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## Nebraska Soybean & Feed Grains Profitability Project

<b><i>Years:</i></b>	2009
<b><i>Title:</i></b>	Refuge in a Bag
<b><i>Crop:</i></b>	Corn
<b><i>NSFGPP Operator:</i></b>	Ron Bowman, Dodge County
<b><i>Private Industry Cooperator:</i></b>	Jerry Mulliken
<b><i>Objective:</i></b>	To determine & document the profitability of using seed with different refuge values on the probability of growing corn.
<b><i>Treatments:</i></b>	5% Refuge vs. 10% Refuge

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Results: 2009

Variable

Yield, bu/ac @ 15.5%

Moisture, %

Cost/ac

Planting Date: 5/1/09

Corn

5% Refuge

212

19.1

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Harvesting Date: 11/12/09

(Pioneer 33W84)

10% Refuge

211

19.1

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Prob>/T/

0.621 ns

0.189 ns

Summary: Percent refuge had no effect on corn grain yield or grain moisture at harvest.