

## The early driller that looks after itself

- Suitable for early drilling
- Stiff straw with strong establishment
- Good verticillium stem stripe tolerance

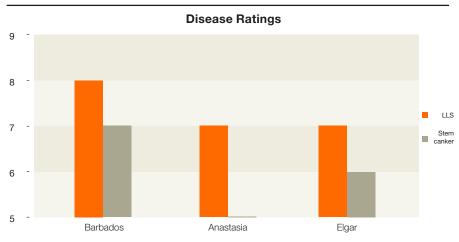
Multi-gene resistance to light leaf spot and stem canker combined with verticillium stem stripe tolerance support Barbados' performance across the UK. It has found favour in regions where both LLS and stem canker are an issue.

Although recommended for the North, Barbados has a strong following in the East and South East of the country and has consistently delivered good results on farm.

A DK Cabernet cross, Barbados combines many attributes of its parent plus good winter hardiness and a strong, leafy, early spring growth leading to a tight canopy with a mass of well-packed pods.

Barbados is an easy to manage variety with a very good establishment and compact growth habit, it also benefits from low autumn input requirements.

It's ideally suited to early drilling as part of flea beetle strategy. Barbados has excellent lodging resistance and stem stiffness. It has a vigorous spring growth habit of its maturity of 4 reflects it's very clean growth and general plant senescence.



	Barbados		
Overview			
Variety type	Conventional		
Recommendation	North		
	UK	E/W	N
Gross output	99	98	102
Seed yield	99	99	103
Agronomy			
Shortness of stem	6		
Lodging	8		
Stem stiffness	8		
Flowering	6		
Maturity	4		
Oil content (%)	45.1		
Disease			
Light leaf spot	8		
Stem canker	7		
Verticillium stem stripe tolerance*	****		

Data sources: AHDB Recommended List, Winter Oilseed Rape 2020/21 KWS Internal scoring (out of 5) for verticillium stem stripe tolerand