

TOPIC: OILSEEDS OF WA CANOLA VARIETIES

Group: *Mullewa 2010*

A trial was conducted by Brad Thompson at Tenindewa in 2010 to compare various canola varieties including RR (Roundup Ready) and TT (Triazine Tolerant) lines.

Location :	Nola Downs, Tenindewa, Brad & Narelle Smith
Varieties	
Triazine Tolerant:	Cobbler, Tumby, Mallee Jardee, Telfer, Mallee, Monola 76TT, Tawriffic, T2181, Fighter
Roundup Ready:	GT Scorpion, Hyola 502RR,
Data available	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Development observations including canopy and flower development • Yields and oil % • Economic returns

TELFER COBBLER MALLEE HYB TUMBY HYB JARDEE HYB



CON- development at 31ST AUG

CLUSIONS

- The TT OP canola system presented the most profit and least expense option in this dry season
- Deciding to use hybrid technology should be aimed at early starts and higher rainfall years to improve return on investment for the farmer
- Both RR and TT systems provided excellent weed control
- TT hybrids exhibit handy tolerance of warm dry conditions at the finish of the season

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