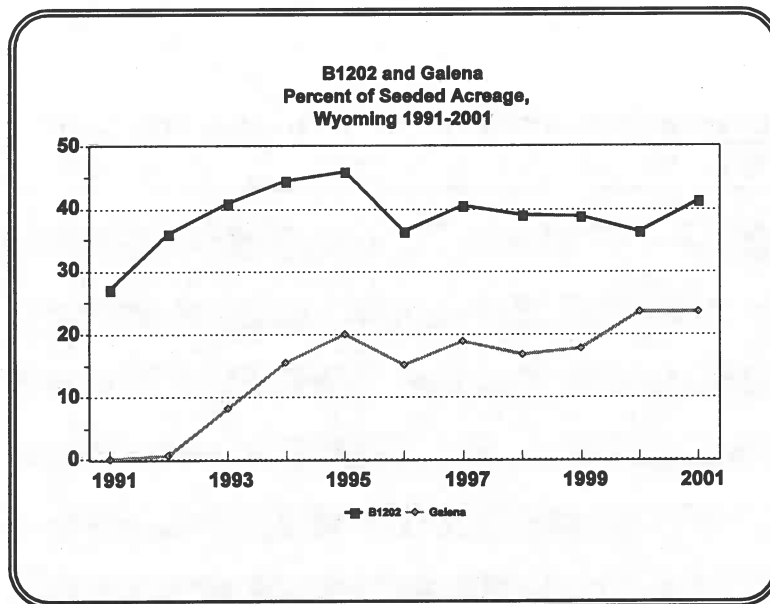




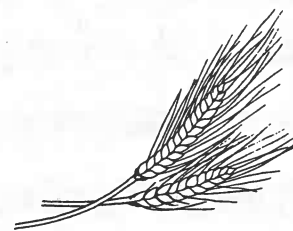
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B1202 MOST POPULAR BARLEY VARIETY ONCE AGAIN

B1202 was once again the favorite barley variety planted in the year 2001. B1202 topped the State for the tenth consecutive year, with an estimated 41,300 acres in 2001. This variety accounted for 51 percent of malting variety seedings and 41 percent of Wyoming's total barley acreage. In 2000, 36 percent of the total barley acreage or 38,200 acres was seeded with B1202. **Galena** was the second most popular variety with 23,600 acres seeded, accounting for 29 percent of the malting barley and 23 percent of the State's total barley acres. This is the eighth consecutive year that Galena has been the second most seeded variety. Galena acreage decreased by 900 acres this year. **Gallatin** was the third most common barley variety in Wyoming this year with 5,500 acres planted. Gallatin was estimated to be 29 percent of the feed barley acreage and 6 percent of the total barley acreage. Gallatin acreage decreased by 1,400 acres in 2001.

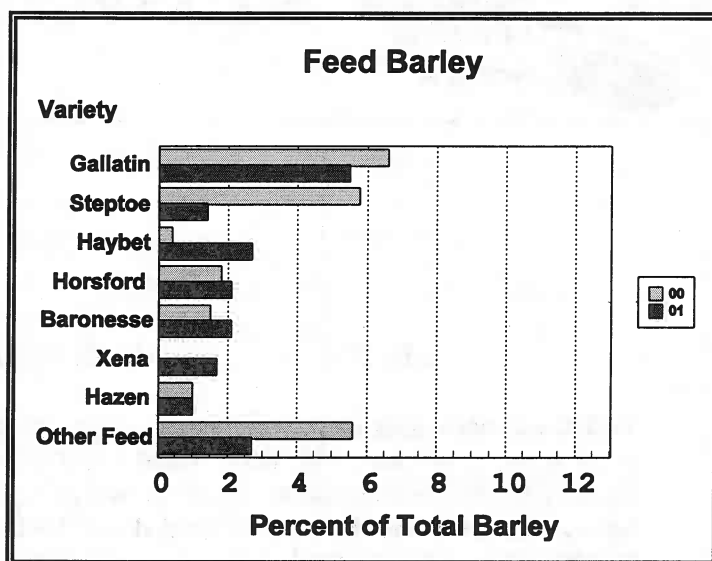
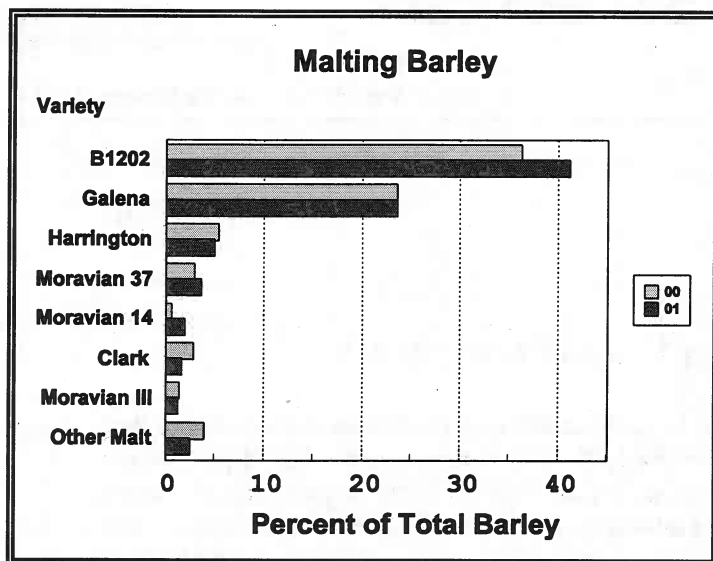


In all, Wyoming barley producers planted an estimated 100,000 acres to all barley varieties in 2001, down 5,000 acres from 2000. The Northwest District had over two-thirds of the barley acreage in 2001, about the same as years past. Malting varieties accounted for 80,800 acres or 81 percent of the total.



Acreage planted to feed barley totaled 19,200 acres, 19 percent of Wyoming's total barley acreage. Gallatin was the most popular feed barley planted in Wyoming this year and the third most popular of all varieties. **Haybet** was the second most common feed barley in 2001, accounting for 2,700 acres or 14 percent of the total feed barley. Haybet accounted for 3 percent of the State's total acreage.

The Barley Variety Survey was conducted throughout the month of June by the Wyoming Agricultural Statistics Service via phone and mail. Wyoming producers provided information that led to these estimates. The American Malting Barley Association, Inc. provided the funding for this survey.



BARLEY: PERCENT OF TOTAL ACREAGE SEEDED BY VARIETY, WYOMING, 1995-2001

Variety	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000*	2001
B1202 1/	46.0	36.4	40.5	39.0	38.8	36.4	41.3
Galena	20.0	15.1	18.9	16.9	17.8	23.6	23.6
Gallatin	5.0	6.4	6.5	7.6	2.9	6.6	5.5
Harrington 1/	3.5	5.2	5.0	6.5	8.6	5.4	5.0
Moravian 37						3.0	3.6
Haybet	0.9	0.2	0.4	0.3	3.0	0.4	2.7
Baronesse	0.9	3.4	1.2	6.5	4.2	1.5	2.1
Horsford	0.3	0.1	1.0	0.4	1.6	1.8	2.1
Moravian 14		0.3	0.8	0.3	4.7	0.6	1.9
Xena							1.7
Clark	2.0	2.4	1.8	2.1	2.9	2.9	1.6
Steptoe	2.0	4.1	5.2	4.0	3.2	5.8	1.4
Moravian III	2.0	3.7	3.0	3.2	2.3	1.4	1.3
Hazen	1.4			0.7	1.0	1.0	1.0
Stander 1/	0.2		0.2	0.9	0.4	0.2	1.0
Merit 1/				1.0	0.1	0.3	1.0
Other 2/	17.8	22.7	15.5	10.6	8.5	9.1	3.2
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

1/ Variety recommended for malting purposes in Wyoming for 2001 by the American Malting Barley Association.

2/ Other feed and malting varieties reported with less than one percent of the total include 1127, 9221, Bowman, C46, Columbia, Conlon, Hector, Idagold, Medallion, Otis, Stander, Summit, and Sunbar. Unknown varieties are excluded.

*Revised

WYOMING BARLEY VARIETIES: SEEDED ACREAGE BY DISTRICTS, 2001

Variety	District 10 Northwest	District 20 Northeast	District 30 West	District 40 South Central	District 50 Southeast	STATE
	Acres					
B1202 1/	37,700	800	2,200		600	41,300
Galena	23,600					23,600
Gallatin	1,000	2,300	2,200			5,500
Harrington 1/	1,800	1,300	1,700		200	5,000
Moravian 37	100				3,500	3,600
Haybet	600	1,500		600		2,700
Baronesse	100	200	1,700		100	2,100
Horsford	300	900	100		800	2,100
Moravian 14	100				1,800	1,900
Xena			200		1,500	1,700
Clark			1,600			1,600
Steptoe		200	200	500	500	1,400
Moravian III	1,300					1,300
Hazen			200		800	1,000
Stander 1/			1,000			1,000
Merit 1/	1,000					1,000
Other 2/	400	800	900	900	200	3,200
Total 3/	68,000	8,000	12,000	2,000	10,000	100,000

1/ Variety recommended for malting purposes in Wyoming for 2001 by the American Malting Barley Association.
2/ Other feed and malting varieties reported include 1127, 9221, Bowman, C46, Columbia, Conlon, Georgia, Hector, Idagold, Medallion, Otis, Smyrna, Summit, Sunbar, and Westford. Unknown varieties are excluded.
3/ Acreage planted by Agricultural Statistics District is preliminary.

WYOMING BARLEY VARIETIES: PERCENT OF TOTAL BY DISTRICTS, 2001

