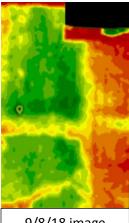


## **Fungicide Response: Positive ROI?**



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## To Spray or Not to Spray? That is the Question.

Every year we must make a decision to spray or not to spray. This year it was a tougher decision than in years past. With low commodity prices and a stressful start of the season, many growers decided to forgo a fungicide application. For the growers that did decide to pull the trigger, that decision is paying off this fall with more bushels in the grain tank and considerably better stalk integrity.

The wet spring followed by a warmer than average summer hurried this crop, and we saw many stalk integrity issues this fall. Not only did we see this in the field, we also noticed it showing up in satellite imagery.

## **How to Stack the Odds in Your Favor**

There are many decisions you will make during the growing season that impacts your bottom line. We here at Ag Partners want to help you make the best decision possible and stack the odds in your favor for a positive ROI. So, what are the things to look for when determining to apply a fungicide:

- 1. Hybrid
- 2. Disease Pressure
- 3. Crop Rotation
- 4. Active Ingredient
- 5. Deposition
- 6. Timing

These are the top considerations you should take into account when making the choice to spray a fungicide. Ag Partners has the information to help you make an informed decision.

- Hybrid response to fungicide scores
- Product performance
- Deposition aids in getting adequate coverage

