

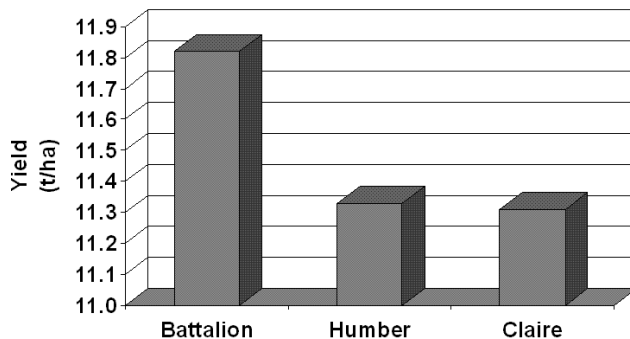
Winter Wheat - Parentage: 98ST08 x Aardvark

- High yielding Group 2: yield plus quality
- A true early drilling variety: wide drilling window
- Top 2nd wheat yields: flexible rotational position

### Suitable for Early Drilling

Battalion performs exceptionally well in the early drill slot due to its slow speed of development and good agronomics.

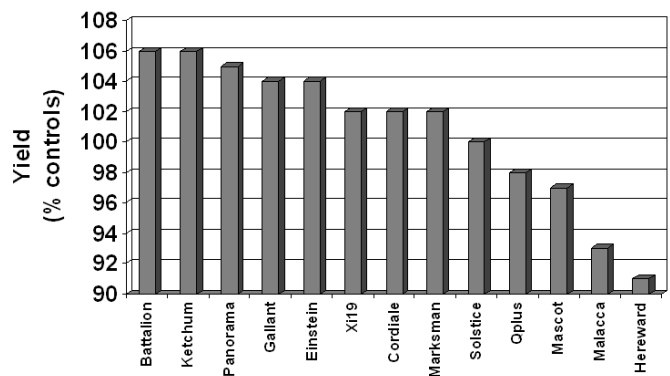
Battalion has similar maturity to Claire and will perform well when sown from early September to late October. The latest safe drilling date is the end of January.



Source: Independent trials 2008. Drilling date 9th September

### Second Wheat Performance

As a second wheat, Battalion is one of the highest yielding milling wheats on the 2009/10 RL.



Milling wheat second wheat yields

As well as being an exceptional second wheat, Battalion's high untreated yield reflects its sound disease resistance and excellent straw strength.

### Disease Resistance and Quality

Battalion is a high yielding milling wheat with added marketing opportunities. It demonstrates high rates of flour extraction and has good flour colour.

Battalion has an improved disease resistance profile over existing milling wheats - particularly yellow and brown rust and eyespot from the *Pch1* gene.

	Battalion	Einstein
Mildew	8	6
Yellow Rust	8	7
Brown Rust	8	5
<i>S. nodorum</i>	7	6
<i>S. tritici</i>	6	5
Eyespot	7	6
Untreated Yield %	86	82

	Battalion	Einstein
Protein content	12.4	12.1
Specific Weight	75.4	76.9

Battalion is susceptible to chlorotoluron.