



LG DIABLO

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Fully approved dual use spring barley with proven on farm performance and end user appeal.

SPRING BARLEY

KEY STRENGTHS

Fully approved dual use variety for brewing and malt distilling

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Non GN-producer

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High specific weight

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Good agronomics for use as a feed variety

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High tillering capacity for suitability in a blackgrass situation




	LG DIABLO	Laureate	RGT Planet
YIELD (% OF CONTROLS)			
UK	99	102	96
East	100	101	96
West	98	103	95
North	100	101	96
Untreated (% of treated control)	84	89	83
GRAIN QUALITY			
Specific Weight (kg/hl)	68.4	67.8	69.3
Screenings (% through <2.25mm)	1.2	1.1	1.0
Screenings (% through <2.5mm)	3.0	2.7	2.9
Nitrogen Content (%)	1.48	1.48	1.50
Hot Water Extract (l deg/kg)	314.2	314.2	313.5



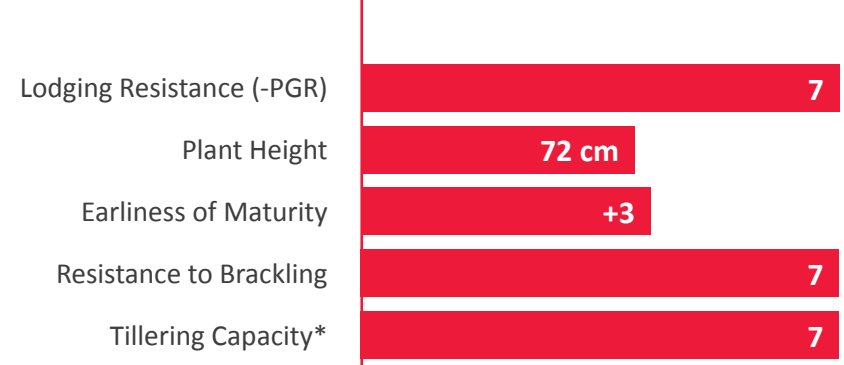
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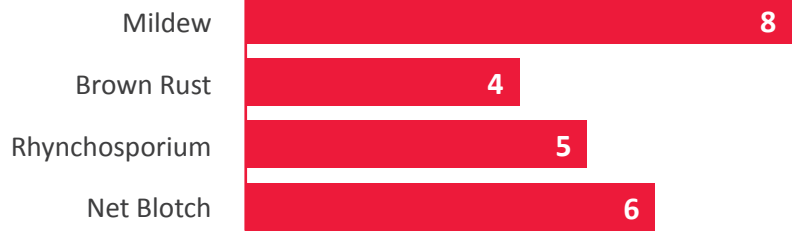
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AGRONOMIC PROFILE



DISEASE RESISTANCE



BARLEY YIELD IS ALL ABOUT TILLER RETENTION

Spring barley was a get-out-of-jail card for some growers last season after wet weather prevented autumn drilling, yet many crops went on to deliver above average yields. Why they performed so well owes much to the age-old issue of tiller retention, LG's Ron Granger says.

Maximising spring barley yield is all about retaining maximum tillers through to harvest. In some seasons, prolonged dry periods can cause crops to drop tillers and reduce this potential, yet last year, plentiful moisture availability throughout the growing season benefitted many spring crops, especially on lighter land.

We cannot control the weather, but there are 5 actions that will help barley produce and retain as many tillers as possible this spring. Such foundation work is essential, whatever the weather.

1. Select The Right Variety
2. Wait For Optimal Conditions
3. Optimise Seed Rate
4. Tailor Nutrition
5. Minimise Weed Competition

FOR MORE INFO ON
SPRING BARLEY AGRONOMY,
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All data is from the AHDB Recommended List 2025 database. See <https://ahdb.org.uk/rl> for full dataset. On the 1-9 scales, high figures indicate that the variety shows the character to a high degree. (e.g. high resistance). Agronomic features marked with * are breeders perspective.

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