IVORY RUSSET





Production advice ware potatoes FRENCH FRIES

- Early maturity and tuberisation
- High dry matter content
- Suitable for QSR
- Length specifications
- High resistance to TRV



Agronomic characters

Maturity	71	Medium early
Dormancy	80	Very long
Yield mature	90	Moderate
Tuber size	79	Medium
Tuber shape		Long oval / Long
Number of tubers		6-8
Skin colour		Brown = russet
Flesh after cooking		White
Cooking type		B - Slightly meal
Dry matter content/Starch	า	21,8% / 15,9%
UWW/Specific gravity		402 / 1,086
Internal bruising	7	Little sensitive
Metribuzin sensitivity	54	• • • • •
Little Potato disorder	83	••••



Plant populations

	F	Row distance		
Seed size	Plant population/ha	75 cm	90 cm	
28/35	50.000	27	22	
35/45	42.000	32	26	
35/50	40.000	33	28	
45/50	38.000	35	29	
50/60 cut seed	40.000	33	28	
Plant depth: 3 cm deeper than normal.				

Resistances

Foliage Blight	56
Tuber Blight	73
Alternaria	55 🌘 💮 💮 💮
Common scab	66
Powdery scab	67
Spraing	94
PVY	25 • • • •
Yntn tuber tolerance	99



^{*} HZPC own analysis/no official analysis

Fertilizer

- Apply 2/3 before planting and 1/3 as top dressing.
- First top dressing of nitrogen directly after tuber initiation.
- Requires high nitrogen rates during early development.
- Nitrogen (N): Very high inputs (>250Kg N/Ha inclusive of soil supply)
- High level of phosphorus is recommended to encourage root system development.
- Pay attention to the amount of organic fertilizer to avoid later mineralisation.
- Manganese and magnesium will encourage a strong foliage and prevent premature senescence.

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Pre-treatment and planting

- IVORY RUSSET has a long dormancy.
- Allow the seed to acclimatize to the local conditions before planting.
- Do not store the seed potatoes lower than 5°C. Warm them up sufficiently before planting.
- IVORY RUSSET reacts well to the cutting of seed. Recommended only with seed size above 50mm. Optimum result from 3-4 weeks prior to planting.
- Always treat IVORY RUSSET seeds and soil against Rhizoctonia.
- The best quality will be reached on fertile and light soil types.



Growing attention points

- Irrigation is advised to minimize the risk on secondary growth. Start irrigation before the plants reach a height of 10cm and keep an optimal soil moisture throughout the growing season.
- IVORY RUSSET is susceptible to Alternaria. Start treatments at flowering time.
- IVORY RUSSET is high resistant to TRV.



Haulm killing and harvest

- IVORY RUSSET is quite early maturing, haulm killing shouldn't give any problems.
- Tubers have a quick skin set, but have thin skins. Pay extra attention at harvest.



Storage

- IVORY RUSSET is suitable for long term storage.
- Take care of the wound healing period.
- Store at a stable 8 °C.
- Ventilate regularly, but briefly, to prevent CO2 accumulation.
- As IVORY RUSSET has a long dormancy, the quantity of sprout inhibitors can be reduced for long term storage.

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