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Poncho

High Plains Standard for Pintos

PINTO BEAN

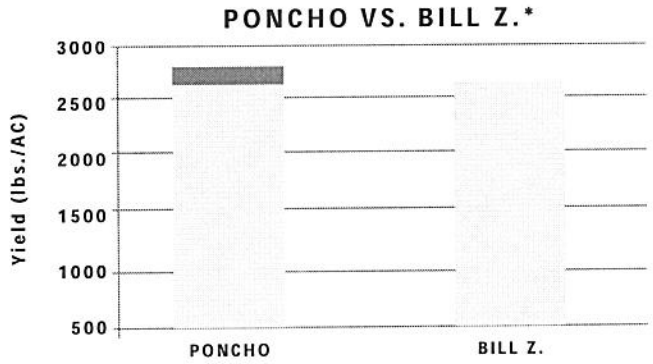
PROFILE:
Poncho is typically a high yielding vine variety adapted to the High Plains and Northwest regions. It has a medium length vine with enough stem structure to keep many pods off the ground, and demonstrates the best performance on medium fertility or sloping soils where white mold can be managed.

ECONOMIC PROFILE:
Poncho has become a standard against which other pintos are measured in the High Plains. Its consistent high yield and bright attractive seed make it a reliable addition to your variety mix.

PONCHO

Approx. Maturity	99-95 days
Plant Type	3B
Approx. Seed Count	1,176 seeds/lb.
Disease Resistance	**IR:** BCMV; CI (Race 17, Race 73)

*See reverse side for disease resistance abbreviation chart



*Data from the Great Plains region

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KEY TO RESISTANCE ABBREVIATIONS FOR BEAN	
Plant Type 1A	Bush determinate erect stem
Plant Type 2A	Erect growth indeterminate short runners
Plant Type 2B	Erect growth indeterminate wtih medium to long runners
Plant Type 3B	Prostrate vine indeterminate growth wtih long runners
BCMV	Bean common mosaic caused by the specified strains of *Bean common mosaic virus*
BCTV	Curly top caused by *Beet curly top virus*
BGYMV	Bean golden yellow mosaic caused by *Bean golden yellow mosaic virus*
CI	Anthracnose caused by *Colletotrichum lindemuthianum*
Psp	Halo blight caused by *Pseudomonas savastanoi* pv. *phaseolicola*
Pss	Bacterial brown spot caused *Pseudomonas syringae* pv. *syringae*
Ua	Rust caused by the specified races of *Uromyces appendiculatus*
HR	**High Resistance:** describes plant varieties that highly restrict the growth and development of the specified pest or pathogen under normal pest or pathogen pressure when compared to susceptible varieties. Highly resistant varieties may, however, exhibit some symptoms or damage under heavy pest or pathogen pressure.
IR	**Intermediate Resistance:** describes plant varieties that restrict the growth and development of the specified pest or pathogen, but may exhibit a greater range of symptoms or damage compared to highly resistant varieties. Intermediately resistant varieties will still show less severe symptoms or damage than susceptible plant varieties when grown under similar environmental conditions and/or pest or pathogen pressure.
In cases where specific races or strains are not noted the variety is resistant to some, but not necessarily all known races or strains of the pathogen.	

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PERFORMANCE AND ADAPTABILITY

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GROWTH HABIT AND MATURITY

Poncho is a mid-season vine variety with an approximate maturity of 95 days, or about the same as the Bill Z variety.

QUALITY

Poncho has the traditional pinto shape and size, with about 1200 seeds per pound. It has bright attractive seed maintaining well in storage. Also, Poncho seed has good cool soil germination.

DISEASE TOLERANCE

Poncho has some tolerant to the prevalent strains of Bean Common Mosaic virus. It has also shown some tolerance to bacterial brown spot and halo blight bacterial bean diseases. Poncho has demonstrated some field tolerance to bean rust, and for best performance white mold should be managed.

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