

Table 3 Characters associated to *Heliothis/ Helicoverpa armigera* in chick pea

Crop	Mechanism	Characters
Chick pea	Non- preference	Pod shape, pod wall thickness, foliage color and glabrousness
	Antibiosis	Malic acid, oxalic acid, crude fibre, non- reducing sugars, low starch, cellulose, hemicelluloses, lignin in the pod wall, trypsin inhibitors and HG proteinase inhibitor.
	Escape	Earliness and cold tolerance