

Variety Summary

New & Proven Varieties
for UK & World Markets



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First Earlies

Swift

1st Early: An exceptionally early maturing variety, producing good yields of attractive round uniform tubers. A popular variety with British gardeners and early growers in Scandinavia. Good resistance to common scab.

Seed availability – good

Winston

1st Early: A very early variety, giving very good yields of bold white tubers within a very short growing season. Resistant to PCN *Ro1* with very good drought and heat tolerance.

Seed availability – good

Second Earlies

08 CP 99 A1

2nd early: A new selection which has shown great potential for the early Baker and prepack markets both in the UK and hot climates.

Seed availability – trials only

Divaa

2nd Early: Good fry colour, medium DM, bright skin, white flesh and good flavour. Suitable for pre-pack and chipping markets. Good resistance to

Pa 2/3

Seed availability – good

Kestrel

2nd Early: Parti-coloured and very attractive tubers - an established favourite with flavour conscious supermarkets, consumers and horticulture exhibitors. Good storage qualities. Partial resistance to *Ro1* and *Pa1/2*.

Seed availability – good

Second Earlies continued

Nadine

2nd Early: Extremely high marketable yields of bright attractive cream oval tubers. Good processing qualities diced and eye-catching when washed. Good resistance to bruising and common scab. Resistant to *Ro1* moderate resistance to PCN *Pa2/3*.

Seed availability – good

Osprey

2nd Early/Early Maincrop: High marketable yields of parti-coloured bold bright tubers with good all round cooking quality. Popular with growers and packers for its reliability and profitability. Good resistance to common and powdery scab.

Seed availability good–

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Sunrise

2nd Early/Early Maincrop: Parti-coloured, large Baker content: delicious boiled baked and mashed. Cream flesh. Growing in popularity for premium pre-packs, farmshops and for export to the Canary Islands.

Seed availability - good

Maincrops

Apache

Early Maincrop: Phureja cross. Warm red skin dotted with cream coloured patches ideal for 'peeled and cut' roast roast potatoes with a sweet, buttery, chestnut flavour. Good resistance to Blackleg and bruising.

Seed availability - good.

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Maincrops continue overleaf...

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Argos

Early Maincrop: Extremely high yielding, producing large uniform long-oval white tubers with shallow eyes. Resistant to PCN *Ro1* and partial resistance to *Pa2/3*. Very good heat and drought tolerance.

Seed availability – good

Bute

Maincrop: Easy to grow with high yields of attractive uniform tubers. Good longer term storage characteristics and all round disease resistance. Ideal for general prepack and Baker markets.

Seed availability good

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Maincrop: Good prepack shape, High yield bright attractive tubers with good size uniformity.

Seed availability – limited

Fritelle

Maincrop: Good PCN *Ro1* & *Pa* resistance. Early trials indicate good storage and chipping qualities.

Seed availability – limited

Golden Nugget

Maincrop: ideal for the salad and punnet markets, producing high tuber numbers with golden skin. Good storage and cooking quality. Good resistance to *Ro1*, *Pa 2/3* spraing, common and powdery scab.

Seed availability limited

Harmony

2nd Early/Early Maincrop: High yields, high baker content and easy to grow with good storage qualities and high marketable yield.

Partial resistance to *Ro1* and *Pa2/3*.

Seed availability – good

Jubilee (13 KAG 08)

Maincrop: Very high yields of uniform tubers. Aimed at the general white prepack market.

Seed availability – Limited

Libertie

Early Maincrop: A new contender in the white prepack market. Oval tubers with a bright skin finish. Good resistance to both common and powdery scab. Suitable for growing in temperate and hot climates.

Seed availability – limited

Marvel

Early Maincrop: High yields of attractive oval tubers suitable for the fresh and French-fry markets. Maintains good fry colours after long term storage.

Resistant to *Ro1* and partial resistance to *pallida Pa2/3*.

Seed availability – limited

Maxine

Early maincrop: Round-oval, red-skinned tubers with snow-white flesh. Good resistance to common scab, heat and drought. Especially good for dicing. Resistant to *Ro1* and partially resistant to *Pa1/2*.

Seed availability – good

Merlin

Early maincrop: Attractive bold parti-coloured tubers with good all round cooking quality. Merlin has high drought and heat tolerance and a long dormancy. Popular in Iberia and the Canary Islands.

Seed availability – good

Stemster

Early maincrop: High yields of red skinned tubers with very good cooking qualities. An established favourite with gardeners and for Farmgate shop sales. Good resistance to Powdery Scab.

Resistant to *Ro1*.

Seed availability – good

Valor

Maincrop: High yields of attractive uniform, bold tubers for the UK pre-pack and overseas fresh market. Resistant to *Ro1*. Especially well-suited to hot climates and organic production. Established and proven in many north African markets and the UK.

Seed availability – good



New varieties for 2016

06 CP 75 B12

2nd Early Maincrop: High yields of uniform tubers with medium to high DM%. Uniform tubers. Good resistance to PCN *Ro1, Pa* and blight.

Seed availability – trials only

08 CP 99 B14

Early Maincrop: good potential as a white Prepacker. High yield of bold round oval tubers.

Seed availability – trials only

08 CP 92 B20

Maincrop: Potential for white prepack sector. High yield of bold oval tubers.

Seed availability – trials only

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Early Maincrop: Good potential for white prepack sector. High yield of attractive bold oval tubers. Resistance to PCN *Ro and Pa*.

Seed availability – trials only

10 CP 72 A2

Early Maincrop: good potential for processing markets: long oval tubers, good fry colour even after med/long term storage, light yellow flesh. PCN *Pa* resistance.

Seed availability – trials only

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Maincrop: Good potential for processing markets: Long oval tubers with white flesh, good fry colour and flavour. Medium/High DM. *Ro1* and *Pa2/3* resistance.

Seed availability – trials only

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