







## **HIGHEST YIELDING BEAN ON DAFM REC LIST 2023**



## STRENGTHS

Beans can be very valuable in a rotation.

> **Spring Beans Agronomy Guide** available on our website

## AGRONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS

- Excellent disease resistance
- Excellent stem stiffness
- Lynx Spring Beans is Ireland's most widely grown bean 2018 - 2023
- Highest yielding Spring Beans on DAFM RL 2023

## SPRING BEANS **DAFM RECOMMENDED LIST 2023**

	RECOMMENDED		
AGRONOMIC & QUALITY CHARACTERISTICS*	CAPRICE	LYNX	VICTUS
Treated Yield (t/ha @ 15% moisture)	98	102	99
% Crude Protein	103	99	99
Plant Height (cm)	126	129	120
Brackling Resistance (1 – 9, 9 = best)	7	8	5
Lodging Resistance (1 – 9, 9 = best)	(8)	(9)	(7)
Earliness of Maturity (1 – 9, 9 = earliest)	(7)	(6)	(7)
Resistance to:			
Chocolate Spot (1-9, 9 = most resistant)	(7)	(6)	(7)
Downy Mildew (1-9, 9 = most resistant)	(7)	(7)	(7)
Rust (1-9, 9 = most resistant)	(6)	(5)	(5)
Year of first Recommendation	2022	2019	2022

The control varieties used were Fanfare, Lynx and Victus during 2020 - 2022. Yield and Crude Protein content are expressed relative to the mean of the control varieties (100 = mean of control varieties). The mean yield of the control varieties when adjusted to 15% moisture over the period 2020 - 2022 was 6.9t/ha. The mean crude protein content was 23.5% when expressed as a percentage of the dry matter



Seedtech supported Teagasc Feed Research of faba beans as part of our participation in the EU funded project Legumes Translated.

The key finding from this trial was that beans could fully replace soya in finished pig diets.

Further details and research papers are available on Seedtech website.