

# Acacia

## Highest yielding variety on the AHDB RL



**Type:** Conventional

**Status:** Recommended UK

**Clearfield®:** No

**Acacia sets a new benchmark as the highest yielding variety available on the [AHDB Oilseed Rape Recommended List 2020/21](#).**

The open pollinated variety is an Anastasia cross, inheriting key agronomic characteristics of strong autumn and spring vigour, solid 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



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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 variety available on the AHDB Oilseed Rape Recommended List 2020/21
- Highest gross output variety for the east/west
- Highest gross output conventional variety for the north
- Anastasia cross
- Strong autumn and spring vigour
- Solid disease resistance

## Technical Information

Technical information for Acacia is listed below:

	Acacia	Ballad	Elgar
UK	109	105	100
East/West	110	105	101
North	108	102	98

	Acacia	Ballad	Elgar
Resistance to Lodging	[8]	8	8
Stem Stiffness	9	8	8
Shortness of Stem	7	7	6
Earliness of Flowering	6	7	6
Earliness of	5	4	6



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	Acacia	Ballad	Elgar
Maturity			
Height (cm)	150	150	154
Oil Content (%)	45.7	45.8	45.1

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Light Leaf Spot	6	6	7
Stem Canker	5	5	6
Turnip Yellows Virus (TuYV)	-	-	-



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