

Recommended Malting Barley Varieties 2010-11

These recommendations are based on the varieties expected to be selected by grain and malting companies for both domestic and export markets from the 2010 harvest. Seeding decisions should be based on agronomic considerations and feedback from your grain company representative, local elevator operators and malting companies. This list is published on behalf of the members of the CMBTC, and other companies that have provided their input. Varieties not listed are not recommended. The varieties are listed in descending order to the amount selected in 2009.

Recommended Two-Row Barley Varieties

VARIETY	DOMESTIC	EXPORT	MARKET DEMAND
AC Metcalfe ₄	Established	Established	Stable, High Demand
CDC Copeland ₄	Established	Established	Stable Demand
CDC Kendall ₁	Established	Established	Stable Demand
Newdale ₃	Limited	Limited	Stable Demand

Bentley, CDC Landis, Major, CDC Meredith, Merit 57, Norman, and CDC Reserve are not yet being grown for the commercial market. Production is limited to quantities required for testing and market development. CDC PolarStar will reach commercial scale levels this year.

Recommended Six-Row Barley Varieties

VARIETY	DOMESTIC	EXPORT	MARKET DEMAND
Legacy _{1,2,3}	Established	Established	Declining Demand
Tradition _{1,2,3}	Established	Established	Declining Demand
Stellar-ND ₅	Limited	Limited	Increasing Demand

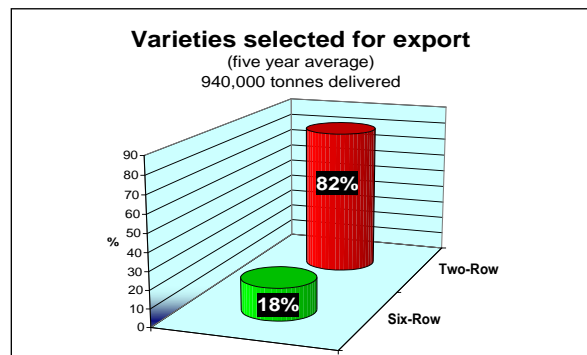
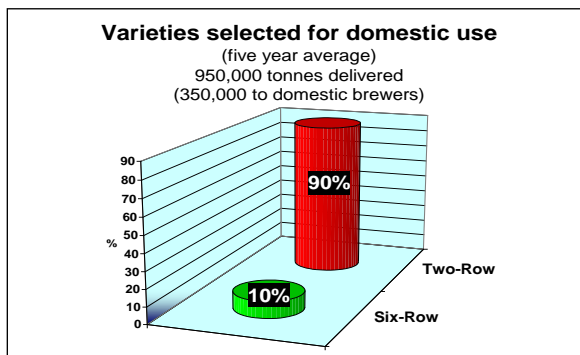
Celebration, CDC Clyde, CDC Kamsack, CDC Laurence, and CDC Mayfair are not yet being grown for the commercial market. Production is limited to quantities required for testing and market development. Please talk to local malting company selector in regards to demand for CDC Battleford and Robust. Canadian registration is still pending for Celebration and Stellar-ND.

The CMBTC recommends the use of Certified seed to ensure varietal purity and to increase opportunity for selection.

The following companies have pedigreed seed distribution rights for those varieties that are footnoted:

1-Viterra; 2- BARI-Canada; 3 – FP Genetics; 4 - SeCan; 5 - Canterra

“Domestic” as used in this publication, means barley selected for domestic processing into malt to supply domestic brewers as well as for malt destined for export. “Export” is that malting barley designated for markets outside of Canada including the U.S., shipped as unmalted grain.



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Other organizations providing input to this list: BMBRI