RECOMMENDED LISTS

Winter oat varieties grown in RL trials in 2025 but not added to the AHDB Recommended List

AHDB RECOMMENDED

	Dalguise	Cromwell	Mascani	RGT Crawford	RGT Dempsey	Avalon	Average LSD (5%)
	Control varieties			**Husked varieties**		**Naked variety**	
UK yield (% treated control)							
Fungicide-treated (9.1 t/ha)	103	102	95	107	104	77	3.5
Untreated (% of treated control, 9.1 t/ha)	78	83	78	94	87	62	7.7
Disease resistance							
Mildew (1–9)	4	3	6	4	4	4	0.9
Crown rust (1–9)	3	4	5	6	6	5	0.9
Agronomic features							
Resistance to lodging without PGR (1–9)	[4]	[9]	[7]	-	-	-	2.6
Straw length without PGR (cm)	138	110	133	[137]	143	144	5.9
Ripening (days +/- Mascani)	-1	+1	0	-1	+1	+2	1.2
Grain quality							
Kernel content (%)	72.9	74.9	74.8	73.9	76.3	-	0.6
Specific weight (kg/hl)	54.2	54.9	53.1	54.0	55.8	61.3	1.1
Screenings (% through 2.0 mm)	4.3	6.1	2.9	6.1	6.3	-	1.5
Screenings (% through 1.8 mm)	-	-	-	-	-	16.0	2.2
Annual treated yield (% control)							
2021 (8.9 t/ha)	103	-	97	-	-	-	5.3
2022 (9.5 t/ha)	105	100	95	-	[101]	[78]	6.2
2023 (9.2 t/ha)	101	105	94	[108]	[105]	[76]	8.3
2024 (9.3 t/ha)	103	103	93	[100]	108	80	7.4
2025 (8.7 t/ha)	105	101	95	111	100	75	5.7
Breeder/UK contact							
Breeder	Sen	IBERS	IBERS	-	-	IBERS	
UK contact	Sen	Sen	Sen	R2n	RAGT	Sen	

This table should be read in conjunction with the winter oats RL 2026/27.

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

PGR = Plant growth regulator
[ ] = Limited data

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

IBERS = IBERS, Aberystwyth University (**aber.ac.uk/en/ibers**)
R2n = RAGT, France (**ragt.co.uk**)

RAGT = RAGT Seeds (**ragt.co.uk**)
Sen = Senova (**senova.uk.com**)