

Tim Ross
Grain Trade Australia
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Dear Tim,

Re: Standards Change Submission

Hi Tim,

GrainCorp seek to propose three Trading Standards amendments and/or additions, for inclusion in the Grain Trade Australia Trading Standards for the upcoming 2020/21 season. These suggested changes are in acknowledgement of:

- An increased uptake of Red Wheat Varieties, particularly in the VIC Western Districts and border area of VIC/SA. GrainCorp believe it is appropriate for Grain Trade Australia to list a base trading standard for red wheat varieties.
- GrainCorp believe there is currently confusion in the Trading Standards booklet in relation to the maximum allowable grade for white FEED varieties,
- GrainCorp believes a review of Defects specifications in SFW1 is required to better align to the market that this grade is traded on as the current specifications are more aligned to milling grades

GrainCorp propose the following GTA Standards addition and amendments:

- Create SFWR grade for red wheat varieties, with trading standards replicating SFW1 specifications
- Clarify in the Varietal Classification that white FEED Wheat varieties as acceptable into SFW1 rather than max FED1 listed by WQA Varietal Master List
- SFW1 Specification changes suggested as:
 - STAN max limit to be changed to 50% per 300 grain count
 - GREE max limit to be changed to No Limit
 - DAMI max limit to be changed to 4% per 300 grain count
 - ARTD max limit to be changed to No Limit
 - FFUN max limit to be changed to 40 per ½ Litre above the screen
 - SEVE max limit to be changed to 5 per ½ Litre above the screen

I look forward to the committee's consideration and wider consultation.

Your Sincerely,



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