

Why rapeseed?

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- Over the past five years, oilseed rape has been among the most profitable crops grown in Bulgaria.
- It is the first to generate income for the farm and provides an opportunity to cover urgent expenses related to the upcoming season.
- High and stable purchase prices without major fluctuations over the years.
- It frees the field early and allows for perfect preparation for the next crop. This is a major advantage, especially when the next crop is wheat or barley.
- Oilseed rape is one of the best preceding crops for wheat or barley.

- Even under critical conditions (drought), the highest and most stable yield of wheat or barley is obtained after oilseed rape as a preceding crop.
- Difficulties in pre-sowing soil preparation
- Uniform emergence and development in autumn
- Achieving optimal plant density
- Successful overwintering
- Implementing proper crop protection and nutrition in spring
- Pod shattering and yield loss in the final stages of development

To limit risks and optimize your costs, rely on DEKALB® genetics and the expertise of Bayer representatives for the complete technology and successful cultivation of oilseed rape.

Why DEKALB oilseed rape® from Bayer?



High and stable performance, even under adverse conditions!

- With **DEKALB®** genetics you are able to harvest oilseed rape at a profit, even in cases of late autumn emergence, due to the very rapid development of the root system and above-ground biomass of the hybrids.
- It provides optimal yield even at low plant density (15-20 plants per sq.m) due to its high compensatory capacity.
- Seeds treated with insecticide make it possible to reduce the seeding rate, thereby optimizing seed costs per decare. Insecticide treatment ensures seed emergence even after a long stay

in the soil, protecting them from soil pests.

- Modern **DEKALB®** genetics consists of medium-height hybrids with excellent branching ability, which helps achieve good ground coverage even at low seeding rates, reducing the risk of lodging.
- **DEKALB®** hybrids are tolerant to the autumn form of *Phoma*, which is the most harmful.
- Security in the final stages of oilseed rape development due to resistance to pod shattering.
- **Dual resistance to the parasite broomrape***.

* **DK IMARET CL** from the Bayer portfolio – a tolerant Clearfield hybrid.

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