Forage Variety Recommendations

Irrigation Agronomy Workshop

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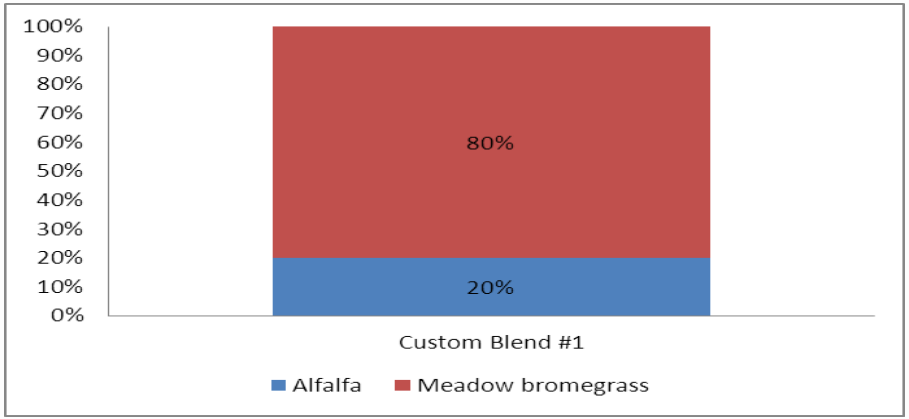
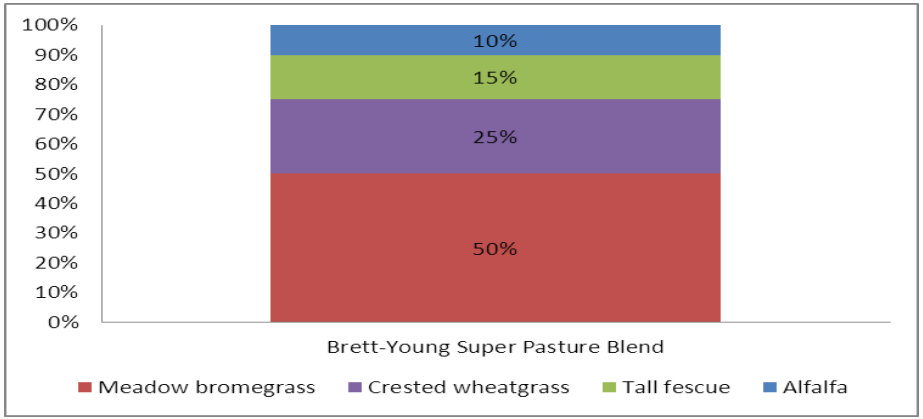
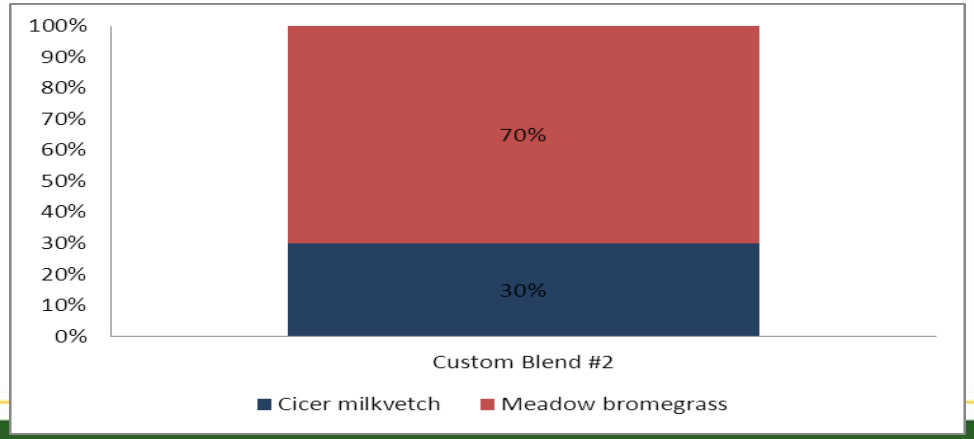
Evaluation of Commercial Pasture Blends







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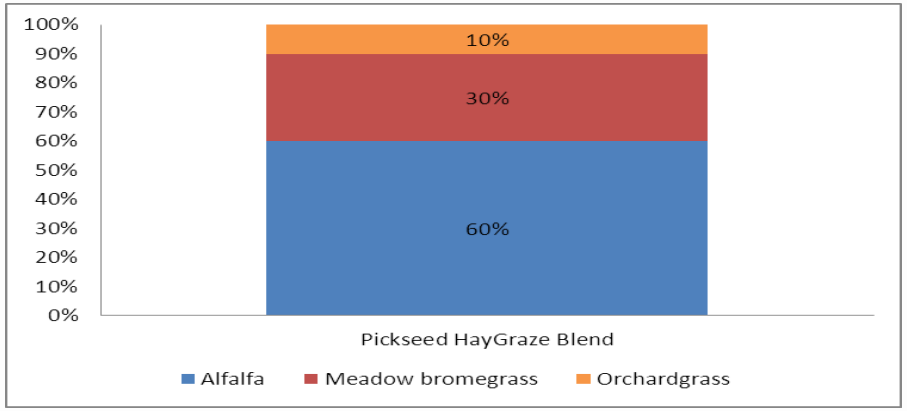

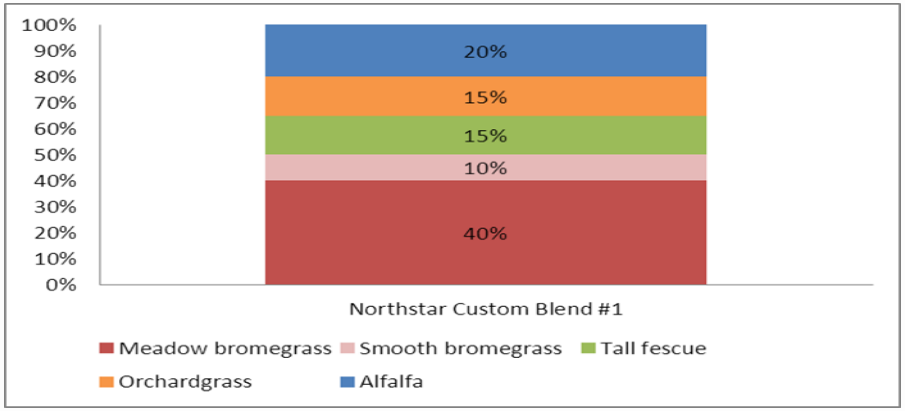

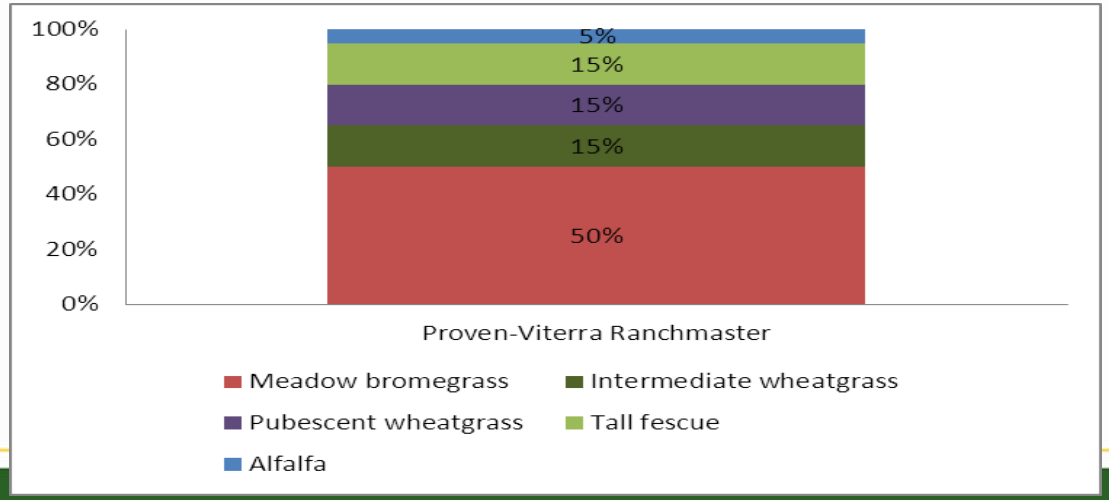

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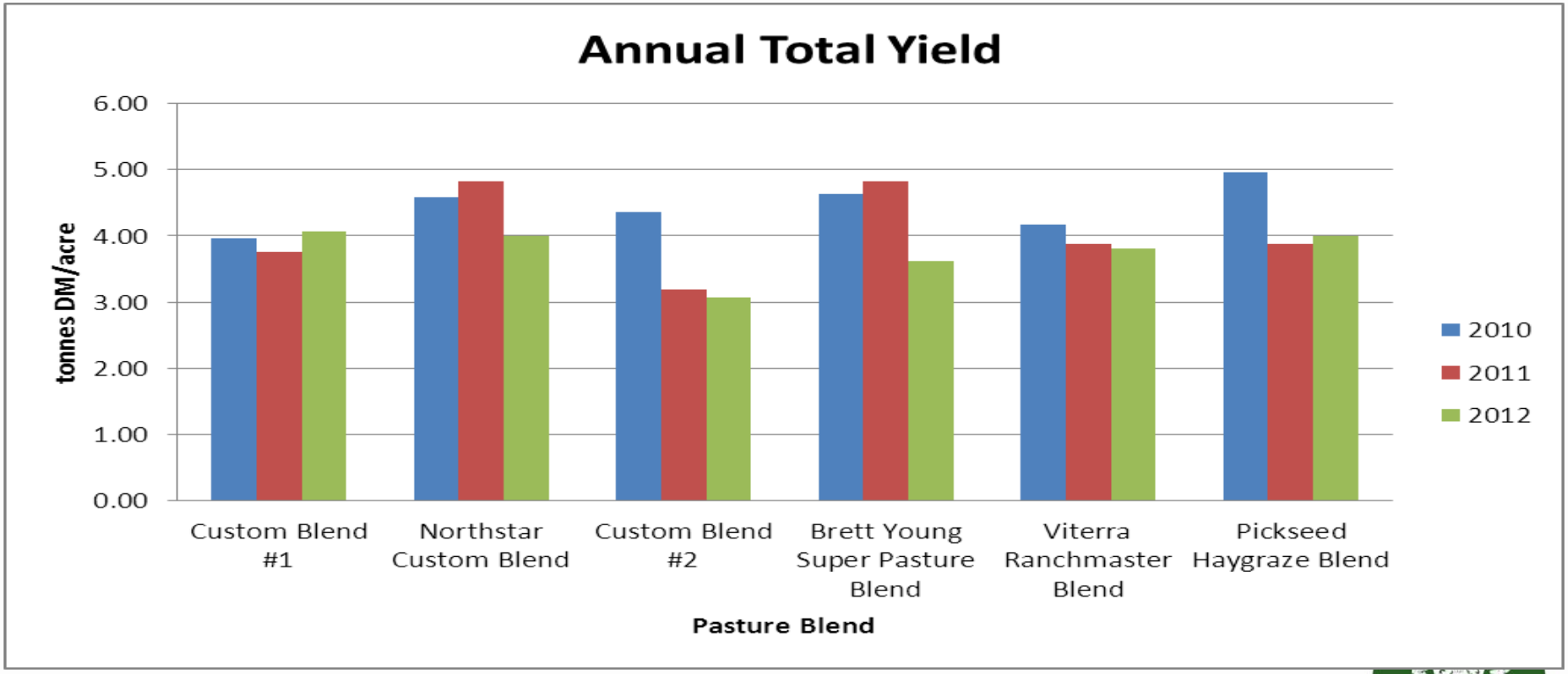
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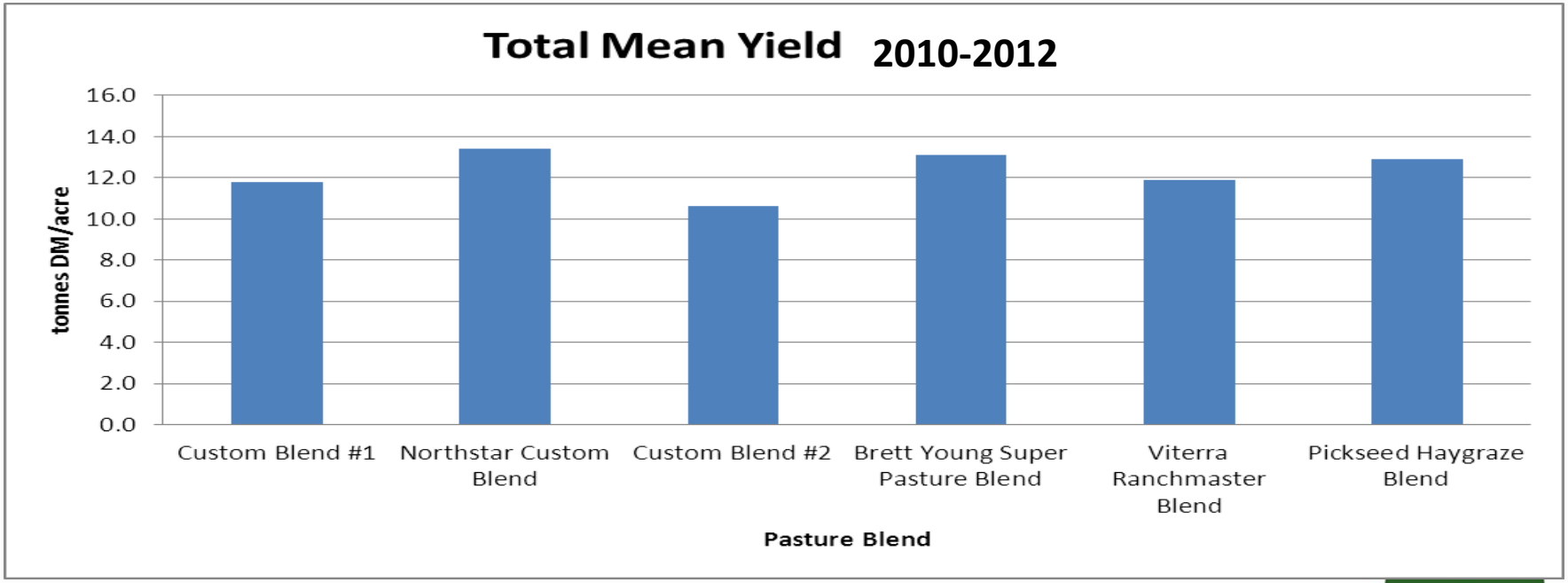
6.00
5.00
4.00
3.00
2.00
1.00
0.00
tonnes DM/acre
Custom Blend #1
Northstar Custom Blend
Custom Blend #2
Brett Young Super Pasture Blend
Viterra Ranchmaster Blend
Pickseed Haygraze Blend
Pasture Blend
2010
2011
2012



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Alfalfa Variety Recommendations

Alfalfa Management Trial

Alfalfa Varieties

AC Blue J

53Q30

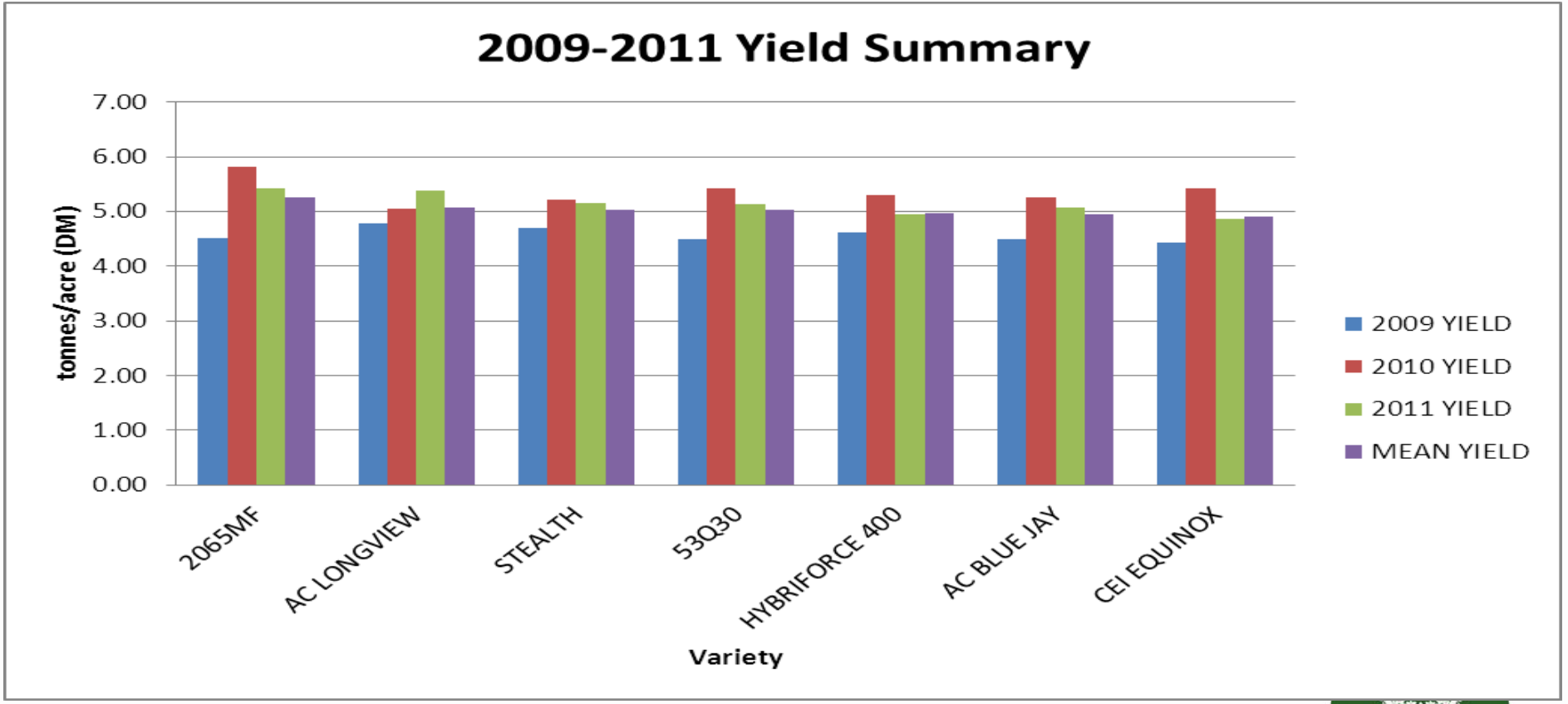
CEI Equinox

Stealth

HybriForce 400

2065 MF

AC Longview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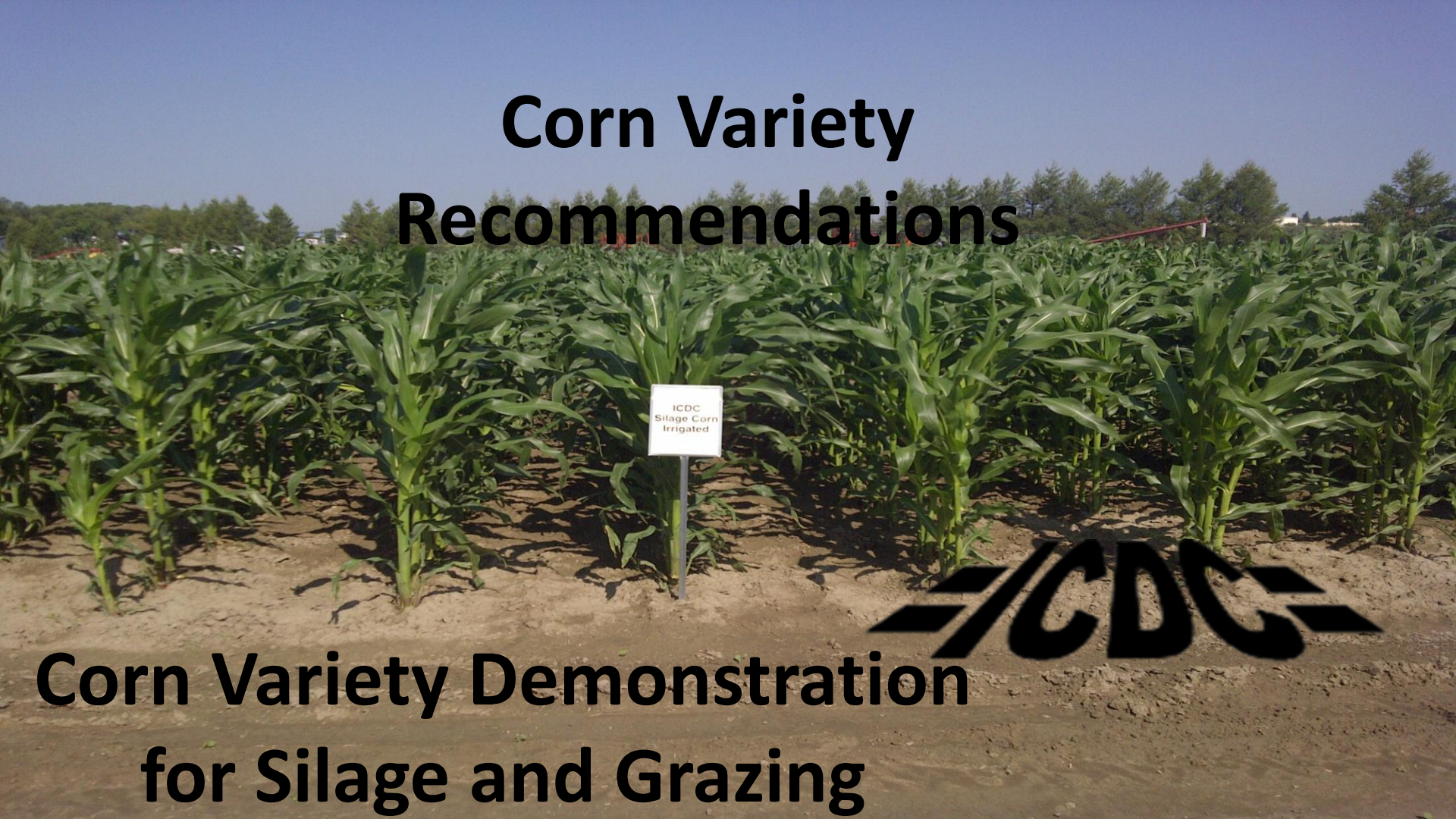
7.00
6.00
5.00
4.00
3.00
2.00
1.00
0.00
tonnes/acre (DM)
2065MF
AC LONGVIEW
STEALTH
53Q30
HYBRIFORCE 400
AC BLUE JAY
CEI EQUINOX
Variety
2009 YIELD
2010 YIELD
2011 YIELD
MEAN YIELD

Corn Variety Recommendations



Corn Variety Demonstration for Silage and Grazing

Variety	Company	Corn Heat Unit (CHU) Rating of Variety	Purpose
P7443R RR	Pioneer	2100	Silage
39m26 RR	Pioneer	2100	Grazing
Silex BtRR	Pickseed	2200	Silage/grain
Baxxos RR	Hyland	2300	Grain
2501 RR	Pickseed	2300	Silage/grain
HL R219 RR	Hyland	2375	Silage/grain
HL SR22 RR	Hyland	2400	Silage
HL 3085 RR	Hyland	2400	Grain

Corn trial harvest 2011

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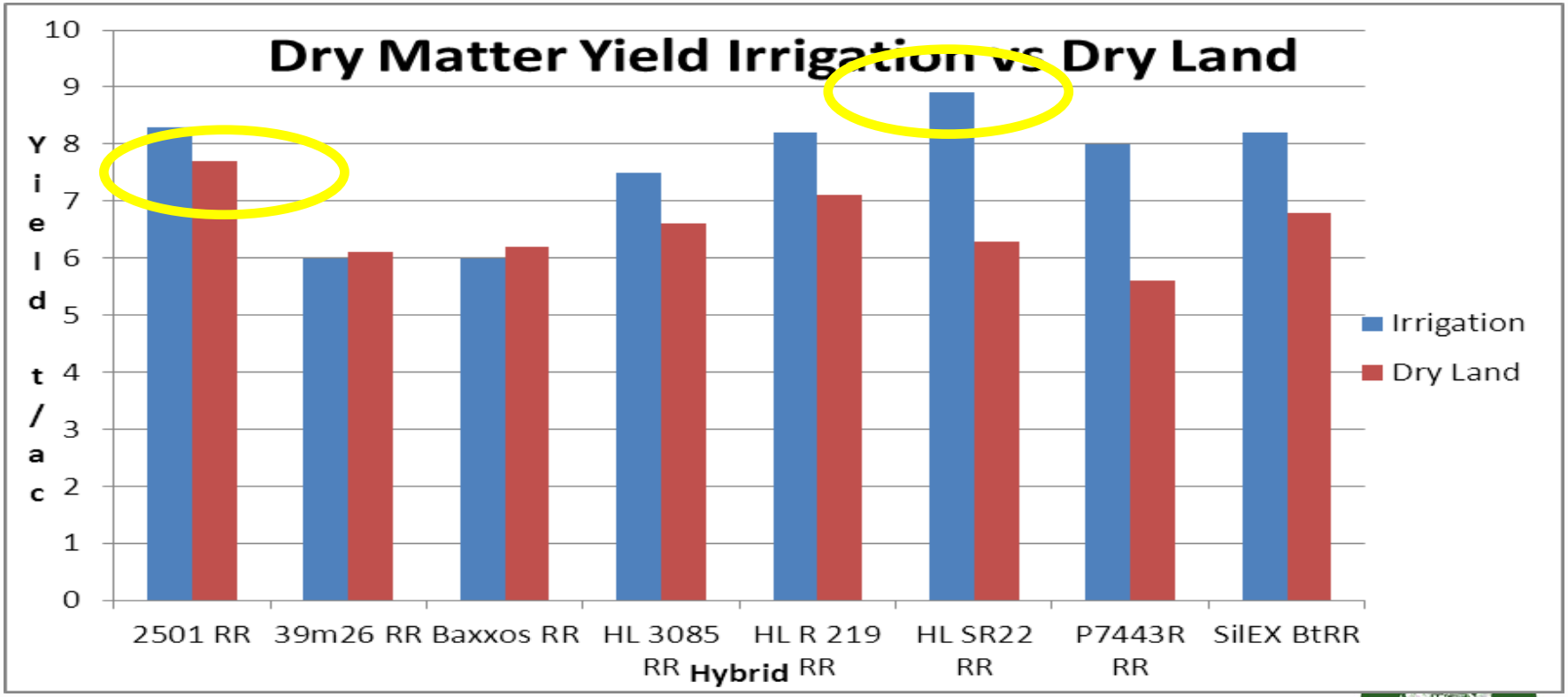
Dry Matter Yield Irrigation vs Dry Land
Yield t/ac
10
9
8
7
6
5
4
3
2
1
0
2501 RR
39m26 RR
Baxxos RR
HL 3085 RR
HL R 219 RR
HL SR22 RR
P7443R RR
SilEX BtRR
Hybrid
Irrigation
Dry Land

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