

## Nebraska On-Farm Research Network

**Years:** 2006

Title: Nitrogen Fertilizer Rates & Application Timing

**Crop:** Corn

Study ID: 108155200601 County: Saunders County

Objective: Determine & document the effect of nitrogen

fertilizer rates & application timing on the

profitability of irrigated corn.

## Nebraska Soybean & Feed Grains Profitability Project



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Treatments - Irrigated:

1. Split 90 Pre(NH<sub>3</sub>) + 37 SD(UAN) = 127 lbs/ac

30,000 plant population

2. Preplant ENR @ 140 lbs/ac (NH<sub>3</sub>)

Full irrigation - 14 inches

3. Preplant UNL Rec @ 154 lbs/ac (NH<sub>3</sub>)

4. Preplant FARM Rate @ 180 lbs/ac (NH<sub>3</sub>)

SD = Side-dressed

ENR=UNL economical nitrogen rate based on \$2.20/bu corn with 235 bu/ac irrigated yield goal.

Results: 2006 Pioneer 34A16

Irrigated Nitrogen Treatment

127 140 154 180 Prob>F Yield. bu/ac @15.5% 209b 213a 210ab 210ab 0.261 ns 16.1 0.756 ns Moisture, % 16.0 16.1 16.1 216 217 217 Monitor, bu/ac 217 0.991 ns

Cost/ac \$53.70 \$49.30 \$53.50 \$61.20 -----

Planting Date: 4-27-06 Harvest Date:

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