

# VEGAS



- + A high gross output hybrid
- + Excellent disease profile especially against Verticillium stem stripe

**Breeder**  
NPZ (DE), NPZ (UK)

**Type:**  
Hybrid

**AHDB region:**  
UK-wide

Agrii's third biggest selling variety last year after being introduced three years ago. It continues to perform well in trials (101% treated, 93% untreated, 46.1% oil) and on-farm in spite of it coming off the UK Recommended List. It has performed at the top-level of not having the TuYV resistance or pod shatter resistance. This can be attributed to its excellent disease profile and late-season stem health.

Suitable for all soils and regions of the UK. Vegas has a fast speed of development in the autumn (8) and moderately vigorous in the spring (7). Vegas produces a relatively compact canopy (148 cm), very stiff (RL 8), good lodging resistance (RL 8; Agrii 9) and has medium maturity (RL 5; Agrii 5).

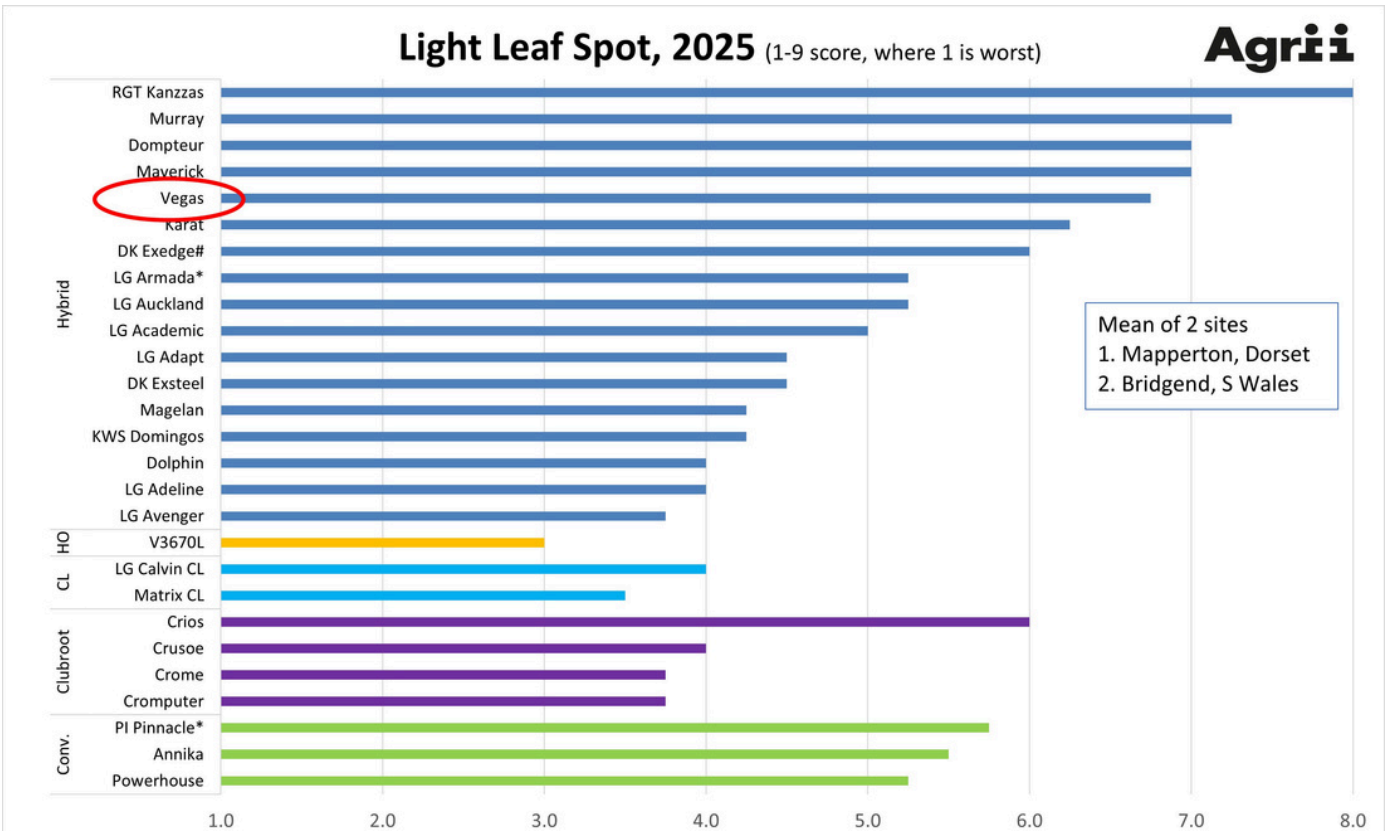
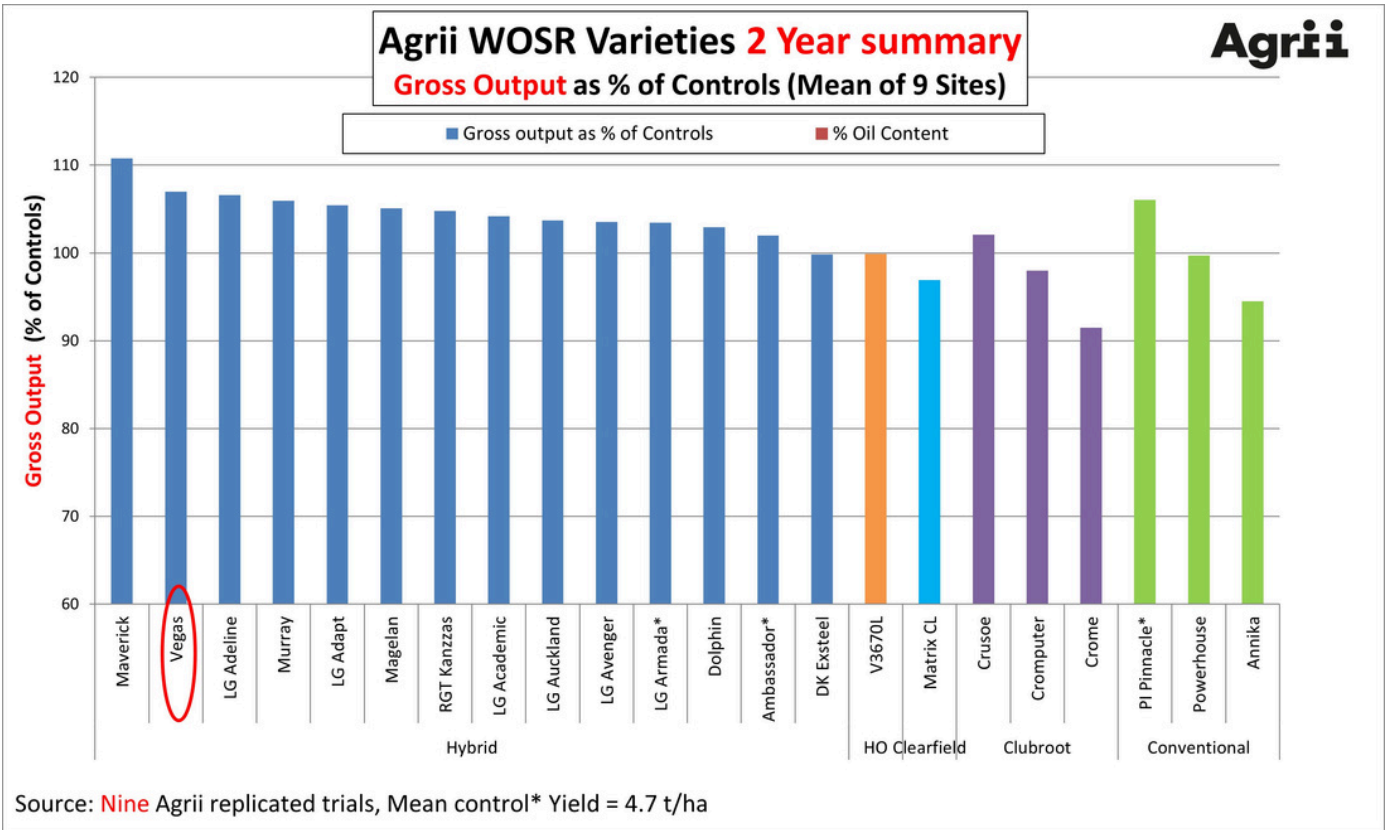
Disease resistance includes a robust light leaf spot rating (RL 7; Agrii 7) and RLMS stem canker resistance (RL 9; Agrii 8). Vegas has reasonable tolerance to Verticillium stem stripe (I) with noticeably greener stems compared with many other varieties is where the extra yield comes from and less prone to pod shatter, as a result.



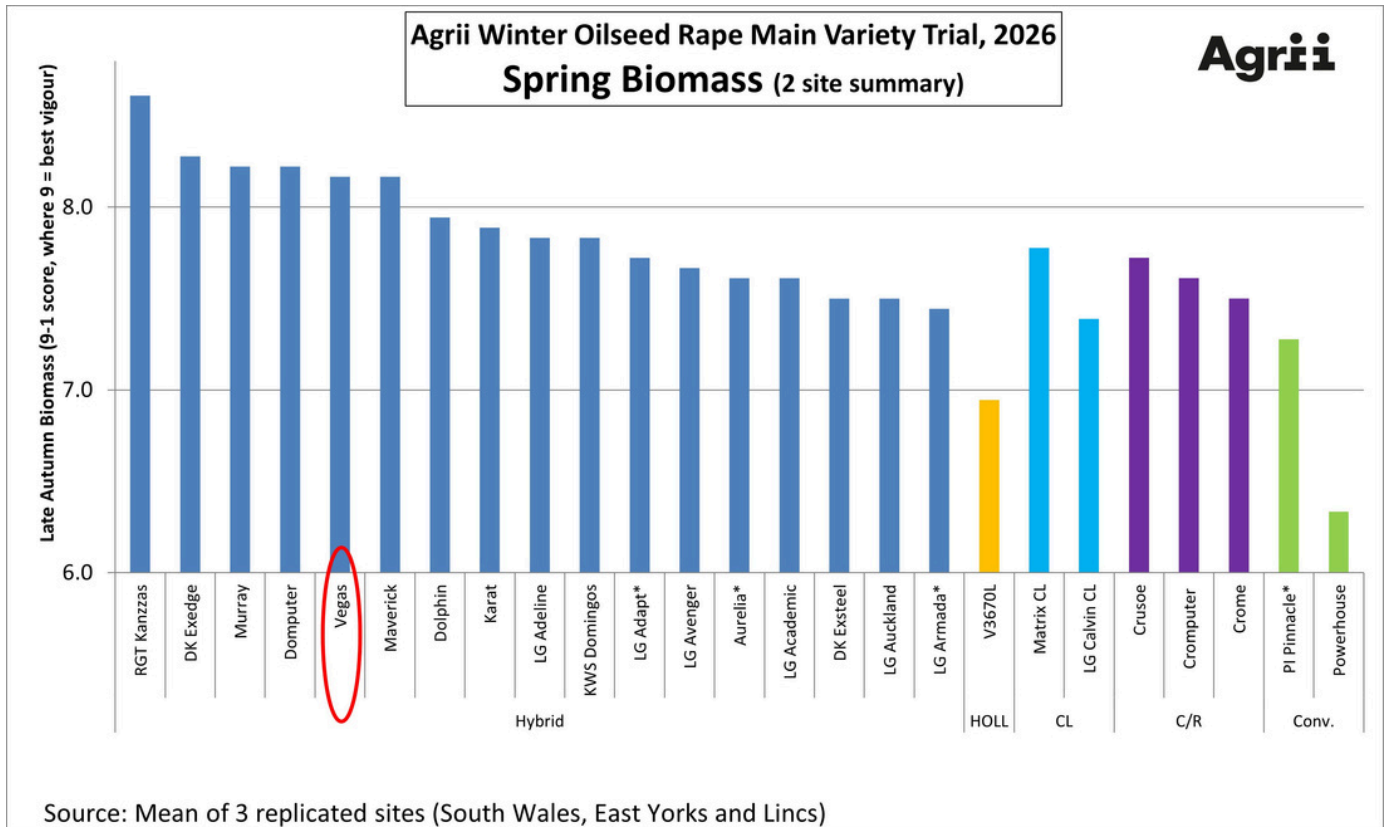
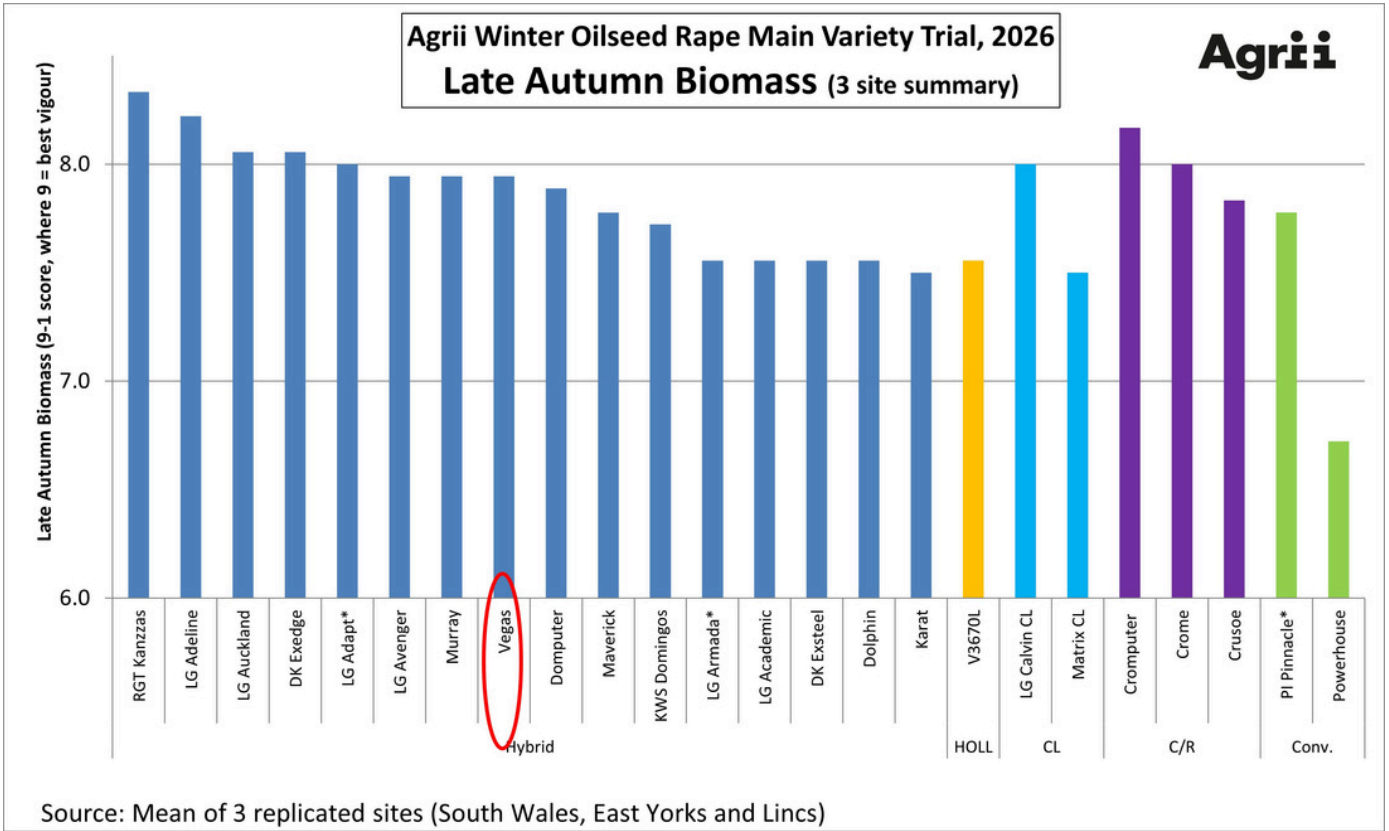
<b>Agrii data</b>	Yield %	UK GO treated (4.7 t/ha)	104
		UK GO untreated	93
		% Oil	46.1
	Agronomy (1-9)	Autumn vigour	8.0
		Spring vigour	7.4
		Height (cm)	154
		Lodging	9
	Disease	Maturity	5
		Light leaf spot	6.8
		Late-season stem heath	8.0
	Traits	TuYV tolerance	-
		Pod shatter	-
	Variety Sustainability Rating (VSR)		Very High

<b>AHDB data</b>	Yield %	UK GO treated (5.3 t/ha)	-
		E/W GO (5.2 t/ha)	-
		North GO (5.9 t/ha)	-
		% Oil	-
	Agronomy (1-9)	Lodging	8
		Stem stiffness	8
		Height (cm)	143
		Flowering	8
		Maturity	5
		Light leaf spot	7
		Stem Canker	9
		Verticillium tolerance	1

Note: Full AHDB dataset is available from AHDB at [www.ahdb.org.uk](http://www.ahdb.org.uk)



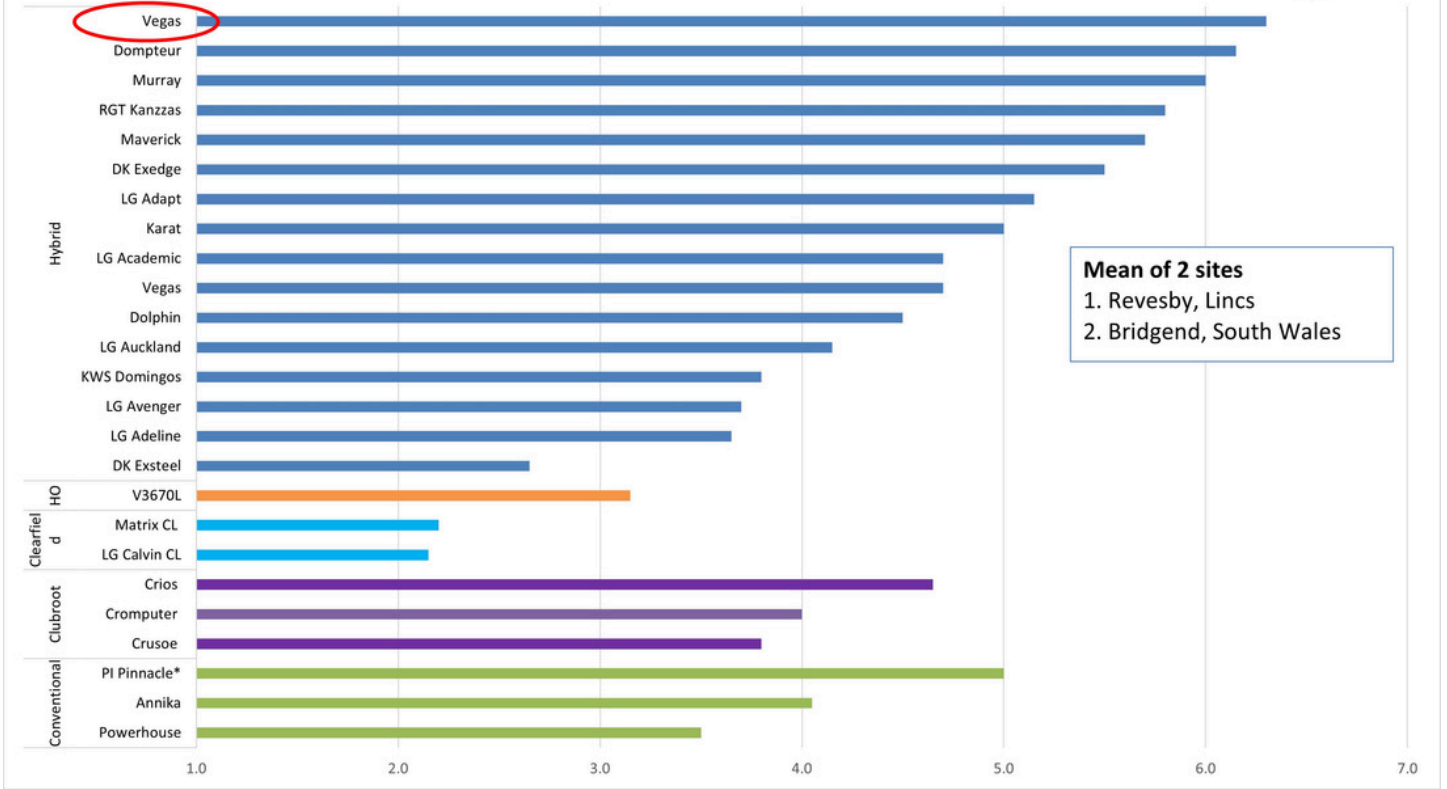
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## Late-season Stem Health 2026-27 (1-9 score, where 9 is best)



Mean of 2 sites  
 1. Revesby, Lincs  
 2. Bridgend, South Wales