Technical Bulletin

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CDC Huskie Green Field Pea



Description:

CDC Huskie is a very high yielding green field pea with good lodging tolerance, improved mycosphaerella blight and powdery mildew resistance. CDC Huskie also has improved seed coat bleaching compared to CDC Forest

Parentage: CDC Greenwater/CDC3422-8

Strengths:

- 107% of the green pea check CDC Forest and 109% of the yellow pea check CDC Amarillo in registration and SK regional trials
- Good lodging resistance, better than CDC Forest and CDC Limerick
- Medium vine length = 85cm
- · Medium maturity
- Medium seed size, 220g tkw
- Moderately resistant to Fusarium wilt better than CDC Forest
- Improved seed characteristic package rated good for:
 - Bleaching
 - Resistance to seed coat breakage
 - Resistance to dimpling

Neutral:

- Medium green colour intensity, similar to CDC Greenwater, less intense than CDC Limerick
- Medium protein concentration, similar to CDC Greenwater, less than CDC Limerick

Breeder:

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Table 1: Agronomic performance data from the Saskatchewan Co-op and Regional variety trials for green peas 2024

	Year of	Yield as & of CDC Amarillo		Relative	Lodging	Myco.	Fus.	Seed	Seed		Seed	Protein (%) vs	
Variety	Release	South*	North*	Maturity	(1-9)	Blight	Root Rot	coat breakage	coat dimpling	Bleaching	Weight	`CDC Amarillo	
CDC Forest	2017	101	102	М	4.0	4.5	I	G	G	F	230	0.0	
CDC Greenwater	2014	99	93	М	3.5	4.0	MR	F	F	G	230	-0.9	
CDC Huskie	2023	110	108	М	3.5	4.0	MR	G	G	G	220	-0.8	
CDC Limerick	2012	96	91	М	4.0	4.5	I	G	G	G	210	2.9	
CDC Raezer	2011	82	80	Е	3.5	5.0	MR	G	G	G	220	-0.1	
CDC Rider	2022	101	99	М	3.0	4.5	MR	G	G	G	230	-0.3	
CDC Spruce	2016	97	98	М	4.0	4.5	1	F	F	G	240	0.3	

Source: Varieties of Grain Crops 2024 (SaskSeed Guide) and Crop Development Centre, U of S

Mycosphaerella blight score (1-9) 1=no disease, 9=completely blighted

Lodging score: 1=upright; 9=completely lodged

Seed coat dimpling: VG = 0-5%; G= 6-20%; F = 21-50%

*South = Brown soil zone, Dark brown and south Black soil zone; North = north Black soil zone and Dark gray soil zone

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	Yield			Relative		Resistance to:											
Variety	(% of AAC Carver)	Site Years Tested	Relative Maturity	Vine Lenath	Seed Size (TKW)	Lodging	Powdery Mildew	MB ¹	Fusarium Wilt ²	Green Seed Coat ³	Seed Coat Breakage	Seed Coat Dimpling ⁴	Bleaching				
AAC Carver (C)	100	61	Early	L	240	G	VG	F	I	G	G	G	N/A				
CDC Forest	99	34	Long	L	230	G	VG	F	F	N/A	G	G	G				
CDC Spruce	96	19	Long	L	240	G	VG	F	F	N/A	F	F	G				
CDC Huskie	99	17	Long	M	220	G	VG	F	MR	N/A	G	G	G				

- 1. 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)			Yield (% of CDC Amarillo)			Yield (% of CDC Amarillo)		Yield (% of CDC Amarillo)		Yield (% of CDC Amarillo)		Yield (% of CDC Amarillo)		Yield (% of CDC Amarillo)		Yield (% of CDC Amarillo)		Yield (% of CDC Amarillo)		eld (% of CDC Amarillo)		6 of CDC Amarillo)		of CDC Amarillo)		Yield (% of CDC Amarillo)									Resistance	to:		
Variety	Years Tested	1, 2 & South 3	North 3	Irrigation	Protein	Relative	Lodging ¹	Vine Length (cm)	MB ²	Powdery Mildew		Seed Coat Breakage		Seed Coat	Greenness⁴	Seed Weight																								
CDC Amarillo (C)	15	100	100	100	23.8	M	2.9	85	3.9	R	MR	F	N/A	F	G	(g/1000) 230																								
CDC Forest	12	102	102	101	0.0	М	+0.3	85	0.0	R	I	Ğ	F	G	N/A	230																								
CDC Spruce	14	96	98	100	+0.3	М	+0.3	85	-0.1	R	I	F	G	F	N/A	240																								
CDC Huskie	7	108	106		-0.9	M	0	85	-0.4	R	MR	G	G	G	N/A	220																								

- 1 Lodging: 1= completely upright, 9= completely lodged; values are +/- CDC Amarillo
- 2 Mycosphaerella Blight score (1-9) 1= no disease, 9= completely blighted; values are +/- CDC Amarillo
- 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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	Most recent		Overall	Bro Irrig	wn - ated	Bro	own	Black	-short	Black	k-mid	Grey W	ooded						ease ance⁵	R	esistance	∍ to:
Variety	year of RVT Testing		Station Years of Testing	Yield (%)	Site Years	Maturity Rating ¹	Vine Length (cm)	Seed Size (TKW)	Stand- ability ²	MB ³	Fusarium Wilt			t Seed Coat Dimpling ⁴								
CDC Limerick (bu/ac)		67		75		50		77		62		70										
CDC Limerick (C)	2024	100	77	100	6	100	10	100	20	100	26	100	15	М	85	210	3.3	3.9		G	VG	G
CDC Forest	2023	108	56	XX	5	110	7	110	13	106	18	111	13	М	85	230	3.2	3.9	ı	F	G	G
CDC Spruce	2020	106	32	XX	2	XX	5	109	7	109	11	103	7	М	85	240	3.2	3.8	ı	G	F	F
CDC Huskie	2024	114	26	XXX	3	XX	3	115	8	115	8	XX	4	M	85	220	2.9	3.5	MR	G	G	G

- 1. Maturity: E= Early, M= Medium, L= Late
- 2. Standability: 1= completely upright 9= completely lodging
- 3. Mycosphaerella Blight, P= Poor, F= Fair, G= good, VG= Very Good R= Resistant
- 4. Seed Coat Dimpling: VG= 0-5%, G= 6-20%, F= 21-50%
- 5. Disease Tolerance: P = poor, F = Fair, G = Good and VG = Very Good