

# Acacia

## Highest yielding conventional variety on the RL



**Type:** Conventional

**Status:** Recommended UK

**Clearfield®:** No

The open pollinated variety is an Anastasia cross, inheriting key agronomic characteristics of strong autumn and spring vigour, soild disease resistance and short, stiff straw, combined with high oil content.

Acacia has shown extremely high gross output and treated yield potential in both England and Scotland, showing the variety performs well across the whole of the UK.

**Acacia is very vigorous in both the autumn and spring, like [Anastasia](#).** An important attribute for the establishment of winter oilseed rape, especially when the crop is under stress from pests and disease.

The variety is medium-early flowering and has medium-late maturity, giving the crop a longer grain fill period and the farmer an opportunity to spread harvest workloads.

Acacia has a good disease resistance to light leaf spot and stem canker; the two-main yield robbing diseases of oilseed rape.



Acacia is a short variety with very stiff stems and very good lodging resistance, providing growers with an easier, quicker harvest.

Acacia has shown very high consistent annual yield performance in some very different environmental seasons – an attribute of great importance for on-farm performance.

## Strengths

- Highest yielding conventional variety available on the AHDB Recommended List 2021/22
- Highly vigorous variety
- Robust plant type with good straw strength
- Good disease resistance
- Proven on farm and Trial performance across a number of years

## Technical Information

Technical information for Acacia is listed below:

	ACACIA	Blazen	Campus
UK	106.6	101.3	101.8
East/West	106.9	101.2	101.8
North	104.4	102.3	101.9

	ACACIA	Blazen	Campus
Resistance to Lodging	8	[8]	8
Stem Stiffness	9	9	8
Height (cm)	150	152	158
Earliness of Flowering	6	6	6
Earliness of Maturity	5	5	5
Oil Content (%)	45.7	44.7	45.5



	ACACIA	Blazen	Campus
Light Leaf Spot	6	6	6
Stem Canker	5	6	6



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