Technical Bulletin

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CDC Spectrum Yellow Field Pea



Description:

CDC Spectrum is a high yielding yellow cotyledon, semi-leafless field pea with improved yield potential, good lodging tolerance and powdery mildew resistance.

Parentage: CDC Meadow/Polstead//CDC Bronco

Strengths:

- 11% higher yield compared to the mean of the yellow checks CDC Golden and Agassiz
- Better lodging resistance than the checks
- Powdery mildew resistant

Neutral Traits:

- Medium maturity (2 days later than Agassiz, 4 days later than CDC Golden)
- Medium vine length (similar to the checks)

- Medium seed size (larger than the checks)
- Round seed shape (similar to the checks)
- Low seed coat breakage percent
- Moderate protein concentration (similar to Agassiz, less than CDC Golden, higher than CDC Amarillo)
- Fair Mycosphaerella Blight resistance; similar to the checks
- Fair Fusarium wilt resistance; similar to the checks CDC Golden and Agassiz

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Table 1: Performance of CDC Spectrum compared to the checks (Pea Co-op Test B, 2012-2013)

Variety	Yield (kg/ha)	Yield (% mean of checks)	Days to maturity	Vine length (cm)	Lodging (pre- harvest)	Seed wt (mg)	Shape	Seed coat breakage (%)	Crude protein (%)
CDC Golden (check)	4743	95	96	85	5.0	206	2.5	1	24.7
Agassiz (check)	5196	105	98	87	4.4	219	2.5	5	23.8
CDC Spectrum	5501	111	100	90	3.2	232	2.5	2	23.9
CV	8.3								
LSD 05	266		1.1	3.7	0.4	6.3	0.1	4.2	0.6
# of locations	21		19	16	21	21	21	7	11

Lodging score: 1=upright; 9=completely lodged

Shape: 1=round; 5=cubic

Table 2: Disease resistance data of CDC Spectrum compared to the checks (Pea Co-op Test B, 2012-2013)

Variety	Myco (MB)	Myco (SK)	AUDPC- SK	Fusarium wilt (%)	Powdery mildew
CDC Golden (check)	6.5	5.0	15.7	33	0
Agassiz (check)	5.8	4.5	13.8	26	0
CDC Spectrum	5.8	4.2	13.2	25	0
LSD 05	0.5	2.5	1.1	15.2	0
# locations	2	2	2	2	2

Myco (MB)= Mycosphaerella blight assessed at Morden, MB (1=no disease, 9=completely blighted)

Myco (SK)= Mycosphaerella blight assessed at Saskatoon,

AUDPC= Mycosphaerella blight area under the disease progress curve

Powdery mildew (0=no disease, 9=completely mildewed

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	Yield					Resistance to:										
Variety	(% of CDC Meadow)	Site Years Tested	Relative Maturity	Relative Vine Length	Seed Size (TKW)	Lodging	Powdery Mildew	MB ¹	Fusarium Wilt ²	Green Seed Coat ³	Seed Coat Breakage	Seed Coat Dimpling ⁴				
CDC Meadow (C)	100	79	E	M	220	G	VG	F	F	G	G	G				
CDC Athabasca	99	13	M	L	300	VG	VG	F	G	G	F	F				
CDC Canary	100	13	E	L	230	VG	VG	F	F	F	G	F				
CDC Lewochko	106	13	М	L	230	VG	VG	F	F	G	G	G				
CDC Spectrum	100	13	М	L	240	VG	G	F	F	G	G	G				

- Mycosphaerella Blight
- 2 Varieties which show good disease tolerance to one strain of Fusarium wilt may be susceptible to other strains
- 3 Green seed coats: G= 0-10%, F= 11-25%
- 4 Seed coat dimpling rating: VG= 0-5%, G= 6-20%, F= 21-50%

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		Yield (%	of CDC	Amarillo)					Resistance to:							
Variety	Years Tested	1, 2 & South 3	North 3 & 4	Irrigation	Protein	Relative Maturity	Lodging ¹	Vine Length (cm)	MB ²	Powdery Mildew	Fusarium Wilt	Seed Coat Breakage	Seed Coat Dimpling ³	Greenness ⁴	Seed Weight (g/1000)	
CDC Amarillo (C)	11	100	100	100	23.0	M	3.5	85	4.5	R	MR	F	F	G	230	
CDC Canary	7	98	98		-0.1	E	3.5	85	4.5	R	I	G	F	F	230	
CDC Lewochko	6	103	103		+0.7	М	3.5	90	4.5	R	I	G	G	G	230	
CDC Athabasca	7	93	97		+0.5	М	3.0	85	4.5	R	I	F	F	G	300	
CDC Spectrum	8	103	101		+0.5	М	3.5	85	4.5	R	I	G	G	F	240	

- 1 Lodging: 1= completely upright, 9= completely lodged
- 2 Mycosphaerella Blight score (1-9) 1= no disease, 9= completely blighted
- 3 Seed coat dimpling: VG= 0-5%, G= 6-20%, F= 21-50%
- 4 Green seed coats: G= 0-15%, F= 16-40%

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			Area 1 Area 2				Area 3		Area 4		Area 5								Re	sistance to:		
Variety	Overall	Overall Station Years of Testing	Yield	Site Years	Yield (%)	Site Years	Yield (%)		Yield (%)	Site Years		Site Years			Seed Size (TKW)	Lodging ¹	MB ²	Fusarium Wilt	Powdery Mildew	Seed Coat Breakage		
CDC Amarillo (C)	100	106	100	18	100	30	100	17	100	25	100	16	M	81	227	2.4	F	G	R	F	F	G
CDC Canary	104	29	106	5	104	8	98	5	101	6	101	5	Е	80	241	2.6	F	F	R	G	F	G
CDC Lewochko	106	15	102	2	98	4	104	3	100	3	105	3	M	89	233	1.6	F	F	R	G	G	G
CDC Athabasca	95-	29	92	5	94	8	99	5	95	6	91-	5	M	82	284	2	F	F	R	F	F	G
CDC Spectrum	106+	29	103	5	99	8	106+	5	100	6	109+	5	M	78	242	2.1	F	F	R	G	G	F

- 1. Lodging: 1= completely upright 9= completely lodging
- 2. Mycosphaerella Blight
- 3. Seed Coat Dimpling: VG= 0-5%, G= 6-20%, F= 21-50%
- 4. Green Seed Coat: G= 0-10%, F= 11-25%

Resistance: P= Poor, F= Fair, G= good, VG= Very Good R= Resistant

Maturity: E= Early, M= Medium, L= Late