

# SUGAR BEETS IN IOWA, 1891.

*Not Including Those Grown on the Station Grounds.*

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The proposition made in Bulletin No. 12 for an extensive investigation of the possibilities of sugar beet culture in this state, to be made jointly by the farmers of the state and the chemical section of the station, has resulted in the work whose numerical data are reported in this article.

The results here recorded are almost wholly those obtained in the laboratory. The information furnished by the growers regarding the character of the soil in which the beets were grown and its treatment before planting and during growth of the crop, must be brought into condensed form before it can be of much value to the public, (even if it then be), and as it will take considerable time to do this, that portion of our report is reserved for a future bulletin.

## EXPLANATORY NOTES ON THE SAMPLES, THE MODE OF TESTING, AND THE TABLE OF RESULTS.

### I. THE SAMPLES.

Of the 502 samples—consisting usually of from 2 to 12 beets each—whose analyses are recorded in the following table, 339 were sent in either by business men's associations or by informally associated business men of four cities.

The Ft. Dodge Business Men's Association procured beet seed last spring from the U. S. Dept. of Agr. and distributed it among the farmers of Webster county, offering prizes for the three best lots of beets grown therefrom. The growers were instructed to select twelve beets which would fairly

represent the entire crop grown upon each plat, and deliver the same to Granger & Mitchell, Ft. Dodge, on or before Oct. 25th. This firm forwarded the samples, intact, to the station; there were 24 of them—numbered in the table from 37 to 60 inclusive.

The Commercial Exchange of Des Moines, G. F. Selleck, Secretary, obtained seed in part from the U. S. Dept. of Agr., and in part from foreign seed growers direct, distributed the same in Polk and adjoining counties, and offered prizes on the quality of beets grown. As samples, the growers were instructed to send six beets fairly representing each plat or trial to the secretary, who forwarded the same, intact, to the station. Of these samples there were 95—bearing numbers in the table from 144 to 238 inclusive.

The Davenport Business Men's Association sent only seven samples—numbered in the table from 245 to 251 inclusive. Six of the seven contained only two beets each. The seed was obtained from Oxnard Bros., Grand Island, Neb.

W. H. Hoopes & Sons, together with Mr. Fred Daut (and perhaps other citizens), of Muscatine, imported beet seed from Germany and distributed it among a large number of farmers in their county. The growers were instructed to bring in as samples (to W. H. Hoopes & Sons) beets weighing from  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  pounds. Each grower brought in twelve, of which six were selected and sent to the station for analysis. In all, there were 213 of these samples. They were sent in three distinct lots, harvested at different dates, as follows:

<i>Lots.</i>	<i>Numbered in the table.</i>	<i>Dates of harvesting, (about).</i>
I.....	252 to 305 inclusive.....	October 5th
II.....	306 to 367 " .....	October 15th
III.....	368 to 464 " .....	October 30th

As the dates of planting would average about the same for the three lots, the results of analysis—shown in concise form in the *means* for the respective lots, in the table—forcibly illustrate the well known effect of *thorough ripening* upon the quality of the beet.

One hundred and sixty-three samples were sent in by private (unassociated) individuals, who were in most cases the growers of the beets.

## 2. PREPARATION OF SAMPLES, AND TESTING.

(a.) *Trimming the Beets*—The Beets were of course received by us with their tops cut off *above* the crown. In this shape the entire sample was weighed. Then the beets were trimmed as for factory purposes—in many cases much more than is commonly needed for factory purposes—by cutting off the crowns and shoulders as far down as they had been exposed above ground, and the *trimmed* sample was then weighed. The loss by trimming, which ranged from 10 to 40 per cent (the mean being probably about 25), was used in calculating the yield of trimmed beets per acre, (see 4, below).

(b.) *Sampling, obtaining the juice, "polarizing."*—Each beet of the sample, after trimming, was quartered longitudinally and one of the quarters from each taken, to form a moderate sized sample for working. This entire sub-sample was put through an "Enterprise" meat chopper and the pulp so obtained thoroughly mixed, enclosed in stout linen and pressed in a small cider press until no more juice could be obtained. The juice, after standing in cylinders for 20 to 30 minutes to settle, was tested in the usual manner for "total solids"—by sp. gr. spindle—and for sugar by the polariscope. [The accuracy of both instruments was established by delicate tests.]

## 3. CALCULATION OF SUGAR IN THE BEETS.

The polarization figures for sugar in the juice were multiplied by .95 and the results recorded in the table as sugar in the beets. The factor .95 may possibly be a *trifle* too high (last year's work, Bulletin No. 12, indicates that possibility), but since this is the factor in common use the world over and since a more accurate one has not been fixed upon, its use is continued here.

#### 4. ESTIMATION OF YIELD.

The yield of trimmed beets (see 2, above) in tons per acre was in each case calculated from data furnished by the grower (weight grown on a measured plat or in 50 feet of an average row) and from the percentage of loss which the sample actually suffered in trimming. Whenever the estimate thus obtained exceeded thirty tons of trimmed beets per acre the probability of its being an over-estimate seemed so great that it was recorded in the table as 30.

#### 5 TERMS USED IN THE TABLE.

The term Brix signifies that the total solids in the juice were determined by means of a hydrometer—a sp. gr. or a Brix spindle—and not by drying the juice. [Readings on the sp. gr. spindle were converted into degrees Brix at  $17\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  C.]

The term Coefficient of Purity means the percentage of sugar in the total solids of the juice.

# ANALYSES OF SUGAR BEETS GROWN IN IOWA, 1891.

*Results arranged by Counties, commencing with the northernmost tier and proceeding by tiers southward.*

Sample No.	Weight of Beets in sample.				VARIETY, AS RE-PORTED.	DATE OF			IN THE BEET.	IN THE EX-PRESSED JUICE.			GROWN BY	P. O. ADDRESS.	COUNTY.
	Number of Beets in sample.	Largest and small-est. Ounces.	Mean. Ounces.	Estimated yield of trim'd Beets per acre. Tons.		Planting.	Oct.	Harvesting.		Solids (Brix). Per cent.	Sugar (by polariza-tion). Per cent.	Purity Coefficient.			
1	6	21—8	14	...	Klein Wanzlebener	May	10	Oct. 31	12.74	18.16	13.41	73.85	R. R. Witcox.	Milford.....	Dickinson.
2	5	19—7	11½	...	Vilmorin .....	"	10	" 31	13.04	18.39	13.73	74.67	"	" .....	" .....
Mean.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12.89	.....	.....	74.26	.....	.....	.....
3	12	31—22	25	...	Vilmorin .....	May	20	Nov. 4	13.69	19.12	14.41	75.39	S. G. Tyrrell.	Riceville .....	Mitchell.
4	10	31—17	21½	11	Klein Wanzlebener	"	15	Oct. 15	10.97	15.42	11.55	74.89	A. S. Thornburg	Orchard .....	" .....
5	6	46—2	14	11	.....	"	18	" 19	11.97	17.48	12.60	72.09	John Hartogh..	New Haven..	" .....
6	6	17—14	15½	11	.....	"	18	" 19	11.76	17.48	12.38	70.83	"	" .....	" .....
Mean.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12.10	.....	.....	73.30	.....	.....	.....
7	6	29—17	22	18	French .....	May	12	Oct. 10	14.72	20.57	15.49	75.34	Chas. Barnard.	Waukon .....	Allamakee.
8	4	64—46	54	13	German.....	"	12	" 10	11.27	16.97	11.87	69.95	"	" .....	" .....
9	4	47—24	37	20	French .....	"	13	" 8	13.63	18.38	14.84	78.25	"	" .....	" .....
10	6	48—19	31	24	German.....	"	13	" 8	14.94	19.46	15.72	80.81	"	" .....	" .....
11	7	50—17	33	30+	French .....	"	1	" 8	11.20	16.05	11.79	73.45	"	" .....	" .....
12	5	46—12	25½	30+	German .....	"	1	" 8	12.84	18.10	13.52	74.70	"	" .....	" .....
13	7	80—17	23	27	"Improved"....	"	13	" 20	11.28	17.19	11.87	69.05	"	" .....	" .....

14	6.84—28	49½	30	Lane's Improved.	May	15	Oct.	8	10.16	14.89	10.69	71.78	Chas. Barnard.	Waukon . . . . .	Allamakee.
15	6.49—16	32	30—	French Yellow.	"	11	"	11	9.86	13.97	10.17	72.78	"	"	"
16	6.36—22	28½	30—	Vilmorin . . . . .	"	12	"	11	11.64	16.51	12.25	74.20	"	"	"
Mean . . . . .									12.13			74.03			
17	13.20	8.13			May	28			12.36	17.46	13.01	74.52	L. Christopher.	Graettinger . . .	Palo Alto.
18	11.30	8.16½		French . . . . .	"	20	Oct.	27	13.56	19.49	14.28	73.29	Peter O'Byrne.	Lawler . . . . .	Chickasaw.
19	13.48	8.19		German . . . . .	"	20	"	27	13.46	19.49	14.17	72.72	"	"	"
20	11.34	5.15	17	Vilmorin . . . . .	"	6	Oct.	23	12.84	18.81	13.51	71.84	N. E. Gary . . .	Bradford . . . . .	"
21	11.38	6.12½	15	" . . . . .	"	9	"	28	12.99	18.14	13.68	75.38	"	"	"
Mean . . . . .									13.21			73.31			
22	4.63—35	49	20	German . . . . .	May	6	Oct.	13	10.47	15.19	11.02	72.52	J. Wernli . . . . .	LeMars . . . . .	Plymouth.
23	4.45—38	40	23	French . . . . .	"	6	"	13	10.07	14.95	10.60	70.89	"	"	"
Mean . . . . .									10.27			71.71			
24	6.47—30	38	16	Vilmorin . . . . .	May	20	Oct.	17	10.44	15.02	11.00	73.16	S. C. Whittlesey.	Cherokee . . . . .	Cherokee.
25	6.32—17	22½	6	" . . . . .					10.34	15.62	10.88	69.85	E. F. Iseminger.	Marathon . . . . .	Buena Vista.
26	6.55—27	41		" . . . . .					8.89	13.55	9.36	69.10	J. O. Overholt.	Havelock . . . . .	Pocahontas.
27	12.15	7.10	13	French . . . . .	May	13	Oct.	15	13.43	17.19	14.13	82.16	W. C. Norton .	Clarion . . . . .	Wright.
28	12.12	7.10	18	German . . . . .	"	13	"	15	13.00	17.03	13.68	80.38	"	"	"
Mean . . . . .									13.22			81.28			
29	3.36—18	27½			May	24	Nov.	10	13.74	19.12	14.46	75.65	J. W. Bapp . . . . .	Hawkeye . . . . .	Fayette.
30	6.34—15	26	20	French White . . . . .	"	20	Oct.	13	11.15	15.94	11.73	73.59	P. H. Winegar.	Westgate . . . . .	"
Mean . . . . .									12.45			74.62			

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	Number of Beets in sample	Largest and small-est. Ounces.	Mean. Ounces.	Tons.			Planting.	Harvesting.	Sugar (calculated). Per cent.	Solids (Brix). Per cent.			
31	641-21	33½	27	Klein Wanzebener	April 12	Oct. 12	11.18	16.65	11.77	70.69	J. W. X. Smith	Edgewood . . .	Clayton.
32	654-23	39	30+	"	June 1	" 12	12.42	18.00	13.07	72.62	"	" . . .	"
Mean.	.....	.....	.....				11.80			71.66		.....	.....
33	651-24	39	14	.....	May 1	Oct. 4	9.50	15.28	10.00	65.42	Wm. C. Ross . . .	Ida Grove . . .	Ida.
34	680-47	60	16	.....	" 15	Nov. 7	9.12	14.84	9.59	64.45	H. F. Meyer . . .	Odebolt . . .	Sac.
35	642-11	25	16	.....	" 15	" 7	10.23	15.53	10.76	69.28	"	" . . .	"
36	630-19	25	16	.....	" 15	" 7	10.47	15.53	11.02	70.95	"	" . . .	"
Mean.	.....	.....	.....				9.94			68.23		.....	.....
37	10 . . . . .	45	..	German . . . . .	May 1	Oct. 16	9.97	15.79	10.50	66.50	J. Herrington . . .	Ft. Dodge . . .	Webster.
38	1242-25	34½	30+	German & French	" 1	" 12	12.50	17.24	13.15	76.30	W. C. Goodrich . . .	Lehigh . . .	"
39	1230-9	18½	..	" "	April 20	" 15	8.85	14.20	9.31	65.55	G. L. Henry . . .	Ft. Dodge . . .	"
40	1244-18	31½	29	German . . . . .	May 15	" 12	10.90	14.43	11.45	76.69	S. P. Hancock . . .	" . . .	"
41	1242-18	32	..	.....	" 10	" 17	8.36	12.76	8.80	68.93	Sam Fallow . . .	" . . .	"
42	1231-11	21	20	German & French	" 10	" 22	11.57	17.87	12.18	68.15	T. W. Powers . . .	" . . .	"
43	1233-18	26	19	French . . . . .	" 6	" 21	11.40	16.76	12.00	71.60	Wm. Kolb . . .	" . . .	"
44	1244-10	22	..	White . . . . .	April 10	" 20	13.65	15.76	14.37	79.72	Robt. Flattery . . .	" . . .	"

45	8	34—18	24½	30+	German & French	April	15	Oct.	10	11.93	17.49	12.55	71.77	A. Chantland	Badger	Webster.
46	12	74—19	36½	20	German	May	15	"	22	9.39	14.72	9.87	67.03	S. Watland, lot 1	"	"
47	12	72—16	45	25	French	"	15	"	22	9.00	13.85	9.47	68.41	" lot 2	"	"
48	12	14— 6	11	20	German & French	"	20	"	14	9.82	14.83	10.33	69.63	J. T. Brown	Barnum.	"
49	12	13— 3	9	...						9.91	14.83	10.43	70.32	"	"	"
50	12	60—19	33	27	German	May	1	Oct.	9	10.43	15.46	10.97	70.97	Ira Rickard	Callender	"
51	12	27— 7	13	18	"	"	20	"	23	13.87	17.36	14.60	84.14	R. Hoff	"	"
52	12	16— 7	9½	15	French					13.70	16.91	14.42	85.30	"	"	"
53	12	33—10	22	10	German	May	10	Oct.	13	10.29	15.21	10.83	71.19	Jno. Bakker	Lehigh	"
54	12	14— 4	9	...	"	"	15	"	12	9.19	14.79	9.67	65.36	J. W. Bennett	Kalo	"
55	12	49—26	33½	...			"	"	21	11.98	17.25	12.61	73.12	W. J. Hale	"	"
56	12	37—18	28½	23		June	13	Nov.	4	11.28	16.80	11.37	70.66	Clark Fuller	"	"
57	12	32—12	20	14	French	May	1	Oct.	21	12.12	17.41	12.75	73.24	Wm. Pollock	Clare	"
58	12	20— 8	13½	25	German	April	20	"	23	10.95	16.07	11.52	71.87	D. T. Trusty	Ft. Dodge	"
59	12	26— 8	16½	20	"	"	20	"	23	11.35	16.76	11.95	72.11	"	"	"
60	12	41—17	30	...						12.47	17.48	13.12	75.06	S. Rufee	Burnside	"
Mean										11.04			72.23			
61	6	74—14	37½	...						11.33	16.85	11.93	70.80	W. G. Gilman	Jewell	Hamilton.
62	6	84—32	53½	30+		May	15	Nov.	4	11.28	16.15	11.87	73.50	T. F. Baldus	"	"
Mean										11.31			72.15			
63	10	....	45	19		May	1	Oct.	24	11.77	17.09	12.39	72.50	G. A. Ivins	Iowa Falls	Hardin.
63½	6	55—11	30	...						9.36	15.85	9.85	62.12	A. S. Desmarais	Grundy Center	Grundy.
64	9	15— 7	11	8	German	June	1			11.72	17.03	12.33	72.41	W. H. Steimel	Eagle Center	Black Hawk.
65	12	....	7½	6	French	"	1			12.93	17.71	13.61	76.87	"	"	"
66	1	....	20	...	Klein Wanzelebener	May	15	Oct.	15	12.37	17.03	13.02	76.47	Bozarth Bros.	Cedar Falls	"
67	1	....	18	...	"	"	15	"	15	10.34	15.42	10.88	70.55	"	"	"
68	10	33— 9	22	...	"	"	15	"	15	12.17	17.71	12.81	72.34	"	"	"
69	4	42—32	36	...	"	"	"	"	28	6.66	12.05	7.01	58.19	Phil Eiler	"	"
Mean										11.03			71.14			

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Sample No.	Number of Beets in sample.			Weight of Beets after trimming. Tons.	Estimated Yield of trim'd Beets per acre. Tons.	VARIETY, AS RE- PORTED.	DATE OF Planting.	Harvesting.	IN THE BEET.		IN THE EX- PRESSED JUICE.		GROWN BY.	P. O. ADDRESS.	COUNTY.
	Largest and small- est. Ounces.	Mean.	Ounces.						Sugar (calculated). Per cent.	Solids (Brix). Per cent.	Sugar (by polariza- tion). Per cent.	Purity Coefficient.			
70	4	42—37	40	8	Klein Wanzl.....	May 15	Oct. 10	10.90	15.13	11.47	75.80	W. A. Rogers...	Independence	Buchanan.	
71	11	27—10	18½	...	German.....	May 26	Oct. 17?	11.79	17.21	12.41	72.11	{ M. Burds and N. Freimann	Peosta.....	Dubuque.	
72	15	....	35	...	German .....	“	“	11.40	16.76	12.00	71.60	{ J. S. Smead, M. Biehl, E. Pinch, Sr.	“.....	“	
73	6	44—19	28½	...	.....	“	“	11.26	16.57	11.85	71.77	Gottlieb Sefzik	“.....	“	
74	13	23—7	16	...	German & French	“	“	13.33	19.29	14.02	72.69	J. M. Allison...	“.....	“	
75	10	28—11	18½	...	German .....	“	“	16.79	23.82	17.67	75.77	.....*	“.....	“	
76	2	19—12	15½	...	.....	“	“	16.04	21.85	16.88	79.05	{ C. H. Brant, N. Freimann	“.....	“	
Mean.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13.43	.....	.....	73.83	.....	.....	.....	
77	8	24—17	19	20	German .....	May 7	Oct. 18	11.82	17.58	12.44	70.78	Jas. W. Davis...	Turin.....	Monona.	
78	8	33—19	27	27	French .....	“ 7	“ 18	10.26	15.76	10.79	66.91	“.....	“.....	“	
Mean.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11.04	.....	.....	68.85	.....	.....	.....	
79	1	....	23	...	Vilmorin's Imp...	“	“	12.90	17.86	13.58	78.24	M. Simon.....	Carroll.....	Carroll.	
80	1	....	9	...	“	“	“	13.42	18.00	14.12	78.46	“.....	“.....	“	

81	1	.....	29	....	Vilmorin's Imp.	.....	.....	11.58	15.59	12.19	78.19	M. Simon.....	Carroll.....	Carroll.		
82	1	.....	11	....	"	.....	.....	10.59	15.00†	11.15	74.32	"	"	"		
83	1	.....	30	....	"	.....	.....	11.20	16.05	11.79	73.46	"	"	"		
84	2	27—24	25½	....	"	.....	.....	11.51	15.82	12.11	76.57	"	"	"		
85	2	23—12	17½	....	"	.....	.....	11.23	15.83	11.52	74.71	"	"	"		
86	28	.....	14	....	"	.....	.....	11.49	16.00†	12.09	75.57	"	"	"		
87	6	25—13	16	21	"	June	11	Oct. 16	13.87	18.78	14.60	77.77	"	"	"	
88	6	20—10	14	....	"	.....	.....	" 14	13.06	18.33	13.7	75.03	"	"	"	
89	6	19—13	15½	15	"	June	8	" 22	13.10	17.65	13.79	78.15	M. Kimble.....	"	"	
90	6	26—16	22	....	"	.....	.....	" 10	" 23	12.47	18.03	18.13	72.87	M. Simon.....	"	"
90½	6	0—4	7	....	"	.....	.....	" 18	" 23	8.57	16.28	9.02	55.43	"	"	"
91	6	30—16	21½	20	"	.....	.....	" 15	" 24	12.60	17.56	13.26	75.53	"	"	"
92	6	18—11	13½	15	"	.....	.....	.....	14.37	19.82	15.12	76.31	"	"	"	
93	6	35—17	26½	22	"	June	20	Oct. 22	12.34	17.42	12.99	74.57	"	"	"	
94	6	15—8	10	17	"	.....	.....	" 10	" 20	11.15	16.65	11.74	70.51	"	"	"
95	6	15—9	12	....	"	May	12	" 16	11.87	17.42	12.49	72.85	"	"	"	
Mean	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12.08	.....	.....	74.36	.....	.....	.....		
96	6	26—12	19	....	Klein Wanzl.	April	30	Oct. 16	10.94	15.71	11.51	73.26	A. G. Wise.....	Jefferson.....	Greene.	
97	4	46—16	28	....	"	.....	.....	" 30	" 16	10.92	15.71	11.49	73.13	"	"	"
98	5	56—37	47	....	"	.....	.....	" 30	" 16	9.28	14.56	9.77	67.07	"	"	"
99	3	42—33	37	....	Vilmorin	.....	.....	" 30	" 16	9.85	14.56	10.37	71.21	"	"	"
100	3	55—38	45	....	Wabanka.	April	30	Oct. 16	8.51	12.22	8.96	73.36	"	"	"	
101	3	69—42	54½	....	"	.....	.....	" 30	" 16	7.09	11.28	7.46	66.16	"	"	"
102	4	33—15	24½	....	Vilmorin.	.....	.....	" 30	" 16	10.69	14.56	11.25	77.26	"	"	"
103	6	37—21	29	....	French.	.....	.....	.....	10.02	15.94	10.54	66.11	John Gulle.....	Grand June.....	"	
104	6	40—24	31	....	"	.....	.....	.....	9.42	15.71	9.92	63.13	"	"	"	
105	10	17—8	12	....	German	.....	.....	.....	10.62	16.40	11.16	68.04	Jas. Underwood	"	"	
Mean	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9.73	.....	.....	69.87	.....	.....	.....		

\* Four beets sent by J. M. Allison, and one each by Elias Pinch, Michael Biehl, J. S. Smead, T. Callahan, B. F. Moore and M. Burds.

† Assumed.

‡ Samples 79 to 86, inclusive, were M. Simon's first lot, harvested about 15 days earlier than the rest of his samples.

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Sample No.	Number of Beets in sample				Estimated yield of trimmed Beets per acre. Tons.	VARIETY AS RE-PORTED.	DATE OF	IN THE BEET.	IN THE EX-PRESSED JUICE.			GROWN BY.	P. O. ADDRESS.	COUNTY.
	Largest and small-est. Ounces.	Mean. Ounces.	Weight of Beets after trimming.	Tons.					Sugar (calculated). Per cent.	Solids (Brix). Per cent.	Sugar (by polariza-tion). Per cent.	Purity Coefficient.		
106	7 22—16	18	.....	German .....	April 20	Oct. 19	9.58	15.01	10.08	67.13	R. D. Brunton.	Boonsboro . . . .	Boone.	
107	5 37—13	23	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.57	15.76	11.12	70.75	Tom. L. Jones.	Ontario . . . . .	Story.	
108	4 26—12	16 $\frac{1}{2}$	12	Vilmorin	May 26	.....	13.72	18.70	14.44	77.23	Eugene Wood..	Marshalltown..	Marshall.	
109	2 35—17	26	12	"	" 26	Oct. 23	12.75	17.31	13.42	77.54	"	"	"	
110	6 19—8	13	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.99	15.48	11.57	74.73	E. N. Chapin..	"	"	
111	2 16—14	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	12.76	18.55	13.48	72.41	A. T. Birchard..	"	"	
112	2 20—18	19	.....	.....	.....	.....	11.49	16.98	12.09	71.21	"	"	"	
113	2 12—10	11	.....	.....	.....	.....	13.14	19.23	13.83	71.94	"	"	"	
114	2 18—14	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	12.14	18.10	12.78	70.61	"	"	"	
115	2 16—12	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.80	17.87	11.36	63.57	"	"	"	
116	2 23—17	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.90	17.00	11.47	67.46	"	"	"	
117	2 12—12	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	12.44	19.52	13.09	67.07	"	"	"	
118	2 21—19	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	13.58	20.63	14.29	69.28	"	"	"	
119	2 11—10	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	.....	.....	.....	.....	14.78	18.84	15.56	82.63	"	"	"	
120	2 11—9	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	14.86	21.08	15.64	74.22	"	"	"	
121	2 16—14	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	13.76	19.49	14.48	74.31	"	"	"	
122	2 10—9	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	.....	.....	.....	.....	15.30	21.93	16.10	73.44	"	"	"	
123	2 13—12	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	.....	.....	.....	.....	13.80	19.26	14.52	75.42	"	"	"	
124	2 12—9	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	.....	.....	.....	.....	15.22	21.05	16.02	76.14	"	"	"	

125	2 14—13 13½	23	Klein-Wanzl.	May	Oct. 13	14.21	19.71	14.96	75.93	A. T. Birchard.	Marshalltown	Marshall.
126	2 16—15 15½	20	Vilmorin.	"	" 12	14.56	21.90	15.38	70.03	"	"	"
127	2 24—18 21	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.53	16.97	11.08	65.93	N. Kirk.	Bangor	"
Mean.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13.09	.....	.....	72.55	.....	.....	.....
128	6.42—9.25½	23	Klein-Wanzl.	.....	Oct. 13	7.54	11.62	7.93	68.27	W. C. Boggs.	Vinton	Benton.
129	5.63—17.36	20	Vilmorin.	.....	" 12	10.07	14.67	10.60	72.24	S. T. Shorter.	"	"
130	6.52—13.30	21	"	.....	" 10	8.57	14.67	9.02	62.95	L. M. Edwards	"	"
131	6.92—18.39	25	.....	May 1	" 20	9.32	15.48	9.81	63.36	Nick Dilcher.	Garrison	"
132	2.43—29.36	.....	.....	.....	.....	9.72	16.02	10.23	63.80	J. B. Reeve.	"	"
Mean.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9.04	.....	.....	66.12	.....	.....	.....
133	5.86—33.56	25	Klein-Wanzl.	May 1	Sept. 22	9.65	14.95	10.16	67.93	David Wild.	Springville	Linn.
134	9.27—18.22½	25	"	" 1	" 22	10.07	14.95	10.60	70.88	"	"	"
135	8.28—18.22	23	"	.....	Oct. 12	10.14	15.80	10.67	67.51	"	"	"
136	6.25—15.19	....	"	.....	" 1	11.15	15.84	11.74	70.38	"	"	"
137	10.55—27.39½	....	French.	.....	.....	10.30	15.80	10.83	68.53	Lefebure & Son	Fairfax	"
138	7.30—12.24	....	"	.....	.....	9.96	15.80	10.48	66.31	Mr. McGregor.	"	"
139	6.30—12.21	....	.....	.....	.....	11.17	16.11	11.76	73.00	J. F. Burke.	Lisbon	"
140	10.14—5.10	....	.....	.....	.....	13.67	18.38	14.39	78.31	"	"	"
Mean.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.76	.....	.....	70.36	.....	.....	.....
141	2 52—44 48	21	Klein-Wanzl.	May 16	Oct. 23	8.32	12.56	8.76	69.79	E. B. Irwin.	Irwin	Shelby.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
142	6.24—8.14½	....	Klein-Wanzl.	May 8	Sept. 10	6.91	13.43	7.26	54.15	Jas. Sullivan.	Stuart	Guthrie.
143	6.21—4.11½	....	"	" 8	Oct. 31	.....	17.12	Lost.	.....	"	"	"
Mean.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
144	6.21—11.17	20	Vilm. (sheep manure).	June 1	Oct. 14	13.73	18.41	14.45	78.51	J. H. Conly.	Perry	Dallas.
145	6.27—17.21	24	Vilmorin (on hog lot).	May 1	" 14	13.20	18.18	13.89	76.42	"	"	"

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146	7 49—18 28	17	Klein Wanzl . . .	May 1	Oct. 14	13.07	17.50	78.84	J. H. Conly . . .	Perry . . . . . Dallas.
147	6 37—21 27	24	" . . .	April 25	" 13	11.86	15.90	78.49	Ana Petty . . . . .	" . . . . . "
148	6 27—18 21	" . . .	Vilmorin . . . . .	May 14	" 14	10.87	15.44	11.23	72.72 F. M. Hain . . . . .	" . . . . . "
149	6 17—8 11½	11½	" . . .	" 3	" 14	12.46	17.69	13.11	74.12 Robt. Skinner . . . . .	" . . . . . "
150	6 25—16 20	20	" . . .	" 20	" 13	13.70	(9.27	14.42	74.85 A. Thornburg . . . . .	" . . . . . "
151	5 14—4 9½	15	Klein Wanzl . . . . .	" 10	" 14	11.18	17.90	11.77	65.75 John Troth . . . . .	" . . . . . "
152	6 19—12 15	" . . .	" . . .	" 7	" 12	11.58	(7.00	12.20	71.77 Sam Brewer . . . . .	" . . . . . "
153	6 28—12 18½	23	Vilmorin . . . . .	June 1	" 16	14.18	18.86	14.93	79.16 S. Cooper . . . . .	" . . . . . "
154	6 34—12 18½	17	Klein Wanzl . . . . .	May 10	" 16	13.87	18.18	14.60	80.33 C. E. Dunlap . . . . .	" . . . . . "
155	6 38—19 29	26	" . . .	" 15	" 16	12.64	17.95	13.39	74.10 W. A. Ulum . . . . .	" . . . . . "
156	6 18—9 12	17	" . . .	" 18	" 13	11.62	17.05	12.23	71.73 S. R. Ennms . . . . .	" . . . . . "
157	6 44—19 33	30	Klein Wanzl . . . . .	June 1	" 15	12.54	18.18	13.20	72.81 J. R. Phillips . . . . .	" . . . . . "
158	6 42—30 36	30+	" . . .	May 14	" 14	7.48	12.20	7.87	64.53 Swan Ingleson . . . . .	" . . . . . "
159	6 34—12 22½	27	" . . .	May 20	" 15	11.13	15.37	11.71	76.19 Geo. Roberts . . . . .	" . . . . . "
160	6 30—14 23	14	Vilmorin . . . . .	" 15	" 16	9.98	15.22	10.50	68.96 J. A. Russell . . . . .	Woodward . . . . .
161	6 23—16 20	14	Vilmorin . . . . .	" 1	" 5	12.29	16.88	12.93	76.81 F. J. Jones . . . . .	Perry . . . . . "
162	6 20—13 17	13	Klein-Wanzl . . . . .	May 20	Oct. 9	12.19	17.33	12.83	74.04 Thos. Council . . . . .	" . . . . . "
163	6 8—3 5	20	" . . .	" 1	" 9	12.44	18.25	13.09	71.84 " . . . . . "	" . . . . . "
164	6 22—9 16	14	" . . .	June 1	" 20	10.59	7.05	11.25	65.98 Harry Conly . . . . .	" . . . . . "
165	6 20—13 15	22	" . . .	May 1	" 20	10.11	15.91	10.64	66.86 " . . . . . "	" . . . . . "
166	6 132—40 64	30	White Sugar . . . . .	" 10	" 20	5.96	12.19	6.27	51.43 H C Griswold . . . . .	" . . . . . "

167	6	50	-21	34	26	Klein-Wanzl.	May	1	Oct.	20	9.64	15.68	10	14	84.65	Rev. S. Jones.	Perry	Dallas.
168	6	29	-12	22	16	Vilmorin	"	1	"	20	10.97	16.40	11	.54	70.36	Harry Conly	"	"
169	5	28	-11	18	13	Klein-Wanzl.	June	15	"	20	12.06	16.40	12	69	77.39	Wm Pepper.	"	"
170	6	31	-20	24	29	"	May	25	"	20	12.77	17.31	13	44	77.66	Em'ry Stebbins	"	"
171	6	.....	6	.....	.....	"	.....	20	"	19	12.60	6.91	13	26	78.45	Frank Warren	"	"
172	3	50	-28	40	30+	"	.....	15	"	20	9.87	16.91	10	.39	81.42	L Willis	"	"
173	6	27	-15	20	25	"	.....	15	"	19	10.36	15.07	10	.90	72.32	A D. Coffee	"	"
174	6	20	-10	14	23	"	.....	20	"	18	12.24	17.13	18	88	73.49	Wm. Bellmore	"	"
175	6	25	-16	21	28	Vilmorin	"	15	"	18	11.81	16.40	12	.43	75.80	Truman Buck	"	"
176	6	76	-52	64	25	.....	.....	15	"	19	11.15	15.76	11	73	74.42	Wm Fahey	"	"
Mean	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11.57	.....	.....	72.78	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
177	6	26	-10	18	24	Vilmorin	April	24	Oct.	17	10.90	16.28	11	.47	70.45	R. Fullerton	Des Moines	Polk.
178	6	39	-14	20	30	Klein-Wanzl	"	24	"	17	11.55	17.42	12	15	69.75	"	"	"
179	6	23	-8	14	15	Diamond	May	5	"	15	11.48	15.88	13	.07	76.01	Paul Fisher	Levey	"
180	7	17	-6	12	15	Klein-Wanzl	"	5	"	15	13.08	17.48	18	.77	78.79	"	"	"
181	7	23	-4	15	12	White French	"	5	"	15	11.00	15.64	11	.58	74.03	"	"	"
182	7	24	-5	14	25	Lane's Imperial	"	5	"	15	9.36	12.85	9	.85	76.63	"	"	"
183	7	26	-4	12	21	Best German	"	5	"	15	10.95	14.77	11	.52	78.00	"	"	"
184	8	16	-3	9	6	Vilmorin	"	5	"	15	12.20	17.08	12	.84	75.18	"	"	"
185	6	14	-4	8	20	"	.....	9	"	16	11.80	16.62	12	.42	74.73	Mrs. J. A. Woods	Des Moines	"
186	6	22	-14	20	26	"	.....	26	"	9	12.10	16.88	12	.80	75.84	W. H. Morgan	Des Moines	"
187	6	52	-27	42	23	Lane's Imperial	"	15	"	20	8.47	12.91	8	.91	69.05	C. W. Wilcox	Commerce	"
188	6	39	-30	33	20	Vilmorin	"	15	"	20	10.54	14.94	11	.09	74.22	"	"	"
189	2	17	-14	15	9	German	"	2	"	19	....	16.32	Lost	....	DD Farnsworth	Clive	"	
190	2	24	-11	17	10	Vilmorin	"	2	"	19	10.47	16.32	11	.02	87.50	"	"	"
191	2	50	-40	45	22	Diamond	"	23	"	19	10.78	14.94	11	.34	75.90	"	"	"
192	2	53	-33	43	....	Diamond	"	28	"	23	12.06	18.39	12	.69	69.01	Jos Askew	Ashawa	"
193	2	38	-31	34	....	Lane's Imp.	"	28	"	23	11.86	17.25	12	.48	72.35	"	"	"
194	2	44	-41	42	....	White French	"	2	"	23	11.59	17.03	12	.20	71.64	"	"	"
195	2	37	-31	32	....	Vilmorin	"	28	"	23	13.71	19.29	14	.43	74.82	"	"	"
197	2	57	-44	50	....	Best German	"	28	"	23	11.72	18.62	12	.33	86.22	"	"	"
Mean	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11.35	.....	.....	73.17	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

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									Sugar (calculated). Per cent.	Solids (Brix). Per cent.	Sugar (by polariza-tion). Per cent.			
198	531—19	24	29	German.....	May 20	Oct. 22	9.78	14.67	10.29	70.13	Mrs. Jno. Ryan	Prairie City....	Jasper	
199	635—22	29	36	80+	"	" 20	" 22	16.00	Lost.	Chas. Walker.	"	"	"	
200	640—19	28	30	+	"	" 30	" 22	16.91	12.88	78.00	A. Prentice...	"	"	
201	637—21	30	36	7	"	" 18	" 16	12.24	18.82	13.26	70.47	A. F. Wilson...	"	"
202	643—28	37	30	+	"	" 20	" 22	12.60	17.68	12.70	71.84	W. K. Blain...	"	"
203	638—15	25	28	"	"	June 1	" 22	10.42	15.95	10.96	67.14	R. Charles....	"	"
204	628—11	19	30	"	"	May 15	" 28	12.80	15.95	13.57	85.09	H. J. Sheaver.	"	"
205	640—22	31	30	+	"	" 20	" 29	9.53	15.22	10.03	65.88	S. Johnson....	"	"
206	664—36	43	36	19	"	" 14	" 22	10.72	15.70	11.28	71.57	I. Bruner....	"	"
207	623—9	17	21	"	"	" 18	" 13	10.62	17.13	11.18	65.20	J. Timmons Sr.	"	"
208	672—38	53	20	"	"	" 15	" 19	9.08	14.61	9.55	65.34	A. J. Wiggins.	"	"
209	664—25	46	30	+	"	" 15	" 22	10.14	15.45	10.67	68.04	Mrs W. Wagner	Fairmount....	"
210	628—18	23	30	"	"	" 19	" 24	10.57	15.99	11.12	69.64	J. Smith....	Prairie City	"
211	624—10	18	22	"	"	" 20	" 26	10.11	16.05	10.64	66.28	S. D. Butters.	"	"
212	634—18	24	23	"	"	June 1	" 26	10.69	16.97	11.25	66.28	"	"	"
Mean.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.82	.....	69.27	.....	.....	.....	
213	653—29	41	30	+	French .....	May 9	Oct. 16	11.09	16.40	11.67	71.16	E. W. Hubbard	Norwalk....	Warren.*
214	649—20	30	20	Diamond.....	"	10	" 15	10.69	16.32	11.24	68.86	L. A. Stevenson	Indianola....	"
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.89	.....	69.51	.....	.....	.....	

215	6	52—19	36	27			May	15	Oct.	17	9.48	15.58	9.98	64.05	G. Roorda....	Pella.....	Marion.*
216	6	74—19	38	28			"	15	"	17	9.33	14.66	9.82	68.96	P. J. Koelman.	".....	"
217	6	41—15	29	28	Klein Wanzl		"	24	"	22	10.42	14.83	10.96	73.89	J. E. Visser....	".....	"
218	6	23—11	17	26		"	"	23	"	22	13.82	19.04	14.54	76.39	Wm. Visser....	".....	"
219	6	40—24	30	30+		"		16	"	22	12.52	18.59	13.18	70.91	Jno. Visser....	".....	"
220	6	34—21	28								14.41	20.26	15.17	74.90	G. Van der Meide.	".....	"
221	6	60—39	51		German		June	12	"	12	12.19	18.02	12.83	71.21	A. De Penning	".....	"
222	6	76—36	58	28	Vilmorin.		April	20	"	24	10.23	16.23	10.77	67.89	T. Ver Beek....	".....	"
223	5	72—60	67								8.69	14.61	9.15	65.37	L. Neils....	".....	"
224	6	45—22	33								8.62	16.07	9.07	56.47	G. Coum....	".....	"
225	6	58—39	49	30+	German		June	10	"	27	12.01	16.98	12.64	74.44	B. Goemaat....	".....	"
226	6	84—32	47½								10.89	16.76	11.46	68.39	I. Van Nieuwaal	".....	"
227	6	64—32	45½								9.05	14.92	9.52	63.78	T. Van Nieuwaal	".....	"
228	6	76—44	52	30+					"	17	6.45	12.65	6.79	53.69	E. Ver Ploegh....	".....	"
229	6	40—22	28				May	24	"	15	10.22	16.14	10.75	68.59	W. A. Chord....	".....	"
230	6	37—19	26	21			"	30	"	20	11.02	17.73	11.59	65.37	M. Verros....	".....	"
231	6	57—19	33	20	Vilmorin.		"	16	"	15	9.20	15.68	9.69	61.71	T. Verros....	".....	"
232	6	50—28	38	28	German		"	20	"	24	8.50	15.13	8.94	59.12	R. Johnson....	Percy.....	"
233	6	26—12	20	22		"	"	15	"	27	8.83	14.89	9.29	62.42	Jno. E. Roorda.	Durham.....	"
234	6	56—20	40	30+		"		15	Nov.	4	11.96	18.36	12.59	68.57	K. Verhey....	Pella.....	"
235	6	45—19	31		Best German		"	10	"	4	12.49	18.81	13.15	68.32	C. Koolijman....	".....	"
136	6	53—33	40		German		"	8	"	4	11.59	18.13	12.20	67.29	H. Von Well....	".....	"
237	6	63—39	57		Best German		"	11	"	5	10.33	17.25	10.87	63.00	M. Van Goop....	".....	"
238	6	52—32	38		German		June	15	"	8	10.66	17.03	11.22	65.88	C. Van Der Veen....	".....	"
Mean.											10.54			66.53			
239	6	19— 9	13½								12.29	17.99	12.94	71.94	J. J. Sloan....	Brooklyn....	Powesbiek.
240	6	38—23	30								11.48	16.40	12.08	73.66	".....	".....	"
Mean.											11.89			72.80			
241	1	.....	40	....	Champion		April	5	Oct.	5	9.33	13.55	9.82	72.45	G. W. Barclay	Rochester....	Cedar.
242	3	24—18	20½	20	Vilmorin's Imp.						11.18	15.20	11.77	77.43	".....	".....	"

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					Planting.		Harvesting.						
243	3 26—15	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	20	Klein-Wanzl . . .	April	5	Oct. 5	12.51	16.10	13 17	G. W. Barclay	Rochester . . .	Cedar.
244	4 38—21	26	20	" . . .	"	5	" 5	12.06	17.69	13.64	"	" . . .	"
Mean . . .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11.50	.....	77.21	.....	.....	.....
245	2 34—24	29	30+	Desprez . . .	May	28	Oct. 6	15.31	20 50	16.11	Wm. Kose . . .	Davenport . . .	Scott.
246	2 85—16	50 $\frac{1}{2}$	18	" . . .	"	15	" 11	9.71	14.00	10.22	J. R. Porter . . .	Blue Grass . . .	"
247	2 15—14	14 $\frac{1}{2}$	.....	" . . .	"	20	" 24	13.43	18.78	14.14	B. H. Lage . . .	Davenport . . .	"
248	2 85—18	26 $\frac{1}{2}$	.....	" . . .	"	28	" 24	10.20	17.19	10.72	W. Steinhoff . . .	" . . .	"
249	2 40—31	35 $\frac{1}{2}$	22	" . . .	April	15	" 20	16.33	21.73	17.19	Joachine Qualzow . . .	" . . .	"
250	2 27—22	24 $\frac{1}{2}$	19	Vilmorin . . .	May	11	" 25	12.45	19.35	13.10	J. B. Kehoe . . .	Long Grove . . .	"
251	2 .....	22	.....	" . . .	"	26	" 26	16.82	24.22	17.49	J. E. McConnell . . .	Le Claire . . .	"
Mean . . .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13.44	.....	72.61	.....	.....	.....
252	6 23—5	14	22	Klein Wanzl . . .	May	1	Oct. 5	12.26	16.08	12.90	W. H. Hoopes & Son	Muscantine . . .	Muscantine.
253	6 24—10	15 $\frac{1}{2}$	22	Vilmorin No I* . . .	"	1	" 5	12.21	17.00	12.85	"	" . . .	"
254	6 21—11	15	22	Vilmorin No. II* . . .	"	1	" 5	11.91	16.32	12.58	"	" . . .	"
255	6 42—20	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	.....	Klein Wanzl . . .	"	15	" 5	8.32	13.06	8.76	L. Hoopes . . .	" . . .	"
256	6 23—13	19	.....	Vilmorin No I . . .	"	7	" 5	12.58	15.85	13.24	G. W. Billings . . .	" . . .	"
257	6 24—13	18	.....	Klein Wanzl . . .	"	20	" 5	10.88	14.23	11.45	C. Kleist . . .	" . . .	"

\*Vilmorin I and Vilmorin II indicate different lots of Vilmorin seed.

258	6	34--12	24	.	.	"	May	24	Oct.	5	11.44	16.32	12.04	73.77	H. Nicholson..	Muscatine .....	Muscatine.
259	6	32--	9	23	.	Vilmorin No. I...	"	15	"	5	13.26	18.15	13.96	76.76	G. S. Bird...	"	"
260	6	30--20	24 $\frac{1}{2}$	.	Vilmorin No. II...	Klein Wanzl.....	"	1	"	5	11.29	15.23	11.88	78.00	M. D. Manlove..	"	"
261	6	27--18	18 $\frac{1}{2}$	.	Vilmorin No. II...	"	"	20	"	5	10.51	14.77	11.06	74.87	J. A. Eaton..	"	"
262	6	34--18	24	17	Vilmorin No. I...	"	16	"	5	12.05	17.08	12.68	74.24	H. B. Breckenridge	"	"	
263	6	27--17	23	.	Vilmorin No. II...	"	"	"	5	12.42	15.40	13.07	84.88	Elisha Beatty..	"	"	
264	6	25--20	22	.	Vilmorin No. II...	"	12	"	5	10.26	13.77	10.78	78.33	S. B. Landis..	"	"	
265	6	28--16	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	.	Vilmorin No. II...	Klein Wanzl.....	"	12	"	3	13.34	18.15	14.04	77.38	J. H. Hubacher..	"	"
266	7	25--10	17	.	Vilmorin No. I...	"	"	"	5	13.94	19.27	14.67	76.17	J. W. Hoopes..	"	"	
267	6	21--14	18	.	Vilmorin No. I...	"	April	29	"	5	14.01	18.37	14.74	80.26	J. Wackerlin..	"	"
268	6	30--29	35	.	Vilmorin No. II...	Vilmorin No. I...	May	15	"	5	9.82	13.76	10.32	74.97	H. R. Smull..	"	"
269	6	35--31	33	.	Vilmorin No. I...	"	"	3	"	5	13.53	18.30	14.24	77.84	W. J. Barger..	"	"
270	6	33--12	19	.	Vilmorin No. I...	Klein Wanzl.....	"	18	"	5	10.63	15.79	11.19	70.86	R. McCampbell..	"	"
271	6	24--8	15	.	Vilmorin No. II...	"	"	11	"	5	14.46	19.65	15.22	77.48	Milton Rice..	"	"
272	5	33--9	14	.	Vilmorin No. I...	"	"	20	"	5	12.52	16.47	13.18	80.03	A. Klenduph..	"	"
273	6	18--8	11	.	Vilmorin No. I...	Klein Wanzl.....	June	1	"	5	12.88	17.69	13.56	76.67	W. McGregor..	"	"
274	6	26--15	19	.	Vilmorin No. I...	Vilmorin No. I...	May	6	"	5	9.86	13.32	10.17	86.36	E. Barnhardt..	"	"
275	6	23--18	20 $\frac{1}{2}$	.	Vilmorin No. II...	Vilmorin No. II...	"	1	"	5	9.64	13.82	10.04	72.62	John Barnard..	"	"
276	6	30--10	21	.	Vilmorin No. I...	Klein Wanzl.....	"	21	"	7	9.66	16.14	10.17	83.00	S. Humphreys..	"	"
277	6	26--11	17	.	Vilmorin No. I...	Vilmorin No. I...	"	23	"	5	15.80	20.64	16.42	79.59	H. Neimeier..	"	"
278	6	40--22	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	.	Vilmorin No. II...	Vilmorin No. II...	"	1	"	5	13.04	18.63	13.72	73.49	C. L. Eiendecker..	"	"
279	6	30--21	27	.	Vilmorin No. I...	Klein Wanzl.....	"	15	"	5	12.04	15.92	12.67	79.59	John Starke..	"	"
280	6	19--11	15 $\frac{1}{2}$	.	Vilmorin No. I...	Vilmorin No. I...	"	15	"	5	11.37	15.71	11.97	76.20	W. D. Page..	"	"
281	6	34--16	25	.	Vilmorin No. I...	"	"	5	"	5	11.37	15.94	11.97	75.15	S. G. Stein..	"	"
282	6	24--13	17 $\frac{1}{2}$	.	Vilmorin No. I...	Klein Wanzl.....	"	11	"	5	11.54	17.10	12.15	71.06	G. Mittman..	"	"
283	6	27--12	19	.	Vilmorin No. I...	Vilmorin No. I...	"	11	"	5	13.06	18.22	13.74	75.42	Robt. Mittman..	"	"
284	6	36--14	19	.	Vilmorin No. I...	"	"	6	"	5	12.78	16.90	13.45	79.60	Niles Sherfey..	"	"
285	6	16--5	9	.	Vilmorin No. II...	Vilmorin No. II...	"	12	"	5	12.66	17.13	13.32	77.77	J. Pyeatt..	"	"
286	6	28--12	19	.	Vilmorin No. I...	Klein Wanzl.....	"	28	"	6	11.82	16.22	12.44	76.70	G. F. Funck..	"	"
287	6	30--18	22	.	Vilmorin No. I...	Vilmorin No. I...	"	20	"	5	11.87	16.90	12.49	73.91	S. G. Stein..	"	"
288	6	30--13	20 $\frac{1}{2}$	.	Vilmorin No. I...	"	"	7	"	6	11.94	16.90	12.57	74.38	Phil Murphy..	"	"
289	6	30--12	20	.	Vilmorin No. I...	"	"	1	"	6	12.75	16.90	13.42	79.42	W. Happen..	"	"
290	6	28--17	22	.	Vilmorin No. I...	Klein Wanzl.....	"	8	"	5	13.01	17.13	13.69	79.93	Geo. Weiman..	"	"
291	6	46--20	31	.	Vilmorin No. I...	Vilmorin No. I...	"	6	"	6	12.69	18.03	13.36	74.11	G. J. Freers..	"	"
292	6	22--10	15	.	Vilmorin No. I...	Klein Wanzl.....	"	5	"	6	13.07	17.25	13.75	79.73	C. Graff..	"	"
293	6	27--18	22	.	Vilmorin No. I...	Vilmorin No. I...	"	5	"	6	11.72	15.88	12.33	77.80	Hahn Bros. & Co	"	"

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Sample No.	Number of Beets in sample.				VARIETY AS RE- PORTED.	DATE OF Planting.	DATE OF Harvesting.	IN THE BEET.		IN THE EX- PRESSED JUICE.		GROWN BY.	P. O ADDRESS.	COUNTY.
	Largest est. Ounces.	Mean.	Estimated yield of trimmed Beets per acre.	Tons.				Sugar (calculated). Per cent.	Solids (Brix). Per cent.	Sugar (by polariza- tion). Per cent.	Purity Coefficient.			
294	641—15	23½	...	...	Vilmorin No. II.	May 15	Oct. 6	12.01	17.25	12.64	73.28	H. Bailey...	Adams.....	Muscatine.
295	634—11	19	...	...	Vilmorin No. I...	" 15	" 6	12.64	16.34	13.30	81.40	Mrs. L. Koll...	Muscatine....	"
296	720—8	14½	...	...	Klein Wanzl....	" 8	" 6	12.77	17.87	13.44	76.51	C. Kindler Sr...	"	"
297	634—16	24	...	...	" .....	" 18	" 5	12.03	17.42	12.66	72.68	S. T. Sennett...	"	"
298	623—12	16	...	...	Vilmorin No. I...	" 25	" 6	10.29	15.12	10.83	70.09	J. E. Hoopes...	"	"
299	621—10	15	...	...	" .....	" 20	" 6	13.55	18.10	14.26	78.80	Jas. Adams...	Fruitland...	"
300	719—7	12	...	...	" .....	" 3	" 6	12.68	16.51	13.34	80.81	Fred Daut...	Muscatine....	"
301	619—11	16	...	...	Vilmorin No. II...	" 15	" 6	11.74	15.82	12.36	78.13	Claus Koll...	"	"
302	627—12	19½	...	...	" .....	" 6	" 6	10.93	15.12	11.50	76.06	B. F. Nichols...	Nichols Station	"
303	634—15	21½	...	...	Vilmorin No. I...	" 12	" 6	11.11	16.06	11.64	72.47	J. H. Cole...	Muscatine....	"
304	632—14	21	...	...	" .....	" 5	" 7	9.85	13.73	10.37	75.33	Jas. Briar...	"	"
305	621—14	18	...	...	" .....	" 10	" 7	10.49	14.89	11.04	74.13	Jas. Pemble...	Wapello.....	Louisa.
Mean for Lot I, M uscatine Beets...	14½	21	...	...				11.96	...	...	76.07	...	...	...
306	620—11	14½	21	...	Vilmorin No. II...	May 16	Oct. 15	10.99	16.45	11.56	70.27	Wm. Hoopes & Son.	Muscatine.	Muscatine.
307	617—9	13½	21	...	Vilmorin No. I...	" 16	" 15	13.42	18.49	14.12	76.39	"	"	"
308	635—11	20	21	...	Klein Wanzl....	" 16	" 15	13.10	17.86	13.79	79.45	"	"	"
309	626—10	19½	...	...	" .....	" 12	" 12	12.44	15.76	13.09	83.07	Wm Hoffman...	"	"
310	625—15	19½	...	...	Vilmorin No. I...	" 12	" 12	11.19	17.13	11.78	68.76	"	"	"
311	630—11	21½	...	...	Vilmorin No. II...	" 12	" 12	11.88	16.22	12.50	77.08	"	"	"

					Vilmorin No. I...	June	1	Oct.	15	12.90	17.13	13.58	79.29	W. McGregor.	Muscatine....	Muscatine.			
312	6	12—8	10	20		"	May	10	"	15	12.88	16.45	13.55	82.39	Fred. Stamler.	"	"		
313	6	26—11	21	21		"	...	"	8	"	10	13.15	18.03	13.84	76.78	C. H. Stone...	"	"	
314	7	27—6	16	...		"	...	"	8	"	10	12.44	15.99	13.09	81.88	G. & R. Mittman.	"	"	
315	12	37—15	23 $\frac{1}{2}$	...	Klein Wanzlebener	"	11	"	14	12.44	16.00*	13.22	82.62	Milton Rice...	"	"			
316	6	24—15	19	12		"	"	11	"	15	12.56	17.48	13.87	79.36	Fred Mittman.	"	"		
317	6	38—26	31	30		"	"	"	8	"	14	13.18	15.85	10.71	87.55	Ed Barnhardt.	"	"	
318	6	24—6	15	...		"	"	"	20	"	15	10.18	17.08	11.96	70.23	S. Van Zandt.	"	"	
319	6	28—18	22	14		"	"	"	27	"	15	11.36	15.85	10.71	87.55	Ed Barnhardt.	"	"	
320	6	38—8	22	...		"	"	"	1	"	15	9.14	14.95	9.62	64.32	"	"	"	
321	7	3—2	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	18		"	"	14	"	14	12.03	17.48	12.66	72.43	J. A. Pyeatt.	"	"	"	
322	6	15—12	13	16	Vilmorin No. II...	"	1	"	10	9.84	15.85	10.36	65.35	John Barnard.	"	"	"		
323	6	30—17	21	...	Vilmorin No. I...	"	15	"	8	10.50	15.64	11.05	70.64	A. Strake....	"	"	"		
324	6	29—19	25	...	Klein Wanzl....	"	10	"	8	11.99	17.02	12.62	74.15	M. Schaab....	"	"	"		
325	6	...	...	...	Vilmorin No. I...	"	18	"	7	12.06	17.31	12.69	73.32	Wm. Albrecht.	"	"	"		
326	6	40—20	31	...	Klein Wanzl....	"	11	"	8	11.06	16.17	11.64	72.00	C. Camehl....	"	"	"		
327	6	36—21	26	...	Vilmorin No. I...	"	16	...	...	10.18	15.48	10.71	69.18	W. L. Fischer.	"	"	"		
328	6	37—23	29	...		"	...	"	31	Oct.	8	11.71	17.31	12.32	71.18	D. W. Roberts.	"	"	"
329	7	20—9	18	21		"	...	"	7	"	14	13.63	17.39	14.33	82.42	M. D. Manlove	"	"	"
330	6	19—10	15	...		"	...	"	18	"	14	13.05	17.39	13.74	79.02	R. H. McCampbell.	"	"	"
331	6	26—11	18	...		"	...	"	20	"	14	12.54	18.07	13.20	73.06	T. J. Fowler..	Wrayville	"	"
332	6	22—16	18	...		"	...	"	18	"	7	12.22	16.70	12.86	77.02	Wm. Albrecht.	Muscatine	"	"
333	6	21—15	19	24		"	...	"	14	"	14	15.01	19.35	15.81	81.69	C. Kindler, Sr.	"	"	"
334	6	38—11	22	...	French .....	"	1	"	14	10.80	15.94	11.37	71.33	S. N. Grosjean	"	"	"		
335	6	20—9	14	21	Vilmorin No. II...	"	7	"	14	12.98	16.48	13.66	82.91	M. D. Manlove	"	"	"		
336	6	35—12	17	21	Klein Wanzl....	"	7	"	14	11.97	17.54	12.60	71.84	Phil Murphy..	"	"	"		
337	6	34—18	21	19	Vilmorin No. I...	June	15	"	13	13.15	16.87	13.84	82.06	Jos. Lorber ..	"	"	"		
338	6	19—15	16 $\frac{1}{2}$	26	Klein Wanzl....	May	13	"	13	14.70	19.14	15.47	80.85	Henry Timm..	"	"	"		
339	6	31—14	23 $\frac{1}{2}$	18	Vilmorin No. I...	"	1	"	14	10.64	14.58	11.20	76.81	Asa Sheppard.	Fruitland	"	"	"	
340	6	20—13	16 $\frac{1}{2}$	20	Klein Wanzl....	"	7	...	...	12.70	15.96	13.38	83.72	T. H. Drake ..	"	"	"	"	
341	6	30—9	17	20	Vilmorin No. I...	"	7	...	...	13.19	16.91	13.89	82.16	"	"	"	"	"	
342	6	22—11	17	20	Vilmorin No. II...	"	7	...	...	13.86	17.48	14.59	83.49	"	"	"	"	"	
343	6	40—19	30	..	Vilmorin No. I...	"	1	Oct.	14	11.66	15.52	12.27	79.06	Wm. Happer..	Muscatine	"	"	"	
344	6	25—8	14	..		"	...	"	25	"	9	11.50	15.76	12.10	76.78	J. Leutzinger..	"	"	"
345	6	19—11	16	20		"	...	April	28	"	12	15.10	19.39	15.89	81.94	B. B. Rankin..	"	"	"

\* Assumed.

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Sample No.	Number of Beets in sample	Weight of Beets after trimming. Largest and smallest est. Ounces.	Estimated yield of trim'd Beets per acre. Tons.	VARIETY, AS RE- PORTED.	DATE OF		IN THE BEET.	IN THE EX- PRESSED JUICE			GROWN BY	P O ADDRESS	COUNTY			
					Planting	Harvesting.		Solids (Brix) Per cent	Sugar (by polariza- tion.) Per cent	Purity Coefficient						
346	6 32—27	29	....	Klein Wanzl	May 8	Oct. 20	13.62	18.26	14.34	78.55	J. Starke	....	Muscatine	....	Muscatine.	
347	6 28	9.21	....	"	" 24	" 22	14.94	19.10	15.72	82.08	H. Niemeier	....	"	....	"	
348	6 31—16	24	14	Vilmorin No. I.	" 20	" 15	13.47	18.49	14.62	79.09	Elisha Beatty	....	"	....	"	
349	6 25—15	20	18	Klein Wanzl	" 25	" 12	14.77	19.16	15.54	81.14	Jas. Cross	....	"	....	"	
350	6 20—11	14	20	"	" 7	" 14	15.84	19.61	16.67	85.00	Jas. Adams	....	Fruitland	....	"	
351	6 24—13	19	....	Vilmorin No. II	" 24	" 22	16.99	22.00*	17.88	81.28	H. Niemeier	....	Muscatine	....	"	
352	6 24—9	17	....	Vilmorin No. 1	April 30	" 16	14.66	19.39	15.43	79.61	G. H. Stiles	....	"	....	"	
353	6 27—9	17	21	"	May 7	" 16	13.24	18.04	13.94	77.29	H. R. Smull	....	"	....	"	
354	6 30—14	24	30+	Vilmorin No II	" 15	" 17	13.57	18.49	14.28	77.25	W. H. Fayle	....	"	....	"	
355	6 34—20	26	29	Vilmorin No. 1	" 6	" 16	11.65	17.24	12.26	71.11	Claus Lemp	....	"	....	"	
356	6 25—12	17	13	"	" 1	" 16	11.72	16.79	12.33	72.10	B. F. Nichols	....	Nichols Station	....	"	
357	6 26—17	21	30+	"	" 12	" 15	11.35	15.87	11.95	75.29	J. H. Cole	....	Muscatine	....	"	
358	6 22—8	12	16	Vilmorin No. II	....	" 15	12.60	17.05	13.26	77.78	A. Kirchner	....	Sweetland	....	"	
359	6 23—16	19½	25	Vilmorin No. I.	" 12	" 15	13.57	18.41	14.39	76.41	Fred. Daut	....	Muscatine	....	"	
360	6 26—16	19	....	"	" 20	" 15	12.09	17.19	12.72	73.82	S. Humphreys	....	"	....	"	
361	6 23—16	19	....	"	" 20	" 14	11.82	17.42	12.44	71.42	T. J. Fowler	....	Wrayville	....	"	
362	6 29—13	20	....	"	....	....	11.41	16.28	12.03	73.89	J. E. Hoopes	....	Muscatine	....	"	
363	6 18—10	13	7	Klein-Wanzl	....	" 12	15	11.82	16.14	12.44	77.08	S. B. Landis	....	"	....	"
364	6 28—11	19	21	"	....	" 18	15	13.94	19.18	14.67	76.91	S. Sennett	....	"	....	"
365	6 64—7	25	20	"	....	" 7	15	11.28	15.15	11.87	78.45	Niles Sherfey	....	"	....	"
366	6 42—19	27	19	Vilmorin No. I...	" 19	" 17	15.62	19.61	16.44	83.82	Wm Fuhlman	....	Illinois City	....	State of Illinois.	

367	6	26—16	20	....	Klein-Wanzl.	....	May	16	.....	12.91	18.14	18.59	74.93	W. L. Fischer.	Muscantine . . .	Muscantine.	
Mean	for Lot	II,	Mus-	catione Beets	.....	.....				12.29	.....	.....	76.65	.....	.....	.....	
368	5	83—16	23	20	Vilmorin No. II.	"	Oct.	28	13.31	18.46	14.01	75.92	Asa Sheppard.	Fruitland . . .	Muscantine.		
369	6	14—7	10	9	"	"	"	1	28	15.22	19.36	16.02	82.73	M. D. Manlove.	Muscantine . . .	"	
370	5	17—11	15	16	"	"	"	12	28	15.26	20.38	16.06	78.79	C. B. Vail.	....	"	
371	8	21—5	13½	14	Klein-Wanzl.	"	"	12	29	14.85	19.93	15.63	78.45	J. H. Cole.	....	"	
372	6	26—16	21	18	Vilmorin No. I.	"	"	8	28	15.40	19.23	16.21	84.28	Jas. Adams.	Fruitland . . .	"	
373	6	31—19	25½	26	"	"	"	20	28	12.92	16.97	13.60	80.15	G. W. Mentink	Muscantine . . .	"	
374	6	24—12	18	17	Vilmorin No. II.	"	"	8	29	12.09	16.91	12.72	75.22	S. G. Stein.	....	"	
375	6	18—10	15	....	Vilmorin No. I.	....	....	"	29	13.55	18.03	14.26	79.11	Wm. Happer.	....	"	
376	6	28—20	24½	17	"	"	"	1	29	13.52	18.71	14.23	76.08	Geo. Ewing.	....	"	
377	6	21—14	17	19	"	"	"	15	29	15.63	19.82	16.45	82.94	Elisha Beatty.	....	"	
378	6	23—16	18	24	Vilmorin No. II.	"	"	1	28	15.15	20.38	15.95	78.25	Wm. Happer.	....	"	
379	6	40—18	25	22	Vilmorin No. I.	....	April	27	"	24	15.92	20.38	16.76	82.23	B. B. Rankin.	....	"
380	6	30—19	22	20	"	"	May	1	"	27	15.09	20.16	15.88	78.75	Jas. Cross.	....	"
381	6	23—20	21	17	Klein Wanzl.	"	"	1	29	13.62	18.50	14.34	77.16	Geo. Ewing.	....	"	
382	6	12—7	10	18	Vilmorin No. I.	"	"	4	28	15.98	20.24	16.82	83.10	T. H. Drake.	Fruitland . . .	"	
383	7	15—11	12½	7	Vilmorin No. II.	"	"	10	28	16.12	21.79	16.97	77.87	Milton Rice.	Muscantine . . .	"	
384	6	20—11	16	22	"	"	April	24	"	24	16.53	21.57	17.40	80.66	B. B. Rankin.	....	"
385	6	16—10	13	18	Klein-Wanzl.	"	May	4	"	28	15.64	19.57	16.46	84.10	T. H. Drake.	Fruitland . . .	"
386	6	29—16	20½	18	Vilmorin No. II.	"	"	4	28	15.44	19.23	16.24	84.44	"	....	"	
387	6	16—11	14	13	Vilmorin No. I.	"	"	11	28	16.08	19.68	16.93	86.03	Geo. Mittman.	Muscantine . . .	"	
388	6	41—21	30	22	Klein-Wanzl.	....	April	28	"	24	14.68	19.68	15.45	78.54	B. B. Rankin.	....	"
389	6	17—10	14	15	Vilmorin No. I.	....	May	8	"	29	13.70	18.78	14.42	76.81	S. G. Stein.	....	"
390	6	32—11	21	19	Gov. Seed.	....	"	18	"	30	12.60	17.00	13.26	78.01	R. H. McCampbell.	....	"
391	6	28—16	21½	20	Vilmorin No. II.	....	June	1	"	28	13.09	18.36	13.78	75.07	J. W. Hoopes.	....	"
392	6	41—16	28	25	Vilmorin No. I.	....	May	11	"	28	13.55	17.91	14.26	79.64	G. and E. Mittman.	....	"
393	6	37—14	23	29	"	"	"	11	"	28	15.58	20.60	16.41	79.64	W. H. Fayle.	....	"
394	6	32—21	27½	17	"	"	May	24	"	28	13.99	19.20	14.72	76.69	H. Niemeier.	....	"
395	6	33—15	24½	19	Vilmorin No. II.	....	May	18	"	30	13.62	18.30	14.36	78.49	R. H. McCampbell.	....	"
396	6	14—10	12	....	Klein-Wanzl.	....	....	"	24	.....	17.39	.....	.....	J. A. and L. Hoopes	....	"	
397	6	30—12	22½	9	Vilmorin No. I.	....	June	1	"	28	15.81	20.99	16.64	79.26	John Starke.	....	"

\* Assumed.

ANALYSES OF SUGAR BEETS GROWN IN IOWA, 1891—CONTINUED.

Sample No.	Number of Beets in sample			Weight of Beets after trimming. Tons.	Estimated yield of trim'd Beets per acre.	VARIETY AS RE- PORTED.	DATE OF Planting.	IN THE BEET.		IN THE EX- PRESSED JUICE.		GROWN BY.	P. O. ADDRESS.	COUNTY.
	Largest and small- est. Ounces.	Mean. Ounces.	Beets per acre.					Sugar (calculated). Per cent.	Solids (Brix). Per cent.	Sugar (by polariza- tion). Per cent.	Purity coefficient.			
398	5 48—26	41	19	Lane's Improved..	May 18	Oct. 30	11.38	15.79	11.98	75.70	R. H. McCampbell.	Muscatine....	Muscatine.	
399	6 16—12	14	7	Vilmorin No. I...	" 10	" 28	13.86	19.65	14.59	74.27	Milton Rice...	" .....	"	
400	6 20—15	17	13	Vilmorin No. II...	" 1	" 28	11.48	16.71	12.08	72.29	J. Barnard ...	" .....	"	
401	6 7—5	6	5	Klein-Wanzl.....	June 1	" 28	13.46	18.53	14.17	76.49	W. W. Gregor.	" .....	"	
402	6 19—8	11	7	Vilmorin No. I...	May 15	" 29	14.42	18.45	15.18	82.31	B. F. Nichols.	Nichols Station	"	
403	6 26—16	20	17	"	" 18	" 28	12.92	17.31	13.60	78.58	Wm. Albrecht.	Muscatine .....	"	
404	6 34—23	27	24	Klein-Wanzl.....	" 20	" 29	10.86	16.63	11.43	68.72	S. Humphreys.	" .....	"	
405	6 25—14	19	19	Vilmorin No. I...	" 1	" 28	15.29	20.25	16.09	79.44	M. L. Heinley (B)	Fairport .....	"	
406	6 13—7	10	11	"	" 30	" 29	15.52	20.10	16.33	81.23	Levi S. Moss.	Muscatine....	"	
407	6 26—21	19	18	"	" 12	" 29	15.17	19.43	15.97	82.18	H. V. Howard.	" .....	"	
408	5 24—18	21	22	"	" 10	" 30	13.62	18.30	14.34	78.38	Eli Selman....	" .....	"	
409	7 23—12	17	17	"	" 1	" 28	15.61	20.55	16.43	79.94	M. L. Heinley (A)	Fairport .....	"	
410	6 15—5	8	11	Vilmorin No. II...	" 30	" 29	14.37	19.66	15.12	76.94	Levi S. Moss.	Muscatine....	"	
411	6 23—11	10	7	"	" 10	" 28	14.14	19.22	14.88	77.45	Hahn Bros. & Co	" .....	"	
412	6 13—8	11	7	Vilmorin No. I...	" 12	" 28	14.96	19.66	15.75	80.09	S. B. Landia...	" .....	"	
413	7 13—6	10	11	Klein-Wanzl.....	" 30	" 29	14.91	20.55	15.69	76.34	Levi S. Moss.	" .....	"	
414	6 30—15	19	20	"	" 15	"	13.50	17.77	14.21	80.00	J. B. Lindle...	" .....	"	
415	6 29—18	23	20	French.....	" 15	"	15.22	19.58	16.02	81.81	" .....	" .....	"	
416	4 41—16	25	20	"	" 15	"	14.06	18.68	14.80	79.25	" .....	" .....	"	
417	4 30—9	18	20	Vilmorin No. I...	" 15	"	14.38	18.62	15.13	81.29	" .....	" .....	"	
418	6 24—12	18	20	Vilmorin No. II...	" 15	"	14.12	18.62	14.86	79.83	" .....	" .....	"	

					Vilmorin No. II..	May	7	Oct.	29	15.22	19.35	16.02	82.78	Phil Murphy..	Muscatine....	Muscatine.
419	6	19—15	17½	16	Vilmorin No. I...	"	14	"	29	14.96	19.52	15.75	80.67	C. H. Stone..	"	"
420	6	24—10	16	11	Vilmorin No. I...	"	18	"	30	18.00	23.71	18.95	79.93	S. T. Sennett..	"	"
421	6	22—13	17	10	Klein-Wanzl.....	"								Jas. Briar....	"	"
422	6	45—18	30	14	Vilmorin No. I...	June	1	Nov.	2	12.92	17.42	13.60	78.09			
423	6	23—10	14½	14	Vilmorin No. II..	May	1	Oct.	29	15.23	20.80	16.03	77.05	Wm. Hoffman.	"	"
424	6	24— 9	16	11	Vilmorin No. I...	"	15	"	26	13.64	19.01	14.36	75.56	H. Breckenridge ..	"	"
425	6	17—10	13	12	Klein-Wanzl.....	"	1	"	28	14.96	20.57	15.74	76.50	F. P. Hoopes.	"	"
426	7	30—18	27	24	Vilmorin No. II..	"	8	"	29	15.26	20.60	16.08	77.95	C. Kindler, Sr.	"	"
427	6	19—11	14½	14	Vilmorin No. I...	"	1	"	29	15.37	20.83	16.18	77.66	Wm. Hoffman.	"	"
428	6	12— 8	10	11	Klein-Wanzl.....	Ap'l	28	"	28	16.79	21.93	17.67	80.57	C. S. Bird....	"	"
429	6	23—13	18	19	Vilmorin No. II..	May	8	"	26	16.82	21.49	17.49	81.39	Geo. Weiman..	"	"
430	6	18—10	14	14	Klein-Wanzl.....	"	1	"	29	14.68	19.90	15.45	77.67	Wm. Hoffman.	"	"
431	6	17— 9	14	21	Vilmorin No. I...	"	30	"	26	14.68	19.23	15.45	80.37	G. F. Funck..	"	"
432	6	12— 6	8	10	"	"	6	"	27	16.77	21.79	17.65	81.00	Fred Daut....	"	"
433	6	20—14	16	19	"	"	8	"	26	18.70	23.97	19.68	82.12	Geo. Weiman..	"	"
434	6	10— 5	7	14	Klein-Wanzl.....	"	3	"	29	16.90	22.46	17.79	79.20	W.H. Hoopes & Sons	"	"
435	6	8— 3	6	14	Vilmorin No. II..	"	3	"	29	16.79	22.00	17.67	80.31	"	"	"
436	6	20—14	16½	14	Vilmorin No. I...	"	3	"	29	15.48	20.92	16.29	77.85	"	"	"
437	6	24—10	19	18	"	"	4	"	30	13.84	18.95	14.36	75.80	Claus Koll ..	"	"
438	6	21— 7	14	12	"	"	8	Nov.	2	13.91	19.39	14.64	75.53	G. H. Kirkpatrick	"	"
439	6	23— 8	18	17	"	"	8	Oct.	29	14.41	19.61	15.17	77.39	G. Stein....	"	"
440	6	32—15	23	18	Vilmorin No. II..	"	12	Nov.	6	13.37	18.72	14.07	75.18	C. Camehl....	"	"
441	7	19— 8	12	8	Vilmorin No. I...	"	11	Oct.	26	15.13	20.80	15.92	76.53	T. Middleton..	"	"
442	6	25—14	17	10	"	"	18	"	30	12.47	17.42	13.12	75.33	S. T. Sennett..	"	"
443	6	47—23	31	14	Vilmorin No. II..	June	1	Nov.	2	17.55	23.00	18.47	80.30	Jas. Briar....	"	"
444	6	24—14	21	19	"	May	11	Oct.	28	13.98	17.65	14.71	83.37	Geo. Mittman..	"	"
445	6	24—11	17	17	Vilmorin No. I...	"	11	"	28	14.34	16.74	15.09	90.16	G. & R. Mittman	"	"
446	6	18—10	11	9	"	"	1	"	30	15.14	20.57	15.90	77.28	J. E. Hoopes & Co.	"	"
447	6	23—12	17	13	"	"	6	"	29	13.69	18.78	14.41	76.75	W. L. Fisher..	"	"
448	6	12— 6	9	8	"	"	18	"	28	14.96	19.29	15.75	81.63	Hahn Bros. &Co	"	"
449	6	21—15	18½	15	Vilmorin No. II..	"	15	"	29	16.22	20.86	17.07	81.83	Wm. Bush....	"	"
450	6	18—14	15½	19	Klein-Wanzl.....	"	7	"	30	15.68	19.29	16.51	85.59	G. W. Billings	"	"
451	7	9— 7	8	9	Vilmorin No. I...	"	7	"	30	16.08	19.29	16.93	87.76	"	"	"
452	6	27—14	21½	19	Klein-Wanzl.....	"	15	"	29	10.77	15.88	11.34	71.41	C. Camehl....	"	"
453	6	36—22	27	17	Vilmorin No. I...	"	16	"	28	14.75	20.41	15.52	76.07	C. Leiedecker	"	"
454	6	12— 7	9	9	Klein-Wanzl.....	"	1	"	30	15.14	20.19	15.93	78.88	J. E. Hoopes & Co.	"	"

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Sample No.	Number of Beets in sample	Weight of Beets after trimming.	Estimated yield of trimmed Beets per acre.	Tons.	VARIETY, AS REPORTED.	DATE OF		IN THE BEET.	IN THE EX-PRESSED JUICE.		GROWN BY	P. O. ADDRESS.	COUNTY.
		Largest and small-est. Ounces.	Mean. Ounces.			Planting.	Harvesting.		Sugar (calculated). Per cent.	Solids (Brix). Per cent.	Sugar (by polarization). Per cent.		
455	6 29—14	19	20	Vilmorin No. I...	April 27	Oct. 27	15.57	20.86	16.39	78.56	J. Wackerlin...	Muscatine . . .	Muscatine.
456	6 16—13	15	10	Klein-Wanzl.....	May 6	" 27	14.19	19.80	14.93	75.43	Fred. Daut....	" . . .	"
457	6 18— 9	15	7	Vilmorin No. I...	" 10	" 26	14.02	21.13	14.76	68.98	R. T. Hummel...	" . . .	"
458	6 19—13	16½	9	"	" 20	" 29	14.85	20.47	15.63	76.34	A. J. Nester . . .	" . . .	"
459	6 31—15	20	23	Vilmorin No. II...	" 12	" 27	14.76	20.47	15.53	75.85	J. H. Cole . . .	" . . .	"
460	6 16—14	15	10	"	" 6	" 27	13.89	18.90	14.62	77.38	Fred. Daut....	" . . .	"
461	6 20—11	15	11	Vilmorin No. I...	" 6	" 29	14.92	19.35	15.70	81.11	Niles Sherfey . . .	" . . .	"
462	6 30—17	24	8	Vilmorin No. II...	" 11	" 26	14.82	19.29	15.60	80.84	T. Middleton . . .	" . . .	"
463	6 25— 9	15	19	"	June 10	" 26	14.29	19.80	15.04	76.00	Jas. B. Pemble . . .	Wapello . . .	Louisa.
464	6 29—20	24	18	Klein-Wanzl.....	" 15	" 24	13.35	19.26	14.05	72.97	Wm. McGill . . .	Grand View . . .	"
Mean. . . for Lot	111,	Muscatine Beets . . .					14.64			78.84			
465	6 35—14	22	19	Vilmorin . . . . .	May 7	Oct. 15	11.37	15.47	11.97	77.38	J. M. Lehman . . .	Cumberland . . .	Cass.
466	6 54—19	35	17	Klein-Wanzl.....	" 8	" 15	9.62	14.31	10.12	70.70	" . . .	" . . .	"
Mean. . . . .							10.50			74.04			
467	3 37—24	30	22	German . . . . .	May 7	Oct. 12	12.25	16.86	12.89	76.46	W. H. Shoop . . .	Carlisle . . .	Warren.
468	3 19—16	17½	14	French . . . . .	" 7	" 12	12.72	16.86	13.88	79.38	" . . .	" . . .	"

469	3	35—20	28	20	German.....	May	20	Oct.	12	9.62	14.76	10.12	68.54	W. H. Shoop..	Carlisle.....	Warren.
Mean.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11.53	.....	.....	.....	74.79	.....	.....	.....
470	1	.....	34	..	Klein-Wanzl.....	May	20	Oct.	4	7.65	12.38	8.05	65.00	A. W. Swalm..	Oskaloosa .....	Mahaska.
471	7	16—10	12½	11	.....	May	12	Nov.	10	14.02	18.16	14.76	81.31	Jno. Klein .....	Keota .....	Keokuk.
472	6	32— 6	20	11	.....	"	12	"	10	12.77	17.71	13.44	75.90	"	"	"
473	4	58—24	43	24	.....	"	1	Sept.	9	7.36	13.07	7.75	59.29	Jno. Morrison .....	Hedrick .....	"
474	2	58—54	56	24	.....	"	1	"	9	4.87	12.50	5.18	41.04	"	"	"
475	6	80—42	71	24	Red Beets.....	"	1	"	9	4.84	10.10	5.09	50.39	"	"	"
476	6	44—24	33	24	.....	"	1	Oct.	16	9.33	13.90	9.82	70.62	"	"	"
Mean.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8.87	.....	.....	.....	63.09	.....	.....	.....
477	6	15—10	12	26	Klein-Wanzl.....	May	1	Oct.	12	6.63	12.62	6.98	55.32	C. C. Platter .....	Red Oak .....	Montgomery.
478	6	37— 8	19½	26	"	"	1	"	12	8.10	13.09	8.52	65.12	"	"	"
479	6	13— 7	10	25	Vilmorin's Imp..	"	1	"	12	9.06	14.03	9.53	67.89	"	"	"
480	5	34—10	22	25	"	"	1	"	12	8.51	13.09	8.96	68.48	"	"	"
481	6	16— 8	11	27	"	"	10	"	14	9.09	13.09	9.57	74.78	P. Erickson .....	"	"
482	6	48— 7	24	27	"	"	10	"	14	8.89	13.79	9.36	67.91	"	"	"
483	6	40— 6	24	28	Klein-Wanzl.....	"	10	"	14	8.98	13.79	9.45	68.48	"	"	"
484	6	16—13	14½	28	"	"	10	"	14	9.52	15.19	10.02	65.94	"	"	"
485	6	19—12	15	28	Vilmorin's Imp..	"	15	"	22	11.26	16.97	11.85	69.83	"	"	"
486	6	.....	21	...	"	"	12	"	26	11.69	16.54	12.30	74.23	E. M. Murphy .....	"	"
487	6	16— 6	10½	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.09	15.01	10.62	70.74	M. M. Stoddard .....	Vilisca .....	"	
Mean.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9.26	.....	.....	.....	68.97	.....	.....	.....
488	6	48—22	33½	23	Klein-Wanzl .....	April	27	Oct.	20	11.23	16.57	11.82	71.33	Jos. Beath .....	Corning .....	Adams.
489	6	27—12	18	23	"	"	27	"	20	12.17	17.48	12.81	73.29	"	"	"
490	10	14— 4	9	26	"	May	11	"	22	12.77	18.62	13.44	72.19	"	"	"
491	7	11— 4	8	26	"	"	11	"	22	13.04	18.14	13.73	75.71	"	"	"
492	6	58—14	34	....	"	"	11	"	22	11.76	17.68	12.38	70.03	"	"	"
Mean.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12.20	.....	.....	.....	72.51	.....	.....	.....

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Sample No.	Number of Beets in sample	Weight of Beets after trimming.	Largest and smallest. Ounces.	Estimated yield of trim'd Beets per acre. Tons.	VARIETY, AS REPORTED.	DATE OF	IN THE BEET.	IN THE EX-PRESSED JUICE.			GROWN BY	P. O. ADDRESS.	COUNTY.		
								Planting.	Harvesting.	Sugar (calculated). Per cent.	Solids (Brix). Per cent.	Sugar (by polariza-tion). Per cent.	Purity Coefficient.		
493	2	22—18	20	...	...	...	10.88	16.11	11.45	71.07	J. C. Russell	...	Creston	Union.	
494	4	27—18	23	...	White French	May 27	Sept. 30	13.44	18.65	14.15	78.02	P. L. Harsh	...	"	"
495	4	25—13	20	...	White French	May 27	Sept. 30	13.49	18.84	14.20	75.38	Ezra Osborn	...	"	"
496	4	30—19	24	...	White	May 11	Sept. 16	11.30	17.03	11.89	69.82	J. B. Peterson	...	"	"
497	4	30—18	24	...	White	May 11	Sept. 16	11.07	16.17	11.65	72.04	"	...	"	"
Mean.	.....	.....	.....	.....	White	May 11	Sept. 16	12.04	.....	.....	72.87	.....	.....	.....	
498	10	68—28	50	...	White	May 11	Sept. 16	9.28	14.00	9.77	69.77	S. A. Thomas	Bingham	Page.	
499	6	29—20	23	...	White	May 11	Sept. 16	10.20	13.90	10.74	77.25	John Boyer	Braddyville	"	
Mean.	.....	.....	.....	.....	White	May 11	Sept. 16	9.74	.....	.....	73.01	.....	.....	.....	
500	6	46—26	34 1/4	30+	White	May 11	Sept. 16	12.06	16.45	12.57	76.40	J. W. Hills	Slam	Taylor.	
501	5	27—20	23	28	White	" 11	" 16	13.90	18.40	14.62	74.03	"	"	"	
Mean.	.....	.....	.....	.....	White	May 11	Sept. 16	12.98	.....	.....	74.88	.....	.....	.....	
502	6	66—49	60	...	White	May 11	Sept. 16	7.51	14.22	7.90	55.58	E. Bevins	Leon	Decatur.	

In the foregoing table the results are arranged by counties, commencing with the northernmost tier and proceeding by tiers southward.

The exhibit plainly shows that in a season like that of 1891, beets of good quality for sugar production can be grown in certain parts of Iowa.

The average results for different counties show in some instances wide differences in quality of the beets. But wide differences are also found between the beets grown on different farms in the same county, and even between those from different plats or fields of the same farm. Some of these differences may be, probably are, due to the soil itself, but without doubt very many are due to the *modes of preparing the soil and cultivating the crop*. [Regarding these subjects see Bulletin 12]. Therefore it is not safe to assume that the relative adaptability of the different counties to the beet sugar industry is truly, or even approximately, represented by the results of a single year's investigation—and this is of course especially true of those counties from which but few samples were received.

It is true the results for the state *as a whole* do not indicate as high an average quality of beet as is reported from some states in the drier regions further west and northwest; but on the other hand the average yield of beets per acre is in Iowa very much larger than is possible in those states, without irrigation. Therefore, even should this indication regarding quality be in future verified, (it is now *only* an indication), that difference would probably be more than balanced by the superior yield per acre possible with the soil and climate of Iowa. It is generally asserted, and doubtless with truth, that for profitable sugar manufacture there is required an average quality of beet represented by a sugar content of at least 12 per cent (on the beet) and a purity-coefficient of nearly 80, or upwards. But quality of beet is not all. Plainly, the *yield of beets per acre* is an equally important factor in determining profit.

(This report to be concluded in next bulletin).