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very early to early salad potato

- deep yellow flesh colour
- salad tuber shape
- fine skin and shallow eyes
- early dry matter content

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Growing recommendations				
Site requirements	prefers average to better soil conditions with uniform supply of water and nutrients			
Planting	**Seed material sorting 35/55**	**Row width**		**Tubers/ha**
		75 cm	**90 cm**	
		32-34 cm	27-28 cm	40,400
		first early production +2 cm		
	Planting depth	plant higher tuber nest 2 cm deeper if necessary (max. 17 cm soil cover)		
	Seed preparation	has a good dormancy; a temperature shock before setting up for pregermination or before planting is particularly important		
	Seed dressing	preventive chemical control of Rhizoctonia solani recommended generally; compatibility of particular active ingredients has to be checked		
Herbicides	no sensitivities are known when used properly			
Foliage	average leaf health; timely and regular use of fungicides against late blight is advisable			
Harvest	sensitive tuber shape, therefore slightly prone to damage; raise gently			
Fertilization incl. return of previous crop at medium supply level				
Nitrogen (N)	medium - compared to the local standard (whole amount at planting)			
Phosphorus (P_2O_5)	100 kg/ha (water soluble phosphate at planting)			
Potassium (K_2O)	325-245 kg/ha (to ensure the rapid storage of substances preferably sulphate potassium)			
Magnesium (MgO)	60 kg/ha (for yield and quality assurance)			
Variety characteristics				
Maturity	very early to early	**Tuber characteristics**		
Cooking type	A	Tuber shape	longoval	
Consumption quality	firm cooking salad variety; early, good consumption quality	Eye depth	very shallow - shallow	
		Flesh colour	deep yellow	
		Skin colour	yellow	
		Skin	smooth	
		Number of tubers	medium - high	
Yield	medium yields; fine and attractive grading	**Resistances**		
		PCN	Ro1 (9), Ro2/3	
Youth development	initially hesitant, later rapid	**Sensitivities**		
Dormancy	good dormancy	Common scab	medium	
		Spraing	low	
		Bruising	low	
		Mechanical damage	medium	

All particulars are based on official variety trials and/or our own experience. However, as potatoes are natural products we cannot undertake any liability for these details. (07/2023)

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