

# MAVERICK



- + Highest gross output hybrid in AHDB and Agrii trials
- + Robust disease profile including Turnip Yellow Virus (TuYV)

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

**Type:**  
Hybrid

**AHDB region:**  
E&W Region

The highest yielding variety in both AHDB (107%) and Agrii trials (118%) with a high oil content (46%) (47.8%). Its performance is slightly ahead of its sister variety, Vegas, probably as a result of the additional Turnip Yellow Virus resistance trait. The European-wide breeder, NPZ, has come to the fore in recent years with improved disease traits and better late-season stem health.

Suitable for all soils with its best performance is in the East and West regions of the UK. It has shown good autumn (8.0) and spring vigour (7.0) in Agrii trials over the past three years and the ability to withstand CSFB larval attack. Relatively tall (159 cm) but it has a very stiff canopy (8). It has medium maturity (5) (6).

Disease resistance includes a good light leaf spot rating (7) (6.5) and a combination of RLMS and RLM7 stem canker resistance (8) (9). It appears tolerant of Verticillium stem stripe in both AHDB and Agrii trials but does not carry the pod-shatter resistance trait preferred by many growers.

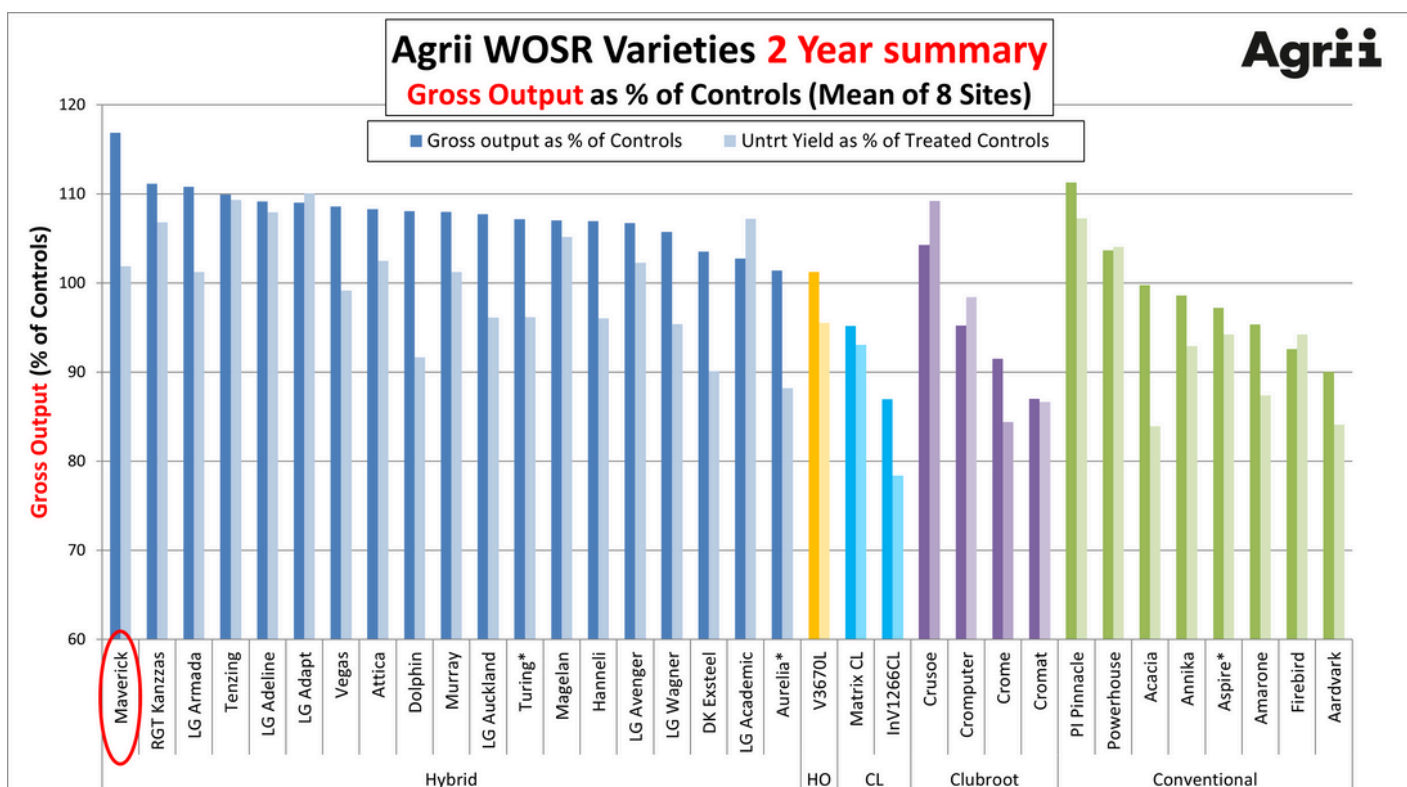


Agrii data	Yield %	UK GO treated (4.7 t/ha)	118
		UK GO untreated	92
		% Oil	47.8
	Agronomy (1-9)	Autumn vigour	8.0
		Spring vigour	7.0
		Height (cm)	159
		Lodging	8
		Maturity	6
	Disease	Light leaf spot	6.5
		Phoma (AHDB)	7.8
		Verticillium tolerance	(I)
		TuYV tolerance	R
	Traits	Pod shatter	-
	Variety Sustainability Rating (VSR)		High

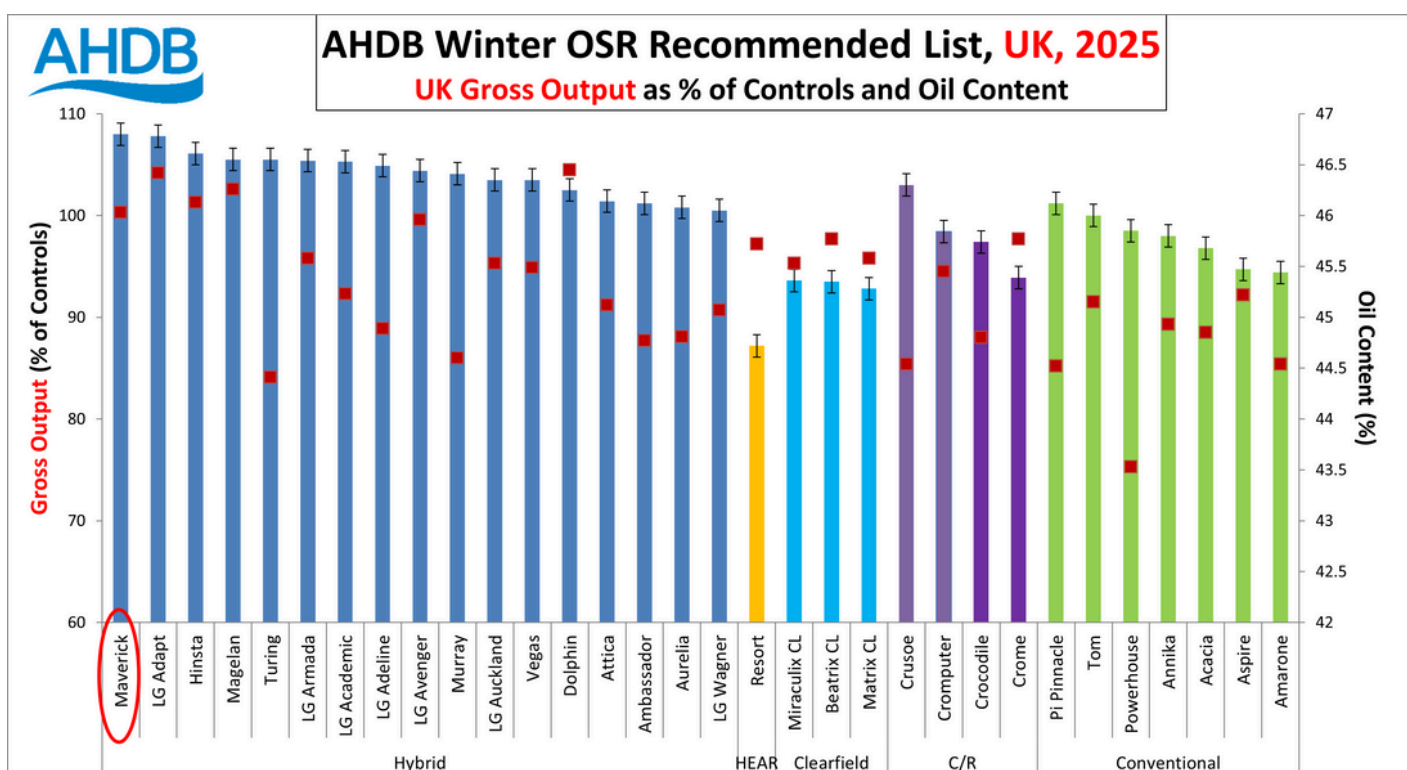
AHDB data	Yield %	UK GO treated (5.3 t/ha)	107
		E/W GO (5.2 t/ha)	108
		North GO (5.9 t/ha)	99
	Agronomy (1-9)	% Oil	46.0
		Lodging	8
		Stem stiffness	8
		Height (cm)	154
		Flowering	7
		Maturity	5
		Light leaf spot	7
		Stem Canker	9

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

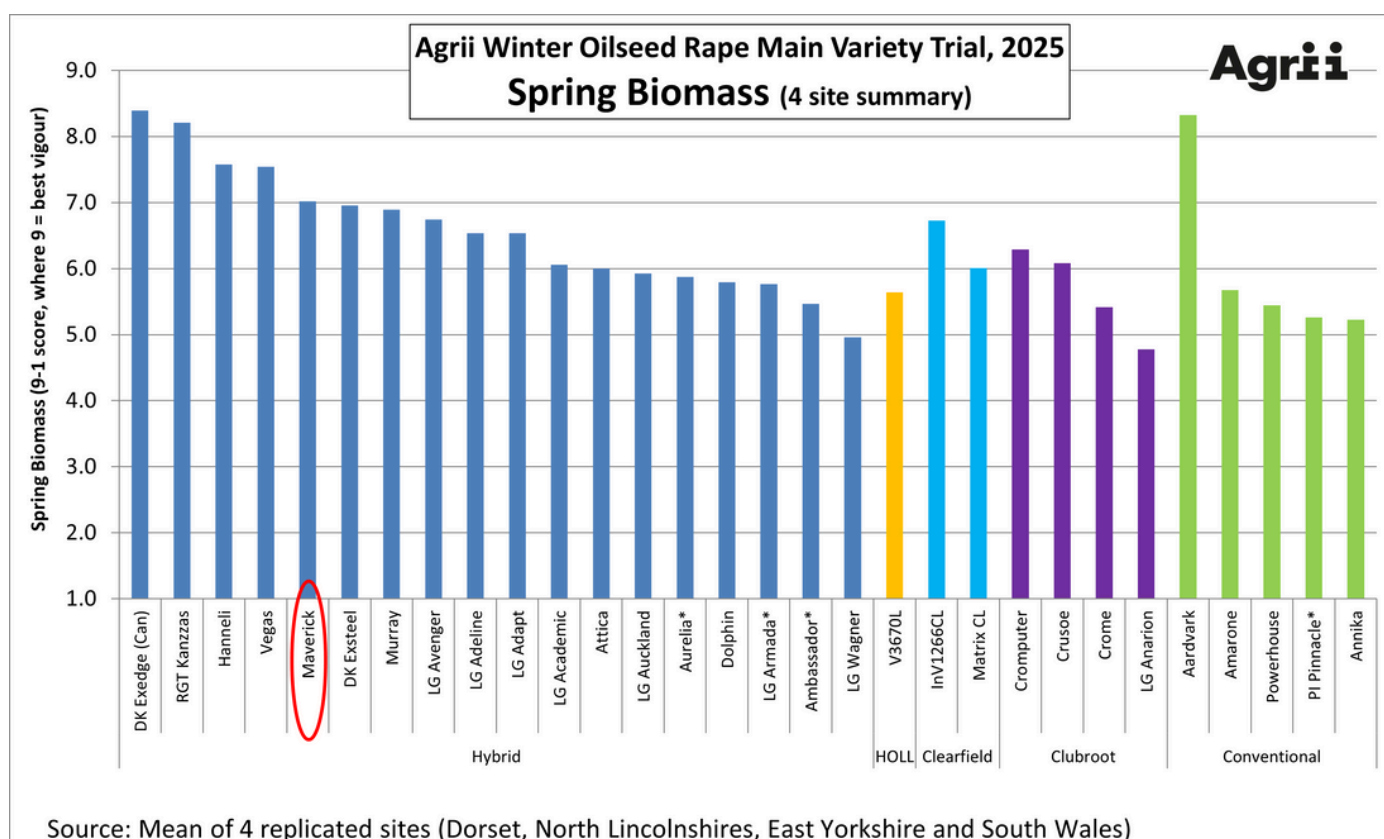
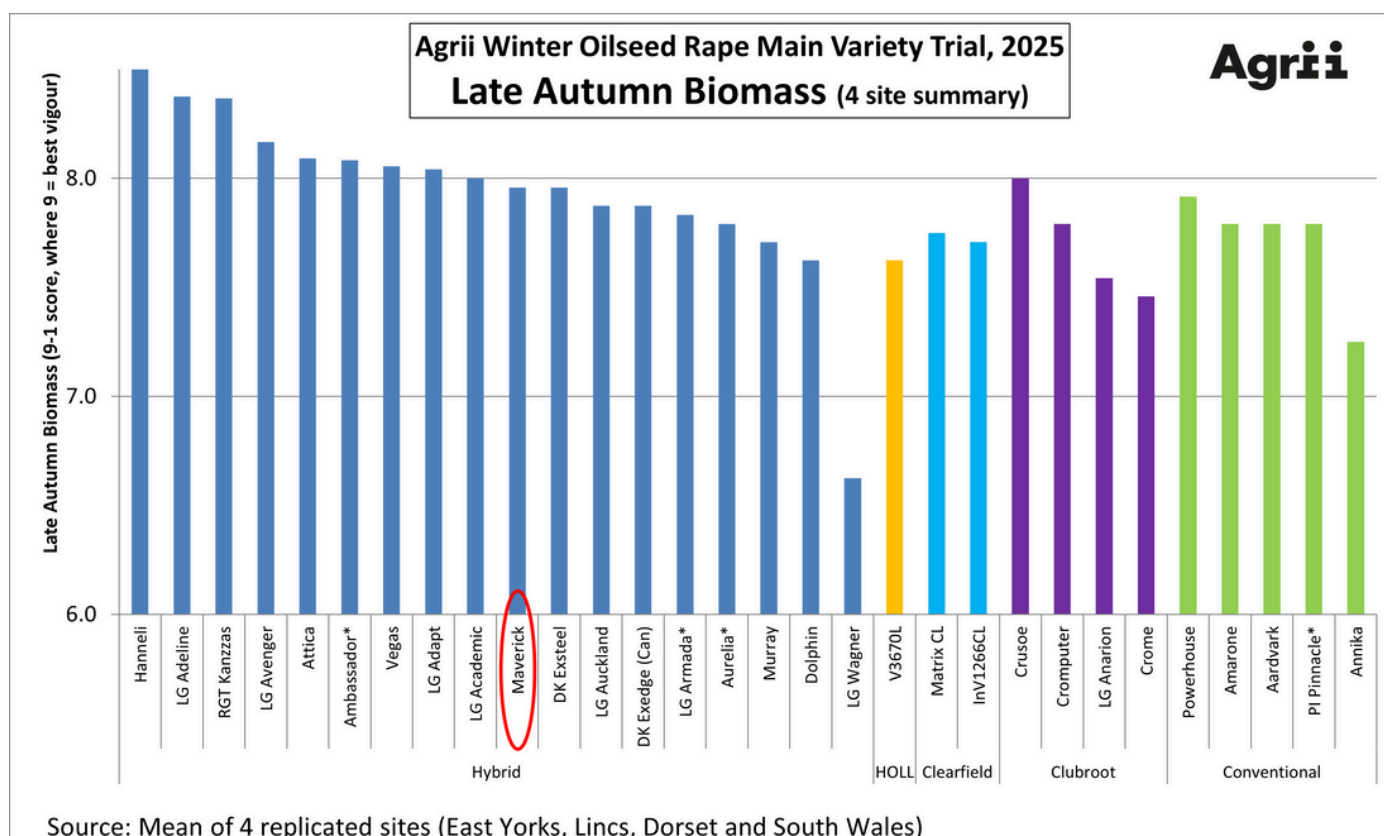
**Agrii**™



Source: Eight Agrii replicated trials, Mean control\* Seed Yield = 4.2 t/ha (untreated yields from single plots)

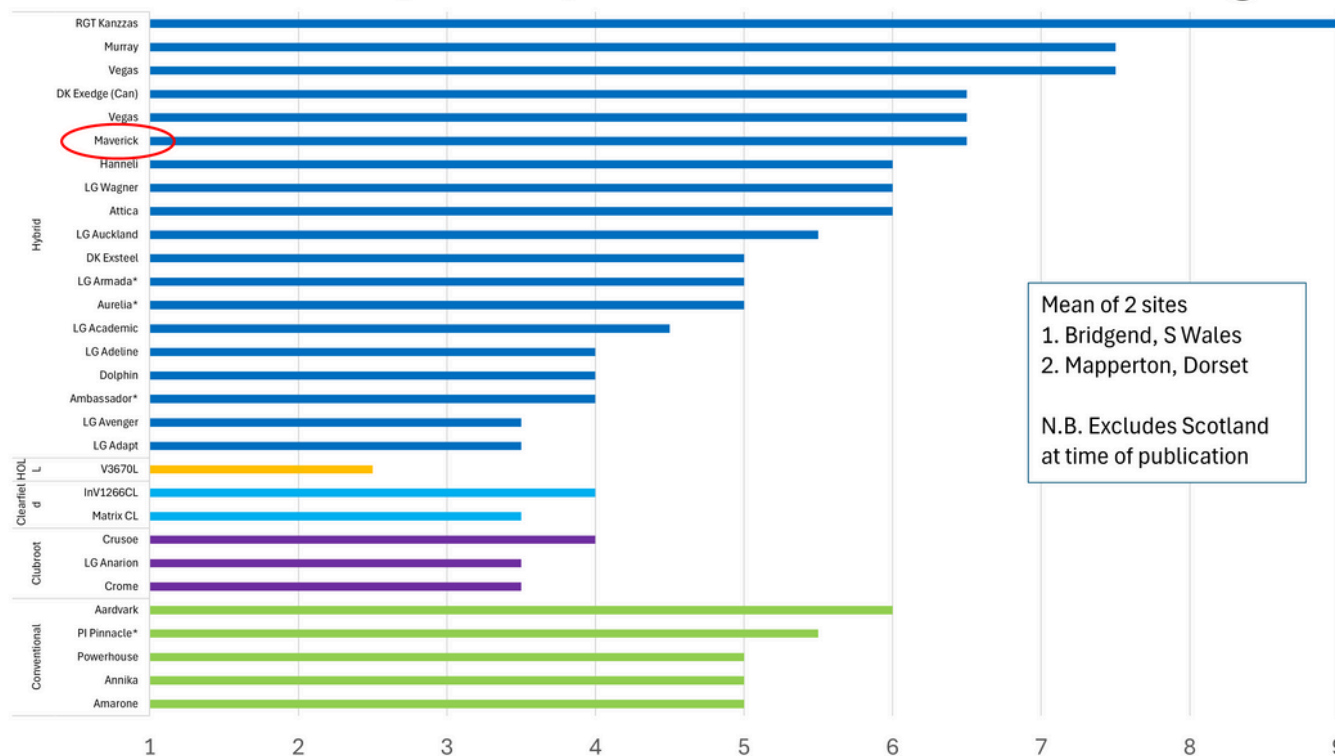


Source: AHDB Recommended List 2025-26 [www.ahdb.org.uk](http://www.ahdb.org.uk). Control gross output UK = 4.7 t/ha





## Light Leaf Spot, 2025 (1-9 score, where 1 is worst)

**Agrii**


## Relationship Between Larval Damage and Spring Biomass (Revesby, North Lincs, 2025)

**Agrii**
