

Varietal Characteristics:

- **Growing Zone:** All flax growing areas of Western Canada
- **Yield:** Excellent
- **Height:** Similar to CDC Bethune
- **Maturity:** 1 day later than CDC Bethune
- **Lodging:** Good, similar to CDC Bethune
- **Quality:** Excellent. Significantly higher iodine value and linolenic acid content than CDC Bethune.
- **Disease Resistance:** R to rust; MR to fusarium wilt

Technical Information:

2018 Seed Manitoba

| Variety | Yield bu/acre | Maturity +/- 102 days | Height +/- 27 inches | Seed Size (TKW) | Oil Content | Oil Quality | | Disease Resistance Level | | |
|------------------|---------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|--------------------------|---------------|----------------|
| | | | | | | Iodine Number | ALA Content | Lodging | Fusarium Wilt | Powdery Mildew |
| CDC Neela | 34 | 1 | 1 | 5.7 | 45.5 | 194.4 | 59.1 | G | MR | MR |
| CDC Sorrel | 34 | 1 | 1 | 6.4 | 45.1 | 192.7 | 57.8 | F | MR | MR |
| CDC Bethune | 34 | 0 | 0 | 5.8 | 45.6 | 188.6 | 54.7 | G | MR | MR |

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| Variety | Yield % CDC Bethune | | | Relative Maturity | Seed Size | Disease Resistance Level | | |
|------------------|---------------------|------------|------------|-------------------|-----------|--------------------------|----------------|---------------|
| | Area 1 & 2 | Area 3 & 4 | Irrigation | | | Lodging | Powdery Mildew | Fusarium Wilt |
| CDC Neela | 111 | 96 | 87 | L | M | G | MR | MR |
| CDC Sorrel | 105 | 101 | 100 | L | L | G | MR | MR |
| CDC Bethune | 100 | 100 | 100 | L | M | G | MR | MR |

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| Variety | Overall Yield % CDC Bethune | Maturity Class | Height (cm) | Lodging | Seed Size | Oil Content | Iodine Value | Linolenic Acid Content |
|------------------|-----------------------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|--------------|------------------------|
| CDC Neela | 109+ | L | 55 | Good | M | 46.0 | 194 | 59 |
| CDC Bethune | 100 | L | 57 | Good | M | 45.6 | 189 | 55 |

Origin: Crop Development Centre, University of Saskatchewan

Pedigree: CDC Mons/CDC Sorrel

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