

## **B2601**

Synonyms - None

### **HISTORY**

B2601 was developed from a cross of M31/Six-rowed high extract composite cross. The initial cross was made in 1980. B2601 was released in 1989. B2601 was developed by Busch Agricultural Resources, Inc.

### **AREA OF PRODUCTION**

B2601 is well adapted to the irrigated areas of intermountain west. It is not recommended for areas of drought stress.

### **AGRONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS**

**Yield** - Under irrigation, B2601 is a very high yielding variety, out yielding Morex by an average of 19%.

**Maturity** - Midlate, approximately four days later than Morex.

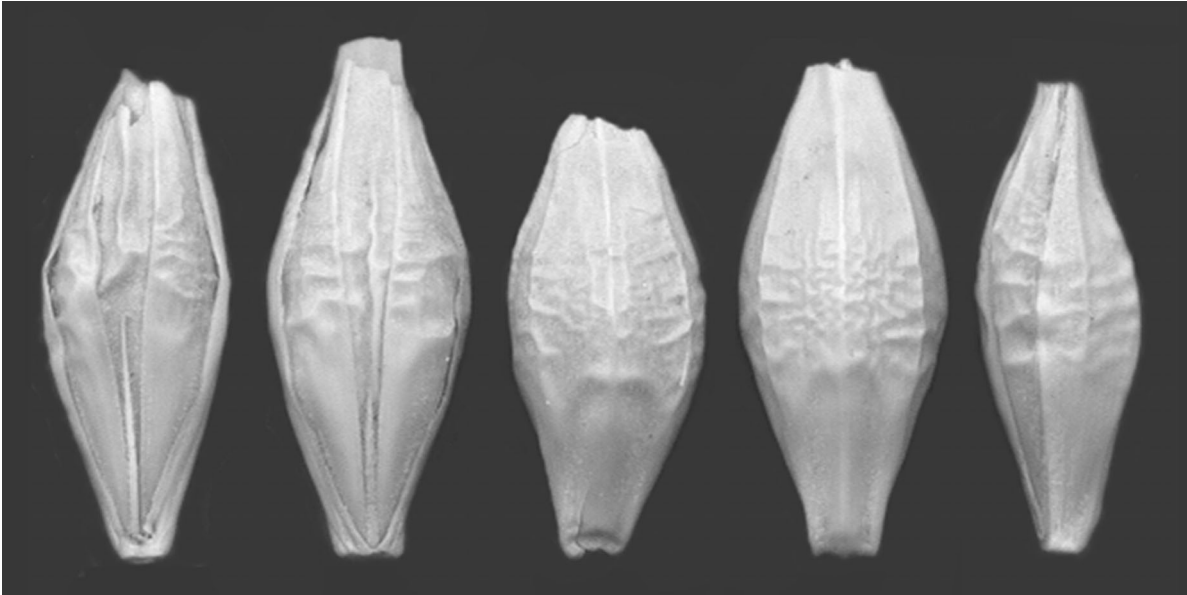
**Straw Strength** - Very strong strawed.

**Straw Length** - B2601 is a semidwarf variety, approximately ten inches shorter than Morex.

**Disease Reaction** - Susceptible to net blotch, scald and stripe and powdery mildew.

### **UTILIZATION**

Used for malting and brewing.



## DESCRIPTION

**Plant** - Spring growth habit.

**Head** - 6-row.

**Beard** - Smooth.

**Glume** - Glumes covered with short hairs.

## KERNEL

**Hull** - Adhering and wrinkled.

**Aleurone** - Colorless.

**Rachilla Hairs** - Short.

**Veins** - Central vein moderately prominent and weakly developed at the center of the kernel.

Inner lateral is moderately developed, outer lateral is weakly developed.

**Barbs of Lateral Veins** - Few.

**Crease** - Crease V-shaped.

**Point of Attachment** - Depression tending toward a crease.

**Kernel Size** - Medium.

**Kernel Shape** - Humped back. Plump in relation to length.

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