

KWS VIBE







Group 1 Winter Wheat

- New high quality breadmaking wheat
- Very high untreated yields thanks to all-round excellent disease resistance, including 6.6 for Septoria
- Short, stiff strawed and early to mature

Get with the Vibe! KWS Vibe is an exciting addition to the Recommended List 2025/26 for Winter Wheats. And for good reason, it is a potential high quality breadmaking wheat that has one of the best combinations of yield, disease resistance and grain quality, offering real change and excellent gross margin potential for professional milling wheat growers in all regions of the UK.

KWS Vibe is now a recommended group 1 variety and to date has achieved Group 1 ratings over 2 contrasting seasons thanks to its higher proteins and gluten quality than current Group 1 controls. Couple this with higher HFN (283) and specific weights (79.1kg/hl) than KWS Zyatt and you have an exciting wheat for the future.

In the north, KWS Vibe's slow development but ability to tiller, along with a score of 7 for eyespot resistance, makes it the ideal wheat to start drilling early, a key requirement for growers further north. In addition, the variety delivers some of the highest yields compared to current Group 1 wheats on the current RL in this region, giving growers access to premium market opportunities where available.

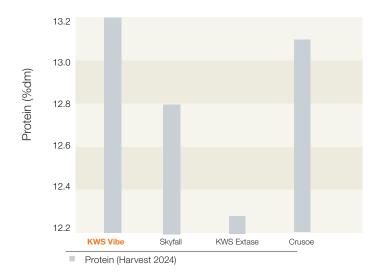
In the AHDB East and West, KWS Vibe is all about yield, market potential, disease resistance and field performance. It's a short stiff plant type – with 0% lodging in the challenging year of 2023, backed with an impressive set of disease resistance scores including [7] for mildew, 8 for yellow rust and 6.6 for *Septoria*. All this and yields ahead of Skyfall and Crusoe, making KWS Vibe one of the most profitable wheats you could grow this season.

So for drilling 2025, why not get with the Vibe!



What makes KWS VIBE the wheat variety for you?

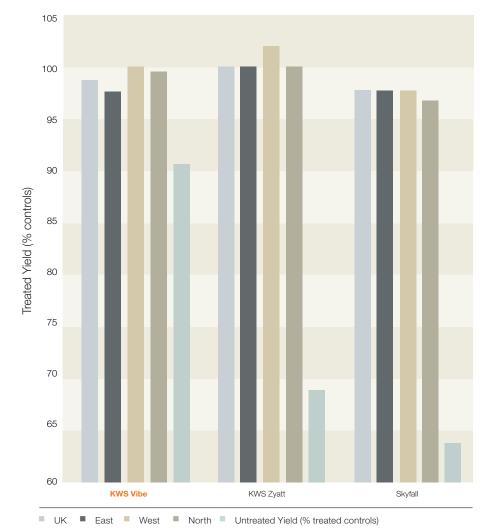
KWS Vibe is the potential new protein banker for breadmaking growers.





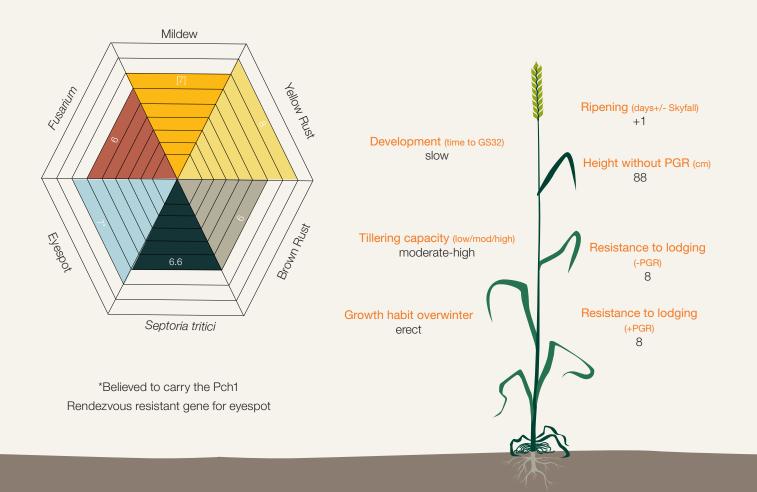
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KWS VIBE yield performance



| Yield | % treated controls |
|-----------|--------------------|
| UK | 98 |
| East | 97 |
| West | 100 |
| North | [99] |
| Untreated | 89 |
| 2022 | 99 |
| 2023 | 97 |
| 2024 | 102 |
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Disease resistance and agronomy of KWS VIBE



KWS VIBE end markets

KWS Vibe consistently shows higher protein than the Skyfall control. The gluten quality and loaf volumes are good with a good overall baking performance.



| | KWS Vibe |
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| Grain Quality | |
| Protein content (%) - All Trials | 11.6 |
| Hagberg Falling Number | 283 |
| Specific Weight (kg/hl) | 79.1 |

KWS VIBE - Sowing for Peak Performance

80% of your crop's potential is locked in by the seed you buy and sow. While you can fine tune this with the correct nitrogen levels, using fungicides wisely to protect it from disease and paying attention to basic management principles, many attributes of your crop can't be changed. Therefore, it pays for you and your agronomist to make proactive choices before ordering a variety.

To get peak performance from KWS Vibe we recommend drilling in the following time window:



At KWS, we believe to get the best performance on your farm it is critical that when you choose your variety, you are using a wealth of data to tailor your choice for both your farm and individual field situation.

To learn more about Sowing

To learn more about Sowing for Peak Performance, scan the QR code or visit

bit.ly/3bRqCig



Seed Rates

| | 1st - 3rd week Sep | End Sep - Early Oct | Mid - Late Oct | Late Oct - Early Nov | Early Nov - Early Dec |
|------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| Conditions | | | | | |
| Good Seed Bed | 200 - 250 | 250 - 325 | 350 - 400 | 350 - 400 | 425 - 500 |
| Bad Seed Bed | 250 - 275 | 350 - 375 | 400 - 425 | 400 - 425 | 500+ |
| Soil Type | | | | | |
| Light | 250 - 275 | 275 - 350 | 350 - 375 | 350 - 375 | 425 - 475 |
| Heavy | 250 - 275 | 300 - 350 | 400 - 425 | 400 - 425 | 500+ |

Start sowing from:

Based on your location, we recommend sowing this wheat from a different date. The map to the right is divided into 5 regions, within each one is the recommended start date you could drill KWS Vibe from.

