

APPALOOSA SPRING OAT. This variety was originated by Washington State University and was released in 1978. It is of yellow-gray kernel, of mid-tall height, and of early maturity. On a scale of 1 (low or poor) to 10 (high or good), Appaloosa is indexed at 8 for straw strength, 6- for test weight, and 8 for yield performance. For end use quality, Appaloosa is indexed at 6 for feed, 5 for food, and 9 for forage. Its reaction to barley yellow dwarf virus disease is moderately tolerant +. Appaloosa is expected to be useful in areas where Cayuse is grown.