

2017 Soybean Variety Performance Trials

Louisiana Agricultural Experiment Station

The Louisiana Agricultural Experiment Station is now accepting applications for the 2017 Soybean Variety Performance Trial. Please write the name of each entry as you would like it to be printed in reporting media, including spaces and capitalization.

Shipping Address: Soybean Variety Performance Trial
Dean Lee Research Station
8105 Tom Bowman Drive
Alexandria, LA 71302

Shipping Contact: [Ronnie Levy, PhD.](#)
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Tests and Locations:

Maturity Groups 3, 4, 5, and 6 will be accepted and tested as follows: MG 3.0-4.4, MG 4.5-4.7, MG 4.8-4.9, MG 5.0-5.3, and MG 5.4-6.9. Weed control will be managed using a conventional herbicide program, so varieties containing different herbicide resistance traits can be tested together. The trials will be conducted at seven locations representing the major soybean growing regions in Louisiana: (1) Dean Lee Research Station, Alexandria, (2) Red River Research Station, Bossier City, (3) Northeast Research Station, St. Joseph, (4) Macon Ridge Branch Station, Winnsboro, (5) Rice Research Station, Crowley, (6) Iberia Research Station, Jeanerette (MG 3, early 4, and late 4 only) and (7) Central Research Station, Baton Rouge.

Experimental Design and Data Collection:

A randomized complete block design will be used at each location with four replications. Planting date, seeding rate, row configuration and spacing, soil type, maturity date, plant height, lodging, grain moisture, and grain yield data will be collected at each location.

Seed Requirements:

Twenty-five (25) pounds of high quality seed are needed to enter a variety in the trial. Please use the **standard fungicide/pesticide treatment** that will be used on the marketed seed.

Entry Fee: \$800.00/entry.

Deadlines:

Entry Form: **February 17, 2017**
Seed: **March 17, 2017**

Billing Information:

You will be billed after all tests have been planted and satisfactory stands exist at each location. Payment of fees will be due 14 days after you have received a statement. **Please do not send a check with the seed.**



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Company_____ Street address_____

City, State, Zip_____

Corresponding Representative_____

Telephone:_____ Cell:_____ FAX:_____

E-mail Address:_____

Entry	Variety Name (Write variety name exactly as desired for publication)	Previous Name (if applicable)	Maturity Group (to nearest decimal)	Herbicide Technology (RR, LL, conv.)	Seed treatment (include active ingredient and rate)
<i>Example</i>	<i>LSU 4993LL</i>	<i>XST 229-34</i>	<i>4.9</i>	<i>LL</i>	
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Return completed form to: Soybean Variety Test
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Deadline For Seed: **March 17, 2017 (All Maturity Groups)**



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