

KWS TOWER

Winter Barley

Saffron x Retriever



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SINCE 1856



The winter barley that towers above!

- High yielding 2-row
- Consistent on-farm performance for 5 years
- Low screenings, medium height, stiff straw

A Saffron X Retriever cross, KWS Tower combines the bold grain of the former, with the vigour and tillering capacity of the latter. It has medium length straw and is slightly taller than KWS Glacier, but with stronger straw.

This longer straw – a characteristic which tends to impart better drought resistance in barleys – may help explain its strong light land performance.

Drill it in September, allow it to produce a high number of tillers in autumn and it will pile on the yield in the spring.

UK Yield (% Controls)



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UK	99
East	99
West	99
North	101

Disease

Mildew	5
Yellow Rust	[8]
Brown Rust	6
Rhynchosporium	6
Net blotch	4
BaYMV	R

Agronomy

Screenings <2.25mm	2.2
Screenings <2.5mm	7.4
Lodging	8
Maturity (+/- KWS Orwell)	0
Height (cm) with PGR	85
Sp.Wt (kg/hl)	67.4

Data sources: AHDB Recommended List, Winter Barley 2020/21

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