

Excellency.

MARKET OUTLETS

Processing, fresh market

Excellency is a fresh market variety with processing capabilities.

- ▶ A Parkland potato variety for the fresh market with excellent storage qualities.
- ▶ It has yellow skin and light yellow flesh. Tubers are long oval, rather big and have very shallow eyes. Tuber numbers are moderate.



CHARACTERISTICS

Info

Maturity: early

Average yield: very good

Crossing: Lady Olympia x Red One

Breeder: Agrico Research B.V.

Quality

Tuber shape: oval long

Uniform of shape: uniform

Eye depth: shallow

Flesh colour: pale yellow

Skin colour: yellow

Dry matter test: good

Dry matter percent: 21.6%

Agronomy

Dormancy: medium

Tube number: higher setting

Resistant to damage: susceptible

Secondary growth: not susceptible

Flower colour: white

Disease resistance

Late blight (Foliage blight): some susceptibility

Common scab: moderate resistance

Virus PVY: good resistance

Tuber blight: some susceptibility

PCN - Ro1 & Ro4: resistant

Blackleg: some susceptibility

Virus Yntn: very good resistance

Fusarium (dry rot): slightly resistant

How to grow

Storage recommendation

Excellency has a long dormancy period. Able to store up to 10 months under suitable conditions.

Cultivation recommendation

It is recommended to warm seed prior to planting. DO NOT use Sencor as Excellency is very sensitive to it. Standard Nitrogen application is recommended.

Resistance

Excellency is moderately susceptible to blackleg. Resistance to virus Yn and virus Yntn is good.