

BEETHOVEN

An early maturing maize, full of good food values

- BEETHOVEN is an early maturing variety with excellent performance across the board in the NIAB 2010 lists.
- BEETHOVEN has the highest dry matter yields of any Maturity Class 7 + variety.
- BEETHOVEN is unbeatable for energy yield, maximising milk production from maize silage.*
- BEETHOVEN also provides excellent whole plant digestibility for improved silage quality.
- Consequently, BEETHOVEN is a very reliable choice – music to the ears for professional maize growers!

* NIAB 2010 Less Favourable List Data



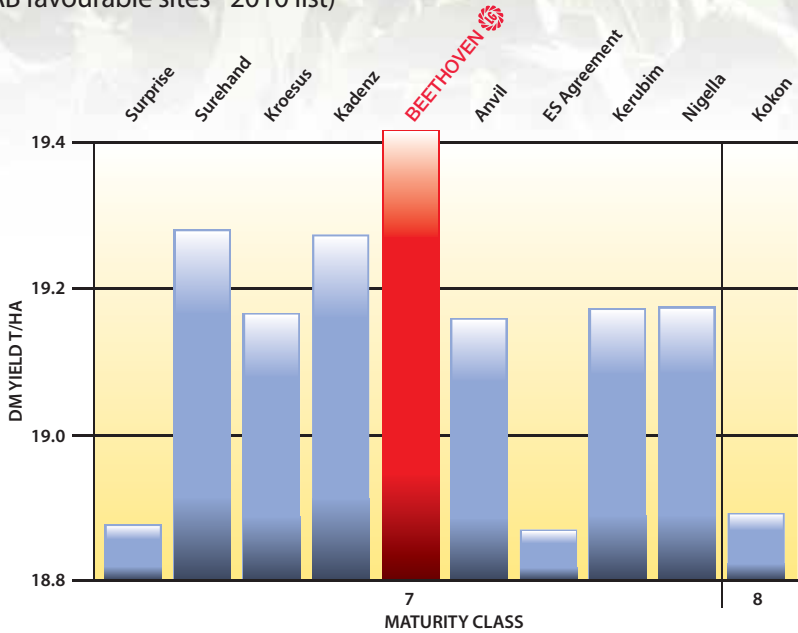
MATURITY CLASS 7
EARLY

EARLY VIGOUR 7.3
VERY GOOD

STANDING POWER 8.2
GOOD

Dry matter yields

(NIAB favourable sites - 2010 list)

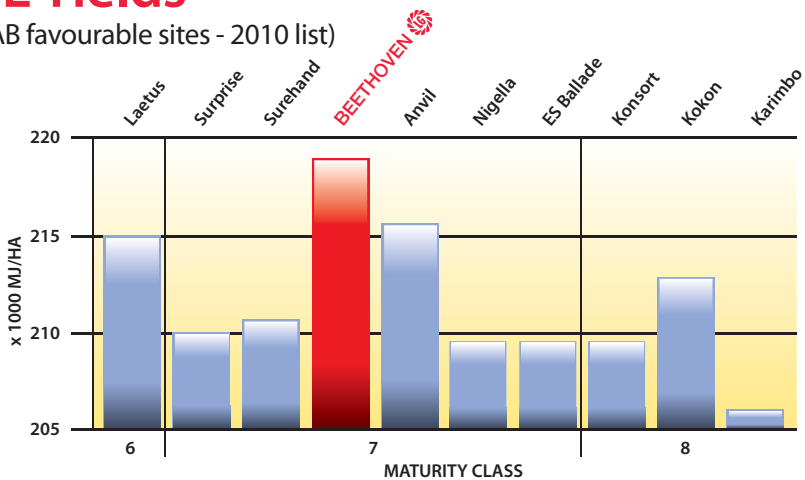


■ Outyields Surprise - worth an extra £20 per acre

■ Higher starch yields than Nigella and Surprise - worth an extra £28 per acre

ME Yields

(NIAB favourable sites - 2010 list)



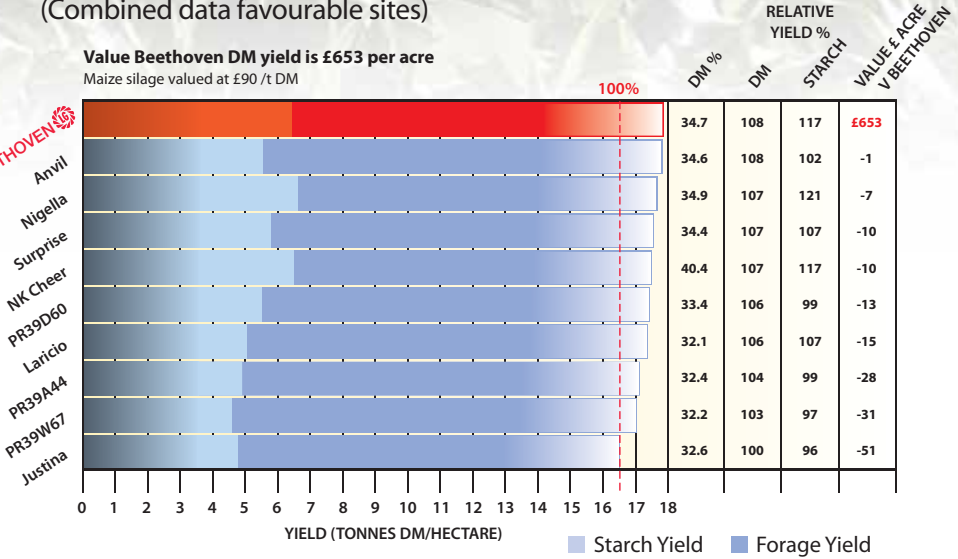
Limagrain & NIAB trials 2003 - 2008

(Combined data favourable sites)

Value Beethoven DM yield is £653 per acre

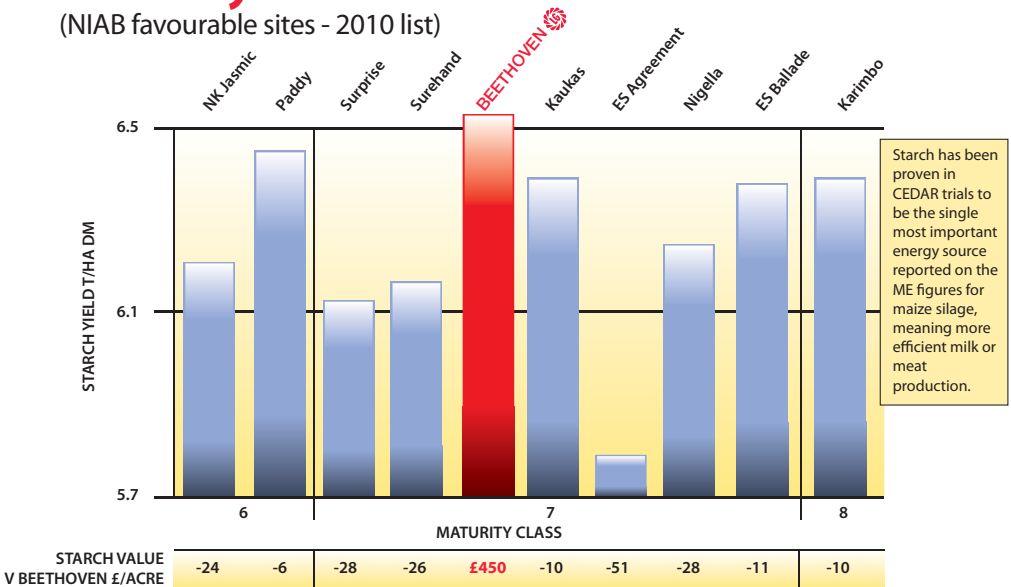
Maize silage valued at £90 /t DM

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Starch yield

(NIAB favourable sites - 2010 list)



Starch has been proven in CEDAR trials to be the single most important energy source reported on the ME figures for maize silage, meaning more efficient milk or meat production.

Beethoven starch yield is worth £450 per acre.

Starch valued at £170 /t DM (based on winter wheat at £100 per tonne).



Maize varieties don't always travel well - that's why we've developed the most suitable varieties specifically for UK farmers from Scotland to the South Coast at our breeding and test sites across the country. So it comes as no surprise that over one third of the maize grown in the UK is developed and bred by Limagrain UK - experience *our* knowledge.

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