In 1891 the Wyoming Agricultural Experiment Station (WAES) and its affiliated branch stations were established to conduct scientific research to benefit agriculturalists in the state.

Today WAES conducts fundamental and applied research on agricultural, natural, and community resource issues related to the current and future needs of Wyoming, the region, the nation, and the world.

Research and Extension Centers have become leaders in advanced agricultural education and research in the U.S.

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- Laramie (LREC)
- Powell (PREC)
- Lingle (SAREC)
- Sheridan (ShREC)

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PREC focuses on research including agronomic weed control, irrigation, cropping systems, high tunnel production, variety performance testing, transgenic variety response to herbicide treatments, and alternative crops.

Resources:
- 209 acres
- Irrigated crops
- Specialty crops
- Greenhouse
- Also located on the PREC center grounds:
  - Wyoming Seed Lab
  - Wyoming Seed Certification Service
  - Foundation Seed Cleaning Facility

SHERIDAN RESEARCH AND EXTENSION CENTER

ShREC aims to serve Wyoming’s applied research, education, and extension needs in horticulture, range and water reclamation, and forage management.

Resources:
- 796 acres
- Irrigated forage
- Non-irrigated grasslands
- Specialty crops
- Dryland crops
- Research greenhouse

JAMES C. HAGEMAN SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE RESEARCH AND EXTENSION CENTER

SAREC will serve the citizens of Wyoming, the region, and the nation by facilitating innovative discovery, dissemination, and dialogue of integrated agricultural systems that are ecologically sound, economically viable, and socially acceptable.

Resources:
- 4158 acres
- Integrated crop and livestock systems
- Dryland crops
- Irrigated crops
- Multi-species feedlot
- GrowSafe™ cattle feeding system
- Rangeland for grazing

LARAMIE RESEARCH AND EXTENSION CENTER

LREC units provide a wide range of facilities and animals for use by multiple disciplines.

Resources:
- 9420 acres
- Laboratory animal facilities
- Irrigated hay meadows
- Non-irrigated grasslands
- Rangeland research acreage
- Greenhouse complex
- Beef, sheep, and swine units
- Cliff and Martha Hansen Teaching Arena