Variety Overview

ROCKSTAR is an exceptionally high-yielding, mid-late flowering variety, with a similar time to flowering as LRPB TROJAN. It has an AH classification in the southern zone and is a complex derivative with MACE parentage. It delivers exceptional yields and provides a large yield improvement within the early-mid flowering variety class. ROCKSTAR offers an opportunity to maximise sowing opportunities and spread flowering windows during critical spring stress periods.

ROCKSTAR has good powdery mildew (Rp), stem rust (MRp), yellow leaf spot (MRMSp) and stripe rust (MRMSp) resistance (all provisional ratings). It has a good grain size, good test weight and has a moderate plant height, being similar to MACE. ROCKSTAR is an excellent varietal alternative to LRPB TROJAN, YITPI, and CUTLASS.

ROCKSTAR is available for planting in 2020 from local resellers and Seedclub members.

Variety at a glance

The AH wheat that rocks till late

PLANT FEATURES & DISEASE

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Alternatively:
LRPB TROJAN, CUTLASS, CATAPULT, YITPI, and SCEPTER.

ALTERNATIVE TO:

LRPB TROJAN, CUTLASS, CATAPULT, YITPI, AND SCEPTER.

PLANT FEATURES Source: InterGrain wheat breeding. CCN Ratings NVT conduct CCN ratings on second year NVT entries only. NVT ratings for CATAPULT and RockStar will be available at the end of 2019.

Powdery Mildew: Ratings are based on SA NVT data.
The Kalkee site was sown on 20th June, due to the later break and requirement for uniform site establishment. Sowing moisture conditions were good. The site was fallowed in 2017 and received an annual rainfall of 264 mm (Horsham Aerodrome) and 173 mm of growing season rainfall (May-October). The October rains favored the later maturing types within this trial.

The Inverleigh site was sown on 23rd May 2018. The site was fallowed in 2017 and received an annual rainfall of 367 mm (Bannockburn) and 230 mm of growing season rainfall (May-October). An ideal environment to assess mid-late and later to flowering maturity types.

GRAIN QUALITY

SCREENINGS

HECTOLITRE WEIGHT

SEED AVAILABILITY

Seed is available from through your local reseller or Seedclub member.

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