







The Russian Network for Testing of Agricultural Machinery

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FORMATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF TESTING IN RUSSIA





1907 year. Beginning of work testing stations in Russia



1875 year. First test of grain seeder



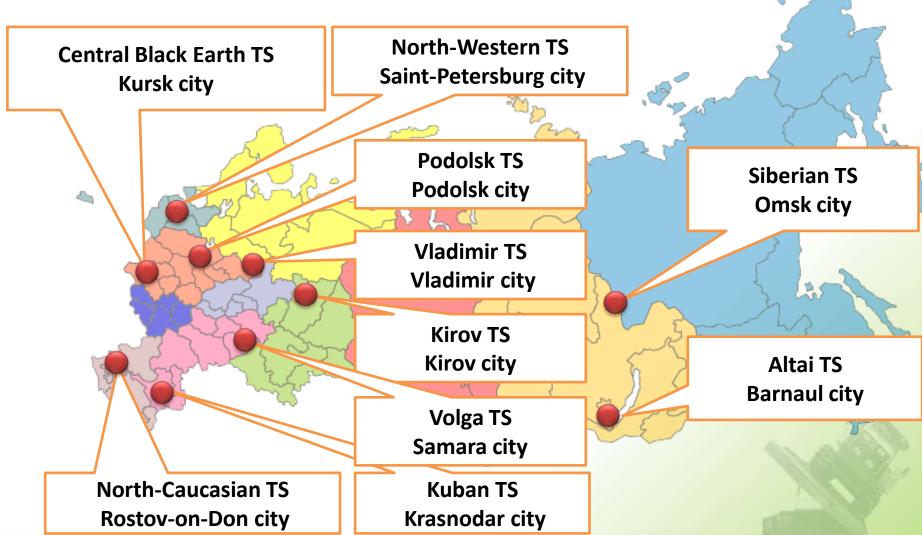
2013 year, June 11. 65 years anniversary

- 11 machine-zonal stations
- 970 employee

HISTORIGAL REFERENCE



DISTRIBUTION OF TESTING STATIONS IN RUSSIA





VOLGA MACHINERY TESTING STATION



165 employees

STAFF

9 workers with advanced degrees 53 dipl. engineers

-14 °C +20 °C

CLIMATE

250 - 500 mm rainfall 2.26 t / ha grain yield

4562,5 ha

LAND Resources

12.5 ha under buildings 4550 ha of arable land

20 km from Samara city 100-120 machines

annual number of tests

Machinery for crop, livestock, electrical installations

TERRITORY OF ACTIVITY

VOLGA Federal district 14 regions



KUBAN MACHINERY TESTING STATION



117 employees

STAFF

3 workers with advanced degrees 37,3% dipl. engineers

-4 °C +23 °C

CLIMATE

500 - 600 mm rainfall 5,18 t / ha grain yield

29,1 га

LAND Resources

29,1 ha under buildings

180 km from Krasnodar city

90-100 machines

annual number of tests

Machinery for crop production, horticulture, viticulture

TERRITORY OF ACTIVITY

NORTH-CAUCASIAN
Federal district
7 regions



NORTH-CAUCASIAN MACHINERY TESTING STATION



158 employees

STAFF

3 workers with advanced degrees 41,7% dipl. engineers

-7 °C +23 °C

CLIMATE

400 - 650 mm rainfall 2,68 t /ha grain yield

9,15 га

LAND Resources

9,15 ha under buildings

60 km from Rostov-on-Don city

100-120 machines

annual number of tests

Machinery for crop production, horticulture, viticulture

TERRITORY OF ACTIVITY

SOUTHERN Federal district 6 regions



CENTRAL BLACK EARTH MACHINERY TESTING STATION



123 employees

STAFF

1 worker with advanced degrees 31,8% dipl. engineers

-8 °C +19 °C

CLIMATE

470 – 640 mm rainfall 4 t /ha grain yield

291,4 га

LAND Resources 9,4 ha under buildings 282 ha of arable land

10 km from Kursk city

80-90 machines

annual number of tests Machinery for plant growing, vegetable growing, animal husbandry

TERRITORY OF ACTIVITY

CENTRAL Federal district
17 regions



NORTH-WESTERN MACHINERY TESTING STATION



90 employees

STAFF

2 workers with advanced degrees 28% dipl. engineers

-9 °C +17 °C

CLIMATE

600 – 700 mm rainfall 3 t/ha grain yield

4331,6 га

LAND Resources 5,6 ha under buildings 4326 ha of arable land

60 km from Saint-Petersburg city

90-110 machines

annual number of tests Equipment for plant growing, cattle breeding and processing of grain

TERRITORY OF ACTIVITY

NORTH-WESTERN
Federal district
10 regions



SIBERIAN MACHINERY TESTING STATION



56 employees

STAFF

49% dipl. engineers

-20 °C +18 °C

CLIMATE

300 - 500 mm rainfall 1,72 t / ha grain yield

9,25 га

LAND Resources

9,25 ha under buildings

30 km from Omsk city

50-60 machines

annual number of tests

Equipment for plant growing and processing of grain

TERRITORY OF ACTIVITY

URALS and SIBERIAN
Federal districts
12 regions



ALTAI MACHINERY TESTING STATION



87 employees

STAFF

38% dipl. engineers

-22 °C +27 °C

CLIMATE

230 - 600 mm rainfall 1,38 t / ha grain yield

4697,2 га

LAND Resources 15 ha under buildings 4682 ha of arable land

200 km from Barnaul city

50-60 machines

annual number of tests

Equipment for plant growing and processing of grain

TERRITORY OF ACTIVITY

Federal district
12 regions



VLADIMIR MACHINERY TESTING STATION



56 employees

STAFF

1 workers with advanced degrees 45% dipl. engineers

-9 °C +19 °C

CLIMATE

550 – 600 mm rainfall 2 t / ha grain yield

3,53 га

LAND Resources

3,53 ha under buildings

80 km from Vladimir city

90-110 machines

annual number of tests

Equipment for plant growing and processing of grain

TERRITORY OF ACTIVITY

CENTRAL Federal district 12 regions



KIROV MACHINERY TESTING STATION



40 km from Kirov city **61** employees

STAFF

44,6% dipl. engineers

-14 °C +18 °C

CLIMATE

500 – 680 mm rainfall 2 t / ha grain yield

210,88 га

LAND Resources 6,28 ha under buildings

204,6 ha of arable land

50-60 machines

annual number of tests

Equipment for plant growing and processing of grain

TERRITORY OF ACTIVITY

Regions of the NORTH-WEST and VOLGA Federal districts 7 regions



PODOLSK MACHINERY TESTING STATION



86 employees

STAFF

51,2% dipl. engineers

-10 °C +19 °C

CLIMATE

500 – 700 mm rainfall 2,78 t /ha grain yield

957,8 га

LAND Resources 5 ha under buildings

952,8 ha of arable land

5 km from Podolsk city

70-80 machines

annual number of tests Equipment for livestock production, electrical installation

TERRITORY OF ACTIVITY

CENTRAL Federal district
12 regions



Scientific Research Institute ROSINFORMAGROTECH



30 km from Moscow city

130 employees

STAFF

23 workers with advanced degrees 61,2% dipl. engineers

-10 °C +19 °C

CLIMATE

500 - 700 mm rainfall 2,78 t /ha grain yield

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LAND Resources 19,7 ha under buildings 2190,4 ha of arable land

10-20 machines

annual number of tests

Product innovations of agricultural machinery

ACTIVITIES

METHODOLOGIES OF TESTS; INFORMATION AND PUBLISHING;



LEGISLATIVE AND REGULATORY FRAMEWORK

FEDERAL LAW «ON TECHNICAL REGULATION»

International and national standards (GOST R, GOST R ISO and others)

Standards ATEAM- 160 PCs











TYPES OF ASSESSMENTS

1	Technical expert examination
2	Evaluation of design safety
3	Agrotechnical (zootechnical) evaluation
4	Energy parameters assessment
5	Operational and technological evaluation
6	Evaluation of design reliability
7	Evaluation power and fuel-economic properties of tractors
8	Evaluation of traction properties of tractors
9	Analysis of quality fuel and lubricants
10	Evaluation of economic indicators



TECHNICAL EXPERT EXAMINATION

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- Technical characteristic
- Quality of manufacturing
- Accompanying documents



Assessment of the coating quality



Load distribution measurement



Dimensional measurement



EVALUATION OF DESIGN SAFETY

- Static and dynamic stability
- Cabin and operator workplace ergonomics
- Observability and dirigibility
- Mounting of attached equipment
- Safety during transportation
- Design evaluation in operation environment





Evaluation of lighting devices



Operator workplace ergonomics



Evaluation of the sustainability



AGROTECHNICAL ASSESSMENT

Harvesters

Seeders



Tillage machine



Sprayers



- -losses of grain;
- -crushing;
- -contamination;
- -throughput;
- -grinding straw

- -irregularity of seeding;
- -instability of seeding;
- -norm;
- -crushing;
- -depth of seeding

- -crushing of soil;
- -depth;
- -qulality of stubble;
- smoothness of arable land
- -norm of consumption and irregularity;
- -drops size;
- -density of coverage drops;
- -concentration of the working fluid;
- -damage to plants



ENERGY PARAMETERS ASSESSMENT

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- tractive resistance;
- consumed power;
- specific power consumption







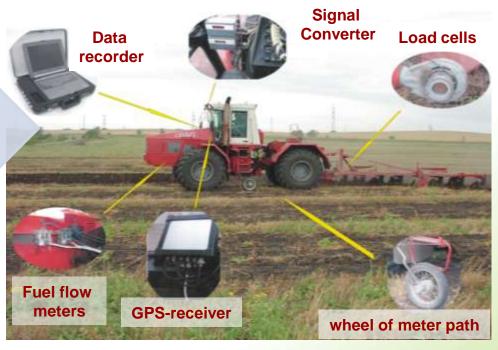


OPERATIONAL AND TECHNOLOGICAL EVALUATION

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- production rate;
- fuel consumption;
- consumption of time on operations





Instant fuel consumption.

Fuel consumption per hectare



EVALUATION OF DESIGN RELIABILITY

mean time to failure;repair time;

wear of the working elements;





Reliability is estimated in operating hours not less than:

- 100 hours for agricultural machinery;
- 1000 h for tractors.

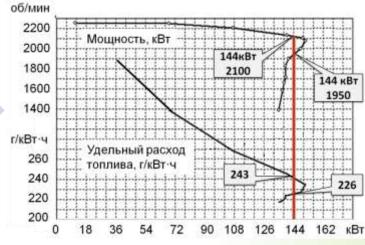
Assessment of the wear of the working elements



ENGINE TESTS

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- collecting regulatory characteristics;
- power engine;
- torque;
- specific fuel consumption





Test engine power up to 400 kW





DRAWBAR POWER AND FUEL CONSUMPTION

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- maximum Drawbar Pull;
- power at the Drawbar;
- slipping;
- traction efficiency;
- range of operating speeds





Drawbar Pull up to 200 kN





TEST STANDS FOR HYDRO MOUNTED SYSTEMS OF TRACTORS





Force load..... < 100 κH;

Time of retention of stable load;

The maximum height of the force.





FUEL AND LUBRICANTS QUALITY ANALYSIS

- · Content of acids and alkalis
- Fractional composition
- Octane or cetane number
- Kinematic viscosity
- Flash point
- Coefficient of filterability
- Water content
- Density at 20 °C
- Content of mechanical impurities







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ECONOMIC INDICATORS EVALUATION

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- amortization;
- wage;
- repair costs;
- fuel costs;
- cost of works

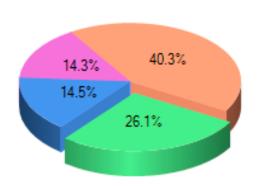
Kirovetz-744R3 (287 kW)



18640 RUR/kW

1618 RUR/h

Structure of cost of technology



N	Наименование	Сумма, руб/га	Bec, %
✓	Прямые технические затраты	3553.72	26.1
	Семена	1980	14.5
	Минеральные удобрения	1944	14.3
	Хим. средства защиты растений	5482.9	40.3



GRAIN HARVESTERS EFFICIENCY ASSESSMENT

			VOLGA	1	KUBAN	
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	0	CROP YIELD, C/ha	22	,0	64,	2
	0	PRODUCTION RATE, ha/h	3,22	3,89	2,36	4,23
	9	FUEL CONSUMPTION, kg/ha	11,8	10,2	18,1	15,1
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0	COST O	F HARVEST, RUR/ha	457,4 /79	93,9 /8	27,1/73	35,8
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SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH WORK



- ✓ Research of machine-tractor Park of Samara region;
- ✓ Research of efficiency of machine technologies in plant growing;
- ✓ Investigation of the technology of cultivation of soybeans in the Samara region;
- ✓ Development and implementation of an online agricultural Advisory system;
- ✓ Development of perspective design of the soilcultivating machines;
- ✓ Development of import-replacing equipment of dairy farms;



PRESENTATION OF THE TEST RESULTS







TEST REPORT

SUMMARY REPORT for publication

RESARCH REPORT



PUBLICATION OF TEST RESULTS



Websites of MTS: more 1500 visitors a day

Periodicals:

«Annual bulletin each of MTS»;

«Annual bulletin of agricultural machinery testing» (1000 copies);

«Monthly Agro-Inform» (3000 copies) rubric «Tested on the Volga MTS»

«Monthly Information Bulletin of the Ministry of agriculture in Russia» (5000 copies) rubric «Verifiers recommend»



REGULAR PUBLICATION ON THE WEBSITES



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1500

visitors a day



EXHIBITION ACTIVITY



Volga TS is a base for Annual Federal Volga Agricultural exhibition. Participated more than 400 companies and more than 30 000 visitors last year.



COMPARISON TESTS

In 2012 comparative tests of 102 agricultural machines in different zones of Russia: Samara, Krasnodar, Rostov-on-don, Kursk, St. Petersburg, Omsk

20	 Grain harvesters 	
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• Forage harvesters

- Wheeled tractors
- Tillage machines
- Sowing complexes and seeders
- Machines for fertilizer application

• Machines for plants protection

Test participants:

CLAAS	New Holland
John Deere	Deutz Fahr
Versatile	MTZ
Amazone	Quivogne
Flexi-Coil	Horsch
Hardi	Unigreen
Jar-Met	Rauch

...and 30 Russian enterprises



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