

Haxby Barley

Haxby is a two-row awned spring barley variety developed by the Montana Agricultural Experiment Station. Foundation seed was first released to certified growers in 2003.

Haxby is a smooth-awned spring barley variety developed for feed barley. The kernels are white with semi-wrinkled hulls. The hairs on the rachillas are long with hair-covered glumes and the rachis is edged with hairs. Haxby is similar in height to Gallatin and heads approximately one day later.

Haxby yielded similar to Baronesse and significantly higher than Gallatin, Valier, and Harrington across 62 locations from 1997-2002. Haxby yielded approximately 6% higher than Gallatin under irrigated and overall locations and 25 higher at low moisture locations.

Haxby has shown exceptionally high test weights under all conditions. Over 6 years and 62 locations Haxby averaged 1 and 2 lb/bu higher than Gallatin under irrigated and low moisture conditions respectively. See below for 1997-2002 data:

Variety	Heading Date	Plant Ht Inches	Protein %
Haxby	6/26	30.4	12.8
Gallatin	6/25	30.9	13.1
Valie	6/28	30.1	13.4
Baronesse	6/28	28.1	13.0
Harrington	6/28	29.8	13.1

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Certified seed classes recognized.
No application filed for PVP.**