



Cereal Breeding for Australia

Calingiri type with superior yield and improved disease resistance

CLASSIFICATION	ANW
MATURITY	Mid-long – similar to Calingiri
YIELD	High
YELLOW SPOT	MR-MS
STRIPE RUST	MR
STEM RUST	MS-S
LEAF RUST	R-MR*
GRAIN SIZE	Good – similar to Calingiri
ALTERNATIVE TO	Calingiri, Fortune <sup>®</sup> and Mace <sup>®</sup>

### Key Features

- High yielding udon noodle variety
- Excellent yield performance across a broad range of environments
- Mid-long season maturity
- Robust disease resistance package
- Good yellow spot resistance
- Calingiri alternative with ANW classification
- Available for sowing in 2015

### Pedigree

Zen<sup>®</sup> was formerly known by breeding code IGW6046 and is a Calingiri and Wyalkatchem<sup>®</sup> derivative.

### Variety Overview

Zen<sup>®</sup> is a mid-long season alternative to Calingiri. This line offers yield improvements of approximately 5% over Calingiri. Zen<sup>®</sup> also provides an improved disease resistance profile over Calingiri, in particular yellow spot. Zen<sup>®</sup> possesses a good grain size, similar to Calingiri and has performed very well over a number of years within the InterGrain udon noodle program both in terms of yield and udon noodle quality. Zen<sup>®</sup> has an improved udon noodle quality over Calingiri.

### Plant Features

Zen<sup>®</sup> has a similar plant type to Calingiri and is slightly shorter in height than Calingiri.

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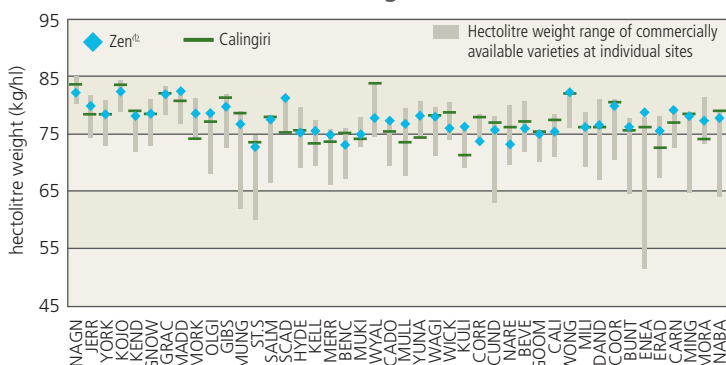
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### Grain Quality

2013 WA NVT Hectolitre weights from individual sites



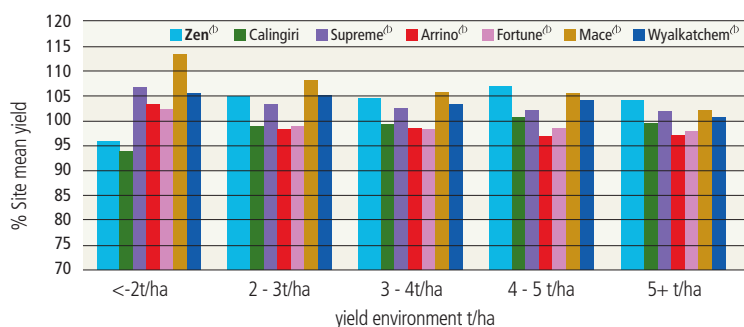
### Disease

	CLASSIFICATION	LEAF RUST*	STEM RUST	STRIPE RUST	YELLOW LEAF SPOT	POWDERY MILDEW
Zen (d)	ANW	R-MR	MS-S	MRp	MR-MS	-
Arrino	ANW	MS-S	S-VS	S	MS-S	MR
Calingiri	ANW	MS	S	S	MS-S	S
Fortune (d)	ANW	MR-MS	MS	MS	MS	MR-MS
Mace (d)	AH	MR	MR	R-MR	MR-MS	S
Wyalkatchem (d)	APW	R	MS	S	(MR)	S-VS

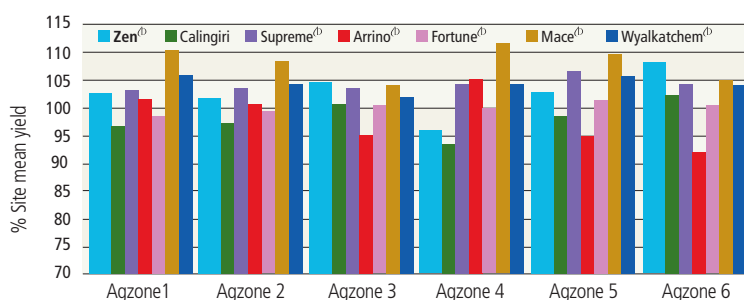
Source: DAFWA 2014 wheat variety guide. Disease data reference: R = Resistant, MR = Moderately Resistant, MS = Moderately Susceptible, S = Susceptible, VS = Very Susceptible. \* Pathotype dependent, ( ) = Higher disease at some sites, p= provisional rating.

### Yield Performance

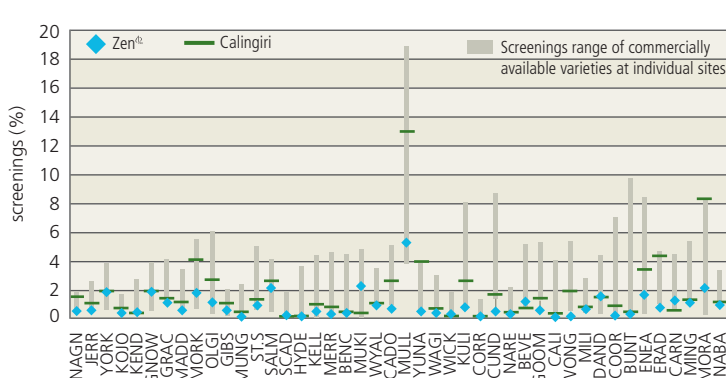
2010-14 WA NVT variety performance - represented in yield environments as a % of site mean yield



2010-14 WA NVT Variety performance - represented regionally as % of site mean yield



2013 WA NVT Screenings from individual sites



### Seed Availability

Seed is available from registered InterGrain Seedclub members or your local reseller. For more information please contact David Meharry on 0427 855 059 or dmeharry@intergrain.com

### Plant Breeder's Rights (PBR)

Zen is protected by Plant Breeder's Rights and is subject to an end point royalty of \$3.85/tonne GST Exclusive.

Zen is an InterGrain variety bred by Daniel Mullan, Ian Barclay (retired), Robyn McLean (retired) and the wheat breeding team.

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