



Relative Susceptibility of Spring-Wheat Varieties to Stem Rust (Classic Reprint) (Hardback)

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Forgotten Books, 2017. Hardback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. Excerpt from Relative Susceptibility of Spring-Wheat Varieties to Stem Rust Black stem rust probably causes greater losses to the spring-wheat crop than all other diseases combined. Nearly all of the hard red spring-wheat varieties now grown are very susceptible to rust. Some varieties of durum wheat are much more susceptible than others. Uniform spring-wheat nurseries were sown at 39 experiment stations in the United States and Canada during one or more of the six years from 1919 to 1924, inclusive. The percentages of infection of stem rust of the 33 varieties of wheat which were grown in all or some of the uniform nurseries are reported in this circular. Percentage estimates of rust infection were recorded in 107 of the 113 station years during which the nurseries were grown. Heavy rust infection occurred at most stations each year. The durum wheats were much more resistant as a class than the hard red spring wheats. Pentad, Monad, Acme, and N odak are the most resistant. Kota and a few new hybrid wheats are much more resistant to rust than Marquis. Marquis escapes...

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