

Atlas: Atlas is a six-row, rough-awned, tall strawed spring variety. It has good malting quality and is recommended primarily for the area represented by the Pomeroy trials. It has blue kernels.

Velvon: Velvon is a six-row spring barley. It has smooth awns and is a medium-tall variety, being early to mid-season in maturity. It has a medium-stiff straw and is high yielding. Velvon is recommended in areas with 14 or more inches of rainfall and under irrigation in Central Washington.

Belford: Belford is a six-row, hooded or awnless variety of barley. It is mid-season in maturity and is medium tall in height. It has a relatively weak straw. Belford is recommended for hay only. This variety is recommended in irrigated areas of Central Washington.

Rufflyn: Rufflyn is a six-row spring barley. Its earlier growth is erect and at maturity it is short to medium tall. This variety has rough awns and is moderately weak strawed. It is a mid-season variety. In Washington, Rufflyn is a recommended variety in the 12 to 14 inch rainfall areas and the Goldendale area.

Gem: Gem is a six-row, semi-rough awned variety of spring barley. It is high yielding variety with stiff straw that is resistant to lodging. It has white kernels but is not acceptable to the malting industry.

Gem is recommended in nearly all areas of Eastern Washington and those under irrigation in Central Washington. It is not recommended in the Goldendale area, and the glaciated valleys of Pend Oreille, Stevens, Okanogan, Chelan, and Ferry Counties.