

Key features of CBA Captain[®] (tested as CICA1521) – Victoria

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- CBA Captain[®] is a broadly adapted desi chickpea variety
- CBA Captain[®] has an erect plant type, with good height to lowest pod and good lodging resistance. These attributes combined provide excellent harvestability – far superior than current southern varieties of chickpea
- In the Mallee region, CBA Captain[®] has yielded similar to the small kabuli Genesis™090
- In the Wimmera region, CBA Captain[®] has yielded similar to PBA Slasher[®]
- CBA Captain[®] has a medium seed size and is considered a ‘Jimbour’ type with a yellow-brown seed coat and angular seed shape
- CBA Captain[®] is rated Susceptible to Ascochyta blight in the southern region (the same as other southern desi varieties such as PBA Slasher[®] and PBA Striker[®])
- CBA Captain[®] is mid flowering and mid maturing in Victorian growing environments
- CBA Captain[®] has an end point royalty of \$4.50/tonne (ex-GST)
- CBA Captain[®] was developed by the PBA Chickpea program (led by NSW Department of Primary Industries). The partners of the PBA Chickpea program were: GRDC, NSW DPI, Department of Agriculture and Fisheries (QLD), Agriculture Victoria and the South Australian Research and Development Institute