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Optional/General comments	. Field experiment was conducted as randomized complete block design (RCBD) with three replicates at Institute of Agricultural Research and Training, Obafemi Awolowo University, Moor Plantation, Ibadan during 2013 and 2014 cropping seasons. The results indicated that season influenced days to 50% Anthesis (DTA), days to 50% silking (DTS), anthesis-silking interval (ASI) plant height (PLHT), ear height (EHT), root lodging (RTL), shoot lodging (STL), ear per plant (EPP), ear aspect (EASP), kernel width (KWD) and grain yield (GYD). Maturity groups also influenced DTA, DTS, PASP, PLHT, EHT, and STL with no effect on GYD. The overall mean grain yields across storage were 4.44, 4.16, 3.64 and 3.36 t/ha for 0, 3, 9 and 15 months in storage, respectively. It was concluded from this study that all the maturity groups used had comparable grain yield	NOTED

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