

# **WINTER WHEAT 2013**

AGRONOMIC & QUALITY CHARACTERISTICS*	RECOMMENDED				PROVISIONALLY RECOMMENDED			
	CORDIALE	EINSTEIN	JB DIEGO	LION	AVATAR	GRAFTON	KINGDOM	SY EPSON
Relative Yield ♦	100	100	105	103	107	99	98	102
Shortness of straw	8	7	6	5	(5)	8	7	(6)
Resistance to lodging	8	7	6	5	(6)	8	7	(8)
Straw breakdown	6	8	7	7	(7)	6	6	(7)
Earliness of ripening	7	6	5	5	(5)	7	7	(5)
Resistance to:								
Mildew	6	6	6	4	(5)	7	6	(7)
Septoria spp.	4	5	6	7	(6)	5	5	(7)
Yellow rust	(7)	(7)	(7)	(5)	(7)	(8)	(7)	(7)
Fusarium ear blight	6	6	6	6	(6)	4	6	(6)
Sprouting	7	7	7	5	(5)	5	7	(5)
Quality:								
Grain Protein % (15%MC)	11.1	10.8	10.1	9.8	9.6	10.5	10.6	10.5
Hagberg Falling No.♠	357	299	-	-	-	-	293	-
Bread-making quality	Good	Mod	-	-	-	-	Mod	-
1000 grain weight (g)	44.9	49.3	49.3	46.1	46.8	48.7	47.3	47.1
Hectolitre weight (kg/hl)	74.9	73.0	73.8	73.3	73.2	73.3	74.1	72.7
Market +	Br	Br	F	F	F	F	Br	F
Year First Listed	2006	2004	2010	2008	2013	2012	2011	2013

- \* Based on trial results from **2010**, **2011** and **2012**.
- ♦ Yields are expressed as a percentage of the mean **Einstein** and **Cordiale** (100 = 9.49 t/ha @ 15% moisture content).
- **♠** Based on milling results from **2010 and 2011**.
- + **Br** Bread-making potential. **Bi** Biscuit making potential. **F** Feed quality.

### NOTES ON WINTER WHEAT VARIETIES

#### RECOMMENDED

## **CORDIALE:**

A British variety with very short straw and very good resistance to lodging and moderate resistance to straw breakdown. Moderately resistant to mildew and susceptible to Septoria spp. Early maturing variety with good resistance to sprouting. Grain of good bread-making quality suitable for all applications. High hectolitre weight and Hagberg Falling Number.

• Parentage: (Reaper x Cadenza) x Malacca

• Breeder/Irl. Agent: C.P.B. Twyford Ltd., Goldcrop Ltd.

#### **EINSTEIN:**

A British variety with moderately short straw and good resistance to lodging and very resistant to straw breakdown. Moderately resistant to mildew and moderately susceptible to *Septoria spp*. Good resistance to sprouting. Grain of only moderate bread-making quality being only suitable for selected applications. High thousand grain weight and good hectolitre weight.

• Parentage: (NSL WW 91/1670 x NSL WW 90/1282).

• Breeder/Irl. Agent: Nickerson, Seed Technology Ltd.

#### **JB DIEGO:**

A German variety with moderately short straw, moderate resistance to lodging with good resistance to straw breakdown. Moderately resistant to mildew and *Septoria spp*. Good resistance to sprouting. Grain of feed quality with high thousand grain weight and good hectolitre weight.

• Parentage: 3351b1 x Stru2374

• Breeder/Irl. Agent: Breun, Germinal Seeds.

# LION:

A British variety with a moderately long straw and moderate susceptibility to lodging but good resistance to straw breakdown. Susceptible to mildew with good resistance to *Septoria spp*. Moderately susceptible to yellow rust and sprouting. Grain of feed quality with good hectolitre weight.

• Parentage: (Claire x Wasmo).

• Breeder/Irl. Agent: Nickerson / Advanta, Goldcrop Ltd.

## PROVISIONALLY RECOMMENDED

### **AVATAR:**

A very high yielding British variety with a moderately long straw and moderate resistance to lodging but good resistance to straw breakdown. Moderately susceptible to mildew with moderate resistance to *Septoria spp*. Moderately susceptible to sprouting. Grain of feed quality with good hectolitre weight.

• Parentage: Istabraq x Lion

• Breeder/Irl. Agent: Limagrain UK, Goldcrop Ltd.

### **GRAFTON:**

An early maturing British variety with very short straw. Very good resistance to lodging and moderate resistance to straw breakdown. Good resistance to mildew and moderately susceptible to Septoria spp. Grain of feed quality with good hectolitre weight. Moderately susceptible to sprouting and susceptible to fusarium.

• Parentage: Cordiale x W97

• Breeder/Irl. Agent: KWS UK, Goldcrop Ltd.

## **KINGDOM:**

A British variety with short straw and good resistance to lodging and moderate resistance to straw breakdown. Moderately resistant to mildew and moderately susceptible to Septoria spp. Early maturing variety with good resistance to sprouting. Grain of moderate bread-making quality suitable for some applications. Good hectolitre weight.

• Parentage: Cordiale x Xi19

• Breeder/Irl. Agent: Syngenta UK, Seed Technology Ltd.

## **SY EPSON:**

A high yielding British variety with moderately short straw, very good resistance to lodging and good resistance to straw breakdown. Good resistance to mildew and Septoria spp. Grain of feed quality with good hectolitre weight. Moderately susceptible to sprouting.

• Parentage: Zebedee x Robigus

• Breeder/Irl. Agent: Syngenta UK, Seed Technology Ltd.