DRK EPIC (09430)



Epic is a broadly adapted dark red kidney bean variety ideally suited to Minnesota and the High Plains production regions. Epic has been a good performer throughout the trialing process, and has performed well in the NDSU, Nebraska dry bean trials; as well as strip trials in Minnesota.

Preliminary data shows Epic with a yield advantage of 40 lbs./AC*. over Montcalm.

Assuming a 40 lbs./AC yield increase over Montcalm, profit would increase \$20/AC on \$50/cwt. Beans. This would amount to \$2,000 for 100 AC of production.

Epic has also shown yield advantages over Red Hawk (382 lbs./AC advantage) and Red Rover (271 lbs./AC advantage) as well over 6 yr./locations of data.

- Good seed appearance and shape.
- Epic has demonstrated average canning characteristics similar to Montcalm.
- Preliminary testing has shown that the Epic has resistance to bean common mosaic virus (BCMV). Early data from the CSU rust screening nursery has shown that Epic may tolerate Rust a little better than Montcalm.

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- *Yield data based on 9 yr./locations of data.
- **Maturity data is based on 8 yr./locations of data .
- ***Seed count data is based on 6 yr./locations of data.

Data from 2011 - 2015 with trials in Perham, Park Rapids, Staples, and more.



DRK Epic (09430) was developed for Trinity Genetics, LLC through ProVita, Inc.'s dark red kidney breeding program and is being marketed and sold by Trinidad-Benham

Plant Variety Protection for DRK Epic is applied for. Unauthorized propagation of this variety is prohibited.

All variety information presented herin is based on field and laboratory observations. Actual crop yield and quality are dependent upon many factors beyond our control. Since environmental conditions and local practices may affect variety characteristics and performance, we disclaim legal responsibility therefor. Read all tags and labels. They contain important conditions of sale, including limitations of warranties and remedies.

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