

WHEAT SEED SOLD BY COMMERCIAL GRAIN STORAGE COMPANIES TO WHEAT PRODUCERS FOR THE 2017 PLANTING SEASON

| <u>Cultivar</u> | <u>%</u> | <u>Cultivar</u> | <u>%</u> |
|-----------------|----------|-----------------|----------|
| SST 056 | 17.73 | SST 347 | 0.33 |
| SST 0147 | 16.44 | SST 316 | 0.31 |
| SST 087 | 9.04 | SST 866 | 0.31 |
| SST 0127 | 8.91 | Elands | 0.22 |
| SST 0117 | 7.79 | PAN 3111 | 0.19 |
| SST 884 | 6.16 | SST 387 | 0.16 |
| SST 015 | 5.59 | PAN 3368 | 0.12 |
| SST 895 | 3.13 | PAN 3408 | 0.11 |
| SST 835 | 3.13 | Kariega | 0.10 |
| SST 88 | 2.99 | CRN 826 | 0.06 |
| SST 096 | 2.85 | Duzi | 0.05 |
| SST 806 | 2.45 | SST 876 | 0.044 |
| SST 875 | 2.39 | Senqu | 0.041 |
| PAN 3471 | 1.85 | PAN 3118 | 0.0248 |
| SST 843 | 1.25 | PAN 3379 | 0.0248 |
| Matlabas | 1.09 | SST 877 | 0.0192 |
| SST 356 | 0.92 | Krokodil | 0.0170 |
| PAN 3497 | 0.83 | SST 8135 | 0.0165 |
| PAN 3161 | 0.72 | Ratel | 0.0146 |
| SST 374 | 0.66 | Koonap | 0.0051 |
| PAN 3400 | 0.66 | PAN 3195 | 0.0051 |
| SST 822 | 0.63 | PAN 3120 | 0.0034 |
| SST 027 | 0.60 | SST 317 | 0.0034 |
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Most popular cultivars according to cultivar identification

Farmers in the Western Cape preferred SST 087 (32.5%), SST 056 (24.4%) and SST 88 (15.3%). SST 015 (13.8%) and SST 0127 (13.1%) were also popular cultivars.

In the Vaal and Orange River areas PAN 3471 (28.7%), SST 884 (23.1%) and SST 875 (19.7%) were the most popular cultivars.

The most preferred cultivars in North West province were SST 843 (30.9%), followed by SST 884 (19.8%) and SST 875 (15.5%).

In regions 21 to 24 of the Free State the most planted cultivar was PAN 3471 (37.4%), followed by SST 387 (11.2%), SST 884 (9.5%), PAN 3400 (8.5%) and SST 875 (8.0%). PAN 3161 was the preferred cultivar in regions 25 to 28 and represented 20.5%. SST 884 (14.0%), Elands (10.0%) and PAN 3111 and SST 875 both with 6.5%, were also popular cultivars.

In Mpumalanga, Gauteng, Limpopo and KwaZulu-Natal, SST 884 (34.0%) was the preferred cultivar, followed by SST 875 (30.1%), SST 895 (10.7%) and SST 835 (9.7%).

The above-mentioned percentages are weighted averages based on the top five cultivars per region provided on pages 34 to 60. The top five cultivars per region were calculated from the cultivar identification done on each of the 304 crop samples.