2004 VARIETY RECOMMENDATIONS FOR SPRING AND WINTER CANOLA

Table 1. Recommended Spring Canola Hybrids and Varieties

Variety	Days from Planting to Maturity ¹	(2 Year) Yield ^{2,5} (t/ha)	(3 Year) Yield ^{3,5} (t/ha)	Free Fatty Acids ³ (%)	Brown Seeds ³ (%)	Lodging ⁴ 1 = erect 5 = flat	Distributor
45H21 ⁸	93 6	2.72		0.40 7	1.4 7	2.0 6	Pioneer Hybrid
Hyola 357RR ⁸	97	2.51	2.57	0.43	1.8	2.2	Advanta Seeds
InVigor 2643 9	98	2.64	2.68	0.62	2.7	2.0	Bayer CropScience
Hyola 401	99	2.63	2.69	0.37	1.6	2.1	Advanta Seeds
OAC Tornado	99	2.59	2.56	0.62	2.8	1.7	Bonis & Company Ltd.
Canterra 1492CA	100	2.55	2.46	0.82	4.2	1.6	Advantage Seed Growers
OAC Hurricane	100	2.44	2.44	0.57	2.4	1.8	Bonis & Company Ltd.
Senator	100	2.42	2.38	0.72	3.7	1.6	Bonis & Company Ltd.

Most of the entries are hybrids except for the OAC varieties and Senator.

Table 2. Recommended Winter Canola Varieties

Variety	Yield ^{1,2} (t/ha)	Winter ³ Survival (%)	Maturity ⁴ Date (July)	Lodging ⁵ 1 = erect 5 = flat	Blackleg Rating ⁶ 0 = none 4 = dead	Distributor
Baldur	3.31	77.9	10	1.6	-	C&M Seeds
Kronos	3.47	83.5	10	1.4	-	C&M Seeds

Baldur and Kronos are hybrids.

Values shown are averages of 9, 14, and 8 public trials, respectively, grown in 2001 - 2003.

Values shown are averages of 10 public trials grown in 2002 and 2003.

¹ t/ha = 893 lb/ac.

The values for this variety are averages of 5 and 10 public trials, respectively, grown in 2002 and 2003. These varieties are Roundup Ready $^{\rm TM}$.

This variety is Liberty Link TM.

¹ t/ha = 893 lb/ac = 17.86 bu/ac2,3,4,5

Values shown are averaged for 6, 3, 2, and 4 trials, respectively, harvested in 2001 - 2002.

There was no Ontario Blackleg data, however, both hybrids had medium to low ratings in European trials.