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Annual Report



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The NDSU Research Foundation is a nonprofit organization established in 1989 to facilitate the commercialization of NDSU's scientific discoveries, technologies, and innovations. The foundation operates independently to connect NDSU with business and industry, both domestically and internationally, supporting research and educational activities through licensing income. The foundation helps NDSU faculty engage in research and business ventures while fostering partnerships to bring intellectual property to market.

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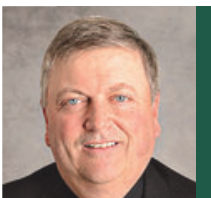
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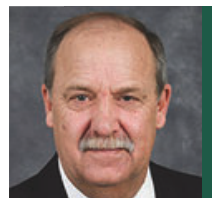
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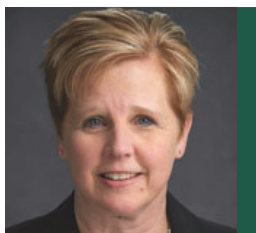


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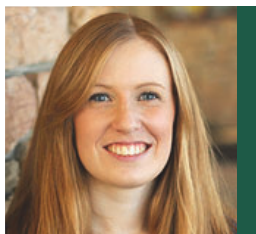
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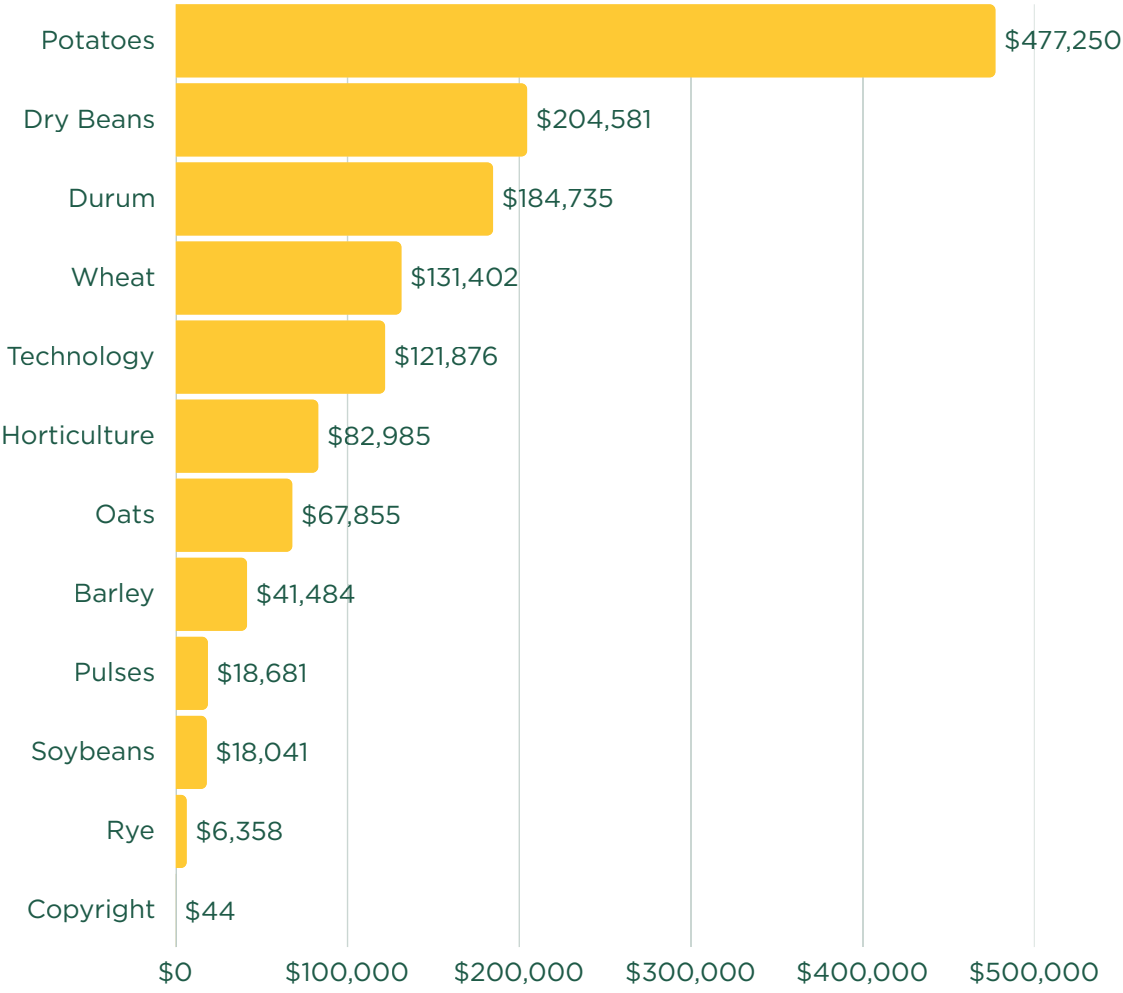


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Revenue by Variety/Technology



July '25 - June '26



Overview

\$1.3M
Royalty/
License
Revenue

\$857K
Royalty
Distributions

28

Invention
Disclosures

31

Patents Filed
(Provisionals,
Utilities, PCT, etc.)

3

PVP
Applications
Filed

1

Trademarks
Filed

Patents, Trademarks & Plant Protections Issued July '25 – June '26



Tech ID	Number	Intellectual Property Title	Inventor(s)	Country	Application Type
RFM-85	1,378,614	Limeburst	Connor Hagemeyer, Gregory Morgenson, Todd West	Canada	Trademark
RFM-86	8,320,674	Cosmic Flare®	Larry Chaput, Connor Hagemeyer, Dale Herman, Gregory Morgenson, Todd West	United States of America	Trademark
RFP-353	202400037	'ND Allison' hard red winter wheat	Bradley Bisek, Gideon Marais	United States of America	Plant Variety Protection (PVP)
RFP-360	202400409	'ND Stampede' hard red spring wheat	Andrew Green, Mohamed Mergoum	United States of America	Plant Variety Protection (PVP)
RFT-538	12,564,822	Device for Manufacture of T-Cells for Autologous Cell Therapy	Vidura Jayasooriya, Dharmakeerthi Nawarathna, Logeeshan Velmanickam	United States of America	Continuation in Part (CIP)
RFT-539	12,435,317	Viral Vaccines and Methods of Forming the Same	Sheela Ramamoorthy	United States of America	Continuation in Part (CIP)
RFT-551	12,466,977	Amphiphilic Siloxane Polyurethane Coating Compositions and Methods of Making and Using Thereof	Ryan Burgett, Teluka Galhenage, Dean Webster	United States of America	Utility (UTIL)
RFT-623	12,529,700	Methods for Identifying Cancer	Dali Sun	United States of America	Utility (UTIL)
RFT-651	12,653,165	System to provide thermal refugia for fish	Adam Gladen, Jeremy Kientz, Rajib Rony	United States of America	Utility (UTIL)
RFT-653	12,456,054	Gradient Descent Training for Defensible Artificial Intelligence	Jeremy Straub	United States of America	Utility (UTIL)

NDSU Technologies In The Market



LILAC AGRICULTURE, INC.

[HTTPS://WWW.LILAC.AG/](https://www.lilac.ag/)

Dr. Barney Geddes developed rhizobium inoculants for use on yellow peas and lentils.



CHEMI-SENSE SYSTEMS

[HTTPS://CHEMI-SENSE.COM/](https://chemi-sense.com/)

Dr. Ying Huang developed a chemical sensor for detecting pipeline internal corrosive environments.