Title Alterations of technological quality of wheat grains during storage.

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Abstract

Alterations of technological properties of 3 wheat varieties grown in Brazil were evaluated during storage at room temperature for 180 days. There was no significant variation for specific weight, thousand grain weight or protein and ash percentage during storage. The storage of newly harvested grain caused an increase in hardness for the varieties BR-23 and BR-35. An increase in acidity and decrease in milling yield was also observed for all varieties. None of the observed variations caused any meaningful change in the global technological quality of any wheat variety.