## **HGCA Recommended List<sup>®</sup> Winter Oats 2008/09**

RECOMMENDED	P2		P2	С		С	*			
HGCA	Tardis	SW Kinross	Brochan	SW Dalguise	Mascani	Gerald	Expression	Hendon	Grafton	Average LSD (5%)
Variety type	Convention	Conventional husked varieties						Naked varieties		
Scope of Recommendation	UK	UK	UK	UK	UK	UK	UK	UK	UK	
UK yield as % treated control (8.2 t/ha)										
Fungicide treated	105	102	101	101	100	99	81	78	74	3.5
Untreated with fungicide	[94]	94	[90]	86	95	87	70	70	66	5.9
Grain quality										
Kernel content (%)	72.7	74.9	77.6	75.4	78.0	72.5	-	-	-	0.9
Specific weight (kg/hl)	49.9	53.0	50.5	54.6	54.5	53.3	63.3	62.6	65.3	1.3
Screenings % through 2.0mm	[0.0]	0.5	[0.0]	0.2	0.1	0.2	23.2	47.8	14.2	6.4
Agronomic features										
Resistance to lodging \$	6	5	7	5	6	6	4	9	6	0.9
Straw length (cm)	112	130	110	123	120	120	133	84	124	2.3
Ripening (days +/- Gerald, -ve = earlier)	[-2]	0	[1]	-2	-1	0	0	0	-2	1.4
Winter hardiness #	8	7	7	8	7	8	7	7	8	0.4
Disease resistance										
Mildew	8	6	4	3	6	4	5	5	4	1.0
Crown rust	7	6	7	3	8 ~	4	5	4	5	1.8
Year first listed	07	04	07	03	04	93	04	03	00	
* = variety no longer in trial.		C = yield control		P2 = second year						

On the 1-9 scales high figures indicate that a variety shows the character to a high degree (e.g. disease resistance)

Average LSD (least significant difference) 5%. Varieties that are more than one LSD apart are significantly different at the 5% confidence level

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Variety no longer Listed: Ayr

<sup>#</sup>The winter hardiness is measured on a scale where scores above 5 indicate only leaf damage and no plant death ~ A race of crown rust has been identified which may affect Mascani but infection levels in trials have been low so far

<sup>\$ =</sup> The lodging scores have been rescaled for 2008. There has been no significant change in the degree of lodging observed

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SUPPLEMENTARY DATA											
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Variety type	Conventional husked varieties Naked varieties										
Scope of Recommendation	UK	UK	UK	UK	UK	UK	UK	UK	UK		
Breeder/ UK contact											
Breeder	IGER	Sen	IGER	Sen	IGER	IGER	IGER	IGER	IGER		
UK contact	Sen	Sen	Sen	Sen	Sen	Sen	Sen	Sen	Sen		
Annual yields as % treated control											
UK 2003 treated yield (8.3 t/ha)	-	[105]	-	[101]	[100]	[99]	[81]	[74]	[68]	5.1	
UK 2004 treated yield (8.0 t/ha)	-	[102]	-	103	[99]	97	[80]	83	72	6.7	
UK 2005 treated yield (8.5 t/ha)	[106]	102	[106]	101	101	99	79	79	72	5.4	
UK 2006 treated yield (8.3 t/ha)	106	101	102	101	101	99	84	76	79	6.4	
UK 2007 treated yield (7.6 t/ha)	107	101	100	99	98	101	[79]	78	[78]	8.2	
Agronomic features											
Lodging % without PGR	4.9	10.4	2.3	16.6	5.4	8.8	29.9	0.3	9.7	<u> </u>	
Treated yields with and without PGR as	Treated yields with and without PGR as % treated control										
With PGR (8.2 t/ha)	103	102	99	102	99	98	79	79	74	5.0	
Without PGR (8.1 t/ha)	[108]	98	[103]	100	101	100	80	79	80	6.8	

All yields on this table are taken from treated trials receiving a full fungicide programme **Key to breeder/agent codes:** 

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