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across the drilling window.



Agri intelligence

Breeder + Wide drilling window and good resistance against Septoria Syngenta UK

Parentage: Expert x Premio

Status: Hard feed **AHDB** regional recommendation: UK

It has a relatively slow speed of development in the autumn and is ideal for early drilling, yet it moves relatively quickly in the spring. It has a very prostrate autumn growth habit with medium to high tillering capacity so seed rates can be reduced. Agrii late-drill trials show that it continues to yield well through to the end of January. Average competitiveness against grass weeds. Has average straw length and decently stiff straw, treated (7.6) (7) and untreated (6.9) (6) Early to mature (-1).

+ Very high yields and good physical grain quality

Graham has performed consistently well in Agrii trials over the past nine years (101 treated, 89%

untreated), and, while it is not the highest yielding variety, much of its success can be attributed to its

More suited for East and West regions with yield tailing off in the North and best not grown in Scotland

or other areas of high sterility risk. It can be grown on heavy and lighter soil types, but it should always be grown as a first wheat as its second wheat performance is relatively poor. Graham can multi-task

Disease ratings are generally good for mildew (6.3) and Septoria tritici (6.6) (6.3), but yellow rust has started to decline (7.0) (5.4) and brown rust (4.9) (3.5) and eyespot (4.4) resistances are poor. Not resistant to orange blossom midge

Agrii 3 year mean (min 23 trials)			
UK fungicide treated yield (% controls)	100.7		
Untreated yield (% controls)	89		
Specific weight (kg/hl)	77.5		
AHDB yield & grain quality - AHDB RL [] = limited data			
UK fungicide treated yield (% controls)	102		
East fungicide treated yield (% controls)	101		
West fungicide treated yield (% controls)	104		
North fungicide treated yield (% controls)	102		
Untreated yield (% treated controls)	89		
Specific weight (kg/hl)	77.7		

good Septoria resistance and bold grain (77.7 kg/hl, AHDB).

Disease ratinas (black = AHDB RL data) Red = Aarii data

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Mildew resistance (1-9)	6.3	-
Yellow rust plant susceptibility before GS32-33	Susceptible	
Yellow rust resistance (1-9)	7.0	5.4
Brown rust resistance (1-9)	4.9	3.5
Septoria tritici resistance (1-9) 3 year rating	6.6	6.3
Septoria tritici resistance (1-9) 1 year rating	6.4	-
Eyespot resistance (1-9)	6	-
Carries PCH1 Rendezvous gene for Eyespot resistance	No	
Fusarium ear blight resistance (1-9)	6.4	MR

poor. Not resistant to orange blossom midge.				
Agronomic characters Black = AHDB RL data, red = Agrii data [] = limited data				
Lodging resistance - PGR untreated (1-9)	6.9		6	
Lodging resistance - PGR treated(1-9)	7.6		7	
Height - PGR untreated (cm)	91		-	
Maturity (days +/- Skyfall)	-1		-1	
Agrii grassweed competitiveness rating	***			
OWBM resistance (breeder claim)	No			
BYDV tolerance (breeder claim)	No			
Agrii intelligence - complementary information [] = limited data				
Yield consistency		High		
Yield 'resilience' under disease pressure	re High			
Agrii yellow rust diversification group		O3		
2nd v 1st wheat relative performance		Poor		
Soil type suitability		Heavy & light		
Suitability to drill early (before 15th Sept)		Yes		
Latest optimum drilling date		End Jan		
AHDB latest safe sowing dates (breeder: see notes)		End Jan		
Suitable for regions of high sterility risk		No		
SRUC Scottish RL Status 2024/25		Not recommended		
Variety Sustainability Rating (Max 42)		Medium		



Note: Specific weights are assessed in the field and are consistently below those of cleaned samples. Full RL dataset is available from AHDB at www.ahdb.org.uk

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Source: Mean of Thirty three trials over three years. Mean yield of controls = 10.5 t/ha



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