







Production advice ware potatoes TRADITIONAL FRESH

- Early maturity and tuberisation
- Big size tubers
- Good yield
- Good dry matter content
- Suitable to make (home) fries



Agronomic characters

Maturity	80	Early
Dormancy	60	Medium
Yield early	94	Good
Yield mature	95	Good
Tuber size	83	Large
Tuber shape		Oval / Long oval
Number of tubers		9-11
Skin colour		Red
Flesh after cooking		Light yellow
Cooking type		B - Slightly mealy
Dry matter content/Starch	l	20,2% / 14,3%
UWW/Specific gravity		369 / 1,079
Internal bruising	15	Quite sensitive
Metribuzin sensitivity	65	
Little Potato disorder	85	••••







Skin and flesh colour

Cooking type

Maturity

Plant populations

	F	Row distance			
Seed size	Plant population/ha	75 cm	90 cm		
28/35	46.000	29	24		
35/45	43.000	31	26		
35/55	42.000	32	26		
50/55	40.000	33	28		
55/65	38.000	35	29		

Resistances

Foliage Blight	26 🔸 🔷 🔍 🔾
Tuber Blight	56 🔸 🔸 💮
Alternaria	68
Common scab	42 • • • • •
Powdery scab	55 🔸 🔷 🔍
Spraing	84
PVY	14 🌘 💮 💮 💮
Yntn tuber tolerance	99

PCN Resistance			Wart disease			
Ro1/4	*2	• 0		F1	8	•
Ro2/3	*2	• 0		F2	9	•
Ro5	*2	• 0		F6	9	•
Pa2	*2	• 0		F18		
Pa3	*2	• 0				

^{*} HZPC own analysis/no official analysis

Fertilizer

- Adapt fertilization to soil analysis.
- Always refer to the local and current rules about crop fertilization.
- Nitrogen (N): Very high inputs (>250Kg N/Ha inclusive of soil supply)
- Phosphate (P) and Potassium (K): according to standard advice.









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Pre-treatment and planting

- Allow the seed to acclimatize to the local conditions before planting.
- Physiological aged seed / pre-sprouting results in an earlier crop.
- Avoid soils with high powdery scab risk.



Growing attention points

- Emergence is uniform with a good foliage development.
- The tuberisation is early.
- Use a robust Phytophthora programme, to prevent foliage blight.
- Preventive spraying against Phytophthora is advised.



Haulm killing and harvest

- CLEOPATRA is quite early maturing, haulm killing shouldn't give any problems.
- Tubers are big size. Harvest and store with care to prevent damage and bruising.



Storage

- Dry quickly after harvest and keep dry to help prevent silver scurf.
- CLEOPATRA has a moderate resistance to Phoma and Fusarium.
- Stable temperature during storage prevents silver scurf development.
- Avoid condensation during storage.