

Wotan

Red starch variety



Variety description

Starch variety with a high yield potential of many tubers with high starch content.

Characteristics

- Usage: Starch
- Maturity: Late
- Yield: High
- Foliage: Strong and covering
- Tuber size: Medium
- Tuber shape: Round-oval
- Number of tubers: 10-13
- Skin: Red
- Flesh colour: Crème
- Cooking type: CD
- Dry matter content: High
- Dormancy period: Medium
- Nematodes: Resistance; Ro1
- Wart disease: Resistance; Type 1
- Foliage blight: High resistance
- Tuber blight: High resistance
- Common scab: Medium resistance
- Virus Y: High resistance



Growing advice

Wotan needs time to adapt to the outside temperature, so it should not be planted directly from mechanical cooling storage, but only after it adjusted to the outside temperature. The seed can be preheated before planting.

Always plant in good weather and in good soil conditions as soon as the soil temperature reaches 8°C, due to the lateness of the variety. Depending on the seed potato size, they should be planted in 12-18 cms' depth - bigger tubers should go deepest.

Only apply fertilizer one time, preferably at planting. Wotan only needs a medium N-level to avoid late maturing. Furthermore make sure that the potassium level in the soil is high enough, in order to improve the storability.

Storage of seed potatoes: ≈ 4-6 °C

Storage of starch potatoes: ≈ 8 °C