

Winter barley varieties grown in RL trials in 2022 but not added to the AHDB Recommended List

	Control varieties					Other varieties		
						Two-row feed	Six-row feed	
Fungicide-treated grain yield (% treated control)	Electrum	Craft	LG Mountain	SY Kingsbarn	Funky	LG Campus	SY Javelin #	Average LSD (5%)
United Kingdom (9.8 t/ha)	96	94	102	106	102	103	105	2.4
East region (9.5 t/ha)	96	94	102	106	101	106	107	2.9
West region (9.90 t/ha)	96	94	102	106	103	[100]	105	3.6
North region (10.4 t/ha)	96	94	101	107	103	[102]	102	3.3
Untreated grain yield (% treated control)								
United Kingdom (9.8 t/ha)	79	79	83	85	88	86	88	4.7
Main market options								
MBC malting approval for brewing use	F	F		-	-	-	-	
Grain quality								
Specific weight (kg/hl)	70.5	70.7	71.1	70.9	70.0	70.4	69.7	0.7
Screenings (% through 2.25 mm)	2.3	2.2	1.9	1.4	3.5	1.8	2.3	0.7
Screenings (% through 2.5 mm)	6.6	6.7	5.8	5.4	13.4	5.5	8.7	1.7
Nitrogen content (%)	1.76	1.71		-	-	-	-	0.14
Agronomic features								
Resistance to lodging without PGR (1-9)	7	7	6	6	8	-	[5]	1.7
Resistance to lodging with PGR (1-9)	7	8	7	7	7	7	6	1.4
Straw length without PGR (cm)	98	96	91	111	95	[99]	107	3.9
Straw length with PGR (cm)	90	89	84	104	91	88	102	2.4
Ripening (days +/- KWS Orwell)	-1	0	-1	0	-1	+1	-1	1.0
Disease resistance								
Mildew (1–9)	6	6	5	7	5	4	4	1.2
Brown rust (1–9)	7	7	7	5	7	-	6	1.0
Rhynchosporium (1–9)	5	6	5	6	6	6	7	1.2
Net blotch (1–9)	5	5	5	5	5	[6]	5	0.9
BaYMV	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	-
Breeder/UK contact								
Breeder	SyP	SyP	LimEur	SyP	KWSMR	LimEur	SyP	
UK contact	Syn	Syn	Lim	Syn	KWS	Lim	Syn	

This table should be read in conjunction with the AHDB RL of winter barley varieties for 2023/24. On the 1–9 scales, high figures indicate that a variety shows the character to a high degree (e.g. high resistance). Comparisons of varieties across regions are not valid.

= Hybrid variety
PGR = Plant growth regulator
[] = Limited data
F = Full MBC approval

KWS = KWS UK (kws-uk.com)
KWSMR = KWS Momont Recherche (kws-uk.com)
Lim = Limagrain UK (lgseeds.co.uk)

R = Beieved to be resistant to *Barley mild mosaic virus* (BaMMV) and to *Barley yellow mosaic virus* (BaYMV) strain 1, but this has not been verified in RL tests

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

LimEur = Limagrain Europe SA (Igseeds.co.uk)
Syn = Syngenta UK Ltd (syngenta.co.uk)
SyP = Syngenta Participations AG (syngenta.co.uk)