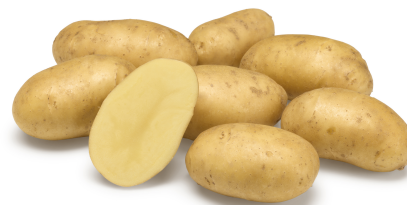


Athlete.

Athlete is an early salad variety with strong blight resistance, good tuber numbers and excellent eating qualities.

- » **Market outlet: salad & organic**
- » **Blight resistance**
- » **Excellent eating quality**
- » **Early maturing**



characteristics

General characteristics

Breeder: Agrico Research B.V.
 Crossing: AR 99-263-5 x MIRIAM
 Breedersright: Expired
 Seedling:

Plant and tuber characteristics

Maturity: second early / 7
 Flower colour: light purple / LP
 Number of berries: average / 6
 Foliage - initial development: quite fast / 7
 Foliage - final development: poor / 6
 Foliage - firmness: average / 6,5
 Foliage - selectability: average / 6,5
 Skin colour: yellow / Y
 Flesh colour: light yellow / 6,5
 Skin finish: above average / 6,5
 Tuber shape: oval long / OL
 Regularity of tuber shape: quite regular / 6
 Tuber size: average / 6,5
 Regularity of size: quite regular / 6,5
 Dormancy: quite short / 5

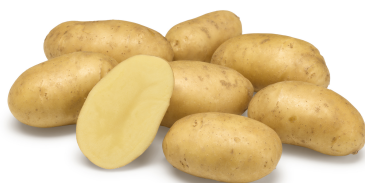
Sensitivity and quality

Secondary growth: quite sensitive / 6,5
 Black spot (internal bruising): slightly sensitive / 7,5
 Growth cracks: sensitive / 5
 Underwater weight: 425
 Dry matter content: 22,8%
 Cooking type: firm / A
 Discolouration after cooking: quite sensitive / 6,5
 Raw discolouration: slightly sensitive / 7,5
 Fries quality: good / 7
 Crisping quality: below average / 5,5
 TGA-level:
 Dormancy: quite short / 5



How to grow

Fertilization and seed treatment ¹
Planting distance



**Say potato,
say **Agrico.****

Resistances

Virus - Yn: susceptible / 5,5

Virus - Yntn (tuber): susceptible / 5

Late blight - foliage: slightly to not susceptible / 8,5

Late blight - tuber: slightly to not susceptible / 9

Fusarium: slightly susceptible / 7

Common scab: very susceptible / 4,5

Powdery scab: very susceptible / 2

Wart disease F1: resistant / 10

Golden nematode Ro 1/4: resistant / 9