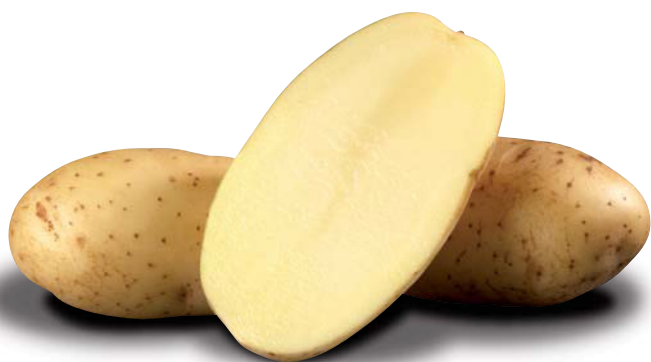


INOVA

NICOLA X IMPALA



Characteristics

Maturity	8
Foliage development	6
Dormancy	7
Colour of skin	G
Colour of flesh	G
Yield	7
Shape uniformity	8
Size of tubers	7
Shape of tubers	O-LO
Shallowness of eyes	7
Cooking type	AB
% D.M.	19,2
Harvest damage	7
Black spot	8
Discol. after cooking	8
French fries index	6
Crisps index	6

Resistant to/tolerant

PCN Ro 1	very resistant
PCN Pa 2+3	susceptible
Leaf blight	5
Tuber blight	7
Early blight	4
Common scab	5,5
Wart disease race 1	resistant
PVY (leaf resis.) mod.	susceptible

Crop protection

Metribuzin	mod. susceptible
CIPC	susceptible

Comments

INOVA has a long dormancy and good storage capability. It is suitable for most soil types. It shows early tuber initiation. INOVA is high yielding provided that it receives sufficient fertilisation throughout the season. It responds well to extra foliage treatment. The skin sets fairly quickly and is less susceptible to harvest damage and Fusarium.



INOVA is a firm cooking table potato, full of flavour, grown mainly for the NW European market. This very early variety also gives good results in North Africa and the Middle East for re-export to Europe. It has long oval tubers with yellow flesh and yellow skin.