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**WB9350** was launched in 2018 and went through the Collaborative in 2017 with excellent baking quality and strong gluten, it has excellent stripe rust resistance, is a bit weaker on Septoria R, but has excellent yield potential around (4.5 to 5 tons per acre) and adequate protein only under higher fertility regimes of 120-150 units N per acre. Seed of WB9350 is currently available through Western Milling for purchase.

**WB9699** is a new coming in Fall 2019, a hard-red wheat variety with enhanced yield potential and protein for the Sacramento and San Joaquin Valleys, it has excellent stripe rust R, adequate Septoria R, and excellent yield potential with good forage yield potential outyielding Summit 515 for Forage yield by 2 tons per acre. Its grain protein performance is similar to Summit 515 with improved standability. WB9699 will be covered in the 2019 California wheat collaborative for quality, but from inhouse WestBred data has enhanced bread making quality over Summit 515 in grain protein. It will be available through several local WestBred dealers in the fall of 2019.

**WB9490** is a new awnless wheat release for fall 2019, an awnless hard red wheat similar to WB-Patron with improved grain quality and grain yield over WB-Patron with dual grain and forage use. WB9490 has adaptation to the San Joaquin Valley for grain use and forage use from SJV north to Madera/Modesto regions in Stanislaus County. WB9490 has excellent stripe rust R moderate Septoria tolerance and is about 3 inches shorter than WB-Patron with a bit better standability.