

WHEAT SEED SOLD BY COMMERCIAL GRAIN STORAGE COMPANIES TO WHEAT PRODUCERS FOR THE 2018 PLANTING SEASON

<u>Cultivar</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Cultivar</u>	<u>%</u>
SST 056	14.08	SST 843	1.15
SST 0117	11.12	SST 374	1.12
SST 0127	8.71	SST 316	0.85
SST 0147	8.25	PAN 3400	0.64
SST 0166	6.27	PAN 3111	0.43
SST 884	6.23	SST 317	0.42
SST 087	5.93	PAN 3379	0.38
SST 015	4.64	SST 027	0.33
SST 895	3.83	Elands	0.29
SST 835	3.49	SST 387	0.25
SST 88	2.77	SST 877	0.19
SST 806	2.48	PAN 3368	0.188
PAN 3471	2.03	SST 866	0.184
SST 822	1.70	PAN 3195	0.105
SST 875	1.69	CRN 826	0.098
PAN 3497	1.68	SST 8154	0.077
SST 356	1.65	Senqu	0.075
SST 347	1.44	Duzi	0.047
PAN 3161	1.41	Koonap	0.045
Matlabas	1.32	SST 876	0.044
SST 096	1.18	Kariega	0.020
SST 8135	1.16		
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Most popular cultivars according to cultivar identification

Farmers in the Western Cape preferred SST 0117 (26.1%), SST 0127 (22.7%) and SST 087 (19.0%). SST 056 (15.0%) and SST 88 (8.7%) were also popular cultivars.

In the Vaal and Orange River areas SST 884 (17.3%), PAN 3471 (16.7%), SST 8135 (11.3%) and SST 8154 (10.7%) were the most popular cultivars.

The most preferred cultivars in North West province were SST 884 (20.7%), followed by SST 8135 (14.0%) and PAN 3471 (8.5%).

In regions 21 to 24 of the Free State the most planted cultivar was PAN 3471 (16.7%), followed by PAN 3111 (13.3%), PAN 3497 (10.4%) and SST 884 (10.3%). PAN 3161 was the preferred cultivar in regions 25 to 28 and represented 20.5%. SST 374 (16.1%), PAN 3368 (15.1%), Elands (11.6%) and PAN 3111 (11.2%), were also popular cultivars.

In Mpumalanga, Gauteng, Limpopo and KwaZulu-Natal, SST 884 (25.5%) was the preferred cultivar, followed by SST 8154 (12.5%) and SST 895 (9.2%).

The above-mentioned percentages are weighted averages based on the top five cultivars per region provided on pages 36 to 62. The top five cultivars per region were calculated from the cultivar identification done on each of the 337 crop samples.