

Source	DF	F ratio	P value
Leaf position	2, 215	366.40	p < 0.0001
Accession	8, 215	173.80	p < 0.0001
Leaf position × accession	16, 215	32.17	p < 0.0001
Treatment	1, 215	167.81	p < 0.0001
Accession × treatment	8, 215	9.07	p < 0.0001
Leaf position × treatment	2, 215	5.83	p = 0.0036
Leaf position × accession × treatment	16, 215	1.58	p = 0.0782

Figure S1. Quantification of DIM2BOA-GIc content from eight selected WEW accessions and one domesticated durum wheat cultivar. DIM2BOA-GIc contents (mg g⁻¹ FW) was evaluated in leaf-1, leaf-2, and leaf-3 both under untreated- control (C) and 96 h following infestation (I) with *R. padi* using the 'whole-cage-choice bioassay'. Values are expressed as mean \pm SE (n = 4). The purple solid and dotted line represents the overall mean value on individual leaf type under control and infested conditions among the accessions, respectively. The effect of leaf position, accession, treatment, and their interaction (leaf position × accession × treatment) were tested by two-way ANOVA analysis. Asterisk represents the significant difference between treatments in particular accession analyzed by Student's *t*-tests (*p* < 0.05). In bold, parameters that were significantly affected *p* < 0.05.



Source	DF	F ratio	<i>P</i> value
Leaf position	2, 215	640.72	p < 0.0001
Accession	8, 215	282.46	p < 0.0001
Leaf position × accession	16, 215	67.44	p < 0.0001
Treatment	1, 215	292.72	p < 0.0001
Accession × treatment	8, 215	19.73	p < 0.0001
Leaf position × treatment	2, 215	15.23	p < 0.0001
Leaf position × accession × treatment	16, 215	2.68	p = 0.0009

Figure S2. Quantification of HDMBOA-Glc/HM2BOA-Glc content from selected wheat genotypes. HDMBOA-Glc/HM2BOA-Glc contents (peak area) was evaluated in leaf-1, leaf-2, and leaf-3 both under untreated- control (C) and 96 h following infestation (I) with *R. padi* using the 'whole-cage-choice bioassay'. Values are expressed as mean \pm SE (n = 4). The purple solid and dotted line represents the overall mean value on individual leaf type under control and infested conditions among the accessions, respectively. The effect of leaf position, accession, treatment and their interaction (leaf position × accession × treatment) were tested by twoway ANOVA analysis. Asterisk represents the significant difference between treatments in particular accession analyzed by Student's *t*-tests (*p* < 0.05). In bold, parameters that were significantly affected *p* < 0.05.



Figure S3. Feeding behavior of R. padi aphid on leaf-1 and leaf-2 of selected wheat genotypes. (A-B) summary of electrical penetration graph (EPG) waveforms recorded in minutes for the total duration of E1 (A) and total duration of E2 (B). Values are expressed as mean \pm SE (n = 18). The purple dotted line represents the mean value for each leaf type among the accessions. The effect of leaf position, accession, and their interaction (leaf position × accession) were tested by two-way ANOVA analysis. Significant differences between accessions are indicated by different letters (one way ANOVA, Tukey's honestly significant difference, *p* < 0.05). In bold, parameters that were significantly affected *p* < 0.05.



Figure S4. Correlation analysis of eigenvectors from PC1 (A) and PC2 (B) under constitutive and aphidinduced conditions for the physical and chemical defensive traits of selected wheat genotypes.

⊿Summ a	arv of Fit	t						
RSquare			0.49928	7				
RSquare Adi		0.469244						
Root Mean Square Error		2.45722						
Mean of Response		3.785148						
Observations (or Sum Wgts)			54					
Analysis of Variance								
		Sum of						
Source	DF	Squares	Mean S	quare	F	Ratio		
Model	3	301.03643	1(0.345	16	.6192		
Error	50	301.89644		6.038 Prob > F				
C. Total	53	602.93286			<.(0001*		
Parameter Estimates								
Term		Estimate	Std Err	or t R	atio	Prob:	> t	
Intercep	ot	6.3036069	1.2930	82	4.87	<.00	01*	
Physical defense		-0.138965	0.0210	87 -	6.59	<.00	01*	
Chemica	al defense	-1.464111	0.5175	34 -	2.83	0.00	67*	
Total defense		3.0835506	5 1.0408	81	2.96	0.00	47*	

Figure S5. Effectiveness of plant physical, chemical (sum of all three BXD), and total defenses (each value [trichomes and each BXD]) against aphid performance. Data were obtained from eight selected WEW accessions and one cultivated durum wheat, normalized to median for multiple linear regression analysis.