Hybrid Rye for biogas

KWS launched the first hybrid rye for biogas in the UK in 2010 (500 ha).

- Spread harvest/ feedstock risk
- Blackgrass control
- Light land yield performance
- UK wide adoption

Today's area ca. 20 - 23,000 ha +/-

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- Crop competition / rotation trial
- Rye trial with high blackgrass burden
  - Light reduction
  - Reduced maturity
  - Less seed shed
  - Blackgrass seed - 60% less visible than those from wheat plots
  - Recent WRAP report "Impacts of pasteurisation and mesophilic AD on some common crop pests and diseases in the UK"

Share of UK Feedstock Use (ha)

- Maize
- Hybrid Rye
- Beet
- Other (Grass, Mix Wholecrop Cereals, Triticale, Oats, Crimped Maize, B. Pulp, Feed Grain)

UK Trials Research and Selection

- Ongoing wholecrop trials in the UK since 2013
- Select and screen new hybrids