

Spring linseed descriptive list 2023

DL candidates



	Juliet	Bingo	Bliss	Ineke	Octal	Buffalo	Batsman	Bowler	Daniel	Lion	Gilbert	Abacus	Sarah	Aquarius	Olympe	Skylark	Richess	Average LSD (5%)
Seed colour	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	Y	B	B	B	B			
Variety status	C					C				NEW	C			NEW				
Seed yield as % control																		
UK without fungicide (2.3 t/ha)	110	108	104	102	101	101	99	99	97	96	95	93	93	93	[84]	[109]	[95]	10.7
Number of trials	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	11	10	15	13	15	9	6	6	
Seed quality (at 9% moisture)																		
Oil content (%)	41.4	40.0	40.4	39.9	40.9	42.3	40.5	41.0	39.9	42.8	41.2	39.9	40.7	42.7	41.4	[41.3]	[42.7]	0.6
ALA content (%)	54.5	54.1	58.3	52.9	52.3	55.3	57.8	57.7	54.4	59.2	65.4	57.9	56.5	57.7	58.9	59.0	64.1	-
Agronomic features																		
Plant height (cm)	55	51	49	57	50	51	53	51	52	48	50	49	54	51	53	49	42	2.2
Earliness of flowering (1–9)	4	5	6	2	4	4	6	4	6	4	6	5	3	6	6	[3]	[7]	0.7
Earliness of maturity (1–9)	5	6	6	4	6	6	7	6	5	6	7	7	5	7	7	[5]	[7]	0.7
Annual seed yield (% control)																		
2018 (2.6 t/ha)	[119]	[111]	[96]	[94]	[96]	[97]	[99]	[94]	[97]	[88]	-	[89]	-	[93]	-	-	-	13.2
2019 (2.2 t/ha)	[103]	[105]	[113]	[108]	[107]	[106]	[103]	[107]	[93]	[99]	-	[92]	[95]	[93]	-	-	-	10.1
2020 (2.7 t/ha)	[118]	[105]	[106]	[109]	[98]	[108]	[101]	[106]	[93]	-	[97]	[95]	[104]	[98]	[100]	-	-	10.2
2021 (2.1 t/ha)	[95]	[109]	[102]	[92]	[102]	[97]	[93]	[95]	[98]	[95]	[92]	[98]	[84]	[93]	[96]	[106]	[94]	9.1
2022 (2.0 t/ha)	[110]	[112]	[103]	[103]	[101]	[92]	[98]	[90]	[105]	[96]	[96]	[90]	[86]	[83]	-	[109]	[90]	13.7
Breeder/UK contact																		
Breeder	GKI	Bilt	Bilt	JTSD	LaS	Bilt	Bilt	Bilt	Med	LimEur	CDC	JTSD	JTSD	LimEur	-	JTSD	LS	
UK contact	Agr	Els	Els	Bost	Dalt	Els	Els	Els	Agr	Sat	JTSD	Sen	DSV	Bost	Lim	JTSD	PC	
Status in DL system																		
Year first listed	01	17	20	18	17	21	12	13	18	18	23	06	22	17	23	-	-	
DL status	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	P1	-	P2	-	P1	-	-	

The data in this table is provided for information only and does not constitute a recommendation.

On the 1–9 scale, high figures indicate that a variety shows the character to a high degree (e.g. early maturity).

Candidate varieties will be considered for the DL 2024.

B = Brown

Y = Yellow

C = Yield control

ALA = Alpha-linolenic acid

[] = Limited data

P1 = First year of listing

P2 = Second year of listing

LSD = Least significant difference

Average LSD (5%): Varieties that are more than one LSD apart are significantly different at the 95% confidence level

Agr = Agrii (agrii.co.uk)

Bilt = van de Bilt, Netherlands

Bost = Boston Seeds Ltd (bostonseeds.com)

CDC = CDC Saskatchewan

Dalt = Dalton Seeds (daltonseeds.co.uk)DSV = DSV UK (dsv-uk.co.uk)Els = Elsoms Seeds (elsoms.com)

GKI = GK Kht, Hungary

JTSD = JTSD Ltd (jtsd.co.uk)

LaS = Laboulet Semences, France

Lim = Limagrain UK (lgseeds.co.uk)LimEur = Limagrain Europe SA (lgseeds.co.uk)

LS = Linéa Semences de lin

Med = Medovarsky

PC = Premium Crops (premiumcrops.com)Sat = Saturn Seeds (saturnseeds.com)Sen = Senova (senova.uk.com)