

Pioneer® brand Maize Grain hybrid performance information

Grain CRM 87

Defensive winner with game-changing yields.

Moderately tall but with low ear placement, superior roots & stalks for notable standability in this maturity.

- Very high ratings for drought, Northern Leaf Blight, Rust & staygreen deliver season-long plant health & yield stability.
- P8711 has good husk cover, fast drydown and produces high test weight grain.
- Research results show a new level of grain yield performance compared to P8666 and P8805.

A widely adapted hybrid that will be at home in all North Island grain growing regions, particularly where standability and Northern Leaf Blight is a significant concern.



Recommended established plant populations (000's/ha)

Challenging yield environments

Medium yield environments High yield environments

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Plant and agronomic traits

Drought tolerance	•
Stalk strength	8
Root strength	7
Early growth	7
Staygreen	7
Husk cover	8
	6
Grain drydown	6
Grain quality traits	
Grain appearance	6
Test weight	
	7
Hybrid disease ratings	
Northern Leaf Blight	
	7
Common Rust	7

Maize Grain Performance Comparisons for P8711

Yield/test weight advantage to the first named hybrid

Pioneer hybrid	Comparison hybrid	Number of trials	Harvest moisture difference (%) ¹	Grain yield advantage(kgDM/ha)	Statistical significance	Test weight difference (kg/hl)	
National							
P8711	P8333	14	-0.72	2,128	***	-2.35	
P8711	P8500	21	-1.04	2,002	***	0.82	
P8711	P8666	25	-0.58	1,693	***	1.11	
P8711	P8805	24	-1.01	1,485	***	0.44	
P8711	P9127	28	-0.67	317	NS	2.44	
P8711	P9400	25	-0.38	259	NS	-2.43	
Waikato							
P8711	P8333	5	0.06	1,172	NS	-1.67	
P8711	P8500	7	-0.26	1,338	*	1.05	
P8711	P8666	9	-0.16	1,790	**	0.61	
P8711	P8805	6	-0.20	929	CA	1.08	
P8711	P9127	13	-0.55	497	NS	2.29	
P8711	P9400	10	-0.23	-17	NS	-3.25	
Lower North Island & South Island							
P8711	P8333	8	-0.94	2,688	**	-2.61	
P8711	P8500	11	-1.39	2,760	***	1.31	
P8711	P8666	11	-0.75	1,799	**	1.65	
P8711	P8805	15	-1.16	1,532	***	0.53	
P8711	P9127	10	-0.99	282	NS	2.67	
P8711	P9400	10	-0.59	532	NS	-2.27	

Yield significance Key

NS No significant yield difference
CA Commercially acceptable

Significant yield advantage

Highly significant yield advantage

Very highly significant yield advantage

¹ Positive harvest moisture differences indicate that the bolded Pioneer hybrid had a lower average moisture percentage at harvest than the comparison hybrid. Such hybrids are usually earlier in maturity or faster to drydown than the comparison hybrid. Negative moisture differences indicate that the bolded Pioneer hybrid had a higher average moisture percentage at harvest. Such hybrids are usually later in maturity or slower to drydown than the comparison hybrid. Positive yield and / or test weight differences indicate the bolded Pioneer hybrid had higher yield and / or grain test weight.

Source: Pioneer® brand products New Zealand Research Programme. Includes all data to the end of the 2022 harvest.



