

'TARA' FIELD PEAS

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A yellow-seeded field pea (Pisum sativum L.) cultivar, 'Tara', developed at the Agriculture Canada Research Station, Morden, Manitoba, was licensed in Canada in March 1978. The main features of Tara are high yield and resistance to powdery mildew. A complete descript appears in Can. J. Plant Sci. 58:1123-1124. (Oct. 1978).

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'KNIGHT' GARDEN PEA

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A new pea variety similar in type to Progress No. 9 or Greater Progress has been developed at the New York State Agricultural Experiment Station (Cornell University). It is intended for use in the home or market garden. 'Knight' is distinguished from other varieties in its class by having resistance to four important diseases: Pea enation mosaic virus, Bean yellow mosaic virus, powdery mildew, and common wilt (Fusarium oxysporum f. pisi race 1). A complete description appears in HortScience 14(2):197. 1979.

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Ardie G. Gustafson, PO Box 855, Lewiston, Idaho 83501, USA, reports that the following list of varieties which he developed are now protected under the Breeders Rights program: Granada, Prospector, Vernon, Green Sugar, Gypsy, Hustler, Almota, Conner, and Edison.