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#### CHAPTER I

## INTRODUCTION

Sound soil survey interpretations are the by-products of an integrated soil science research program. Soil management requirements, soil productivity ratings, and correct land use are interpretations that result from good soil mapping and a sound system of soil classification. Research in soil fertility, soil management, and other types dealing with soil-plant relationships is dependent upon good soil maps and when correlated with basic research and soil classification provides the basic information for increasing the reliability in making predictions concerning land use, productivity, and management requirements.

There is an increasing demand for information about a given soil's productivity which is influenced by management and climate. Soil is very complex in its make-up. It is common knowledge that soils are dynamic and are changing. Not only do soils support living plants and micro-organisms, but these, in turn, have a lot to do with the formation and behavior of soils. The complex soil system is not simply chemical and geological but also physical and biological. When the processes going on in dynamic soils are understood, a soil can be changed by management to increase its productivity for plants.

Many methods have been employed to measure or to estimate productivity of soils. These are chemical and biological tests to measure a sample's fertility rather than productivity, estimated plant performance based on texture, structure or permeability and estimated yields from

climatological data. In any event when only one factor or property is considered, less reliability is obtained than when the measured plant growth is closely related to specific combinations of practices for soils in their climatic setting.

Soil maps provide the firm connections between the experimental plots and the many fields of farmers. With this in mind a study was undertaken in order to devise an orderly means of assembling all important kinds of research data including crop yields by soil type. The major objective of this thesis is to assemble and evaluate the yield data from experimental plots and evaluate the experiences of farmers on wheat production on different soils in Oklahoma.

The results of this study will contribute to the reliability of crop yield estimates for major crops by different soils in Oklahoma. The results will contribute to the making of sound productivity ratings of important Oklahoma soils. Ratings of this type will be very useful to planning and technical people and also to agencies involved in lending and appraisal work.

#### CHAPTER II

#### LITERATURE REVIEW

Little work has been reported in the literature relative to assembling and interpreting mass data by soil type. However, many attempts to rate soils for various purposes have been made.

Early work in making predictions and ratings was initiated by
the Bureau of Chemistry and Soils of the United States Department of
Agriculture. These are found in many of the federal soil survey reports,
and are arrived at in two principal ways: 1) Through judgments based
upon evidence afforded by actual yield data from sample areas of the
soil mapping units, and 2) through judgments based on comparisons of
the characteristics of soils and basic knowledge of plant require—
ments (23).

Storie has suggested an inductive method of rating the agricultural value of soils; where actual cropping experience with the soils is not considered necessary. A relative index of soils is arrived at by considering three general factors: 1) Character of soil profile,

2) Soil Texture, and 3) Modifying factors such as drainage and alkali. The value of the three factors expressed as percentages of the optimal conditions for plant growth are multiplied together to obtain the rating, and the product is expressed as a percentage of the maximum (12).

Murray, Englehorn, and Griffin discuss a method of soil yield rating that can be used, as a supplement to the general productivity

Figures in parenthesis refer to literature cited.

ratings, to measure the production of soils on individual farms. Yield data are obtained which show the relative yielding ability not only of different soil types, but also of different depth and slope conditions within the same soil type (15).

Shrader, Riecken, and Englehorn found that the relative productivity of different Iowa soils is dependent upon the crop and management system under consideration (21).

Illinois workers started assembling yield and management data for all important Illinois crops in 1937 (18, 19). They studied records as far back as 1925, and the study is still being continued. A body of data of crop yields on individual soil types was assembled for the purpose of using it to convert relative values into absolute values, or to work out a soil rating or productivity rating for the more important soil types.

Recently, the Illinois workers have been using an electronic digital computer to assemble and analyze yield data by soil types.

A lack of mass data is a deterrent to using statistical treatment (16).

In the winter of 1956, they started collecting data on the productivity of some of the important forest soils in Illinois.

North Carolina workers have devised a method of recording systematically the usual data obtained in all phases of work in agronomy on punch cards (14). A double-hole punch card system was selected because soils for which there was available data could then be separated manually from those soils without such data.

Some cotton yield and management data by soil types in Oklahoma are presented in an M. S. thesis by Kenneth Snelling (22).

Some of the Oklahoma wheat work in which soil type was taken into consideration was initiated in 1951 by the Oklahoma Agricultural Experiment Station and the Agricultural Research Service, U. S. D. A. Several carefully selected locations in western Oklahoma were chosen for wheat fertilization studies. Many important soils of this area are represented by these studies (6). Some long and short time averages are available from other research conducted at experiment stations and with cooperator farmers in the area.

Several short time yield averages are available from wheat research conducted in eastern Oklahoma. Wide ranges in productivity result from increased fertility on most of the soils on which wheat is grown in this part of the state. The increases in yield result from proper rates and combinations of nitrogen, phosphorus, and potassium (1, 2).

#### CHAPTER III

### MATERIALS AND METHODS

Two methods of recording accumulated data by soil type were utilized in the collection phase of this study. Forms such as the one shown in figure 1 were adapted from the ones used at North Carolina. They were used for compiling available experimental data.

Questionnaires such as the one shown in figure 2 were used for interviewing farmers to obtain field yield and management data by soil types. The form and questionnaire are self-explanatory.

Sources of experimental data are all types of trials conducted at the state and federal owned stations, and trials conducted in cooperation with farmers in the state. When available data were compiled, those test sites on which the soil had not already been classified were located, examined and the soils described and classified. Data for all important crops were assembled and filed by soil type.

Wheat data were summarized for presentation in this thesis. The soil type, location, researcher, type of experiment, profile description, yield, year or years in which yield was produced, management and some chemical and physical data are presented.

Farmers: yields and management from fields that approach homogenity according to the present concepts of individual soil types were obtained. The farmers were visited at least once the first year to explain what was wanted and why it was wanted. Past management and yields were also obtained at that time.

Soil testing methods were taken from the following sources:

Available phosphorus by extraction with sodium bicarbonate was estimated according to a method proposed by Olsen, Cole, Watanabe, and Dean (17).

Total phosphorus was determined by a colorimetric procedure recommended by Shelton and Harper (20). Other chemical tests were conducted according to methods proposed by Harper (11).

Percentage of water held at 1/3 atmospheres of tension and at 15 atmospheres of tension were determined according to methods 30 and 31 of the U.S.D.A. Salinity Laboratory (24).

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Cultivation Virgin		Family
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	Slope Erosion	Classification Comments
Cover	Stoniness	
Years in Cultivation	Geog. Position	
Profile Description: (	) correlator	Date sampled
	olor Texture Structure Consistence	Comments Sample Nos Lab. Nos.
Exc	) analyst hangeable Base Mg K Na Sat. P205 0.M. N	C C/N Fe Others
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Figure 1. Form Used in Tabulating Experimental Data by Soil Type.

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No.	D. T. A	C	lay Mine	ral Types	X-Ray	Chemical
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4 5 6 7						
8 9 10						•.
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	Treatment		cai	Type of I		
N	P		K	Lime (kind)	Others	<b>.</b>

Climatic Data: Jan. Feb. Mar. Apr. May June July Aug. Sept. Oct. Nov. Dec. Total Rainfall: (in.)
No. of Years:
Effective Rainfall:
Reference Source: (including publications)

Figure la. Form Used in Tabulating Experimental Data by Soil Type.

L.	Informatio	n that should be acquired before contacting farmers
	(a)	Soil type, slope, degree of erosion, phase
	(b) (c)	Crop Location (legal description)
	(d) (e)	Kind of experiment (field yields by soil type) Farmer's name
2.	Informatio	n acquired from farmer
	(a)	Size of yield area (this information may be checked with Agricultural Stabilization Committee records for alloted crops)
	(b)	Yields (past, present, future)  1. records (check one or both)
	•	2. farmer's memory (check one of boun)
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	(°c)	System of management as accurate as farmer can furnish either from his records or memory.  1. Rotations or continuous cropping (cropping history)
		2. Tillage practices
		3. Planting dates and rates; harvesting dates
		4. Fertilizers (commercial, barnyard or green manures)
		5. Varieties used
	1	6. Degree of damage to crop (hail, freeze, flood, wind, insects and other) Use insurance adjusters appraisal if available
		7. Rainfall
		8. Other
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Figure 2. Questionnaire Used in Interviewing Farmers for the Purpose of Assembling Yield and Other Data by Soil Types.

## CHAPTER IV

# PRESENTATION OF YIELD DATA

Abbreviations used in recording morphological data. All horizons were described according to Soil Survey Manual (1951).

Color	Texture	Structure
blk - black b - brown g - gray c - clive p - pink r - red w - white y - yellow co coarsely dk dark lt light pl pale mott mottled stg strong str stratified v very  Munsel notations follow color symbols.	gv = gravel s - sand fs - fine sand vfs - very fine sand sl - sandy loam fsl - fine sandy loam vfsl - very fine sandy loam l - loam si - silt sil - silt loam cl - clay loam sicl - silty clay loam fscl - fine sandy clay loam scl - sandy clay loam sic - silty clay sc - sandy clay c - clay ss - sandstone fgdss - fine grained sandstone sist - silt stone sh - shale ssh - sandy shale sish - silty shale co - coarse f - fine h - heavy lt - light	Grade:  0 - structureless  1 - weak  2 - moderate  3 - strong  Size:  vf - very fine  f - fine  m - medium  c - coarse  vc - very coarse  Form or type:  pl - platy  pr - prismatic  cpr - columnar  bk - blocky  abk - angular blocky  sbk - subangular  blocky  gr - granular  cr - crumb  m - massive  frb - fragmental  breakage  cub - cuboidal  sg - single grain  cpd - compound
Consistence	Other	
Moist Soil:  ml - loose  mvfr - very friable  mfr - friable  mfi - firm  mvfi - very firm  mefi - extremely fi  msfi - slightly fir		Dry Soil:  dl - loose ds - soft dsh - slightly hard dh - hard dvh - very hard deh - extremely hard

## Abbreviations used in recording morphological data (continued)

## Other (Continued)

#### Concretions, films

#### con. - concretions

conir. - iron concretions

conca. - lime concretions

ferr. - ferruginous

fil. - films ir. - iron

#### Miscellaneous

abpt. - abruptly

accum. - accumulation

aeol. - aeolian

calc. - calcareous

coat. - coatings

cps. - chips

cry. - crystalline

indst. - indistinct

limest. - limestone

mat. - material

max. - maximum

occas. - occasional

orig. - origin

peb. - pebbles

pel. - pellets

perm. - permeable

rel. - relatively

resid. - residium

rk. - rock

shin. - shine

simil. - similar

sltly. - slightly

spk. - specks

strik. - striking

trans. - transition

undet. - undetermined

unwth. - unweathered

wth. - weathered

Symbols listed under a certain category are not necessarily confined to that category in the presentation of data.

## Management

(c) - customary (prevailing

practices)

(I) - improved (includes applica-

tion of lime and fertilizer, use of improved crop varie-

ties, use of crop rotations that con-

tained a legume,

irrigation, and use

of soil conserving

practices).

#### Bates series

Bates fine sandy loam, shallow phase, 2 percent slopes

Location: SESW Sec. 18, T. 15 N., R. 19 E. (Bacone Indian College property NE of Muskogee in Muskogee County.)

Roy Oswalt's variety study, Data source No. 1.

Profile description

	COO OT TO OTOIL				
Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	рH	Othe r
F. Target of the Property of the Parket of t	in inches		Structure		
Ay &Ayo*	0-14	b(7.5YR5/2 4/2m)	fsl-2mgr	6.4	CHARLES THE COMMON HEAVILLE HE CHARLES THE CONTROL OF T
A <sub>2</sub>	14-18	same,stg.b cps	same	6.2	10%wth.ss cps.
CT	18-30	stg.b		6.0	part wth.ss
<u> </u>	30-42	lt.g	ssh	5 <b>.</b> 8	-
Dr	42+	pl.b(10YR6/3)		•	rel.unwth.rk.
* % OM 1	.74 - % N .0	914 - Avail. K'92 1	lbs/a - P 15 1b	5/a.	(acetic acid)

Yield data: 1953, 54, 55, 57 (4 yrs) - 20.4 bu/a under continuous wheat, no fertilizers (c).

# Bates loam, 2 percent slopes

Location: In 1954, the test was by the grain elevators south of the J. L. Fraley farm on the E side of Highway 69. In 1955 and 1956 the tests were on the J. L. Fraley farm 2.85 mi. S of Adair on Highway 69 in SWNESW Sec. 9, T. 22 N., R. 19 E. in Mayes County.

Roy Oswalt's variety study, Data source No. 2.

Profile description

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	pH Other	
	in inches		Structure		
Ann&An*	0-12	gb(10YR5/2 3/2m)	1-2mgr	5.8 mfr;ss peb.	
Agr	12-15	b(10YR5.5/3 4/3m)	1-2mgr	5.4 mfr <sub>s</sub> ss cps.	
B2	15-26	yb(10YR5/6d)	cl-lmsbk	5.4 mfr;mfi;dh;	
74	-			blk con.	
C	26-30*	ур	cl	5.4 lr.fil.	
% % OM 3	.07 - % N O.	1406 - Avail. K 64	1bs/a - P 0 1b	bs/a. (acetic acid)	illine

Yield data: 1954-56 (3 yrs.) - 15.5 bu/a under continuous wheat, no fertilizers except NH<sub>11</sub>NO<sub>3</sub> (rate unknown) used as topdressing on the Fraley location in 1954 (c).

More data are needed to strengthen the reliability of these yield averages for use in making long-time yield predictions for the Bates series.

<sup>1/</sup> Customary management.

#### Bethany-Kirkland Series

Bethany-Kirkland silt loams, 1 percent slopes

Location: Stillwater Agronomy farm.

Harper and others rotation study, Data source No. 3.

Profile description

	COOCT TO CTOIL				
Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	pН	Other
	in inches		Structure		
A, *	0-8	gb(10YR4.5/2 3.5/2m)	sil-lmgr	4.7	mfr
Born ***	8-22	dk.gb(9YRl1/2 3/2m)	c-2fbk	5.4	din
B2_2	22-32	$dk \cdot gb(lOYRl_1/2 3/2m)$	c-labk		l shin.on peds
$\mathbf{B}_{2}$	32-42	b(7.5YR5/4 4/3m)	c-1mbk		occas.blk pel.
G	42 <b>-</b> 52	rb(5YR5/4 4/4m)	sicl		blk ir. fil.

\* %0M 1.54 - %N 0.078 - Avail. K 172-1bs/a - % total P 0.0198 - Avail. P 6.4 1bs/a (acetic acid).

\*\* %OM 1.49 - %N 0.084 - Avail. K 160 lbs/a - % total P 0.0198 - Avail. P 6.4 lbs/a (acetic acid). \*\*\*

\*\*\* These data are for the continuous wheat check plot. Data are also available for other treatments.

Yield data: 1926-54 (28 yrs.) - 12.8 bu/a under continuous wheat, no fertilizers (c).

1926-53 (27 yrs.) - 17.4 bu/a under continuous wheat, 30 lbs
P205 annually (I)1/.

Poog annually (I) .

1926-53 (27 yrs.) - 25.7 bu/a under first year after Austrian winter pea rotation plus 3 tons of lime per acre in 1926 and 1 ton per acre in 1946 (I).

These are some of the most reliable yields available for making predictions for these soils. Compare with Data Source Nos. 31-35 and Nos. 4-9.

<sup>1/</sup> Improved management.

## Bethany Series

# Bethany loam, \frac{1}{2} percent slopes

Location:  $W_{\frac{1}{4}}$  cor. Sec. 13, T. 15 N., R. 9 W. (3 mi. N, 8 mi. W,  $\frac{1}{2}$  mi. N of Okarche in Kingfisher County.)

H. V. Eck's fertility study, Data source No. 4.

Profile description

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	pH Other
	in inches		Structure	
A <sub>1</sub> p	0-6*	b(10YR5/3 3/2m)	fsl-lfgr	7.7 mfr;dh
A	6-15**	b(lOYR5/3 3/2m)	sil-frb	7.2 mfi;dh
B2_1	15-26	dk.gb(10YR4/2 3/2m)	cl-m;frb	8.0 c fil.;mvfi
B <sub>2</sub> _2 B <sub>3</sub> C	26-34	dk.gb(IOYR4/2 3/2m)	cl-m <sub>9</sub> frb	8.0 1 calc.
$B_3^2C$	34-50	g(5YR6/1 5/lm)	sic⊸frb	CaCO <sub>3</sub> cps.
$C_2$	50 <b>-</b> 58	yr(5YR5/6 4/6m)	sic-frb	ir.fíl.
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\* %0M 1.28 - %N .077 - P205 53.1 lbs/a (NaHCO3) 146.6 (acetic acid).

\*\* %0M 1.12 - %N .074 - P205 35.1 lbs/a (NaHCO3) 47.6 (acetic acid).

\* 1/3 atmosphere percentage 21.28 - 15 atmosphere percentage 8.92.

\*\* 1/3 atmosphere percentage 26.15 - 15 atmosphere percentage 14.80.

1955-56 (2 yrs.) - 18.1 bu/a under continuous wheat, no Yield data: treatment (c).

> - 21.0 bu/a under continuous wheat, 40 lbs. N<sub>9</sub> 40 lbs. P (I).

Bethany silt loam,  $\frac{1}{2}$  percent slopes

Location:  $SW_{\frac{1}{4}}$  Sec. 33, T. 26 N., R. 1 E. (On N side of Highway 60, 7 mi. W of Ponca City on the Bellinghausen farm in Kay County.)

Roy Oswalt's variety study, Data source No. 5.

Profile description

LLOI TTG	description			
Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	Other
	in inches	·	Structure	
A & A D	0-9	gb(10YR5/2 3/2m)	sil-lmgr	mfr
A <sub>1</sub> &A <sub>1</sub> p A <sub>3</sub>	9-16	dk.gb(10YR4/2 3/2m)	cl-2,3 msbk	mfişdsh
$B_{2}$	16-24	gb(10YR4.5/2 3/2m)	c-lmpr;lmbk	mvfi c fil.stg.
B <sub>2</sub> _2 B <sub>2</sub>	24-30	b(10YR5/3d)	c-lmpr3lmbk	like above; w spk.
B <sub>2</sub>	30-38	b mott. with yb and by	sic	blk con.
C	38-54		scl	str.with dk. b c.

Yield data: 1948-57 (10 yrs.) - 24.5 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).

Bethany silt loam, 50 percent; Kingfisher silt loam, 50 percent 1-3 percent slopes

Location:  $NE_{\frac{1}{4}}^{\frac{1}{2}}$  Sec. 16, T. 15 N., R. 7 W. (2 mi. E,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  N of Okarche on W. side of road; it is on E side of Highway 81.)

Farmer questionnaire - Fred Walta, Data source No. 6.

#### Management:

This 98 acre field, the two largest mapping units in the center of the quarter section, has been in continuous wheat with the exception of 35 acres along the east side that have grown oats the past 4 years. No fertilizer has been applied. The soil is moldboard plowed. Mr. Walta sometimes oneways before moldboarding. Triumph variety wheat was planted October 15, 1956.

At time of harvest, June 15, 1957, the wheat on the Bethany had lodged worse than on the Kingfisher. Farmer estimates yield on Kingfisher about 3 bushels better than on Bethany. In contrast, the reverse was true regarding yield in 1956. Bethany outyielded Kingfisher by approximately 3 bushels.

Yield data: 1955 - 5 bu/a 1956 - 20 bu/a 1957 - 15 bu/a

Bethany silt loam, 0-1 percent slopes

Location:  $NW_{4}^{\frac{1}{2}}$  Sec. 27, T. 15 N., R. 7 W. (2 mi. E and  $l_{2}^{\frac{1}{2}}$  mi. N of Okarche on E side of road).

Farmer questionnaire - J. A. Young, Data source No. 7.

## Management:

This quarter section has been in continuous wheat without any fertilizer. It has been moldboard plowed most of the time. A Graham-Hoeme was used in 1952 when it was too dry to moldboard. The sloping part was terraced in the fall of 1951. This comprises about 10 percent of the field mostly on the east side. 1956 was the only year that some small areas of Norge fine sandy loam on the east side of the quarter section outyielded Bethany.

Yield data: 1952 - 0.0 (Hail)
1953 - 16.0 bu/a
1954 - 21.0 bu/a
1955 - 5.5 bu/a
1956 - 19.5 bu/a
1957 - 12.7 bu/a

Bethany silt loam, 0-1 percent slopes

Location:  $SW_{4}^{1}$  Sec. 13, T. 16 N., R. 9 W.  $(9\frac{1}{2} \text{ mi. W of Kingfisher on N side of Highway 33).}$ 

Farmer questionnaire - W. C. Simmons, Data source No. 8.

#### Management:

This quarter section has been in continuous wheat for 30 years. No fertilizers have been used. The soil is usually moldboard plowed. In 1956, it was onewayed and chiseled 10 inches deep on most of the quarter section. Winter freeze damage was greater on the soil that was only moldboarded than on the chiseled soil. The wheat growth was more rank. Triumph variety wheat was planted in late October in the dust.

Yield data: 1955 - 18.0 bu/a 1956 - 28.5 bu/a 1957 - 10.5 bu/a

Bethany silt loam, 0-1 percent slopes

Location: N part of  $E_2^{\frac{1}{2}}NE_4^{\frac{1}{4}}$  Sec. 21, T. 15 N., R. 7 W. (2 mi. E,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  N of Okarche on W side of road).

Farmer questionnaire - Ted Brueggen, Data source No. 9.

#### Management:

This 50 acre field is moldboard plowed each year directly after harvest. It is spring tooth harrowed two or three times. The soil is harrowed once in late July or early August, depending on rainfall, to keep weeds down. It is also harrowed before drilling wheat. About 15 acres of this 50 acres was in vetch in 1949. Early Triumph variety was planted October 1, 1956.

<u>Yield data:</u> 1956 - 23 bu/a 1957 - 12 bu/a

The soil under Data source No. 5 probably had some additional fertility or green manure treatment which was unknown.

## Carey Series

## Carey silt loam, 1-3 percent slopes

Location: Southern Great Plains Field Station at Woodward in Woodward County.

U.S.D.A. Circ. No. 917 - Rotation study, Data source No. 10.

Profile description

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Horizon	. Depth	Color	Texture &	Other
	in inches		Structure	
Aj	0-8	dk.gb to dk.bm	sil-lmgr	mfr
$\mathbf{B}_{1}^{m}$	8-20	dk.b	cl2mgr	noncalc.
$B_2$	20-48	dk.b to lt.b(grades)	cl-2mgr	cale.
C	48-62	lt.yb	cl-2mgr	calc.

Yield data: 1919-48 (30 yrs.) - 19.4 bu/a under continuous wheat, early prepared land (c).

Carey silt loam, 1 percent slopes

Location: NWNE Sec. 13, T. 27 N., R. 23 W. ( $\frac{1}{2}$  mi. S of center of Buffalo on the Appleton farm in Harper County).

H. V. Eck's fertility study, Data source No. 11.

Profile description

TTOTITE	describ cros	Ţ		
Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	Other
	in inches		Structure	
Alp	0-6	b(7.5YR5/3 4/3m)	sil-frb;lpl	dsh
A	6-13	b(7.5YRL1/3 3/3m)	sil-frb;2mg	r mfr;noncalc.
	13-16	rb(5YR5/4d)	h.sil-cpd	l calc.
423			lprjmgr	
B <sub>2</sub>	16-24	p(5YR7/5d)	lt.sicl	seams CaCO3
Bca	24-36	p(4YR7/4d)	lt.sicl	max.CaCO3 accum.
C	36-54	r(2.5YR6/6d)	sil	appears to be
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Yield data: 1956 - 8.4 bu/a under continuous wheat, no fertilizers (c).
- 10.6 bu/a under continuous wheat with 40 lbs. N and
80 lbs. P205 (I).

## Carey silt loam, 1 percent slopes

Location: NWNW Sec. 25, T. 15 N., R. 17 W. (600 ft. S of NW Cor. on the Bonnie Nicholas farm at junction of U. S. Highway 183 and Oklahoma Highway 47 W of Thomas in Custer County).

H. V. Eck's fertility study, Data source No. 12.

Profile description

CETY THE VINCENTAL	GC2C1 TD 0TO11				
Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	рН	Other
	in inches		Structure		
Alp	0-7	b(7.5YR4/3 3/3m)	sil	6.5	dsh
A	7 <b>-</b> 13	rb(5YR4/3 3/3m)	sil-3,2mgr	7.0	mfr
A	13-20	rb(5YR4/3 3/3m)	sicl-2mgr	7.0	mfr
B2_7	20-28	rb(5YR4/4d)	sicl-2mgr	7.5	l c fil.
B2_2	28-42	dk.r(2.5YR3/6d)	sicl	8.0	calc.spots
C	42-54	r(2.5YR5/8d)	soft sist		l calc.

Yield data: 1956-57 (2 yrs.) - 17.2 bu/a under continuous wheat, no fertilizers (c).
- 22.2 bu/a under continuous wheat, 40 lbs.
N, 20 lbs P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> (I).

Carey silt loam, 1 percent slopes

Location: NWSWSW Sec. 30, T. 15 N., R. 14 W. (N of McNeil elevator along Highway 33 on the east side of Thomas in Custer County).

Roy Oswalt's variety study, Data source No. 13.

Profile description

Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	pН	Other
	in inches		Structure		
A	0-7	b(7.5YR5/3 4/3m)	sil-lmgr	6.2	mfr;perm.
$\mathbf{A}_{1}^{\mathbf{L}\mathbf{p}}$	7-12	b(6.5YR4/2d)	sil-2mgr	7.0	$mfr_{5}perm.$
$B_1^{-}$	12-17	rb(5YR4/3 3/3m)	sicl-2mgr	7.0	pores; casts
$B_{2}$	17-28	rb(2.5YR4/6d)	sicl-2mgr	7.0	l c fil.
$B_{2}_{-2}$	28-38	r(2.5YR4/6d)	cl	7.5	no c fil.
B <sub>3</sub>	38-48	r(2.5YR4/6d)	scl	7.5	spots of b
٠		•	•		and rb
C:	48-54+	lt.r(2.5YR6/8d)	seams of	7.5	
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Yield data: 1948-53 (6 yrs.) - 21.2 bu/a under continuous wheat, no fertilizers (c).

Yield predictions with good reliability, especially under customary management may be made from the data presented for Carey silt loam.

#### Choteau Series

Choteau silt loam, l percent slopes

Location: Conners Agricultural School land.

Roy Oswalt's variety study, Data source No. 14.

Profile description

	CCSCT TD 0TOI	1		
Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	Other
Contribution accesses to a surrementation	in inches		Structure	
A	0-15	dk.gb(10YR4/2d)	sil-lmgr	mfr;pores
ΑŽ	15-26	lt.bg(lOYR6/2d)	sil	con, -fil.
$B_{2-1}$	26-40	yb(10YR5/4d)	sic-lmsbk	mfigdk.fil.on peds

Yield data: 1954-56 (3 yrs.) - 21.8 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).

Choteau silt loam, 2 percent slopes

Location: SESE Sec. 18, T. 17 N., R. 16 E. (SE Cor. of school land at Coweta in Wagoner County).

Roy Oswalt's variety study, Data source No. 15.

Profile description

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	Other other
	in inches		Structure	
Alp&Al	0-14	b(10YR5/3d)	sil-lmgr	very floury, d
A2-1	14-32	lt.bg; few yb spots	sil-lmgr	porous, perm.
A2_2	3 <b>2-3</b> 8	pl.b	sil	conir.
$B_2$	38-50+	by; many stg.b and	sicl-lmsbk	mfisslow perm.
Citi Escalarita sipompi interno		rb spots	777700140 XVXIII HAN AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AND A	
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Yield data: 1955-56 (2 yrs.) - 27.7 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).

Location: NENW Sec. 26, T. 22 N., R. 19 E. (Just S and E of Mennonite Church NE of Pryor in Mayes County).

O. H. Brensing's fertility study, Data source No. 16.

Profile description

	GONGE TO OTOTI			
Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	Uther
	in inches		Structure	•
A- &A	0-15	dk.gb	sil-Imgr;lcfrb	MIT
A	15-25		sil-lmgr;lcfrb	blk con.
BŽ.J	25~36	plob		c fil.not strik.
	36+	-		simil.to above
Ag B2]	25-36 36+	lt.yb pl.b	e-epd lpr;2mbk	c fil.not strik simil.to above

Yield data: 1953 - 32.0 bu/a following soybeans in 1952, 100 lbs of 4-12-4 starter plus 80 lbs. of N (urea) (I).

Until more data are available, these soils may be compared with similar soils in the Taloka series to make long time yield estimates.

## Dennis Series

# Dennis loam, 21 percent slopes

Location: SE Cor. of Sec. 17, T. 18 N., R. 15 E. (4 mi. E of Broken Arrow and  $\frac{1}{2}$  mi. N of Highway 51 on R. Wagner farm in Wagoner County).

Roy Oswalt's variety study, Data source No. 17.

Profile description

Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	рĦ	Other
	in inches		Structure	_	
A	0=12	dk.gb(10YR4/1.5 3/1.5m)	l-2mgr	6.0	mfr
$\mathbf{A}_3$	12-17	same	lt.cl-cpd	6.0	mfr <sub>ë</sub> mfi
			lpr 2msbk		
$B_2$	17-26	b(loyR4.5/3 3/3m)	lt.sicl-	5.8	many pores
			2msbk		
C	26-36	b(loyR4.5/3 3/3m)	sicl	5.6	
Dr	36-42	lt.g(2.5YR7/2d)	sish	5.6	ss seams

Yield data: 1956-57 (2 yrs.) - 26.3 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).

Dennis silt loam, 2 percent slopes

Location: SWNW Sec. 7, T. 17 N., R. 18 E. (3 mi. W,  $\frac{1}{2}$  mi. N of Highway 51 on the Dean Jeffrey farm, W and N of the house and barns, in Wagoner County).

J. Q. Lynd's fertility study, Data source No. 18.

Profile description

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	рΗ	Other
	in inches		Structure		
Alp	0-6	dk.gb(lOYR4/2)	sil-l,2mgr	5.5	
An T	6-13	v.dk.gb(10YR3/2)	sil-2mgr	5.6	mfr
Aq	13-20	yb(10YR5/4)	sicl-2mgr	5.7	$\mathtt{mfr}_{\S}$ conir.
B2	20-36	b(7.5YR5/5)	c∽2fbk	5.3	mfi
$B_3$	36-46	yb mott.with stg.	c-lmbk	6.0	mfi: l shin.
<b>-</b> 2	*	b spots			v
C	46-54	yb with g bands	csh	6.5	. "
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Yield data: 1957 - 8.92 bu/a under no treatment. This soil has been limed in the past, and vetch and legumes have been grown (I).
- 12.83 bu/a under 40 lbs. N, 40 lbs. P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>, 40 lbs. K<sub>2</sub>O (I).

#### Dennis silt loam, 2 percent slopes

Location: SWNE of section just S of Liberty School on the Shi Ketchum farm in Tulsa County.

J. Q. Lynd's fertility study, Data source No. 19.

Profile description\*

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture & Other
	in inches		Structure
A	0-10	gb	sil-2mgr
A3	10-18	ď	cl-2mgr, cr
B2	18-28	gb mott.with yb, rb	sic-2msbk,cr
C	28-38	more b than above	C .
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Yield data: 1957 - 8.78 bu/a under no treatment (c).
- 20.88 bu/a under 80 lbs. N, 40 lbs. P205, 60 lbs.
K20 (I).

The low yields for 1957 are due to high rainfall prior to and during harvest time. More data are needed to make reliable yield predictions.

#### Dill Series

Dill fine sandy loam,  $l_2^1$  percent slopes

Location: NESW Sec. 24, T. 11 N., R. 21 W. (2 mi. E of Elk City 0.6 mi. S of U. S. Highway 66 on the P. A. McDonald farm in Beckham County).

Roy Oswalt's variety study, Data source No. 20.

Profile description

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	pН	Other
	in inches		Structure		
Alr.	0-7	r(2.5YR4/5 3/5m)	fsl-lmgr	6.5	mvfi;perm.
AT	7-12	r(2.5YR4/5 3/5m)	fsl-lmgr		many pinholes
B2.1	12-18	r(2.5YR4/6 3/6m)	scl-2mgr	6.2	l e fil.
B2_2	18-38	r(2.5YR4/6d)	scl-lmgr		c fil.
C	38-54	20	scl	7.0	occas.hard
					blk con.
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\* %OM 0.58 - %N .0396 - Avail. K 328 lbs/a - P 10 lbs/a (acetic acid).

Yield data: 1953, 54, 56 (3 yrs.) - 19.9 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).

This yield average is probably not too reliable due to the climatic variable, especially rainfall and rainfall distribution.

#### Foard Series

#### Foard silt loam, 1 percent slopes

Location: NENE Sec. 19, T. 2 N., R. 18 W.  $(\frac{1}{2}$  mi. E of center of town of Headrick, 0.25 mi. N and 200 yd. W on Orville Southward farm in Jackson County).

H. V. Eck's fertility study, Data source No. 21.

Profile description

	GODOLTDOLOI				
Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	pН	Other
	in inches		Structure		
Alp*	0-8	b(7.5YR5/3 4/3m)	sil-lmgr	6.8	porous
AT **	8-12	dk.b(7.51R4/2 3/2m)	sil-cpd	6 <b>.</b> 9	mfr;blk pel.
			lfpr,2mgr		•
B2_1	12-28	dk.b(7.5YR4/2 3/2m)	c		c fil.
B <sub>2</sub> _2	28-42	Ъ	C		CaCO3 along
$C_{\mathbb{G}\mathfrak{A}}^{\mathbb{Z}}$	42-54	gb(10YR5/2d)	calc.sc		planés
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1953-55 (3 yrs.) - 20.3 bu/a under continuous wheat, no Yield data: treatment (c).

<sup>\* %0</sup>M 1.48 - %N .081 - P205 53.1 lbs/a (NaHCO3) 146.6 (acetic acid).

\*\* %0M 1.3 - %N .085 - P205 42.1 lbs/a (NaHCO3) 146.6 (acetic acid).

\* 1/3 atmosphere percentage 17.95 - 15 atmosphere percentage 8.13.

\*\* 1/3 atmosphere percentage 21.8 - 15 atmosphere percentage 11.5.

<sup>- 24.4</sup> bu/a under continuous wheat, 40 lbs. N(I).

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## Foard clay loam, 1 1/3 percent slopes

Location: SENE Sec. 2, T. 4 S., R. 15 W. (On Grandfield airport property 3 mi. W and  $\frac{1}{2}$  mi. N of Grandfield.)

H. V. Eck's fertility study, Data source No. 22.

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	рΗ	Other
	in inches		Structure		
Ann*	0-5	dk.gb(10YR4/2 3/2m)	sicl-lmgr	7.2	mfr
Alpa	5-13	v.dk.g(lOYR3/1 2/lm)	sicl-2msbk	7.2	mfi-mfr;dh
B2_1	13-24	v.dk.gb(lOYR3/2m)	c-2mbk	8.0	stg.c fil.
B <sub>2</sub> -2	24-32	b(7.5YR5/2 4/2m)	C.		CaCO3 con.
B3	32 <b>-</b> 46	b(7.5YR5/4 5/3m)	c-lmbk		ev.
C <sub>C3</sub>	46-54	yr(5YR5/6d)	granite peb.		
* %OM	1.87 - %N .10	06 - P <sub>2</sub> 05 31.9 lbs/a (N	aHCO3) 146.6 (	acet	ic acid).

\*\* %OM 1.98 - %N .095 - Poof 22.9 lbs/a (NaHCO3) 146.6 (acetic acid).

\* 1/3 atmosphere percentage 22.31 - 15 atmosphere percentage 9.85. \*\* 1/3 atmosphere percentage 25.04 - 15 atmosphere percentage 12.68.

1952-56 (4 yrs.) - 29.3 bu/a under continuous wheat, no Yield data: treatment (c).

> - 34.9 bu/a under continuous wheat, 40 lbs. N, 80 lbs. P (I).

The Foard clay loam may be closer to Hollister clay loam. Granite pebbles in the C horizon tend to bear this out. A good nitrogen response which seldom occurs on these soils was recognized in 1953. These factors probably contribute to the unusually high yield for Foard clay loam.

#### Grant Series

#### Grant silt loam, 2 percent slopes

Stubble mulch and other cultural practices on Wheatland Conservation Experiment Station at Cherokee in Alfalfa County.

	description	,			
Horizon		Color	Texture &	рН	Othe r
Process of the second s	in inches		Structure	·	March Company
Alb	0-8	b(7.5YR5/3 4/3m)	sil-0	6.2	mfr
${f A_1^{p}}$	8-16	b(7.5YR4/3 3/3m)	sil-2mgr	7.0	porous and perm.
AB	16-22	rb(6YR4/3 3/3m)	lt.cl-lmsbk	7.5	
B2	22-32	rb(6YR4/3 3/2m)	cl-Impr; 2msbk	7.0	l shin. on peds
$\mathbf{B}_{\mathfrak{Z}}^{\mathbf{C}}$	32-42	rb(5YR4/4 3/4m)	cocl		occas. bands of fgv.
C B2b Cb	142-50 50 <b>-</b> 614 64-78	rb(5YR4/3 3/3m) dk.b(7.5YR4/3 3/3m) yr(5YR4/6 3/6m)	cl-lmsbk sicl-2fbk cocl		mfi l shin.on peds f.roots

H. A. Daniel, M. B. Cox, and H. M. Elwell - Tillage-row direction study, Data source No. 23a.

Control () () () () () () () () () () () () ()	Yields of	f wheat by	y row direction	and tillage method 1/
	Up & down	Contour	Open end terr.	Closed end terr.
	slope	tillage	contour till.	contour till.
1942 <b>-</b> 51 (10 yrs) (c)	16.5	17.8	17.8	16.6

## H. V. Eck's Fertility study, Data source No. 23b.

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	None 40#	N and 20#P <sub>2</sub> 0 <sub>5</sub>
1953-54 (2 yrs)	18.4 (c)	21.1 (I)

# Grant silt loam, $1\frac{1}{2}$ -2 percent slopes

Location: Sec. 19, T. 22 N., R. 8 W. (Bob Graf farm ½ mi. S and 1 mi. W of Lahoma in Garfield County: 200 yd. W of homestead or 300 yds. E of NW corner of section.)

H. V. Eck's fertility study, Data source No. 24.

Profile description

Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	рĦ	Other
	in inches		Structure		
Åq.p*	0-8	b(7.5YR5/3 4/3m)	sil-lmgr	6.0	mfr;perm.
Alk*	8-12	Ъ	sil	6.0	mfr;mfi
$B_{\overline{1}}$	12-16	b(7.5YR5/l <sub>4</sub> )	sicl-lmsbk	6.0	mfrşmfi
B2	16-28	b(7.5 <b>Y</b> R5/4)	sicl-lmbk	8.0	mfr
$B_{2-b}$	28 <b>-</b> 46	dk.b(7.5YR 4/2 3/2m)	h.sicl-lmbk	0.8	mvfige fil.
<sup>В</sup> 2-ь В <sub>3-ь</sub>	46-54	lt.b	sicl-lmbk	8.0	less mfi than
	•				above

\* %0M 1.57 - %N .083 -  $P_2O_5$  42.1 lbs/a (NaHCO<sub>3</sub>) 146.6 (acetic acid). 
\*\* %0M 1.56 - %N .082 -  $P_2O_5$  42.1 lbs/a (NaHCO<sub>3</sub>) 146.6 (acetic acid). 
\* 1/3 atmosphere percentage 17.37 - 15 atmosphere percentage 5.61. 
\*\* 1/3 atmosphere percentage 20.09 - 15 atmosphere percentage 7.6.

Yield data: 1954-55 (2 yrs.) - 19.7 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).

> - 19.8 bu/a under continuous wheat, 40 lbs. N, 20 lbs. P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> (I).

<sup>1/</sup> Stubble mulch and other cultural practices, 1956. Production Research Report No. 6, Agric. Res. Serv., U.S.D.A.

## Grant silt loam, la percent slopes

Location: 2 mi. E, 1 mi. N, 0.15 mi. E of the center of Okeene on the Owen Wimberly farm in Blaine County.

H. V. Eck's fertility study, Data source No. 25.

Profile description

Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	рĦ	Other
	in inches		Structure		
Alp*	0-8	lt.b(7.5YR6/4 4/3m)	sil-labk-0	6.1	porous
A7 ***	8 <b>-</b> 13	rb(6YR4/3 3/3m)	sil-2mgr	6.2	perm.
<b>A</b> ₹	13-18	rb(5YR4/3 3/3m)	sicl-cpd		- ,
Ø₹			2msbk-lfpr		mfişdh
Bo1	18-28	rb(5YR4/3d)	sicl-2msbk	7.5	mfi
B2-1 B2-2	28-36	r(2.5YR5/8 4/8m)	sicl-2msbk	7.5	ferr.fil.
Βίζ	36- <u>l</u> i6	r	cl-lmsbk	7.5	conir.
C	46-54+	r(2.5YR5/8d)	sish		wth.

\* %0M 1.53 - %N .079 - P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> 39.8 lbs/a (NaHCO<sub>3</sub>) l46.6 (acetic acid). \*\* %0M 1.42 - %N .079 - P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> 25.2 lbs/a (NaHCO<sub>3</sub>) l46.6 (acetic acid) \* 1/3 atmosphere percentage 16.6 - 15 atmosphere percentage 5.98.

- \*\* 1/3 atmosphere percentage 18.2 15 atmosphere percentage 7.64.

Yield data: 1954-56 (3 yrs.) - 13.3 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).

> - 14.3 bu/a under continuous wheat, 20 lbs. N, 40 lbs. P<sub>2</sub>05 (I).

Yield predictions with good reliability may be made for Grant silt loam from the data presented. Very little increase in yields is obtained from addition of fertilizers.

# Kingfisher Series1/

Kingfisher silt loam, 1-3 percent slopes

Location:  $W_2^1W_4^1$  Sec. 19, T. 15 N., R. 7 W. (3 mi. N and  $\frac{1}{4}$  mi. W of Okarche on S side of road.)

Farmer questionnaire - Norman Grummer, Data source No. 26.

## Management:

This 79 acre field has been in continuous wheat for years with no fertilizer treatment. The soil has been moldboard plowed and spring tooth harrowed. Triumph variety wheat is planted in early October.

Yield data: 1957 - 15 bu/a

<sup>1/</sup> Check Data source No. 6 for additional data on Kingfisher.

Kingfisher silt loam, 1-3 percent slopes

Location:  $SW_{\frac{1}{4}}^{\frac{1}{2}}$  Sec. 28, T. 15 N., R. 7 W. (1 mi. E and 1 mi. N of Okarche.)

Farmer Questionnaire - Norman Grummer, Data source No. 27.

# Management:

This quarter section has been in continuous wheat for 64 years. It has never been fertilized. The soil has been moldboard plowed the past 20 years. Before that, it was disk plowed. It has been spring tooth harrowed after plowing each year. Adolph Schroeder now farms the land for Mr. Grummer. The Schroeder family has always farmed this quarter. They have used a Graham Hoeme some, but the soil blows too easily after using this plow. Mr. Schroeder rotary hoes often to prevent blowing. The best yield on this soil was 24 bu/a in 1935 and again in 1956. Peck variety was used in 1935. Triumph is now planted September 25-30.

Yield data: 1954

4 - 17 bu/a

1955 - 4 bu/a (greenbugs)

1956 - 24 bu/a 1957 - 16 bu/a

Kingfisher silt loam, 1-3 percent slopes

Location: N part of  $W_{\overline{2}}^{1}SW_{\overline{4}}^{1}$  Sec. 20, T. 15 N., R. 7 W. (2 mi. N of Okarche on E side of road.)

Farmer Questionnaire - Leo Buettner, Data source No. 28.

#### Management:

This 23 acre field has been in continuous wheat for years with the exception of oats in 1955. No fertilizer has been used. The soil is onewayed right after harvest. 27 bu/a is the highest yield the field ever produced.

Yield data: 1957 - 10.6 bu/a

Kingfisher silt loam, 1-3 percent slopes

Location:  $W_2^1 N E_4^1$  Sec. 11, T. 15 N., R. 7 W. (4 mi. S and 1 mi. E of Kingfisher on S side of road.)

Farmer Questionnaire - John Alden, Data source No. 29.

#### Management:

This field has been in continuous wheat without fertilizers with the exception of a little barnyard manure. The soil has been mold-board plowed most of the time. Early Triumph variety wheat was planted October 20, 1956 in plenty of moisture.

Yield data: 1955 - 5 bu/a (dry, weeds took it)
1956 - 26 bu/a (avg. on Kingfisher and Port on east
side of NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>)
1957 - 18 bu/a

Kingfisher silt loam, 3-5 percent slopes

Location: N part of  $E_{2}^{1}NW_{4}^{1}$  Sec. 20, T. 15 N., R. 7 W. (3 mi. N,  $\frac{1}{4}$  mi. E of Okarche on S side of road.)

Farmer Questionnaire - A. H. Gruntmier, Data source No. 30.

## Managements

This 64 acre field has been in continuous wheat for 20 years. It has been moldboard plowed during this 20 years. Only small areas have been fertilized and there was no apparent response.

<u>Yield data: 1956 - 22 bu/a</u> 1957 - 15 bu/a Kingfisher silt loam, 1-3 percent slopes and Kirkland silt loam, 0-3 percent slopes

Location:  $NE_{\frac{1}{4}}$  Sec. 8, T. 15 N., R. 7 W. (5 mi. N and 1 mi. E of Okarche on S side of road; Kirkland is in  $SE_{\frac{1}{4}}$  of Sec. 8.)

Farmer Questionnaire - George Walta, Data source No. 31.

### Management:

This half section has been in continuous wheat for years. Rotations with cowpeas have been used and did give good results in those years in which rainfall was good. Eighty acres on the west part of the  $NE_{\frac{1}{4}}^{1}$  were fertilized with 400 lbs. of raw rock phosphate and with  $2\frac{1}{2}$  tons of lime per acre in 1948.

#### Yield data: Kingfisher

1956 - 15 bu/a (in N part of NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>) 1956 - 19 bu/a (in S part of NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>)\* 1957 - 14 bu/a (in N part of NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>) 1957 - 12 bu/a (in S part of NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>)

\* The south part of the 160 acres is more level than the north.

#### Kirkland

1956 - 20 bu/a 1957 - 8 bu/a

The highest yield obtainable under continuous wheat with no fertilizers is 24 to 27 bu/a. Very little increase in yield has been observed by addition of fertilizers.

## Kirkland Series

#### Kirkland silt loam, 2 percent slopes

Location: Stillwater Agronomy Farm.

Magruder plots, Data source No. 32.

Profile description

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	pН	Other
	in inches		Structure		
An A	0-7	b(7.5YR4.5/2 4/2m)	sil-lmgr	5.1	rests abpt.
A-P#	7-10	same sltly.dk.	sil-2mgr	5 <b>.</b> 5	
B <sub>2</sub> -1	10-22	rb(5YR5/4 4/4m)	C		ferr. fil.
B <sub>2</sub> _2	22-3h	rb(2.5YR5/5 4/5m)	sic		conca.
C	34-52	rb(2.5YR5/5 4/5m)	sic		calc.streaks
25 % OM	1 3E 2N O (	777 1-237 7 966	The/a 2 total I	0 0 090	28

% % 0M 1.35 = %N 0.077 - Avail. K 166 lbs/a - % total P 0.0198.
 \*\*\* % 0M 1.35 - %N 0.092 - Avail. K 156 lbs/a - % total P 0.0198.\*\*\*

\*\*\* These data are from no treatment plots; data are also available on treated plots.

Yield data: 1899 - 1957 (59 yrs.) - 12.6 bu/a under continuous wheat, no fertilizers (c).

1930 - 1956 (27 yrs.) - 18.7 bu/a under continuous wheat, 30 lbs. P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> annually (I).

1899 - 1957 (59 yrs.) - 20.25 bu/a under continuous wheat, manure (30 lbs. N) (I).

H. F. Murphy's fertility study, Data source No. 33.

Yield data: 1925 - 1937 (13 yrs.) - 13.06 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).

- 16.74 bu/a under continuous wheat, 150 lbs. superphosphate, 50 lbs. of Nitrate of soda annually (I).

Location: 300 yds S of NW corner of Sec. 34, T. 24 N., R. 1 W. (8 mi. E and 1 mi. S of Billings in Noble County.)

H. V. Eck's fertility study, Data source No. 34.

Profile description

Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	рН	Other
	in inches		Structure		
A1*		gb(10YR5/2 3/2m)	sil-lmgr	6.3	mfr;perm.
B2.1**	7–22	dk.gb(10YR4/2 3/2m)	c-cpd 2msbk cpr,2mbk	7.2	mvfi;slow perm.
$B_{2}$	22-34	gb(9YR5/2 4/2m)	c-like above	8.0	conca.
B <sub>2</sub> -2 B <sub>3</sub> C	34-46	rb(5YR5/4 4/4m)	C	8.0	conca.;blk pel.
C	46-54	str.yr and lt.g			r is calc.; g
					is noncalc.

\* %OM 1.35 - %N .072 -  $P_2O_5$  42.1 lbs/a (NaHCO<sub>3</sub>) 95.3 (acetic acid).

\*\* %OM 1.47 - %N .101 - P205 19.2 lbs/a (NaHCO3) 29.3 (acetic acid).

\* 1/3 atmosphere percentage 18.77 - 15 atmosphere percentage 7.27.

\*\*1/3 atmosphere percentage 24.48 - 15 atmosphere percentage 11.42.

Yield data: 1953-1956 (4 yrs.) - 17.9 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c). - 22.5 bu/a under continuous wheat, 80 lbs. N, 40 lbs. P (I).

Kirkland silt loam, 2 percent slopes

Location: Plots lie S of Highway 51, 1.6 mi. W of Okeens in Blaine County. Roy Oswalt's variety study, Data source No. 35.

Profile description

Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	рН	Other
	in inches		Structure		
Alp&Al* B2-1	0-8	gb(10YR5/2.5 3/2m)	sil-lmgr	6.0	porous
BZLl	8-24	$dk.gb(10YRl_1/2 2.5/2m)$	c-lmbk	7.0	mvfi;slow.perm.
B <sub>2</sub> _2 B <sub>3</sub> C	24-48	b(10YR5/3 4/2m)	c-l,2mbk	7.8	mefi; v.slow perm.
$B_3^{-}C^{-}$	48-56	gb(10YR5/2 4/2m)	l calc.c		like above, less
					compact

\* %OM 1.84 - %N 0.109 - Avail.K 850 lbs/a - P 65 lbs/a (acetic acid).

Yield data: 1947-56 (10 yrs.) - 18.6 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).

These are among the best yields available for making long time yield predictions. The yield for customary management under both Data source No. 34 and No. 35 are high compared with the customary management yield from Data source No. 32 and No. 33. These plots may have received additional treatment which was unknown or else these may have been good years from the standpoint of rainfall distribution. Both factors may have contributed.

### Lawton Series

Lawton silt loam, l percent slopes

Location: Lawton Field Station in Comanche County.

U.S.D.A. Circ. No. 951 - Variety Study, Data source No. 36.

Profile description

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	Other
	in inches		Structure	
A **	0-6	b(7.5YR4/2 2.5/2m)	sil-3fgr	mfr; noncale.
A1_2***	6-12	b(7.5YR4/3 3/3m)	h.sil-3fgr	mfr; grades
Aq	12-15	rb(5YR4/4 3/3m)	sicl-v3mgr	mfr; noncalc.
$\mathbf{B}_{1}^{\mathbf{c}}$	15-19	rb(5YR4/4 3/4m)	sic-3mgr	mfr; noncale.
A3 B1 B2	19-30	rb(44R3.5/4 4/6m)	c-cpd 2mgr,	mfiş
			mpr	
$B_{3}$	30-35	r(3YR3/6)	c-gr	
C <sub>โ</sub>	35-45	r(3.5YR3/5 3/6m)	c-3pr	mfi; noncalc.
CZ CZ	45-54	r(3YR4/6m)	sc-3cpr	blk con.
CŽ	54-61	-	gv in a matrix	partly wth.
			of cf earth	waterworn

 <sup>%</sup> N 0.158 - % Carbon 1.94 - C/N ratio 11.8.
 % % N 0.106 - % Carbon 1.13 - C/N ratio 11.2.

Yield data: 1924-49 (26 yrs.) - 8.0 bu/a under continuous wheat, late disked (c).

- 11.6 bu/a under continuous wheat, early disked (c).

- 15.8 bu/a under continuous wheat, early plowed, 8 inches (3).

#### Lawton silt loam, 1 percent slopes

Location: SWNW Sec. 1, T. 2 N., R. 17 W. ( $l_2^{\frac{1}{2}}$  mi. N of Snyder on Highway 183 on the Floyd Patterson farm.)

H. V. Eck's fertility study, Data source No. 37.

Profile description

Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	рН	Other
	in inches		Structure	_	
Alp* Bix	0-6	dk.b(7.5YR4/2 3/2m)	sil-lfgr	8.0	mfr;dsh;f conca.
$B_{ m l}^{-}$ %- $ imes$	6-12	dk.b(7.5YRL/2 3/2m)	cl-2m,fgr	8.0	mfişmfr,dh;non-
					calc.
$B_{2-1}$	12-20	dk.rb(5YR3/3d)	h.gv cl-	7.5	mfi;dvh
_			lmsbk		
B <sub>2</sub> _2		dk.rb(5YR3/3d)	h.cl-lmsbk	7.5	
$\mathtt{B}_3$	24-36*	rb(5YR4/3d)	h.cl		mfr;dh;40%CaCO3
V ONE	77 9N	0 070 0 18 35-7	7 No 1100 1 31.2	77-	

\* %0M 1.77 - %N 0.079 -  $P_2O_5$  18 lbs/a (NaHCO<sub>3</sub>) 146.6 (acetic acid). 
\*\* %0M 1.83 - %N 0.098 -  $P_2O_5$  9.5 lbs/a (NaHCO<sub>3</sub>) 146.6 (acetic acid).

Yield data: 1956 - 27.8 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).
- 34.9 bu/a under continuous wheat, 80 lbs. N, 40 lbs. P(I).

Yield predictions with good reliability may be made for Lawton silt loam from the data presented. An adequate number of years with extremes as far as the climatic variable is involved are represented.

# Norge Series

Norge loam, 1-3 percent slopes, 7-12 inch A horizon

Location: Perkins Agronomy farm 1300, 1400, 1500 plots.

Harper and Gray's rotation study, Data source No. 38.

Profile description

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	рН	Other
	in inches		Structure		
Alp	0-7	b(7.5YR5/3 4/2m)	l-lmgr	7.0	mfr;perm.
AT	7-11	$dk.b(6.5YRl_1/5 3/2m)$	l-2mgr	6.5	mfr; porous
Βį	11-17	b(7.5YR5/3 4/2m)	cl=2mgr	6.5	mfr <sub>3</sub> mfi
A <sub>lp</sub> A <sub>l</sub> B <sub>l</sub> B <sub>2-l</sub>	17-26	rb(6YR5/5 4/5m)	lt.sc-lmsbk	6 <b>.</b> 5	oceas.blk con.
			l cpr		
B <sub>2-2</sub>	26-36	ry(7.5YR6/6 5/5m)	lt.sc-lmsbk	6.5	f blk con.
			l pr		
$B_3$	36-44	ry(7.5YR6/6 5/5m)	scl		less compact
B <sub>3</sub> C <sub>1.</sub>	44-60	ry(7.5YR6/6 5.5/6m)	hwfsl		ferr.fil.
C <sub>2</sub>	60-84	ry(6.5YR7/6 6/6m)	vfsl		old alluvium

Yield data: 1931-57 (27 yrs.) - 16.4 bu/a under continuous wheat, 30 lbs.  $P_2O_5$  annually (I).

- 20.3 bu/a under 5 yr. rotation with sweetclover, 30 lbs. P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> (I). Norge fine sandy loam, O-l percent slopes

Location:  $W_2^2SW_4^2$  Sec. 14, T. 16 N., R. 8 W. (5 mi. W of Kingfisher on N side of Highway 33.)

Farmer Questionnaire - Jim W. McCully, Data source No. 39.

### Management:

This field has been in continuous wheat for 30 years. Mr. McCully has farmed it since 1950. If it is dry, he oneways and follows with a moldboard plow. When sufficient moisture is available, the soil is moldboard plowed only. It is springtooth harrowed to make a cloddy surface when windblowing is a hazard. Blowing is a problem, especially following heavy rains on the moldboard plowed surface.

Yield data: 1951 - 22.0 bu/a
1952 - 28.7 bu/a
1953 - 22.0 bu/a
1954 - 23.0 bu/a
1955 - 8.0 bu/a (dry freeze)
1956 - 24.0 bu/a
1957 - 11.0 bu/a

Norge fine sandy loam, 0-1 percent slopes

Location:  $SE_{\frac{1}{4}}^{2}$  Sec. 15, T. 16 N., R. 8 W. (5 mi. W of Kingfisher on N side of Highway 33. Field is in SE corner of quarter.)

Farmer Questionnaire - Raymond Wrobbel, Data source No. 40.

### Management:

This 43 acre field has been in continuous wheat for years. There was a small field of alfalfa along the south edge of the field 10 years ago. The soil has been moldboard plowed most of the time. It was chiseled 12 to 16 inches deep in 1953. Eighty pounds of 13-39-0 fertilizer has been used about 3 years out of 5 on the average during recent years. Triumph variety is usually planted in early October. The 1957 crop was cut in the mud earlier than Mr. Wrobbel's neighbors' wheat on the same soil.

Yield data: 1955 - 10 bu/a 1956 - 30 bu/a 1957 - 30 bu/a Norge fine sandy loam, 3/4 0-1 percent, 1/4 1-3 percent slopes

Location: SE Corner  $W_{\frac{1}{2}}$  Sec. 15, T. 16 N., R. 8 W.  $(5\frac{1}{2}$  mi. W of Kingfisher on N side of Highway 33.)

Farmer Questionnaire - Clyde Chlouber, Data source No. 41.

### Management:

This  $22\frac{1}{2}$  acre field was in alfalfa from 1941 to 1956. 500 lbs. of superphosphate per acre was applied to the field before planting the alfalfa. The alfalfa was plowed September 1, 1956. Early Triumph variety wheat was planted in early October, 1956. The wheat was cut about 3 inches above the ground June 20, 1957. Hail insurance adjusters appraised hail damage at 10%.

Yield data: 1957 - 22 bu/a

Norge fine sandy loam, 1-3 percent slopes

Location:  $W_{\frac{1}{2}}^{\frac{1}{2}}$  Sec. 18, T. 16 N., R. 8 W. (9 mi. W of Kingfisher on N side of Highway 33.)

Farmer Questionnaire - F. S. Dull, Data source No. 42.

# Management:

This 135 acre field along the east side of the half section is moldboard plowed every other year and listed the other year. In 1956, it was plowed with a dryland plow. The farmer has been using a rotation of sorghum and cowpeas trying to get rid of cheat. He has tried some fertilizers but could not see any response. Early varieties of wheat are planted about the middle of October.

Predictions with good reliability may be made from the data presented for Norge loam and fine sandy loam. The maximum yield under improved management appears to be around 30 bu/a for the fine sandy loam.

### Okemah Series

# Okemah silt loam, $l^{\frac{1}{2}}$ percent slopes

Location: SW Corner of municipal airport 1 mi. W of Holdenville on U. S. Highway 270 in Hughes County.

Roy Oswalt's variety study, Data source No. 43.

Profile description

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture $\&$	pН	Other
j	n inches		Structure		
Alp#	0-6	gb(10YR5/2 3.5/2m)	sil-2m,cgr	5 <b>.</b> 8	mfr;perm.
Alp*	6-12	gb(lOYR5/2 3/lm)	sil-cpd lm	ok	f pores
B <sub>l</sub> or A <sub>3</sub>	12-20	gb(10YR5/2 3/1.5m)	cl-2mgr	6.0	mfrgmfi
Bal	20-38	g(10YR5/1 4/lm)	c-lf,mbk	6.5	mfi
B <sub>2-2</sub>	38-42	gb(2.5Y5/2,4/2m)	c-lmbk	6 <b>.</b> 5	mvfi3dvh
$B_3$	42-50	g(2.5Y5/ld)	C	7.5	•
<u>C</u>	50-60	lt.g(lOYR7/2)	c sh		
* %OM 1.9	3 = %NC	0.0852 - Avail. K 196	lbs/a - P 64	lbs/a	(acetic acid).

Yield data: 1948-50, 1952-57 (9 yrs.) - 23.4 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).

The years represented here are about equally divided with dry and wet years. This yield average may be considered good for this soil. A comparison may be made with the more sloping soils of the Parsons series following.

#### Parsons Series

Parsons silt loam, 1 percent slopes

Location: NWWW Sec. 17, T. 26 N., R. 20 E. (7 mi. N and 3 W of Vinita on the John L. Frost farm in Craig County.)

G. Hayne's fertility demonstration, Data source No. 44.

Profile description

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	pН	Other
	in inches		Structure		
An	0-7	lt.bg(10YR6/2 4/2m)	sil-lmgr	5.7	mfr
A	7-13	lt.g(lOYR7/2 6/2m)	sil-lmgr	5.7	mfr;stg.b spots
Alp A2 B2-1	13-28	dk.gb(lOYR4/2d)	e-lmbk	5.6	mvfi;dvh;v.slow.
					perm.
B <sub>2</sub> <u>-</u> 2 B₃ C	28-38	lt.g(10YR6/15/lm)	c-lmbk	5 <b>.</b> 8	mfi
$\mathbb{B}^3\mathbb{C}$	38-45	v.pl.b(10YR7/3 6/3m)	c-lmb $k$	5.8	mfi
C	<u>45-54</u>	lt.g	sic sh	<b>5.</b> 8	

Yield data: 1955 - 32.0 bu/a under continuous wheat, 12 lbs. N, 36 lbs.  $P_{205}$ , 12 lbs.  $K_{2}$ 0 (I).

# Parsons silt loam, la percent slopes

Location: SENW Sec. 2, T. 19 N., R. 17 E. (0.3 mi. S of Highway 33 on the Paul Fleming farm E of Inola in Rogers County.)

H. V. Eck's fertility study, Data source No. 45.

Profile description Horizon Depth Color Other Texture & in inches Structure Al&Alp\* 0-10 dk.gb(crushes lOYR4/3d) sil-lmsbk 5.8 many pores **A**3\*\*\* lt.bg(lOYR6/2d) 5.8 10-18 h.sil-2fgr pinholes; b con.  $\mathbf{B}_{2}^{\prime}$ 18-30 dk.b c-2mbk 7.0 ferr.pel.and fil. B2\_2 30-40 sic-2mbk 7.0 sic is layered dk.b

%OM 1.99 - %N 0.117. %OM 2.01 - %N 0.106.

<u>Yield data: 1955 - 29.2 bu/a under continuous wheat, 20 lbs. N, 40 lbs.</u> P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>, 40 lbs. K (I).

Parsons silt loam,  $\frac{1}{2}$  percent slopes

Location: SENE Sec. 23, T. 22 N., R. 19 E.  $(4\frac{1}{2}$  mi. N and 4 mi. E of Pryor on the Lloyd Coblentz farm in a field just W of a meadow and 300 ft. W of a line due N of Mennonite Church in Mayes County.)

0. H. Brensing's fertility study, Data source No. 46.

Profile description

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	pН	Other
	in inches	en e	Structure		
A&A <sub>lp</sub>	0-10	gb(10YR5/2 4/2m)	sil-lmgr	6.0	mfr <sub>3</sub> f con.
A	10-17		sil-lfgr	6.0	soft and floury
A <sub>2</sub> B <sub>2</sub> _1 B <sub>2</sub> _2	17-24	yb(10YR5/4 4/4m)	c-cpr,lmbk	6.0	mott.with stg.b
B2_2	24-36	pl b(10YR6/3)	c-lmbk	6.0	grades to
B3 C	36-50	mott.lt.g and stg.b	c-lmsbk	6.0	many m size
					grains

1954 - 23.7 bu/a following grain sorghum, continuous wheat Yield data: and no fertilizers prior to 1953, 5 lbs. N, 10 lbs.  $P_2O_{5}$ , 5 lbs. K (I). - 27.7 bu/a following grain sorghum, 25 lbs. N, 10 lbs. P205, 5 lbs. K (I).

# Parsons silt loam, \frac{1}{2} percent slopes

Location: NWNW Sec. 20, T. 18 N., R. 18 E. (5 mi. N and 2 mi. W of Wagoner on the R. D. Lancaster farm 0.35 mi. S of road on N sec. line in Wagoner County.)

O. H. Brensing's fertility study, Data source No. 47.

Profile description

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture & Other
	in inches	3	Structure
Al&Alp	0-7	gb	soft sil-lgr occas, holes
A2 -	7-9	lt.bg	soft floury rests on
B2-1	9-26	v.dk.b(10YR3/3d)	sil. c-cpd 3pr mefi;stg.c fil. lmbk
B <sub>2-2</sub>	26 <del>*</del>	gb with yb mott.	C

1952 - 43.2 bu/a under continuous wheat, 45 lbs. Yield data:  $P_2O_5$  (I). 53.3 bu/a under continuous wheat, 34 lbs. N, 45 lbs.  $P_2O_5$  (I).

Parsons silt loam, ½ percent slopes

Location: SESE Sec. 27, T. 18 N., R. 17 E.  $(\frac{1}{2}$  mi. W, 2 N, 4 W, 1 N of Wagoner on Jas Church farm in Wagoner County.)

O. H. Brensing's fertility study, Data source No. 48.

Profile description

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	pН	Other
	in inches	,	Structure		
Al&AlD	0-7	lt.bg	sil-lgr	6.0	mfr;perm.
A2	7-10	v.pl.b	sil	5.8	rests abpt.
$\mathtt{B}_{2-1}$	10-30	dk.gb(lOYR3/2d)	c-pr <sub>s</sub> 2bk	6.0	mvfi; compact
B2_2	30-46	dk <b>.</b> gb	c		blk con.cry.
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1952 - 27.6 bu/a under continuous wheat, 9 lbs. N, 18 lbs. Yield data:  $P_{2}O_{5}$ , 9 lbs.  $K_{2}O$  (I). - 37.7 bu/a under continuous wheat, 25 lbs. N, 38 lbs.  $P_2O_5$ , 9 lbs.  $K_2O$  (I). - 45.1 bu/a under continuous wheat, 41 lbs. N, 58 lbs.

 $P_2O_5$ , 9 lbs.  $K_2O$  (I).

#### Parsons silt loam, l percent slopes

Location: SWNW Sec. 29, T. 12 N., R. 6 E. (1 mi. W of Prague on the N side of U. S. Highway 62 on the F. W. Brestann farm in Lincoln County.)

O. H. Brensing's fertility study, Data source No. 49.

Profile description

Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	рН	Other
	in inches		Structure	_	
Al	0-10	lt.bg(10YR6/2 4/2m)	sil-cpd l fgr lfbk	6.4	mfr
<b>A</b> 2	10-12	lt.g(10YR7/2d)	mgr lmsbk	6.0	roots;pinholes
B <sub>2-1</sub> B <sub>2-2</sub>	12-20 20-31	v.dk.gb(10YR3/2 2/2m) b(10YR5/3d)	c-lmbk cpr c-2msbk		mefi; c fil. mvfi; c fil. on
	ــرب مدرب		C-ZING OW	0,0	peds
$B_3$	31-43	co.mott.yr(5YR5/8d)	c-frb,cr	8,0	mfi; v.few c fil.
U	4.5~54+	mott.gb(10YR5/2d)	lt.c	-	some dk.r ss

1952 - 25.2 bu/a under continuous wheat, 6.5 lbs. N, 13 lbs. Yield data:

 $P_2O_5$ , 6.5 lbs. K (I). - 31.7 bu/a under continuous wheat, 46.5 lbs. N,

13 lbs. P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>, 6.5 lbs. K (I).
- 38.3 bu/a under continuous wheat, 86.5 lbs. N, 13 lbs. P2O5, 6.5 lbs K (I).

Yields are not available to show a long time average for this soil. With proper rates and combinations of fertilizers this is probably one of the more responsive soils to good management in Oklahoma.

## Pond Creek Series

Pond Creek silt loam, 1 percent slopes

 $\underline{\textbf{Location:}} \quad \textbf{Wheatland Conservation Experiment Station at Cherokee in } \\ \underline{\textbf{Alfalfa County.}}$ 

A. M. Schlehuber's variety study, Data source No. 50.

Profile description

Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	Hq	Other
	in inches		Structure	P	5 VA24 68
Alp	0-6	pg(8.5YR6/2 5/2m)	sil-lmgr	6.5	compacted zone at 7" to $8\frac{1}{2}$ "
Al	6-20	b(7.5YR4.5/2 4/2m)	sil-2mgr	7.5	occas. f quartz and granite peb.
$\mathbf{A}_{\mathbf{Q}}$	20-28	b(7.5YR5/2 4/2m)	sicl-2mgr	7.5	mfr
A3 B2	28-38	b(7.5YR5/l <sub>1</sub> l <sub>1</sub> /l <sub>1</sub> m)	sicl-lmsbk	7.5	like above, more mfi
B <sub>3</sub> C	38 <u>-</u> 54	yr(5YR6/7)	lt.sic=2mgr		change in color over a space of 3" to 4" and seems to mark the change between alluvium beneath and probable loess above.

Yield data: 1946-57 (12 yrs.) - 20.2 bu/a under wheat alternating with Austrian winter peas (I).

# Pond Creek silt loam, 1 percent slopes

Location: SWSW Sec. 17, T. 22 N., R. 8 W. (100 yds N of SW corner of section, 100 ft. E of road, on the Clarence Reming farm  $\frac{1}{2}$  mi. S of Lahoma in Garfield County.)

H. V. Eck's fertility study, Data source No. 51.

Profile description

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Horizo	n Depth	Color	Texture &	рH	Other
	in inches		Structure		
Ann	0-8	b(9YR5/3 4/3m)	sil-lmgr		
Alp* Al**	8-11	dk.gb(10YR4.5/2 4/2m)	$sil_{-1}$ $2mgr$	7.0	many f pores
Βή	11-17	dk.b(7.5YR4/2 3/2m)	sicl-lmsbk	7.0	mfi;dh
$\overline{B_2}$	17-34	b(9.5YR5/2d)	h.sicl-lmbk	7.5	·
B <sub>1</sub> B <sub>2</sub> B <sub>3</sub>	34-42	b(7.5YR5/4d)	sicl	8.0	conca.
C	42-54+	yr(5YR5/6d)	lt.sicl	mod	loess
		•		calc.	

<sup>\* %0</sup>M 1.80 - %N 0.08 - Avail. K 160 lbs/a - P205 55.4 lbs/a (NaHCO3) 109.9 (acetic acid)

Yield data: 1953 = 21.6 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).
= 26.7 bu/a under continuous wheat, 40 lbs. N,
40 lbs. P(I).

<sup>\*\* %0</sup>M 1.93 - %N 0.08 - Avail. K 80 lbs/a -  $P_20_5$  42.1 lbs/a (NaHCO<sub>3</sub>) 95.3 (acetic acid).

<sup>\* 1/3</sup> atmosphere percentage 17.49.

<sup>\*\* 1/3</sup> atmosphere percentage 18.26.

# Pond Creek silt loam, 1 percent slopes

Location: SESE Sec. 20, T. 23 N., R. 8 E. (0.3 mi. N of SE corner of section, 2 mi. S and 2 mi. W of Carrier on the Earl Nelson farm in Garfield County.)

H. V. Eck's fertility study, Data source No. 52.

Profile description

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Horizon	Depth	Color		Texture &	Нq	Other
T-171	in inches			Structure	-	
A1&A7n#	0-12	8 1 4 2 - 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	2m)	sil-lmgr	6.2	mfr
Al&Alp**	12-18	b(7.5YR5/3 4/	2m)	cl-2msbk	7.0	mfişdsh
B2	18-36	b(7.5YR5/4)		sicl-lmbk	7.3	mfi;dk.b shin.
						peds
$\mathbb{B}_3$	36-44	b(7.5YR5/5)		sicl-lmsbk		mfr; no c fil.
C	-44-54	yr(5YR5/6		lt.sicl-gr		mfr;si loess
# ZOM 7	63 - 2M	0 000 - p.0- 1	6 6 1 ha	0 1200 110 0	237	Paga gat

\* %OM 1.63 - %N 0.099 -  $P_2O_5$  146.6 lbs/a (acetic acid) - Base sat. 20.5 (NaHCO<sub>3</sub>).

%% %OM 1.71 - %N 0.091 - P205 146.6 lbs/a (acetic acid) - Base sat. 11.5 (NaHCO3).

Yield data: 1956 - 22.8 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c). - 23.8 bu/a under continuous wheat, 40 lbs. N, 80 lbs. P205 (I).

Pond Creek silt loam, I percent slopes

Location: NENE Sec. 35. T. 27 N., R. 14 W. (0.15 mi. S of NE corner of section, about 1.7 mi. S of center of Alva in Woods County.)

H. V. Eck's fertility study, Data Source No. 53.

Profile description

TTOTTE	deacr Thor	011			
Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	ρΗ	Other
-	in inches		Structure		
Alp	8-0	b(10YR5/3 4/3m)	h.sil-lmgr	6.8	mfr
An	8-17	b(7.5YRL/2 3/2m)	lt.sicl-	7.2	trans.of more c
सीव			2mgr°		mat.
B2	17-28	rb(6XR5/4d)	$\mathtt{sicl-2mgr}_{\S}$	7.5	c fil.not evi-
			lmsbk		dent
$B_3$		ry(5YR6/6d)	lt.sicl		conca. 3 noncale.
Cca	36-54	ry(5YR6/6d)	lt.c	calc	.CaCO3,15%of mass

Yield data: 1956 - 12.3 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).
- 15.6 bu/a under continuous wheat, 40 lbs. N, 40 lbs. P20g (I).

Good predictions may be made for this soil, especially under improved management, from the data presented. A good idea of the ranges in increased productivity that can be expected due to fertilizers is given.

### Port Series

# Port silt loam, 3/4 percent slopes

Location: SESE Sec. 14, T. 8 N., R. 18 W. (N edge of Rocky along W side of Highway 183 in Washita County.)

Roy Oswalt's variety study, Data source No. 54.

Profile description

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Horizo	n Depth	Color	Texture &	рΗ	Other
	in inches		Structure		
Ann*	0-6	b(7.5YR5/4 4/4m)	sil-lmgr	6.5	mfr;porous
All	6-20	dk.b(7.5YR3/2m)	$ exttt{sil-2mg} r$	6.5	many pores
A1_2	20-36	b(7.5YR4/2 3/2m)	sil-2mgr	7.2	mfr
$A_{1-b}$	36-43	rb(5YR4/3m)	cl-2mgr	7.2	mfrgmfi
$G_{b}$	43-54+	rb(5YR4/4d)	cl-2msbk	7.2	mfi;dh;l c fil.
* %OM	2.41 - %N O	.1070 - Avail. K 516	lbs/a - P 65	lbs/a	(acetic acid).

Yield data: 1948-56 (9 yrs.) - 23.2 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).

Port silt loam, 1 percent slopes\*

Location: NWSE Sec. 14, T. 9 S., R. 10 E. (3 mi. SW of Yuba on the John and Ralph Dyson farm in Bryan County.)

O. H. Brensing's fertility study, Data source No. 55.

Profile description

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	Other
	in inches		Structure	
ΑŢ	0-12	р	sil-lmgr	mfr
C T	12-18	yr	vfsl	mvfr; free perm.
$c_2$	18-54+	rb	cl-2msbk	mfigmfr
C1/2000Tectables				METORS VALUE AND PROPERTY OF STREET, CARRIED AND ADDRESS OF STREET, ST

<sup>\*</sup> This test can represent the more sandy Port or the more retentive Yahola.

Yield data: 1955 - 34.6 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).
- 39.5 bu/a under continuous wheat, 40 lbs. N, 40 lbs. P205 (I).

### Port silt loam, O-l percent slopes

Location: Two fields in  $SE_{\frac{1}{4}}^{\frac{1}{4}}$  Sec. 11, T. 15 N., R. 7 W. (4 mi. S and 1 mi. E of Kingfisher on S side of road.)

Farmer Questionnaire - John Alden, Data source No. 56.

# Management:

This field has been in continuous wheat without fertilizers with the exception of a little barnyard manure. The soil has been moldboard plowed most of the time. Early Triumph variety wheat was planted October 20, 1956, in plenty of moisture.

Yield data: 1956 - 39 bu/a (one field in SE corner of section 11)
1957 - 16 bu/a

This soil is found in more than one climatic area within the state and this must be taken into consideration before basing too much reliability upon a yield average at a given location.

#### Pratt Series

Pratt fine sandy loam, 1-3 percent slopes

Location: Southern Great Plains Field Station at Woodward in Woodward County.

U.S.D.A. Circ. 917, Rotation Study, Data source No. 57.

Profile description\*

TIOTITE REPORT TO TO ITA		
Horizon Depth Color	Texture &	Other
in inches	Structure	
0=11 gb	fsl	dlymfr
11-30 yb	fscl	-
30 <i>-</i> 60 by	sl	dl; incoherent
%Tvpical Pratt		

Yield data: 1915-48 (34 yrs.) - 17.0 bu/a under continuous wheat, early plowed 8 inches deep (c).

- 16.4 bu/a early listed (c).

- 21.0 bu/a alternately cropped and fallowed (I).

Fertility Study.

Yield data: 1950-56 (7 yrs.) - 15.8 bu/a under continuous wheat, no fertilizers (c).
- 18.2 bu/a under continuous wheat, 40 lbs. N, 40 lbs. P205 (I).

Yield predictions with good reliability may be made from the data presented for Pratt fine sandy loam.

## Pullman Series

# Pullman silty clay loam

Texture &

Structure

Other

Location: Goodwell Experiment Station.

Color

Data source No. 58.

Profile description

Depth

in inches

Horizon

Alp B2-1 B2-2 Cca C	7- 18- 24- 38- 58-	18 dk.gl 24 pl.b( 38 pl.b( 58 ry(7.	0(10YR) 10YR6 9YR6/ 5YR6/	4/2 3/2 4/2 3/2 /3 5/3m 3 5/3m 5 5/5m 6/4 5/2	2m) c-cp n) sicl ) sicl ) sicl		ok mv. ca: ca: le:	i;dh fi;dvh lc. lc. ss CaCO	3
Availa		mical Data	MONTH OF THE PARTY	inches	3)*		OMEGING HOUSE OF	kepak yakilah kerang hili kiyyang diburi pidebasi.	philippia and the same of the
рН 1:2	pH soil paste	Avail. l acetic ac ppa		MO 3	% total N	Exch cap.	Ex <b>c</b> h Ca	Exch Mg	Exch K
7.3	7.1	276.8	12	L.70	。095	20.195	7.60	7.50	1,41
770	Sol M-	Sol	Sol K	Sol	Sol			and a second	enterior de la constante de la
Exch Na	Na ppm	Ca. ppm	ppm	Mg ppm	Salts		Capacini Boyas delemanya Kalaba		nemine me
0,22	60	25	50	75	650.0				

<sup>\*</sup> Chemical analyses were determined by Dr. L. W. Reed.

Yield data: 1944-1949 (6 yrs.) - 23.8 bu/a under irrigation, amt. unknown (I).

### Reinach Series

Reinach silt loam, ½ percent slopes

Location: 1956 - NESW Sec. 13, T. 9 W., R. 10 E. 1952,53 - SENW Sec. 14, T. 9 S., R. 10 E. ( $3\frac{1}{2}$  mi. SW of Yuba on the John and Ralph Dyson farm in Bryan County.)

O. H. Brensing's fertility study, Data source No 59.

Profile	descripti	on			
Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	рΗ	Othe r
	in inches		Structure	<del>-</del>	
A or Wn	0-14	lt.rb(5YR6/4d)	sil-2mgr	8.0	many roots
M P	14-17	dk.rb	sicl-2msbk		mfi
AŢ	17-31	b(7.5YR4/2d)	sil-2mgr	7.8	mfr;perm.
C7	31-43	yr(5YR5/5)	sil-2mgr	7.8	mfr <sub>s</sub> porous
$C_2^{\overline{2}}$	43-54+	ry(5YR6/6d)	si <b>l</b> -2mgr	7.8	mfr;porous

Yield data:	1952, 53, 56 (3 yrs.)	æ	34.4 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).
	1953, 56 (2 yrs.)	-	46.9 bu/a under continuous wheat, 40 lbs. N (I).
	1952	623	41.5 bu/a under continuous wheat, 50 lbs. N (I).

Reinach soils are found in more than one climatic area within the state. These data show a high potential yield and good response to nitrogen. More data are needed to arrive at long time averages that might be expected.

### Renfrow Series

Renfrow silty clay loam, 1 percent slopes

Location: Middle of Sec. 19, T. 16 N., R. 5 W. (10 mi. E of Kingfisher on the N side of Highway 33 in Kingfisher County.)

H. V. Eck's fertility study, Data source No. 60.

Profile description

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	pН	Other
,	in inches		Structure		
Alp*	0-8	b(7.5YR5/4 3/2m)	h.sil-lfgr	6.2	mfr;dsh;num. roots
A <sub>1-2</sub> **	8-12	b(7.5YR5/4 4/2m)	sicl-lfgr lmsbk	6.2	mfr;dh;num. roots
$B_{\underline{1}}$	12-16	rb(5YR4/4 3/4m)	cl-cpd <sub>s</sub> .3 fmgr;lmbk	6.3	mfi;dh;num. roots
$B_{2-1}$	16-22	$dk_{\bullet}rb(5YR3/3 2/2m)$	c-frb	6 <b>.</b> 5	ws;dh;num.roots
B2-2	22-32	dk.rb(5YR3/4d)	c-lfgr;m	7.5	mfi;dh;few roots
B <sub>3</sub>	32-46	dk.r(2.5YR3/6d)	c-m <sub>3</sub> lfgr	0.8	mfi;dh;calc.
C	46-54	r(2.5YR4/6 3/6m)	$\mathtt{calc.c-m}_{9}$	8.0	mfi;dh;indst.
			lfgr		conca.

<sup>\* %0</sup>M 1.69 - %N 0.081 - P205 53.1 lbs/a (NaHCO3) 146.6 (acetic acid).

\*\* %0M 1.64 - %N 0.087 - P205 45.8 lbs/a (NaHCO3) 73.3 (acetic acid).

\* 1/3 atmosphere percentage 19.5 - 15 atmosphere percentage 9.2.

\*\* 1/3 atmosphere percentage 25.0 - 15 atmosphere percentage 14.3.

Yield data: 1953-55 (3 yrs.) - 19.2 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).

<sup>- 27.4</sup> bu/a under continuous wheat, 160 lbs. N, 40 lbs. P205 (I).

Renfrow clay loam, 1-3 percent slopes

Location:  $NW_{4}^{1}$  Sec. 31, T. 15 N., R. 6 W. (5 mi. E,  $\frac{1}{2}$  mi. N of Okarche on E side of road.)

Farmer Questionnaire - Frank Herner, Data source No. 61.

## Management:

This quarter section grows wheat, oats, barley, and grain sorghum every year. These crops are rotated but without a definite plan. One hundred and six acres was in wheat in 1957, and about the same acreage is in wheat each year. No fertilizer has ever been used. Soil is onewayed or chiseled (Graham Hoeme) before moldboarding. Triumph variety was on 84 acres; Concho was on 22 acres in 1957. Triumph outproduced Concho. Concho had a lot of straw and heads shrivelled badly.

Yield data: 1956 - 25 bu/a 1957 - 11 bu/a

Renfrow clay loam, 1-3 percent slopes

Location: Along E and N sides of  $NW_{\frac{1}{4}}^{\frac{1}{4}}$  Sec. 9, T. 17 N., R. 9 W. ( $\frac{2}{4}$  mi. W of Loyal on S side of road.)

Farmer Questionnaire - Jess Reeves, Data source No. 62.

# Management:

This 38 acre field has been in continuous wheat since the country opened. In 1949, a good crop of cowpeas was turned under. The 1957 wheat crop is the best since 1949. No fertilizer has been used except a little chicken manure applied close to buildings. Soil is usually moldboard plowed. It was too dry in 1956 to mold-board so the field was double onewayed, deep (6-7") with 26" disks. Triumph wheat was planted November 11, 1956.

Yield data: 1957 - 23 bu/a 1957 - 22 bu/a\*

\* Renfrow clay loam, 0-1 percent slopes. This yield is from the Luther Watson farm in the part of  $SW_4^1$  Sec. 9, just to the S of Jess Reeves location and under the same management.

The reliability of long time yield predictions based upon these data would probably be weak. Nitrogen and phosphorus appear to increase yields considerably.

### St. Paul Series

# St. Paul silt loam, $1\frac{1}{2}$ percent slopes

Location: SE Sec. 9, T. 27 N., R. 22 W. (0.32 mi. W of SE corner of section. 3 mi. E of Buffalo in Harper County.)

H. V. Eck's fertility study, Data source No. 63.

Profile description

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Horizor	n Depth	Color	Texture & pH	Other
	in inches		Structure	
A7 *	0-8	gb(10YR4/2d)	sil-1,2mgr 7.5	mfr;porous
AŽ**	8-16	same, sltly. dk.	sil-2mgr	conca.
$B_2$	16-26	1t.b(7.5YR6/3 4/3m)	lt.sicl-2mgr	spk.of CaCOq
$B_{\mathbb{C}a}$	26-44	lt.rb(5YR5/6d)	sicl	stg.calc.
C	44-54	str.rb	cl	stg.calc.
* %OM	1.42 - %N	0.089 - P <sub>2</sub> 05 53.1 lbs/	a (NaHCO <sub>2</sub> ) 146.6	(acetic acid).
*** %OM	1.68 - %N	0.085 - Poor 27.0 lbs/	/a (NaHCOz) 146.6	(acetic acid).
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1/3 atmosphere percentage 16.98 - 15 atmosphere percentage 8.39.
 1/3 atmosphere percentage 19.87 - 15 atmosphere percentage 7.88.

Yield data: 1954, 55 (2 yrs.) - 8.6 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).

- 9.4 bu/a under continuous wheat, 40 lbs. N, 20 lbs.  $P_2O_5$  (I).

Roy Oswalt's variety study at the same location -

1957 - 23.8 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).

More data are needed for reliable long time yield predictions.

### Summit Series

### Summit silty clay loam, I percent slopes

Location: SWSE Sec. 14, T. 28 N., R. 19 E. (8 mi. W and 2 N of Welch on the Willard Tallman farm, 0.5 mi. E of the Tallman home or 0.3 mi. W of SE corner of section on N side of road in Craig County.)

O. H. Brensing's fertility study, Data source No. 64.

Profile description

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	pН	Othe r
	in inches		Structure		
$A_{ m lp}$	0-8	dk.g(10YR4/1 2/1m)	sicl-2mgr	7.0	mfr
B <sub>2</sub> -1	8-20	dk.g(10YR4/1 3/1m)	sic-2msbk	7.0	mvfr;slow perm.
B2_2	20-32	dk.gb(10YR4/2 3/lm)	C	7.0	limest.resid.
C	32-36+	gb(10YR5/2 4/2m)	csh	7.5	sltly.wth.

1954 - 37 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c). Yield data:

- 46.8 bu/a under continuous wheat, 20 lbs. N (I).

- 55.9 bu/a under continuous wheat, 80 lbs. N (I).

1955 - 22.1 bu/a under continuous wheat, 38 lbs.  $P_2O_5$  (I). - 27.3 bu/a under continuous wheat, 20 lbs. N, 38

lbs. P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> (I).

- 35.1 bu/a under continuous wheat, 80 lbs. N, 88

lbs.  $P_2O_5$ , 50 lbs.  $K_2O$  (I).

Summit silty clay loam has a high potential for wheat production. Response to fertilizers is good. More data are needed to make long time yield estimates.

# Tabler Series

# Tabler silt loam, $1\frac{1}{2}$ percent slopes

Location: Sec. 6, T. 28 N., R. 3 W.  $(4\frac{1}{2}$  mi. E of Renfrow in Grant County, 0.25 mi. N of SW corner of section.)

H. V. Eck's fertility study, Data source No. 65.

Profile description

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	Other
	in inches		Structure	
$\overline{A}_{7}$	0-10	gb(10YR5/2 3.5/2m)	sil-lmgr	mfr;few f.pores
$B_{2}^{-}$	10-28	v.dk.g(10YR3/lm)	c-2mbk	mvfi;slow perm.
$B_{2,2}$	28-38	dk.gb(10YR4/2)	c-lmbk	mvfi;c fil.less evi-
<u>دے ۳۰۰ کے </u>		•		dent
B3	38 <b>-</b> 48	dk∙gb	C	conca.
C	48-54	Ъ	lt.c	mfi;slow perm.

Chemical data

	pН	OM	Ñ	$P_2O_5$ (NaHCO <sub>3</sub> )	P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> (acetic acid)
0-611	6.0	1.79	.087%	35.3	95.3
6-12"	7.5	1.76	.089%	29.3	51.3

## Physical data:

1/3 atmosphere percentage - 20.23 (0-6") 24.38 (6-12") 15 atmosphere percentage - 7.21 (0-6") 11.11 (6-12")

Yield data: 1954-56 (3 yrs.) - 18.5 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).

- 23.7 bu/a under continuous wheat, 160 lbs. N, 40 lbs.  $P_2O_5$  (I).

More yields are needed to strengthen the reliability of these data. This information may be compared with similar profiles in the Kirkland and Bethany series.

### Taloka Series

# Taloka silt loam, la percent slopes

Location: SWSW Sec. 26, T. 18 N., R. 17 E. (Fred M. Combite farm NW of Wagoner in Wagoner County.)

O. H. Brensing's fertility study, Data source No. 66.

Profile description

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	Other
	in inches	<b>!</b>	Structure	
Al&Alp	0-16	gb(10YR5/2d)	sil-2mgr	ds; rests with shear
	e.			contact on
$^{\mathrm{A}_2}$	16-23	lt.bg(lOYR6/2d)	sil-lmgr	abpt. on
$B_{2-1}$	23-28	gb(10YR5/2d)	$h_{\bullet}c-2mbk$	mefi;dvh;c fil
B <sub>2</sub> -1 B <sub>2</sub> -2	28-40	уb	c-lmbk	no c fil
C	40-54	g and y	c	origin undet.

Yield data: 1952 - 31.6 bu/a under continuous wheat, 45 lbs. P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> (I). - 35.8 bu/a under continuous wheat, 17 lbs. N, 45 lbs. P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> (I). - 41.7 bu/a under continuous wheat, 50 lbs. N, 45 lbs. P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> (I).

Taloka silt loam, l percent slopes

Location: SWNE Sec. 2, T. 17 N., R. 17 E. (4 mi. W, 2 mi. N of Wagoner on the F. Cunningham farm in Wagoner County.)

O. H. Brensing's fertility study, Data source No. 67.

Profile description

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	pН	Other
	in inches		Structure		
A7&A7		gb(10YR5/2)	sil-lmgr	7.0	mfr <sub>3</sub> perm.
42 Th	19-28	v.pl.b(loyR7/3)	sil-lmgr	6.0	ferr.fil.&con.
BŽLI	28-38	gb(10YR5/2)	e=2mbk	7.0	mvfi
B <sub>2</sub> -2	38-48	by many dk.b spots	c-lmbk	7.5	
$B_2^3 \overline{C}^2$	48-54+	same	c=2cr	7.5	conir

Yield data: 1953 - 25.4 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).

- 31.7 bu/a under continuous wheat, 6.6 lbs. N, 40
lbs.  $P_2O_5$ , 60 lbs.  $K_2O$  (I).

- 37.9 bu/a under continuous wheat, 26 lbs. N, 40 lbs.  $P_2O_5$ , 60 lbs.  $K_2O$  (I).

### Taloka silt loam, l percent slopes

Location: NENW Sec. 23, T. 22 N., R. 19 E.  $(4\frac{1}{2}$  mi. N and 4 mi. E of Pryor on the Loyd Coblentz farm, 0.27 mi. E of the NW corner of the section due S of tin barn which lies across road to the N, in Mayes County.)

O. H. Brensing's fertility study, Data source No. 68.

Profile description

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	рН	Othe r
	in inches	3	Structure		
Al&Alp*	0-12	gb(10YR5.5/2 4/2m)	sil-lmgr	5.7	a few f pores
A <sub>2</sub>	12-18	pl.b(lOYR6/3 5/3m)	sil-lmgr	5.7	soft & floury
B <sub>2-1</sub>	18-24	b(10YR5/4 4/4m)	c-lmbk	6.5	v.slow perm.
$B_{2}$	24-40	Ъ	c	6.5	blk con.
C ~	40-54	mott. g, b, by	sc	6.5	silica coat.
* %OM 2.	33 - %N C	0.13 - Avail K 80 lbs/a	- P 38 lbs/	a (ac	etic acid).

Yield data: 1955 - 39.2 bu/a under continuous wheat, 10 lbs. N, 20 lbs.  $P_2O_5$ , 10 lbs.  $K_2O$  (I).

These soils have a high wheat producing potential. However, long time yield predictions cannot be made from the data presented. Response to improved management is good. These soils may be compared with similar soils in the Choteau series.

#### Tillman Series

#### Tillman silt loam, 3 percent slopes

Location: 800 ft. NE of airport building in NE part of airport at Cordell in Washita County.

H. V. Eck's fertility study, Data source No. 69.

Profile description

Horizon	Depth in inches	Color	Texture & Structure	рH	Other
A1n#	0-6	rb(6YR5/4 4/4m)	sil-lmgr	6.5	mfr;perm.
Alp* Al**	6 <b>-</b> 10	rb(5YR4/3 3/3m)	sil-cpd, 2mgr;cub	7.0	mfr;
Bl	10-15	dk.rb(3.5YR3/4)	cl-cpd, 2msbk;1bk	7.0	mfr;mfi
B <sub>2-1</sub>	15-24	rb(2.5YR4/4 3/4m)	c-2msbk lbk	7.2	mvfi
B <sub>2-2</sub>	24 <b>–</b> 38	rb(2.5YR4/5 3/5m)	c-2msbk	7.5	conca.
B <sub>2</sub> = 2 B <sub>3</sub> C C	38 <b>-</b> 48	r(10R 4/4d)	C	l ca	lc.
0	48-54+	r(10R 4/4d)	shin.c	l ca	lc. few con.

\* %0M 1.94 - %N 0.091 - P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> 48.1 lbs/a (NaHCO<sub>3</sub>) 146.6 (acetic acid).

## %0M 2.09 - %N 0.091 - P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> 25.2 lba/a (NaHCO<sub>3</sub>) 51.3 (acetic acid).

# 1/3 atmosphere percentage - 22.0 - 15 atmosphere percentage 10.3.

## 1/3 atmosphere percentage - 27.3 - 15 atmosphere percentage 13.97.

Yield data: 1954-55 (2 yrs.) - 15.7 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).

- 18.2 bu/a under continuous wheat, 80 lbs. N, 40 lbs.  $P_2O_5$  (I).

#### Tillman silt loam, l percent slopes

Location: SWSW Sec. 19, T. 2 S., R. 17 W. (1.8 mi. S of Frederick along Highway 183 on the Louis Mitchell farm in Tillman County.)

H. V. Eck's fertility study, Data source No. 70.

Profile description

Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	рН	Other
	in inches		Structure	_	
Ann*	0 <b>-</b> 6	b(7.5YR5/2 4/2m)	sil-lmgr		porous
Alp* Al**	6 <b>-</b> 9	dk.b(7.5YR4/3 3/4m)	sil-lcub;	7.0	mfr;perm.
۵,			2mgr		
B2_1	9-18	dk.rb(4ΥR3/4m)	$lt.c-lpr_{g}$	7.5	l shin.
			2msbk		
B <sub>2</sub> _2	18-32	dk.rb(2.5YR4/4 3/4m)	C		conca.
B	32-40	r(2.5YR4/5d)	lt.c		CaCO3 streaks
G.	40-49	dk.rb(2.5YR4/4 3/4m) r(2.5YR4/5d) r(2.5YR4/6d)	C		granite peb.
B <sub>2</sub> _2 B <sub>3</sub> C <sub>1</sub> C <sub>2</sub>	49-54	r(10R4/5d)	sicl		granite, quartz
					peb.

<sup>\* %0</sup>M 1.35 - %N 0.07 - P205 33.4 lbs/a (NaHCO3) 146.6 (acetic acid).

\*\* %0M 1.28 - %N 0.066 - P205 19.2 lbs/a (NaHCO3) 73.3 (acetic acid).

\* 1/3 atmosphere percentage 18.24 - 15 atmosphere percentage 6.62.

\*\* 1/3 atmosphere percentage 22.48 - 15 atmosphere percentage 10.89.

1953-55 (3 yrs.) - 21.6 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).

- 24.6 bu/a under continuous wheat, 40 lbs. N, 40 lbs. P205 (I).

# Tillman silt loam, $1\frac{1}{2}$ percent slopes

Location no. 1: NENESE, Sec. 6, T. 3 N., R. 18 W. (1 mi. W,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  mi. S of Consolidated 8 school on the Curtiss farm 6 mi. W and  $5\frac{1}{2}$  S of Roosevelt in Kiowa County.)

Location no. 2: SENE, Sec. 16, T. 6 N., R. 18 W.  $(1\frac{1}{2}$  mi. S of SW corner of Hobart along W side of blacktop road on Frank Stemple farm in Kiewa County.)

Roy Oswalt's variety study, Data source No. 71.

Profile description (Location no. 1)

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	Hq	Other
	in inches		Structure		
Ann	0=6	b(7.5YR4/2;3/2m)	sil-lfgr	7.0	mfr
$^{\mathrm{A_{1p}}}_{\mathrm{A_{1}}}$	6-10	rb(5YR4/4 3/4m)		7.0	mfişmfr
B <sub>2</sub> _1 B <sub>2</sub> _2	10-18 18-30	rb(5YR4/3 3/3m) rb(5YR4/4d)	msbk c-lmbk calc.c-cr	7.5	c fil. grades
B <sub>3</sub> orB <sub>ea</sub>	30~50 50~54*	rb rb	calc.c		conir. sltly.wth.

		on (Location no. 2)			
Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	рН	Other
	in inches		Structure		
Alb		b(7.5YR4/4 3/4m)	sil-lmgr	7.0	mfr <sub>3</sub> perm.
$_{\mathrm{A_{1}}}^{\mathrm{A_{1}}}$	7-16	b(7.5YRLi/2 2.5/2m)	sil-lcub,	7.0	
EAS		1	2mgr		
$B_{2}$	16-24	dk.rb(5YR3/3 2/3m)	c-3msbk	8.0	
B2_2	24-32	rb(5YR4/4 3/4m)	c		mvfigdhgl shin.
Ba	32 <b>-</b> 48	rb(2.5YR4/4d)	calc.c		CaCO3 spots
C	48-54+	rb(2.5YR4/5d)	C		Permian

Yield data: 1950, 54, 56, 57\* (6 yrs.) - 12.9 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).

These yield averages representing six different years are probably inadequate as a basis for making accurate long time yield predictions.

<sup>\*</sup> Tests were at no. 1 location in 1954 and 1956, and at no. 2 location 4 yrs.

# Vanoss Series

# Vanoss loam, ½ percent slopes

Location: Perkins Agronomy farm.

A. M. Schlehuber's variety study, Data source No. 72a.

Profile description

Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	Нq	Other
	in inches	-	Structure		
Ann	0-8	b(7.5YR5/3 3.5/2m)	l-lmgr	6.0	mfr
AT	8 <b>-1</b> 6	b(7.5YR4.5/3 3.5/2m)	l-2mgr	6.2	mfr
A3	16-22	b(7.5YR4/3 3/2m)	h.l-2mgr	6.0	perm.
A <sub>1</sub> p A <sub>1</sub> A <sub>3</sub> B <sub>2-1</sub>	22-32	b(7.5YR5/3 4/3m)	cl-cpd 2mgr;lfsbk	6.0	mfi;dh
B <sub>2</sub> -2 B <sub>3</sub> C <sub>1</sub>	32-40 40-50	b(7.5YR5/4 4/4m) st.b(7.5YR5.5/6 5/6m)	scl-same	6 <b>.</b> 5	grades mfr;mfi;perm.
C_	50-60	same; few yr(5YR5/6) mott.	same	6 <b>.</b> 5	grades
$c_2$	60-74	ry(7.5YR6/6 5/6m)	fsl;lenses of scl	7.0	mvfr;perm.
C <sub>3</sub> C <sub>14</sub>	74 <b>-</b> 90 90-110	r(2.5YR5/6 4/6m) much like above	scl;fsl scl;fsl	7.0 7.0	perm. dh.

Yield data: 1947-55 (8 yrs. excluding 1954) - 20.5 bu/a alternating with Austrian winter peas.

H. V. Eck's variety-fertilizer interaction study, Data source No. 72b.

Yield data: 1954-56 (3 yrs.) - 15.5 bu/a under continuous wheat, no fertilizers (c).

### Vanoss silt loam, 2 percent slopes

Location: NWNE Sec. 15, T. 12 N., R. 11 W. (Along E side of Highway 281 on the Wesley Reckard farm 3 mi. N of Hinton in Caddo County.)

Roy Oswalt's variety study, Data source No. 73.

Profile description

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Horizon	$\mathtt{Depth}$	Color	Texture &	рН	Other
	in inches		Structure	_	
An*	0-7	b(7.5YR5/3 4/3m)	sil-lmgr	7.0	mfr
Alp*	7-14	b(7.5YR4/3 3/2m)	sil-2mgr	6.0	mfr
$\mathtt{B}_{\mathtt{l}}^{\mathtt{T}}$	14-20	b(7.5YR4/3 3/2m)	cl-2mgr	6 <b>.</b> 5	msfi
$B_{2-1}$	20–38	b(8.5YR5/4 4/4m)	cl-2mgr	7.0	msfi
B_2_2 C2_2	38-44	b(7.5YR5/4 4/4m)	sicl-2mgr	7.0	mfi
C	44-54	b(7.5YR5/5 4/5m)	sicl-2mgr	7.0	mfi
* %OM 1.	3 - %N O.	0614 - Avail. K 420	1bs/a - P 44	lbs/a	(acetic acid).

Yield data: 1948-54 (10 yrs.) - 22.5 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).

The reliability of the yields presented for Vanoss loam and silt loam for making long time yield predictions should be good.

# Wilson Series

Wilson silty clay loam, 1/2 percent slopes

Location: NWSW Sec. 31, T. 5 S., R. 9 E. (Along E side of Highway 299 on the Fred Miller farm ½ mi. S of Cobb in Bryan County.)

O. H. Brensing's nitrogen fertility study, Data source No. 74.

Profile description

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture & Other
	in inches		Structure
$\overline{A_7}_{D}$	0-4	g(10YR5.5/2 3/2m)	sil-frb;lgr mfr;perm.
Alp Al			h.sicl-2msbk mfi;dh
$B_{2}$	9-18	v.dk.g(10YR3/2 2/2m)	e many roots
$B_2$	18-32	v.dk.g	c shin.gm
$\mathbf{B}_{3}^{2}$	32 <i>-</i> 42	dk.g	c pockets of CaCO2
C	42-54	gb	c calc, in seams

Yield data: 1954 = 12.6 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).
- 19.7 bu/a under continuous wheat, 20 lbs. N (I).
- 25.0 bu/a under continuous wheat, 80 lbs. N (I).

More data are needed to make reliable yield estimates.

### Woodson Series

Woodson clay loam, 1 percent slopes

Location: Just E of Liberty School, 7 mi. E of Mounds in Tulsa County.

O. H. Brensing's fertility study, Data source No. 75.

Profile description

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	рН	Other
C-77-7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7-7-	in inches		Structure	-	
$\mathtt{A}_{\mathtt{lp}}$	0=6	dk.g(10YR5/1 3/1m)	cl-lmgr;lpl	6.5	mfi;dh
_			crust		
$\mathbf{A}_{1}$	6-12	v.dk.g(2.5Y3/1d)	h.sicl-2msbk	6.0	mvfi
B <sub>21</sub>	12-24	v.dk.g(2.5Y3/ld)	c-2mbk	6.0	mefi;dvh;wp
B <sub>2</sub> -2	24-42	dk.g(2.5Y4/1d)	c-2msbk	7.5	sist.peb.
B <sub>2</sub> _2 B <sub>3</sub> C	42-54	lt.ob(2.5Y5/4d)	c-2msbk;lgr		mefi; dvh; wp
<i>I</i>					noncalc.

Yield data: 1955-56 (2 yrs.) - 21.2 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).

- 28.1 bu/a under continuous wheat, 80 lbs. N, 20 lbs.  $P_2O_5$ , 60 lbs.  $K_2O$  (I).

- 32.5 bu/a under continuous wheat, 80 lbs. N, 40 lbs. P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>, 60 lbs. K<sub>2</sub>O (I).

More data are needed to make reliable yield estimates.

#### Yahola Series

Yahola very fine sandy loam,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  percent slopes

Location: SWSE Sec. 14, T. 9 S., R. 10 E. (3 mi. SW of Yuba on the John and Ralph Dyson farm in Bryan County.)

O. H. Brensing's nitrogen fertility study, Data source No. 76.

Profile description

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Horizon	Depth	Color	Texture &	pН	Other
	in inches	·	Structure	_	
Al&Aln	0-14	b(7.5YR5/4 4/2m)	vfsl-lfgr	7.8	mfr;perm.
C <sub>1</sub> -F	14-36	yr(5YR5/6 4/4m)	lt.fsl-0	7.5	mvfr
Cū	36-54	dk.rb(5YR4/3 3/3m)	sic-lfbk	7.8	mvfi

Yield data: 1954 - 19.9 bu/a under continuous wheat, no treatment (c).
- 26.2 bu/a under continuous wheat, 20 lbs. N (I).
- 29.2 bu/a under continuous wheat, 80 lbs. N (I).

More data are needed to make reliable yield estimates.

#### CHAPTER V

#### SUMMARY AND CONCLUSIONS

Two methods of collecting and tabulating all available accumulated data by soil types were developed: 1) a card system for experimental data and 2) a questionnaire for field yields and management. Wheat experimental data from soils statewide and wheat yield and management data from soils of Kingfisher County were presented in this thesis.

Some of the major conclusions are as follows:

- 1. Wheat will grow on every individual soil on which data were collected.
- 2. Wide differences in average wheat yields on different soil types and phases do exist as well as differences in yields within one soil type due to differences in management or local climate.
- 3. With a few exceptions, actual data in the form of long time yield averages for a given soil are rare.
- ratings. A cooperative effort by all research workers will hasten the accumulation of an adequate amount of data for this purpose. More chemical, physical and mineralogical analyses are needed. These would either confirm suspicions of certain trends or invalidate them.

- 5. The farmer questionnaires are the fastest means for acquiring mass yield and management data by soil type.
- 6. The best use of these data will be as a reference for specific information about a given soil under a specific set of conditions. These are the most accurate data available for the soils presented.
- 7. There are many variables involved in a study of this kind.
  Possibly the most difficult one to deal with as far as making accurate yield predictions is the climatic variable.
  It appears that yields for a period of several years are needed for more reliable accuracy.

TABLE I A COMPARISON OF WHEAT YIELD ESTIMATES PRESENTED WITH ESTIMATES AS REPORTED IN SOIL SURVEY REPORTS

	Estimates in bu/a from soil survey reports		Estimates in bu/a from Research	
Soil	Customary	Improved	Customary	Improved
***	Management	Management	Management	-
Bates fsl	11			20.0 (4)
Bates 1	13			15.5 (3)
Bethany-Kirkland sil	14.3	20	12.7 (28)*	
Bethany 1	, 30		18.0 (2)	21.0 (2)
Bethany sil	16		23.5 (10)	
Carey sil	16.0		19.2 (38)	16.5 (2)
Choteau sil	•		24.2 (5)	31.0 (1)
Dennis sil	15.0		17.5 (4)	16.7 (2)
Dill fsl	•		20.0 (3)	• •
Foard sil	12.5		20.2 (3)	24.5 (3)
Foard cl			29.2 (4)	35.0 (4)
Grant sil	16		16.0 (15)	17.7 (7)
Kirkland sil, 2% sl.	13	20	13.0 (63)	20.5 (63)
Kirkland sil, ½% sl.	12	20	. ,	18.5 (10)
Lawton sil			12.2 (27)	16.5 (27)
Norge 1	12	22	16.5 (27)	20.2 (27)
Okemah sil			23.5 (9)	
Parsons sil	12		30.0 (6)	41.0 (4)
Pond Creek sil	17.7	vi	20.0 (15)	22.0 (3)
Port sil	16	25	29.0 (IO)	•
Pratt fsl	12.7		17.8 (26)	20.0 (26)
Reinach sil	14.0	1.8	34.5 (3)	
Renfrow sil		20		
Renfrow cl	•		18.1 (3)	
Renfrow sicl			19.2 (3)	27.4 (3)
St. Paul sil	16.2		8,5 (2)	9.5 (2)
Summit sicl			37.0 (1)	55.9 (1)
Tabler sil			18 <b>.</b> 5 (3)	23.7 (3)
Taloka sil	13.0		28.0 (2)	39.5 (3)
Tillman sil	13.7		15.5 (11)	
Vanoss 1	16.0	24.0	19.0 (11)	
Vanoss sil	15.0	21.0	22.5 (10)	
Wilson sicl			12.5 (1)	25.0 (1)
Woodson cl			21.2 (2)	32.5 (2)
Yahola vfsl			20.0 (1)	29.2 (1)
Yields as	reported by :	farmers in Ki	ngfisher Coun	<u>ty</u>
Kingfisher sil	14.7 (11	<b>,</b> )		•
Norge fsl	19.4 (1)			
Port eil	27.5 (2)	<b>)</b>		

Port sil 27.5 (2) 20.0 (4) Renfrow sil

14.7 (14) Bethany sil

<sup>\*</sup> Figures in parenthesis are number of years average.

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