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the Handy Bt Trait Table

 originally a local document, now used nationwide

 it's 'handy' because few sources compare all Bt trait packages in one document

The Handy Bt Trait Table

for U.S. Corn Production

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Most corn hybrids planted in the U.S. have transgenic traits for insect management. The Handy Bt Trait Table provides a helpful list of trait names (below) and details of trait packages (over) to make it easier to understand company seed guides, sales materials, and bag tags.

New for 2019

- ✓ Recent mergers resulted in name changes for several seed companies. While your local seed rep may have a new business card, the names of trait packages remain the same, listed alphabetically on page 2.
- ✓ Bt Resistance is arguably the most important issue facing growers, extension entomologists, and seed company agronomists. Problems continue to increase in regions where field failures were already found, and new cases of resistance are reported every season. To date, resistance is confirmed to all Bt toxins targeting western corn rootworm, particularly in the central corn belt. In the southern states, corn earworm and fall armyworm resistance is expanding, while Cry1F no longer controls western bean cutworm in the Great Lakes region. These species were once secondary to European corn borer in importance, but now they are of primary concern for many growers. It is critical to be up-to-date on resistance development in your local area so that you know the limitations of the Bt traits you plant.

Field corn 'events' (transformations of one or more genes) and their Trade Names

Trade name for trait	Event	Protein(s) expressed	Primary Insect Targets + Herbicide tolerance
Agrisure CB/LL	Bt11	Cry1Ab + PAT	corn borer + glufosinate
Agrisure Duracade	5307	eCry3.1Ab	rootworm
Agrisure GT	GA21	EPSPS	glyphosate
Agrisure RW	MIR604	mCry3A	rootworm
Agrisure Viptera	MIR162	Vip3A	broad caterpillar control, except for corn borer
Enlist	DAS40278	aad-1	2,4-D herbicide detoxification
Herculex I (HXI) or CB	TC1507	Cry1Fa2 + PAT	corn borer + glufosinate
Herculex CRW	DAS-59122-7	Cry34Ab1/Cry35Ab1 + PAT	rootworm + glufosinate
(None – part of Qrome)	DP-4114	Cry1F + Cry34Ab1/Cry35Ab1 + PAT	corn borer + rootworm + glufosinate
Roundup Ready 2	NK603	EPSPS	glyphosate
Yieldgard Corn Borer	MON810	Cry1Ab	corn borer
Yieldgard Rootworm	MON863	Cry38b1	rootworm
Yieldgard VT Pro	MON89034	Cry1A.105 + Cry2Ab2	corn borer & several caterpillar species
Yieldgard VT Rootworm	MON88017	Cry3Bb1 + EPSPS	rootworm + glyphosate

Abbreviations used in the Trait Table

Herbicide traits

GT glyphosate tolerant

LL Liberty Link - glufosinate-tolerant

RR2 Roundup Ready 2, glyphosate-tolerant

Insect targets

BCW black cutworm SB stalk borer
CEW corn earworm SCB sugarcane borer
CRW corn rootworm SWCB southwestern corn borer
ECB European corn borer
TAW true armyworm
WBC western bean cutworm

Page 1 - Table of Events

= gene(s) inserted to create GMO corn hybrids

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common name of the event

type of Bt in the GMO plant

insects controlled by the toxin

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*some insect may only occur in the north or south

<u>Herbicide traits</u>

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Page 2 - the Trait Table

Grouped by **trait package**- commercial names for
combinations of events

- trait packages are listed alphabetically
- remaining columns provide info on the Bts in the trait package

The i	Handy Bt Trait Table fo	rU									late	d November 2018			
			N	lark	ete	d fo	or co	ontr	ol o	f:			Herb	icide	
Trait packages in		l						S				Insects resistant to	tre	ait	
alphabetical order	Bt protein(s) in	В	С	Ε	F		5	w	Т	w	С	the combination of	l .	Non-Bt	
•		c	Ε	С	Α	5	С	c	A	В	R	Bt proteins in the	GT		Refuge %
(acronym)	the trait package	w	w	В	w	В	В	В	W	С	W	trait package	RR2	LL	(cornbelt)
AcreMax (AM)	Cry1Ab Cry1F	×		×	x	х	×	×				FAW WBC	×	×	5% in bag
AcreMax CRW (AMRW)	Cry34/35Ab1	\vdash				Н		\vdash			×	CRW	×	×	10% in bag
AcreMax1 (AM1)	Cry1F Cry34/35Ab1	-		×	-	-	-	×		\vdash	×	FAW SWCB WBC	×	×	10% in bag
, ,		×		*	×	x	х	×			×	CRW SWCB WBC	×	×	20% ECB
AcreMax Leptra (AML)	Cry1Ab Cry1F Vip3A	×	ж	х	х	х	х	×	х	×			×	X	5% in bag
AcreMax TRisect	Cry1Ab Cry1F	х		х	x	х	х	х			X	FAW WBC CRW	×	×	10% in bag
(AMT)	mCry3A							_							
AcreMax Xtra	Cry1Ab Cry1F	ж		х	х	х	х	х			X	FAW WBC CRW	×	ж	10% in bag
(AMX)	Cry34/35Ab1														
AcreMax Xtreme	Cry1Ab Cry1F	х		х	х	х	х	х			х	FAW WBC CRW	×	x	5% in bag
(AMXT)	mCry3A Cry34/35Ab1														
Agrisure 3010 and 3010A	Cry1Ab			х			х	х					×	X	20%
Agrisure 3000GT and 3011A	Cry1Ab mCry3A			×			х	×			×	CRW	×	×	20%
Agrisure Viptera 3110	Cry1Ab Vip3A		x	×	x	x	×	×	х	x			×	×	20%
<u> </u>	, ,	-	_	-	_	-	_	-	_	-		CRW			20%
Agrisure Viptera 3111	Cry1Ab Vip3A mCry3A	-	х	X	X	X	X	X	х	×	×		X	х	
Agrisure	Cry1Ab Cry1F	×		×	×	×	х	×				FAW WBC	×	See	5% in bag
3120 E-Z Refuge		—						_							
Agrisure	Cry1Ab Cry1F	×		×	х	×	х	×			X	FAW WBC CRW	×	tag	5% in bag
3122 EZ Refuge	mCry3A Cry34/35Ab1	_		\vdash		\vdash		\vdash						for	
Agrisure Viptera	Cry1Ab Cry1F Vip3A	×	ж	×	x	x	х	×	x	×			×	code	5% in bag
3220 E-Z Refuge								_							
Agrisure Viptera	Cry1Ab Vip3A	ж	ж	×	x	х	х	х	х	×			×	EZ0	5% in bag
3330 E-Z Refuge	Cry1A.105 + Cry2Ab2													NO	
Agrisure Duracade	Cry1Ab Cry1F	ж		х	х	х	х	х			х	FAW WBC	×		5% in bag
5122 E-Z Refuge	mCry3A eCry3.1Ab	l										CRW		EZ1	
Agrisure Duracade	Cry1Ab Cry1F Vip3A	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	х	×	×	CRW	×	YES	5% in bag
5222 E-Z Refuge	mCry3A eCry3.1Ab	l													1
Herculex I (HXI)	Cry1F	×		×	×	×	×	×				FAW SWCB WBC	×	×	20%
Herculex RW (HXRW)	Crv34/35Ab1	Ë		Ü		-	-	Ë			x	CRW	×	×	20%
Herculex XTRA (HXX)	Cry1F Cry34/35Ab1	×		×	×	×	×	×			x	FAW SWCB WBC	×	×	20%
(1304)	.,	"		"		"		"				CRW	"		
Intrasect (YHR)	Cry1Ab Cry1F	×		×	×	×	×	×				FAW WBC	×	×	5%
mussect (mix)	CIYLAD CIYLI	l^		l^	^	l^	^	l^				TAN WEE	^	^	"
Intrasect TRIsect (CYHR)	Cry1Ab Cry1F	×		×	x	×	×	×		\vdash	×	FAW WBC CRW	×	ж	20%
mussect (critic)	mCry3A	l^		1	^	l^	^	l^				TAN WEC CRW	l ^	^	120%
Intrasect Xtra (YXR)		-		-		-		١		\vdash		FAW WBC CRW			20%
Intrasect Atra (YAK)	Cry1Ab Cry1F	×		×	×	×	х	×			×	FAW WEC CKW	x	ж	20%
	Cry34/35Ab1	⊢		\vdash		\vdash		-		\vdash			_		
Intrasect Xtreme (CYXR)	Cry1Ab Cry1F	×		×	×	×	х	×			×	FAW WBC CRW	×	ж	5%
	mCry3A Cry34/35Ab1	_		\vdash		Н		⊢		\vdash			_		
Leptra (VYHR)	Cry1Ab Cry1F Vip3A	_	ж	×	х	х	Х	_	Х	X			X	ж	5%
Powercore *	Cry1A.105 Cry2Ab2	ж	ж	×	×	×	х	×				CEW WBC	×	×	*5%
Powercore Refuge Advanced b	Cry1F	_													⁶ 5% in bag
QROME (Q)	Cry1Ab Cry1F	ж		ж	×	х	х	ж			x	FAW WBC CRW	×	×	5% in bag
	mCry3A Cry34/35Ab1														
SmartStax *	Cry1A.105 Cry2Ab2	ж	ж	ж	x	×	х	х			x	CEW WBC CRW	×	×	*5%
Smartstax Refuge Advanced b	Cry1F Cry3Bb1	l													⁶ 5% in bag
SmartStax RIB Complete b	Cry34/35Ab1	L						L							
Trecepta *	Cry1A.105 Cry2Ab2	ж	ж	×	×	×	х	х	х	×			×		*5%
Trecepta RIB Complete 6	Vip3A	L													⁶ 5% in bag
TRIsect (CHR)	Cry1F mCry3A	ж		х	х	х	х	х			х	FAW SWCB WBC	×	X	20%
' '	*	l										CRW			
VT Double PRO *	Cry1A.105 Cry2Ab2	Г	х	×	х	×	х	×				CEW	×		*5%
VT Double PRO RIB Complete ^b	' '	l													⁶ 5% in bag
	Cry1A.105 Cry2Ab2	-	×	×	v	v	×	×			×	CEW CRW	×		° 20%
VT Triple PRO ^c		l		^		ı^	-	l^					^		d 10% in bag
VT Triple PRO ^c VT Triple PRO RIB Complete ^d	Crv3Bb1					_		_		_			_		
VT Triple PRO RIB Complete d	Cry3Bb1 Cry1Ab	\vdash		-			24						- v		1 20%
VT Triple PRO RIB Complete d Yieldgard Corn Borer (YGCB)	Cry1Ab	F		×		Н	X	×				CDW	X		20%
VT Triple PRO RIB Complete d				x				x			×	CRW CRW	x		20% 20% 20%

Trait packages are a bit like insecticide names

<u>chemical</u>	<u>active</u>	<u>Trade</u>	<u>specific</u>
<u>formula</u>	<u>ingredient</u>	<u>name</u>	formulations
$C_{23}H_{22}CIF_3O_2$	bifenthrin	Brigade	Brigade 2EC
			Brigade WSB
CII CINO DC	م ما ما ما ما ما	مر مامور ا	Lavaban 150

C₉H₁₁Cl₃NO₃PS chlorpyritos Lorsban Lorsban 15G Lorsban Adv.

combination product:

Hero

Hero

Hero EW

Bt	Trait	<u>specific</u> hybrids
<u>protein</u>	<u>package</u>	<u>(many)</u>
Cry1F	Herculex 1	P1498EHR
	<u>protein</u>	<u>protein</u> <u>package</u>

-.--:£:-

DAS-59122-7 Cry34/35Ab1 Herculex RW P0448 AMRW

combination products:

Cry1E + Cry34/354b1

Herculey Xtra P0533EXR

Cry1F + Cry34/35Ab1 Herculex Xtra P0533EXR

Trait packages in alphabetical order (acronym)
AcreMax (AM)
AcreMax CRW (AMRW)
AcreMax1 (AM1)
AcreMax Leptra (AML)
AcreMax TRIsect
(AMT)
AcreMax Xtra
(AMX)
AcreMax Xtreme
(AMXT)
Agrisure 3010 and 3010A
Agrisure 3000GT and 3011A

Column 1:

Official names of the trait packages and their (acronyms)

 used in seed guides, company materials, bag tags, field signs

Bt protein(s) in the trait package Cry1Ab Cry1F Cry34/35Ab1 Cry1F Cry34/35Ab1 Cry1Ab Cry1F Vip3A Cry1Ab Cry1F mCry3A Cry1Ab Cry1F Cry34/35Ab1 Cry1Ab Cry1F mCry3A Cry34/35Ab1 Cry1Ab Cry1Ab mCry3A

Column 2

Bt proteins expressed in each trait package

- can compare among hybrids, determine which have the same Bt protein
- this is important for resistance management

Γ	Marketed for control of:									
						S				
В	С	Е	F		S	W	Τ	W	С	
С	Ε	С	Α	S	С	С	Α	В	R	
W	/ W	В	W	В	В	В	W	С	W	
X		X	X	X	X	X				
\mathbb{L}									X	
Х		Х	Х	X	X	X			X	
X	Х	Х	X	X	X	X	X	X		
Х		Х	Х	X	X	X			X	
Х		X	Х	X	X	X			X	
Х		Х	Х	X	X	X			X	
		Х			X	X				
$oxed{\Box}$		X			X	X			Х	

Column 3

insect targets controlled by the Bts, as claimed by the companies





Insects resistant to the combination of Bt proteins in the trait package FAW WBC **CRW** FAW SWCB WBC CRW FAW WBC CRW FAW WBC CRW FAW WBC CRW **CRW**

<u>Column 4</u> Information on **Bt resistance**

- lists insects which are resistant to all of the Bts in the trait package, documented in lab assays or field studies
- resistance citations posted online with the Bt trait table

- resistance may be local, regional, or widespread
- check w/ local extension or seed dealer



examples:

western western corn bean cutworm



Resistant to:

- Cry3Bb1 (YieldGard rootworm)
- mCry3A (Agrisure RW)
- Cry34/35Ab1 (Herculex RW)

Where?

- states in the central Plains
- isolated fields elsewhere

Resistant to:

Cry1F (Herculex 1)

Where?

everywhere

Herbicide trait GT RR2 LL x x x x

Column 5

Herbicide tolerance

Important if LL is not part of package

												·			_
Agrisure	Cry1Ab Cry1F	х		Х	Х	Х	Х	Х				FAW WBC	Х		Γ
3120 E-Z Refuge														See	
Agrisure	Cry1Ab Cry1F	х		Х	Х	X	X	Х			Х	FAW WBC CRW	X	bag	[
3122 EZ Refuge	mCry3A Cry34/35Ab1													tag	
Agrisure Viptera	Cry1Ab Cry1F Vip3A	х	Х	Х	Х	X	Х	Х	Х	х			Х	for code	
3220 E-Z Refuge														couc	
Agrisure Viptera	Cry1Ab Vip3A	х	Х	Х	Х	X	Х	Х	Х	х			Х	EZ0	
3330 E-Z Refuge	Cry1A.105 + Cry2Ab2													NO	
Agrisure Duracade	Cry1Ab Cry1F	х		Х	Х	X	Х	Х			Х	FAW WBC	Х		Γ
5122 E-Z Refuge	mCry3A eCry3.1Ab											CRW		EZ1	
Agrisure Duracade	Cry1Ab Cry1F Vip3A	х	X	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	CRW	Х	YES	Γ.
5222 E-Z Refuge	mCry3A eCry3.1Ab														

	, ,												_
Trecepta ^a	Cry1A.105 Cry2Ab2	Χ	Χ	Х	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ		X	T
Trecepta RIB Complete b	Vip3A												



Non-Bt Refuge % (cornbelt)

5% in bag

10% in bag

10% in bag

20% ECB

5% in bag

10% in bag

10% in bag

5% in bag

20%

20%

Column 6

Refuge requirement

- most but not all hybrids are now RIB, Refuge In the Bag
- Note this refuge is for the corn belt % refuge is higher in southern cotton-growing areas





Practical uses of the Trait Table

Seed selection: comparing hybrids in long lists

2015-2016

PIONEER® BRAND PRODUCTS FOR FOOD CORN PROCESSING







This is the North America Yellow Food Corn (YFC) and White Food Corn (WH) list of Pioneer* brand products. DuPont Pioneer began developing superior food-grade corn hybrids over fifty years ago. ALL Pioneer food-grade products are characterized for traits that food processors demand, such as kernel texture, color, size, and ear rot diseases (Fusarium, Gibberella, Diplodia). Please check with your local authorized Pioneer sales professional for availability of specific products from this list in your local area.

FOOD-GRADE YELLOW (YFC) AND HARD TEXTURED PRODUCTS

Pioneer® Hybrid/Brand"	Technology Segment	CRM
38M58	HX1,LL,RR2	94
Р0297ам1 ^{тм}	AM1,LL,RR2	
Р0297амхттм	AMXT,LL,RR2	102
Р0297амх™	AMX,LL,RR2]
P0302chr	RW,HX1,LL,RR2	103
P0407 _{AMXT} ™	AMXT,LL,RR2	104
P0448		
Р0448ам1 ^{тм}	AM1,LL,RR2	
P0448amrw tm	AMRW,LL,RR2	104
Р0448амхтм	AMX,LL,RR2	104
P0448HR	HX1,LL,RR2	
P0448R	RR2	
35F37	RR2	
35F38		

Technology Segment	CRM	
RR2	111	
AM1,LL,RR2] '''	
AM,LL,RR2		
AMX,LL,RR2	111	
RR2	1	
YGCB,HX1,LL,RR2	1	
AMX,LL,RR2	111	
AM1,LL,RR2		
AMRW,LL,RR2	1	
AM,LL,RR2	111	
RR2		
YGCB,HX1,LL,RR2		
	RR2 AM1,LL,RR2 AM2,LL,RR2 AM3,LL,RR2 RR2 YGCB,HX1,LL,RR2 AM3,LL,RR2 AM1,LL,RR2 AMRW,LL,RR2 AMRW,LL,RR2 AMRW,LL,RR2 AM,LL,RR2 AM,LL,RR2	

Pioneer* Hybrid/Brand"	Technology Segment	CRM
Р1443амтм*	AM,LL,RR2	114
P1443yhr*	YGCB,HX1,LL,RR2	114
P1456HR	HX1,LL,RR2	114
P1498		
P1498 _{AM1} TM	AM1,LL,RR2	
Р1498ам™	AM,LL,RR2	
Р1498сня	RW,HX1,LL,RR2	114
P1498 _{HR}	HX1,LL,RR2	
P1498 _R	RR2	
P1498yhr	YGCB,HX1,LL,RR2	
32T16		
33D42	RW,HX1,LL,RR2	
33D47	RR2	115
33D49	HX1,LL,RR2	

Pioneer® Hybrid/Brand"	Technology Segment	CRM	
P1751амт ^{тм*}	AMT,LL,RR2	117	
Р1751ам™*	AM,LL,RR2		
32B34	HX1,LL,RR2	118	
Р1883ам™	AM,LL,RR2	118	
P1883 _R	RR2		
Р1883үнг	YGCB,HX1,LL,RR2		
31G65	RR2	119	
31G70	HXX,LL,RR2		
31G71	HX1,LL,RR2		
31N26	RR2	110	
31N27		119	
Р1916үнг*	YGCB,HX1,LL,RR2	119	
P1944 _{HR}	HX1,LL,RR2	119	
Р2160үнг*	YGCB,HX1,LL,RR2	121	

YGCB Yieldgard corn borer

HX1 Herculex 1

LL RR2 Liberty Link & Roundup Ready

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LL RR2 Liberty Link & Roundup Ready

Understanding an invoice: what seed was ordered and/ or delivered

AMXT hybrids = **AcreMax Xtreme**

- pyramids for Leps, CRW
- 5% RIB
- LL and R2

R hybrid

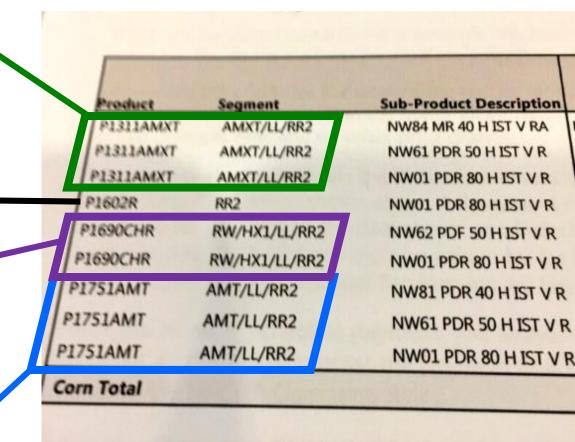
- non-Bt refuge for CHR hybrids
- it is <u>only</u> Roundup Ready

CHR hybrids = TRIsect

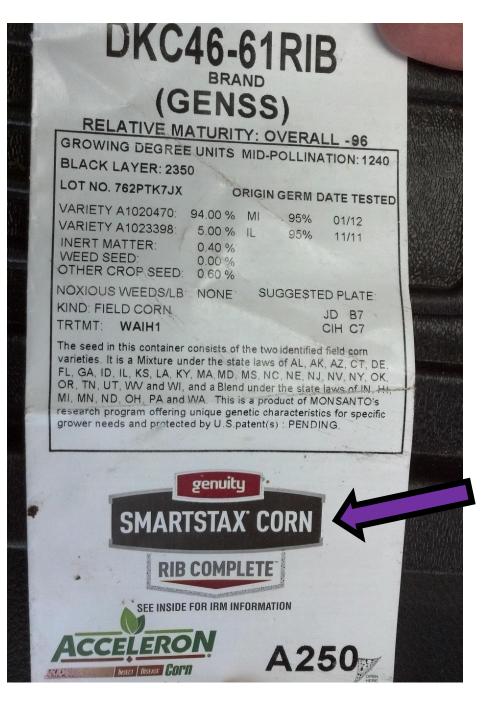
- single Bts for Leps, CRW
- 20% structured refuge
- LL and RR2

AMT hybrids = AcreMax TRIsect

- pyramid for Leps, single Bt for CRW
- 10% RIB
- LL and RR2



Gross Invoice Value



Understanding bag-tags

SmartStax tag

- this hybrid is a pyramid of Bts for both Leps and CRW
- It controls most Leps, but
 NOT western bean cutworm
- 'RIB Complete' means the
 5% refuge is in the bag

Understanding signs at field days, in demonstration plots or along the roadside

Agrisure 3220 trait package

- a pyramid of Bts for leps
 Cry1Ab + Cry1F + Vip3A
- 5% refuge in the bag

As a Viptera event, this hybrid should control western bean cutworm





To view/ download the trait table: www.texasinsects.org/bt-corn-trait-table.html

The version on this site is always the latest....

