# **DK EXALTE**

# A **LEADING** COMBINATION OF **FAST EARLY** PLANT DEVELOPMENT AND **DEKALB'S YIELD PROTECTING TRAITS**

## AGRONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS









DOUBLE PHOMA

POD SHATTI

GOOD LIGHT LEAF

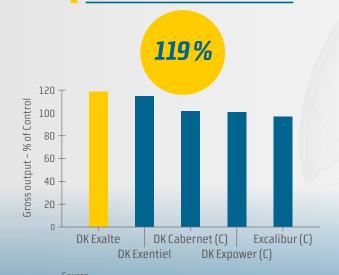
Gross output	102 % (UK	) 108 % (North)
Oil content		45.5
Earliness at regrowth		early
Earliness at flowering		7
Earliness at maturity		5
Plant height		6
Lodging resistance		8
Stem stiffness		7
Pod shattering resistance		Υ
Phoma resistance		8
Light Leaf Spot resistance		7

Source:

**GROSS OUTPUT** 

AHDB Recommended Lists 2017/18 – Table 16 Varieties not added to the RL.

# DEKALB TRIALS 2016



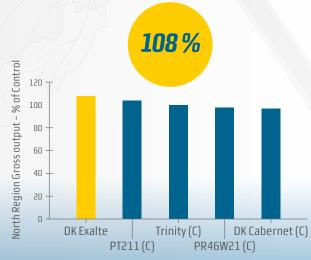
Extract from DEKALB replicated MidiFACT Trials Harvest 2016 - 3 sites. (C) denotes control variety.

# "DK EXALTE IS A GOOD CHOICE FOR GROWERS"



**MATTHEW CLARKE, Breeder, DEKALB** "DK Exalte is a good choice for growers throughout the UK. It is capable of very high yields with very high oil content. It features pod shatter resistance, rapid autumn and spring development and early maturity. It is also notable for its disease resistance profile, combining double phoma resistance with very robust light leaf spot resistance."

# AHDB NORTH REGION 2016 GROSS OUTPUT



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Extract from AHDB Recommended List 2017/18 Table 16 – full dataset available from https://cereals.ahdb.org.uk – note DK Exalte not added to the recommended list. (C) denotes control variety.





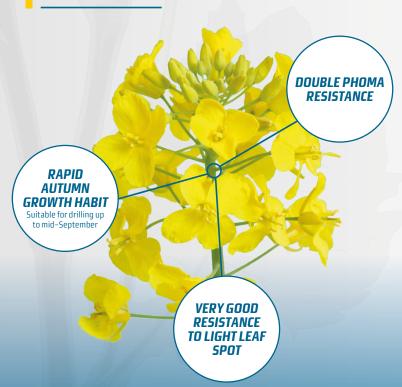
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## **RECOMMENDATIONS**

- Seed rate should target an even plant stand of 25-30 plants/m² in spring.
- The rapid autumn growth habit means a PGR may be required in early/mid October on crops early sown or on fertile sites to reduce the risk of over development pre winter.
- The early and rapid spring growth habit means PGRs should be considered on forward crops and fertile sites or those with a history of lodging along with appropriate nitrogen rates to avoid oversize canopies. Ensure the Green Area Index is accurately determined at the start of spring growth.



## **BENEFITS**





#### **VIGOROUS ESTABLISHMENT**

Proven ability to establish robust, well-rooted plants that are best able to cope with challenging UK conditions.



### **DOUBLE PHOMA RESISTANCE**

The combination of the RLM7 gene and Polygenic resistance provides outstanding, durable resistance to Phoma Stem Canker and flexibility in fungicide application.



#### POD SHATTER RESISTANCE

Genetic resistance that minimises yield loss and volunteer issues caused by seed-shedding up to and during harvest.



#### RAPID AUTUMN DEVELOPMENT

Rapid Autumn growth habit means that as well as being suitable for the main drilling window it can be the ideal variety for delayed drilling or less than ideal conditions



### **GOOD LIGHT LEAF SPOT RESISTANCE**

Solid polygenic resistance providing a good level of protection from Light Leaf Spot the 2nd most important OSR disease



