Table 20. Dry bean populations and percent germination by variety and seeding rate, 2016.

| Variety | Target seeding rate | Actual plant population | Germination |
|-------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|-------------|
| | seeds ac ⁻¹ | plants ac ⁻¹ | % |
| Black Turtle | 79,000 (low) | 29,434 | 37.3 |
| Black Turtle | 99,000 (medium) | 49,347 | 49.8 |
| Black Turtle | 119,000 (high) | 67,456* | 56.7 |
| LSD (0.10) | | 13,384 | NA |
| Trial Mean | | 48,746 | 47.9 |
| King of the Early | 58,000 (low) | 32,359 | 55.8 |
| King of the Early | 78,000 (medium) | 41,382 | 53.1 |
| King of the Early | 98,000 (high) | 56,192* | 57.3 |
| LSD (0.10) | | 3,337 | NA |
| Trial Mean | | 43,311 | 55.4 |
| Yellow Eye | 57,000 (low) | 21,469 | 37.7 |
| Yellow Eye | 77,000 (medium) | 29,932* | 38.9 |
| Yellow Eye | 97,000 (high) | 31,737* | 32.7 |
| LSD (0.10) | | 7,657 | NA |
| Trial Mean | | 27,712 | 36.4 |

^{*}Treatments that did not perform significantly different than the top-performing treatment (in **bold**) in a particular column are indicated with an asterisk.

NA-Not statistically tested.