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Vegetable Seeds
UK, Ireland & Nordics



Our Seminis Events

Seminis is more than just a breeder of vegetable seeds. It provides solutions for sustainability, from seeds to pesticides, harvest and storage! We work together with a range of partners to fulfill your needs and want to share this with you during our various events. Make a note in your calendar!

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Boston, United Kingdom

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Cauliflower Overview

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| Calendar UK & Ireland | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| VARIETY | SEGMENT | GROW DAYS | MONTHS | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEPT | OCT | NOV | DEC | | | |
| Momentum | 1st Early | 70-80 | | | ■ | | | ■ | ■ | | | | | | | | |
| Abeni | 2nd Early | 75-85 | | | ■ | | | | ■ | ■ | | | | | | | |
| SV5777AC | 2nd Early | 80-90 | | | ■ | | | | ■ | ■ | | | | | | | |
| Freedom | Main | 68-75 | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | | |
| Ivex (SVAC7104)* | Main | 70-75 | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | | |
| Whitex | Main | 72-77 | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | | |
| Britex | Main | 74-79 | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | | |
| Cardex (SVAC7308)* NEW | Main | 75-80 | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | | |
| Fortaleza | Main | 75-80 | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | | |
| SV5818AC | Main | 80-85 | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | | |
| Giewont | Main - Early Autumn | 90-100 | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | | |
| Gieflor (SV8542AC) | Main - Early Autumn | 95-105 | | | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | |
| Subasio (SVAC3332) | Main - Early Autumn | 105-120 | | | | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | |
| Aquata | Early Autumn | 110-120 | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | |
| SV5965AC | Early Autumn | 120-130 | | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | |
| SV5982AC | Late Autumn | 130-140 | | | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | |
| Sassolungo (SVAC6083) | Late Autumn | 135-145 | | | | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | |
| SV5697AC | Winter | 200-240 | ■ | ■ | | | | | | ■ | ■ | | | | | | |
| Carantic | Winter | 220-250 | | ■ | ■ | | | | | ■ | ■ | | | | | | |

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 *Subject to approval in the UK. Breeder's Reference SVAC7104 and SVAC7308.

| Calendar Nordics | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| | | NORTH | SOUTH | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEPT | OCT | NOV | DEC | | |
| Momentum | 1st Early | 50-55 | 70-80 | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | | | | | | | |
| Abeni | 2nd Early | 55-60 | 75-85 | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | | | | | | | |
| SV5777AC | 2nd Early | 60-65 | 80-87 | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | | | | | | | |
| Minuteman (Arizona) | Main | 60-65 | 70-75 | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | |
| Freedom | Main | 63-68 | 68-73 | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | |
| Ivex (SVAC7104)* | Main | 63-68 | 68-73 | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | |
| Whitex | Main | 65-70 | 70-75 | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | |
| Britex | Main | 67-72 | 72-77 | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | |
| Cardex (SVAC7308) NEW | Main | 68-72 | 73-78 | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | |
| Fortaleza | Main | 68-72 | 73-78 | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | |
| SV5818AC | Main | 75-85 | 80-85 | | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | |
| Giewont | Main | 85-95 | 90-100 | | | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | |

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Introducing Curdivex®

White, bright and easy to harvest cauliflowers.



Since the launch of Whitex in 2019 we have worked hard to expand our Curdivex portfolio. With the introduction of large scale trials of Cardex (SVAC7308), we will now have four Curdivex varieties in our portfolio. This will give growers the opportunity to successionaly harvest Curdivex varieties from early June through to late October with Ivex, Britex, Whitex and Cardex.

Ivex is the earliest maturing Curdivex variety in our portfolio, maturing approximately 2 days later than Freedom. Ivex is particularly suited to October sowings in the UK and Ireland and performs well when grown under plastic covers. Britex is most suited to cooler climates with one of its main benefits being its ease of harvest and its small floret size meaning it is particularly interesting for the processing industry. Whitex is next in order of maturity with harvest occurring approximately 3 days later than Britex. Whitex benefits from excellent plant vigour in early summer giving high quality heads for harvest from late June through to the end of the UK summer season.

Cardex (SVAC7308) is our new introduction for 2024, giving the addition of a later maturing Curdivex type to our portfolio. Cardex matures at a similar timing to Fortaleza with the added benefit of the Curdivex white trait.

General benefits of Curdivex varieties.

- // Whiter curds
- // Improved field holding
- // Higher percent marketable curds
- // Increased harvest uniformity
- // Quicker more efficient harvest
- // Improved field holding and shelf life



Whitex

Good plant vigour combined with super white curds.



Momentum

First early cauliflower giving early entry to the new season market

- // Matures in approximately 70-80 days (UK); 50-80 days (Nordics) from planting
- // One of the earliest maturing hybrid varieties on the market
- // Best suited to larger cell/pot sizes and plastic covered production
- // Concentrated maturity for quicker harvest
- // Easy to see, cut and bag



Abeni

Second early cauliflower with solid, white curds

- // Matures in approximately 75-85 days (UK); 55-85 days (Nordics) from planting
- // Vigorous plant with upright foliage
- // Suitable for covered and uncovered production



Freedom

Summer cauliflower with excellent vernalisation in hotter weather

- // Matures in approximately 70-75 days (UK); 63-73 days (Nordics) from planting
- // Consistent grow days giving reliable harvest planning
- // Reliable curd production in hot weather
- // Vigorous variety especially suited to early summer production



Ivex (SVAC7104)*

Ivex is a new Curdivex variety particularly suited to October sowings.

- // Matures in approximately 70-75 days (UK); 63-73 days (Nordics) from planting
- // Good vernalisation in hot conditions
- // Improved colour compared to Freedom
- // Easy to see and harvest
- // Easy to bag

*Subject to approval in the UK



SV5777AC

Vigorous variety bridging the gap between Abeni and Freedom

- // Matures in approximately 80-90 days (UK); 60-87 days (Nordics) from planting
- // Upright plant habit allowing for quick and efficient harvest
- // Uniform maturity
- // Solid, bright curd with excellent presentation
- // Provides an excellent link between early and main season varieties



Minuteman (Arizona)

Widely adaptable with the ability to perform well in heat

- // Matures in approximately 60-75 days (Nordics) from planting
- // Dense, uniform heads with good colour
- // High yield potential with ability to produce heavy heads
- // Good plant vigour with excellent curd protection



Whitex

First of our new bright, white and easy to harvest Curdivex range

- // Matures in approximately 72-78 days (UK); 65-75 days (Nordics) from planting
- // Vigorous, upright plant habit with bright, white curd
- // Easy to harvest due to the curd being more visible
- // Improved field holding compared to other varieties with similar maturity
- // Excellent shelf life with the curd staying whiter for longer



Britex

New Curdivex variety with excellent processing potential

- // Matures in approximately 74-79 days (UK)
- // Suitable for fresh market and processing
- // Bright white curd with small dense florets
- // Easy to see and harvest
- // Uniform maturity for more efficient harvest



Cardex* (SVAC7308)

Cardex is a new Curdivex variety which matures at a similar timing to Fortaleza

- // Matures in approximately 75-80 days (UK); 68-78 days (Nordics) from planting
- // Vigorous and upright plant habit
- // Bright white curd colour
- // Tight inner plant jacket
- // Good harvest uniformity
- // Solid and dense curds

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Fortaleza

High quality face-pack cauliflower

- // Matures in approximately 75-80 days (UK); 68-78 days (Nordics) from planting
- // Upright plant producing solid, smooth curds
- // Dense and solid florets meaning Fortaleza is suitable for both fresh and processing markets
- // Uniform maturity for more efficient harvest



Gieflor (SV8542AC)

New processing variety maturing approximately 5-7 days later than Giewont

- // Matures in approximately 95-105 days (UK)
- // Vigorous, healthy, upright plant habit
- // Solid, heavy curds
- // High yield of excellent quality florets
- // Suitable for fresh market and processing

“Our cauliflower and broccoli hybrids are widely tested in multiple environments to guarantee adaptability”

Valheria Castiblanco / Broccoli and Cauliflower Development Breeder - EMEA



SV5818AC

Vigorous variety with excellent cover and a solid curd harvesting from July to mid-October

- // Matures in approximately 80-85 days (UK); 75-85 days (Nordics) from planting
- // Suitable for both fresh market and processing
- // Upright plant habit with easy to harvest solid curds
- // Solid dense florets suitable for sale as frozen or fresh florets



Giewont

Popular variety for use in processing markets across North West Europe

- // Matures in approximately 90-100 days (UK) 85-95 days North, 90-100 days South (Nordics) from planting
- // Solid, dense curds giving high yields of quality florets for the processing industry
- // Vigorous variety performing particularly well for September and October harvests



Subasio (SVAC3332)

Early Autumn variety with good harvest uniformity

- // Matures in 105-120 days
- // Vigorous, upright plant habit
- // Matures between Gieflor and SV5965AC
- // Excellent plant health
- // Solid, dense curd with good colour
- // Well wrapped curd with tight inner jacket
- // Uniform maturity
- // Excellent field holding



SV5965AC

Extremely vigorous plant with excellent curd cover

- // Matures in approximately 120-130 days (UK) from planting
- // Large frame protects a solid, white curd
- // Can be used for fresh market size 6 or 8 cauliflowers
- // Suitable for fresh market or processing

“We have collaborated with Seminis on the Brassica Innovation Day for six years now. It is great to see that Seminis are looking at new and innovative products and not standing still even though they have so many market leading varieties. Since hosting the Seminis Open Day site inclusion of Seminis varieties on our farm has increased and helped develop our business especially products like the Curdivex cauliflower Ivex, Whitex and Cardex and Spinnaker, Titanium and Andersia from your High Rise® broccoli range”.

Mick and Mark Nundy, Windy Ridge Veg Ltd



SV5982AC

Late Autumn variety maturing in 130-140 days

- // Tall frame with leaves tightly wrapped to the curd making it very easy to bag
- // Fluted leaf wrap provides additional protection to the curd
- // Gives good continuity of harvest when programmed with SV5965AC and Sassolungo



Sassolungo (SVAC6083)

Late autumn variety for harvest in late November and early December

- // Matures in approximately 135-145 days (UK) from planting
- // Well wrapped cauliflower producing medium to large sized curds
- // Uniform harvest of excellent quality cauliflowers
- // Well proven in Italy and the UK



SV5697AC

Vigorous variety with excellent frost tolerance

- // Matures in approximately 200-240 days (UK) from planting
- // Suitable for January (Cornwall) and February (Lincolnshire) harvest
- // Light green, deep veined, waxy leaf which gives excellent protection against frost
- // Very healthy foliage
- // Well wrapped curd giving extra protection at a critical time of year
- // Best suited for lower density production



Carantic

A vigorous plant with large leaves which have good frost tolerance

- // Matures in approximately 220-250 days (UK) from planting
- // Suitable for February (Cornwall) and March (Lincolnshire) harvest
- // Vigorous plant, large leaves with good frost tolerance
- // High quality, smooth curd with excellent coverage
- // High percentage cut at a difficult time of year
- // Consistent performer in internal and external trials
- // Gives reliable production of winter cauliflower

Broccoli Overview

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Calendar UK & Ireland

| VARIETY | SEGMENT | GROW DAYS | MONTHS | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Spinnaker ¹ | Main | 70-80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ironman | Main | 70-80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Titanium* | Main | 70-80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Shard | Main | 70-80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SV1002BL* | Main | 75-85 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Crucible ¹ (SVBL0300) | Main | 75-85 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Taipei ¹ (SVBL0306) | Main | 77-87 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Andersia | Main | 80-90 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Steel | Main | 80-90 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pennybridge | Main - Stem | 57-72 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sibsey | Main - Stem | 60-75 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Skytree | Main - Floret | 60-75 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Skyway (SVBL0509) | Main | 77-87 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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| | | NORTH | SOUTH | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEPT | OCT | NOV | DEC | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SV3277BL (Legacy) | Main | 65-70 | 70-80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Spinnaker | Main | 65-70 | 70-80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ironman | Main | 65-70 | 70-80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Titanium* | Main | 65-70 | 70-80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Shard | Main | 65-70 | 70-80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SV1002BL* | Main | 70-75 | 75-85 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Crucible (SVBL0300) | Main | 70-75 | 75-85 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Taipei (SVBL0306) | Main | 72-77 | 77-87 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Andersia | Main | 72-78 | 80-90 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Steel | Main | 75-80 | 80-90 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pennybridge | Main - Stem | 50-70 | 57-72 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sibsey | Main - Stem | 58-72 | 60-75 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Skytree | Main - Floret | 60-70 | 65-75 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Skyway (SVBL0509) | Main | 72-77 | 77-87 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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SV3277BL (Legacy)

Main season broccoli variety grown in the Nordics & Poland

- // Matures in approximately 65-80 days (Nordics)
- // Heavy, dark green heads with a fine bead
- // High yield potential suitable for both fresh market and processing



Ironman

Our number 1 selling broccoli variety for over 15 years in North West Europe

- // Matures in approximately 70-80 days (UK) and 65-80 days (Nordics) from planting
- // Excellent quality domed heads with a fine to medium bead
- // Reliable and consistent supply throughout the growing season
- // Easy to harvest heads which are suitable for normal and mini production



Titanium

Higher head weight, longer lasting

- // Matures in approximately 70-80 days (UK) and 65-80 days (Nordics) from planting
- // Heavy, dense heads with improved field holding and shelf life
- // Easier and more efficient to harvest compared to Ironman
- // Best suited for early summer and autumn production



Crucible* (SVBL0300)

Summer variety with improved heat tolerance, head quality and yield potential compared to our current summer portfolio

- // Matures between Ironman and SV1002BL
- // Good heat tolerance and improved field holding
- // Dense firm heads with fine to medium bead size
- // Improved hollow stem tolerance compared to Ironman
- // Less hollow stem compared to Ironman



Spinnaker*

New High Rise® variety suitable for early summer and autumn production

- // Matures in approximately 70-80 days (UK) and 65-80 days (Nordics) from planting
- // Uniform to mature with potential for machine harvest
- // Increased head weights and higher percentage of marketable heads compared to Ironman
- // Improved disease tolerance to Systemic Downy Mildew compared to Ironman
- // Excellent quality head with good tolerance to bracting and cateye
- // Improved field holding and hollow stem tolerance compared to Ironman



Shard

Matures at similar timing to Ironman for use for autumn production

- // Matures in approximately 70-80 days (UK) and 65-80 days (Nordics) from planting
- // Vigorous cool season variety best suited to autumn production
- // Excellent head weights and good field holding compared to Ironman
- // Dark green, fine beaded, firm head
- // Uniform maturity which could increase harvest efficiency



SV1002BL

Improved plant health, enhanced crop performance

- // Matures in approximately 75-85 days (UK) and 70-85 days (Nordics) from planting
- // Provides resilience in tough growing conditions due to its excellent disease tolerance
- // Medium bead variety producing heavy, dense and firm crowns
- // Increased harvest uniformity
- // Easier cleaning combined with good hollow stem tolerance
- // Improved tolerance to diseases such as White Blister and Systemic Downy Mildew compared to Ironman
- // Gives excellent continuity of supply when grown with Ironman and Steel

“Crucible has a proven high yield potential during the summer months due to its improved heat tolerance and head quality compared to Ironman. It is also performing well from September sowings for maturity in mid-June”.

**Gráinne Meade
Technical Account Manager**





“Bellaverde[®], meaning ‘Beautiful Green’ is the brand of our stem broccoli range. Sibsey was introduced around 10 years ago and has proved to be very popular with growers, retailers and consumers, more recently we have added Pennybridge to the assortment”.

Sharon MacGregor
Sales Manager Openfield



Andersia

High Rise[®] variety with excellent uniformity and head weights

- // Matures in approximately 80-90 days (UK) and 72-90 days (Nordics) from planting
- // Easy to harvest variety with less leaves to remove than commercial standards
- // Heavy head with fine bead and excellent green colour
- // Excellent field holding and shelf life
- // Potential to be machine harvested

Steel

High quality broccoli with a domed head with fine bead size

- // Matures in approximately 80-90 days (UK) and 75-90 days (Nordics) from planting
- // Excellent quality heavy heads with good tolerance to hollow stem, spear rot and Systemic Downy Mildew especially in September and October
- // Gives good continuity of supply when grown with Ironman/Titanium and SV1002BL

Pennybridge

Sweet and tender multi harvest stem broccoli giving excellent taste and quality

- // Main head appears in approximately 50-60 days post planting – pinch out at thumbnail size
- // Multi-harvest variety with side shoots ready approximately 7-10 days after main head is removed
- // Can harvest stems approximately 3 days sooner than with Sibsey
- // Less leaves to remove on the stem compared to Sibsey
- // Dark green tender stem



Taipei* (SVBL0306)

Autumn variety suitable for both fresh market and processing with ability to machine harvest.

- // Matures approx. 2-3 days earlier than Andersia
- // Strong plant vigour
- // Suitable for processing industry and has machine harvest potential
- // Small floret size with excellent quality and uniform beads
- // Good tolerance to temperature fluctuations
- // Excellent quality florets
- // Easy to harvest

Sibsey

Stem broccoli that is prized for its small compact heads which have a tender and sweet stem

- // Main head appears in approximately 53-63 days post planting – pinch out at thumbnail size
- // Dark green stem with fine beaded mini broccoli head
- // Easy to harvest stem

Skytree

Produces a raised segmented head for easier harvest and preparation

- // Matures in approximately 65-75 days (UK) and 60-75 days (Nordics) from planting
- // Longer, greener floret stems with less yellow halo on the florets
- // Easier to harvest and prepare
- // Uniform to harvest
- // Potential for machine harvest
- // Best suited to autumn harvest

Skyway* (SVBL0509)

Skyway is a new variety in our portfolio which complements Skytree for Autumn harvest of florets for processing.

- // Matures approximately 10 days later than Skytree
- // Uniform maturity
- // Floret type with segmented head and longer floret stems
- // Fine bead size with less yellow halo on the florets
- // Less leaves to remove and good field holding so ideal for machine harvest
- // Good tolerance to systemic downy mildew and crown rot

Cabbage Overview

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| Calendar UK & Ireland | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| VARIETY | SEGMENT | GROW DAYS | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEPT | OCT | NOV | DEC |
| SV7027JG | Summer | 70-80 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Winter Special | Autumn/Winter | - | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Winter Supreme Plus | Autumn/Winter /Spring | - | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Rapidion | Green | 55-60 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Rinda | White | 90-100 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SV3336JB | White | 90-100 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Galvatron | White | 115-120 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SV3404JL | White | 140-145 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Kronos | White | 150-165 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Roxy | Red | 150-160 | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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| Rapidion | Green | 55-60 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pandion | Green | 55-60 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Rinda | White | 90-100 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SV3336JB | White | 90-100 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Tobia | White | 105-115 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Galvatron | White | 115-120 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ambrosia | White | 115-120 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Kolia | White | 130-140 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SV3404JL | White | 140-145 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Atria | White | 135-145 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Kronos | White | 150-165 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Galaxy | White | 160-170 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Roxy | Red | 150-160 | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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SV7027JG

Suitable for both fresh market and processing giving versatility of end use

- // Matures in approximately 70-80 days from planting
- // Slow to heart Premier Green giving good field holding for summer production



Winter Supreme Plus

Standard UK winter and early spring Premier Green

- // Suitable for harvest through late autumn, winter and early spring
- // High quality dark green leaf maturing slightly later than Winter Special
- // Slow to heart with excellent green to yellow ratio
- // Very suitable for processing



Winter Special

Uniform, high yielding and winter hardy Premier Green

- // Suitable for harvest through late autumn and winter
- // Uniform growth with excellent harvest window due to slow heart formation
- // Better basal uniformity compared to open pollinated varieties



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Cabbage - Green, White, Red and Processing

| Cabbage | | | | | | | | |
|--|------------------|-------|-------------|------------------------|--------------|------------|---------|--------------------|
| Variety | Approx Grow Days | Shape | Weight (kg) | Planting Density mk/ha | Fresh Market | End Use | | |
| | | | | | | Processing | Storage | Dutch White Market |
| Early Varieties | | | | | | | | |
| Rapidion | 55 - 60 | E | 0.75 - 1.5 | 40 - 60 | +++ | - | - | - |
| Pandion | 55 - 60 | E | 0.75 - 1.5 | 40 - 60 | +++ | - | - | - |
| Summer Maturing White/Processing Varieties | | | | | | | | |
| Rinda | 90-100 | E | 4.0-8.0 | 25-35 | ++ | ++ | - | - |
| SV3336JB | 90-100 | E | 3.0-6.0 | 25-35 | +++ | +++ | - | + |
| Tobia | 105-115 | E | 4.0-8.0 | 25-35 | +++ | +++ | - | - |
| Autumn Maturing White/Processing Varieties | | | | | | | | |
| Galvatron | 115-120 | E | 1.0-3.5 | 25-45 | +++ | ++ | ++ | +++ |
| Ambrosia | 135-140 | F | 4.0-8.0 | 25-30 | ++ | +++ | ++ | - |
| Kolia | 140-145 | F | 4.0-8.0 | 25-30 | ++ | +++ | ++ | - |
| SV3404JL | 140-145 | E | 1.0-4.0 | 30-50 | +++ | +++ | +++ | +++ |
| Atria | 145-150 | F | 4.0-8.0 | 25-30 | ++ | +++ | ++ | - |
| Kronos | 150-165 | F | 4.0-6.0 | 22-35 | +++ | +++ | +++ | - |
| Galaxy | 160-170 | F | 4.0-8.0 | 22-28 | ++ | ++ | +++ | - |
| Red Varieties | | | | | | | | |
| Roxy | 150-160 | D | 1.0-3.5 | 25-50 | +++ | +++ | +++ | - |

Shape of cabbage:





Rapidion

Light green round cabbage suitable for early summer production

- // Matures in approximately 55-60 days from planting
- // Rapid early growth
- // Produces cabbages of approximately 0.75-1.5kg in weight
- // Good tolerance to cracking



Rinda

Early processing cabbage

- // Matures in approximately 90-100 days from planting
- // Fine internal structure
- // Early entry into the processing market
- // Round to high round heads



Atria

Medium late cabbage for autumn harvest

- // Matures in approximately 145-150 days from planting
- // Dark grey green heads which grow to 4-8kg in weight
- // Excellent as a shredded product for salads
- // Compact internal structure with short core



Kronos

Industry standard cabbage with high dry matter ideal for coleslaw production

- // Matures in approximately 150-165 days from planting
- // High yielding variety with uniform head size
- // Suitable for long term storage
- // Good disease tolerance



SV3336JB

Healthy, vigorous variety with dark green leaves

- // Matures in approximately 90-100 days from planting
- // Cabbage set high in the plant for quick and efficient harvest
- // Flat round shape
- // Can reach weights of 3-5kg



Galvaton

White cabbage suitable for medium to long term storage

- // Matures in approximately 115-120 days from planting
- // High quality, round heads with abundant wax layer
- // Healthy crop
- // Excellent field holding



SV3404JL

White cabbage suitable for long term storage

- // Matures in approximately 140-145 days from planting
- // Erect plant habit with excellent health
- // Produces well filled heads that sit high in the crop
- // Can be grown at varying densities to produce heads from 1-4kg



Roxy

Red cabbage suitable for long term storage

- // Matures in approximately 150-160 days from planting
- // Compact, uniform heads with a slight elongated shape
- // Head weights of 1-3.5kg
- // Good tolerance to thrips and leaf disease

Carrot Overview

Calendar UK & Ireland

| VARIETY | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEPT | OCT | NOV | DEC |
|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|
| Carruba | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Catania* (SVDN7396) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Caribou | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Carlano | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SV5300DN | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| CR1706 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SVDC1978 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Malbec | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Recommended harvest / storage period: ■ Sowing ■ Harvest ■ Field condition dependant

Carrot Assortment (sorted by type and maturity)

| VARIETY | SEGMENT | SUB SEGMENTATION | STORAGE |
|---------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------|
| Carruba | Nantes | Second Early | Short term |
| Catania* (SVDN7396) | Nantes | Early Main | Long term |
| Caribou | Nantes | Main | Long term |
| Carlano | Nantes | Main | Long term |
| SV5300DN | Nantes Berlicum | Main | Medium term |
| CR1706 | Orange Imperator | Early Main | Long term |
| SVDC1978 | Orange Imperator | Main | Medium term |
| Malbec | Red Imperator | Main | Short term |

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Carrot Overview

Calendar Nordics

| VARIETY | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEPT | OCT | NOV | DEC |
|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|
| Carvora | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cahoot (SVDN8860) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Catania* (SVDN7396) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Carlano | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SV5300DN | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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Carvora

Early to main season carrot with high yield potential

- // Very good yield potential of high quality carrots
- // Early standard variety for bunching and fresh market
- // Uniform, smooth roots with good shape
- // Suitable for sowing from February until May



Cahoot (SVDN8860)

Early season carrot for trial in 2024 in the Nordic region

- // Healthy variety with vigorous and upright foliage
- // Matures between Carvora and Carruba
- // Early season carrot with smooth and uniform roots
- // Good bolting tolerance



Caribou

A main season carrot with high yield potential which gives strong, cylindrical roots with a good tip finish

- // Dark, upright foliage giving a good strong leaf canopy
- // New variety for the main season in the fresh market segment
- // High yield potential with strong roots
- // Smooth and uniform with a nice cylindrical shape



Carlano

High yielding main season carrot for long storage

- // High yield potential
- // Uniform roots with good strength
- // Strong and healthy dark green foliage, suitable for organic production
- // Suitable for storage until May



Carruba

Variety for early season production

- // Dark green healthy foliage
- // Good bolting tolerance
- // Strong and uniform roots with high yield potential
- // Highly versatile variety for harvest from early July to mid September



Catania* (SVDN7396)

A new early main crop variety with earlier maturity than Caribou with erect and healthy tops

- // Early maturing main crop carrot
- // Bridges gap between Carruba and Caribou
- // Strong, vigorous and healthy foliage
- // Healthy leaves with good tolerance to Alternaria
- // Strong and uniform roots with good tip finish
- // Strong tolerance to scab
- // High yield potential
- // Suitable for long term storage under straw



SV5300DN

Main season Nantes Berlicum carrot adapted for processing

- // Processing carrot with medium to dark orange colour and cylindrical shape
- // Smooth, bulky root
- // Good cavity spot tolerance in PGRO trials
- // Suitable for processing/deep freezing from trials in Eastern Europe



CR1706

Good quality, uniform, long roots with deep orange colour

- // Early maturing Imperator type
- // Long, smooth roots suitable for fresh market and processing
- // Excellent internal and external colour



SVDC1978

New imperator carrot for main season production

- // Healthy foliage
- // Long, cylindrical roots with a high percentage of uniform cuts
- // Good internal and external colour
- // Smooth skin finish



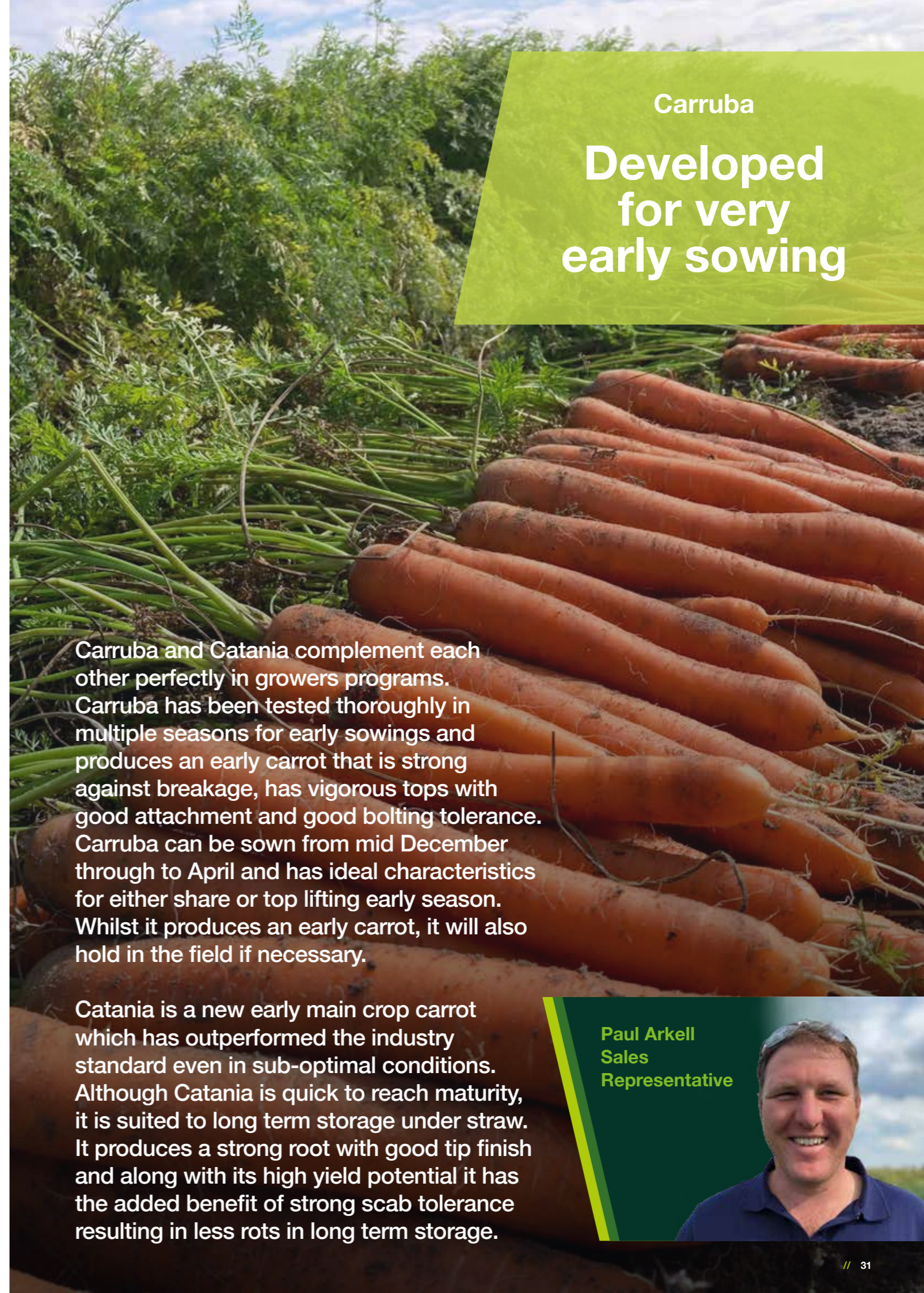
Malbec

A red carrot giving colour and diversity in our range

- // Red imperator with very good internal and external colour
- // Smooth, long, uniform roots suitable for marketing as whole roots, slices, plugs or mini carrots
- // Unique product on the market giving an additional colour to mixed carrot packs



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Carruba

Developed for very early sowing

Carruba and Catania complement each other perfectly in growers programs. Carruba has been tested thoroughly in multiple seasons for early sowings and produces an early carrot that is strong against breakage, has vigorous tops with good attachment and good bolting tolerance. Carruba can be sown from mid December through to April and has ideal characteristics for either share or top lifting early season. Whilst it produces an early carrot, it will also hold in the field if necessary.

Catania is a new early main crop carrot which has outperformed the industry standard even in sub-optimal conditions. Although Catania is quick to reach maturity, it is suited to long term storage under straw. It produces a strong root with good tip finish and along with its high yield potential it has the added benefit of strong scab tolerance resulting in less rots in long term storage.

Paul Arkell
Sales Representative



Leek Overview

Calendar UK & Ireland

| VARIETY | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEPT | OCT | NOV | DEC |
|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|
| Avastar* (SVZM0612) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sumstar | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Gostar | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Galvani | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Calendar Nordics

| VARIETY | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEPT | OCT | NOV | DEC |
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| Galvani | | | | | | | | | | | | |

■ Sowing ■ Harvesting

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Avastar* (SVZM0612)

Early summer dual purpose leek that produces uniform shanks which are easy to strip

- // Improved bolting tolerance compared to Volta
- // Easy to strip giving quick and efficient harvest
- // Uniform shank length
- // Can be used for blocks, modules and direct drilling
- // Dual purpose can be used for pre-pack and loose markets



Sumstar

Early summer leek for production from transplants, plant tape and early drilled crops

- // Easy cleaning giving quick and efficient harvest
- // Uniform and upright shanks with good yield
- // Dual purpose suitable for pre-pack and loose production
- // High yield potential with good field holding



Gostar

Late autumn variety which is extremely easy to harvest

- // Upright plant habit with healthy leaves and good tolerance to thrips
- // Excellent uniformity at harvest
- // Suitable for pre-pack and loose production
- // High yield potential



Galvani

A high yielding flexible variety with excellent winter hardiness

- // Mid to late maturing leek
- // Harvest from late November to April
- // Excellent winter hardiness
- // Upright dark green foliage
- // Well proven over many years production with UK growers

Lettuce Overview

Lettuce Overview

Calendar UK & Ireland

| VARIETY | TYPE | RESISTANCE | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEPT | OCT | NOV | DEC |
|-----------|---------------|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|
| Stallion | Iceberg | HR:BI:16-23,25,31,32EU | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Affic | Iceberg | HR:BI:16-30,32,33EU | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Boomerang | Iceberg | HR:BI:16-26,28,31,32EU IR:LMV:1 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SV4896LC | Iceberg | HR:BI:16-30,32-35EU | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SV6621LA | Green Batavia | HR:BI:16-33,35,37EU/Nr:0 IR:LMV:1/Fol:1 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Xenon | Lollo Rosso | HR: BI:16-20,22-24,27,28,30-32EU | | | | | | | | | | | | |

■ Sowing ■ Harvesting

Calendar UK & Ireland

| VARIETY | TYPE | RESISTANCE | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEPT | OCT | NOV | DEC |
|------------------------------|-----------------|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|
| Stallion | Iceberg | HR: BI:16-23,25,31,32EU | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Affic | Iceberg | HR: BI:16-30,32,33EU | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SV3413LC | Iceberg | HR:BI:16-35,37EU/Nr:0 IR:LMV:1 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Boomerang | Iceberg | HR: BI:16-26,28,31,32EU IR: LMV:1 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SV4896LC | Iceberg | HR: BI:16-30,32-35EU | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SV6621LA | Green Batavia | HR:BI:16-33,35,37EU/Nr:0 IR:LMV:1/Fol:1 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bivouac | Green Batavia | HR:BI:16-37EU/Nr:0 IR:LMV:1 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Xenon | Lollo Rosso | HR: BI:16-20,22-24,27,28,30-32EU | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Freelou | Oakleaf (green) | HR:BI:16-37EU/Nr:0 IR:LMV:1 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Veladero | Oakleaf (red) | HR:BI:16-34,36EU/Nr:0 IR:LMV:1 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SV6881LG | Romaine | IR:LMV | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Frillice | Frillice type | HR:BI:16,17EU IR:LMV:1 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Frillice outdoor | Frillice type | HR:BI:16,17EU IR:LMV:1 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Frillasti (SVLF1403) | Frillice type | HR:BI:17EU/Nr:0 IR:LMV:1 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Frillasti (SVLF1403) outdoor | Frillice type | HR:BI:17EU/Nr:0 IR:LMV:1 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SV3035LF | Frillice type | HR:BI16-23,25,31,32EU | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SV3035LF outdoor | Frillice type | HR:BI16-23,25,31,32EU | | | | | | | | | | | | |

■ Sowing ■ Harvesting

Lettuce Disease Legend

| | | |
|-----|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| BI | Bremia lactucae | Downy mildew |
| Nr | Nasonovia ribisnigri | Lettuce leaf aphid |
| LMV | Lettuce mosaic virus | Lettuce mosaic virus |
| CMV | Cucumber Mosaic Virus. | Cucumber Mosaic Virus |
| HR | High resistance | |
| IR | Intermediate resistance | |



Stallion

Strong, reliable and well-established variety

- // Consistent and reliable performer
- // Excellent quality uniform heads
- // High percentage of marketable product
- // Good wrapper leaf with tidy closed base



Affic

Quick maturing excellent quality iceberg suitable for whole head production

- // Uniform high-quality heads
- // Well-presented head with excellent basal qualities and nice wrapper leaf
- // Excellent variety for early summer and late autumn harvests



SV6621LA

Dual purpose green Batavia

- // Medium sized frame
- // Good basal attributes
- // Compact head which produces a large number of usable leaves
- // Slower maturing variety with a long harvest window



Xenon

An open field double red Lollo Rosso

- // Good weight, leaf size and colour penetration
- // Compact plant with dark red shiny leaves



Boomerang

Medium to fast growing versatile iceberg suitable for whole head and processing

- // Strong tolerance to tipburn
- // Slow to bolt
- // Approximately 3 days slower than Stallion with excellent field holding



SV4896LC

Slower maturing consistent performing iceberg with excellent field holding

- // Medium to large frame which can be used for whole head or processing
- // Semi-domed uniform heads
- // Proven on multiple soil types giving consistency throughout the season
- // Easy harvest variety



SV6881LG

Midi Romaine lettuce

- // Nice base with straight ribs
- // Easy to cut for fast harvest
- // Good tolerance to bolting & tip burn
- // High yielding
- // Consistent quality throughout the season



Frillice

A unique crisp lettuce type with nice green, shiny leaves and excellent sweet taste

- // Crunchy leaves
- // Very good sweet taste
- // Intermediate Resistance to Lettuce mosaic strain 1
- // Good tolerance to tip burn and bolting
- // Can be grown in open field and in indoor production



SV3035LF

A fast developing Frillice type with more upright growth habit

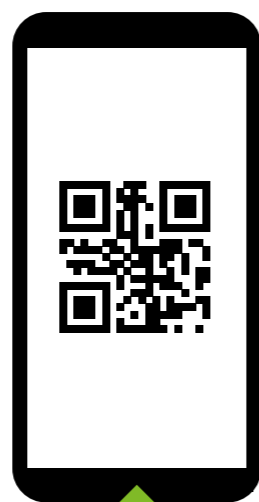
- // Upright growth habit makes it ideal for packing in bags
- // Faster development vs Frillice (approximately two days)
- // Can be grown in open field or in indoor production systems
- // HR:BL16-23,25,31,32EU



Frillasti

Frillasti is a compact Frillice lettuce type with dark green leaves. It has a very good taste and crispiness

- // Fast growth cycle vs Frillice (2 to 3 days faster)
- // Great taste and crispiness
- // Improved tip burn tolerance
- // Very good bolting tolerance
- // Dark green coloured leaves
- // Very good taste and crispiness as for Frillice
- // Less likely to get tip burn damage vs Frillice
- // Less likely to bolt vs Frillice
- // Nice looking dark green leaves vs Frillice



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SV3557ND

**A fast maturing
Rijnsburger with
good storage**

SV3557ND is a market proven popular variety that has been grown in the UK for over 5 years. This early maturing Rijnsburger onion has proven itself in the UK and across Europe as a high performing variety.

Recognition is gained for its consistency and high yield potential whilst maintaining good uniformity, high net yields and good skin retention. SV3557ND boasts good tolerance to Downy Mildew which can be useful in high pressure giving further confidence to growers when choosing this variety.

Storage ability is a key attribute of SV3557ND and it is suitable for long term storage delivering a complete and reliable onion variety.

James Howell
Market
Development
Representative



Bulb Onion Overview

Calendar UK & Ireland

| VARIETY | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEPT | OCT | NOV | DEC |
|----------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|
| Lovito | | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | | | |
| Shakito | | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | | | |
| SV3557ND | | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | | | |
| Packito | | | | | | | | | ■ | | | |

Recommended harvest / storage period: ■ Sowing ■ Harvesting

Onion Range (sorted by type and maturity)

| VARIETY | TYPE | COLOUR | MATURITY | FIRMNESS | STORAGE |
|----------|----------------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|----------------|
| Lovito | Rijnsburger/American | Brown | Early | Good | Short Term |
| Shakito | Rijnsburger | Brown | Early | Good | Short Term |
| SV3557ND | Rijnsburger | Light-Brown | Mid-Early | Very Good | Very Long Term |
| Packito | Rijnsburger | Bronze | Mid-Early | Very Good | Long Term |

Bulb Onion Overview

Calendar Nordics

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| Barito | | | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | | |
| Lovito | | | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | | |
| Shakito | | | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | | |
| SV3557ND | | | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | | |
| Packito | | | | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | |
| Rockito | | | | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | |
| Bossito | | | | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | |

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|----------|----------------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|----------------------|
| Barito | Rijnsburger/American | Light-Brown | Early | Good | Short Term |
| Lovito | Rijnsburger/American | Light-Brown | Early | Good | Short to Medium Term |
| Shakito | Rijnsburger | Brown | Early | Very Good | Short to Medium Term |
| SV3557ND | Rijnsburger | Light-Brown | Mid-Early | Very Good | Very Long Term |
| Packito | Rijnsburger | Bronze | Mid-Early | Very Good | Long Term |
| Rockito | Rijnsburger | Brown | Mid-Late | Very Good | Very Long Term |
| Bossito | Rijnsburger | Brown | Mid-Late | Very Good | Long Term |



Barito

Our earliest storage variety in the Rijnsburger/American type

- // Early, very high yield Rijnsburger/American onion
- // Rapid maturing and good skin retention
- // Flexible, as suitable both for early marketing and for storage into the winter months
- // Characterised by extremely high reliability over the years
- // Very strong leaf health



Lovito

Lovito is an intermediate type resulting from a cross of an American and Rijnsburger type (LD x LLD)

- // Similar timing to Barito with round to flat round shape
- // High vigour and quick young plant development
- // Strong root system and good tolerance to pink root
- // Good performance in adverse growing conditions
- // Suitable for short to medium term storage



SV3557ND

A fast maturing Rijnsburger with good storage

- // Early to medium-early Rijnsburger onion for long storage
- // High yielding, firm onion with attractive, light-brown colour
- // Very good skin retention



Packito

A medium-early onion with excellent quality for long storage

- // Vigorous roots and healthy foliage
- // High and stable yield potential from the field and after storage
- // Our best storage onion with respect to shape and colour
- // Stands out in storage through high yield, outstanding skin firmness and very firm bulbs



Shakito

Early Rijnsburger giving quality from the field and from storage

- // Very rapid maturing combined with high yield potential and excellent skin retention
- // Flexible use - can be sold straight from the field or can be used for medium term storage
- // Thin neck and very firm bulbs



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Rockito

Longest storage life owing to outstanding skin firmness and very high resistance to pressure in the onion

- // Innovative Rijnsburger in the medium-late range
- // Uniform, high quality bulbs due to vigorous rooting system
- // Solid onion with good sprouting tolerance



Bossito

Later maturing onion with very good skin quality, bulb firmness and sprouting tolerance

- // Suitable for long storage due to excellent bulb firmness and high quality skin
- // High percentage of marketable onions after storage
- // Very uniform round shape
- // Strong sprouting tolerance

Bunching Onion Overview

Calendar UK & Ireland

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|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|
| Baja Verde | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Green Banner | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SV4522NB | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Calendar Nordics

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| Baja Verde | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Green Banner | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SV4522NB | | | | | | | | | | | | |

■ Sowing ■ Harvesting



Baja Verde

First early summer variety with excellent plant habit

- // Erect plant habit which is easy to harvest
- // Excellent white to green colour contrast
- // Quicker speed of growth
- // Slow to produce a bulb
- // Healthy, clean leaves



Green Banner

An early summer and autumn variety for cooler weather conditions

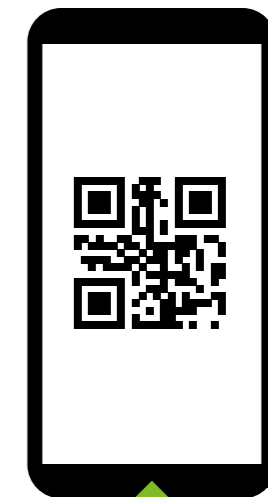
- // Good cool tolerance
- // Erect plant habit which helps with disease control
- // Excellent white to green colour contrast
- // Good presentation when bunched or pre-packed
- // Gives good continuity and is used to bridge overwinter and summer crops



SV4522NB

Fast maturing early summer variety

- // Very erect plant habit with small root implantation
- // Extremely easy to strip
- // Uniform straight shanks with high tolerance to bulbing
- // Excellent colour contrast



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Spinach Overview

| Calendar UK & Ireland | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|--------|--------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|
| VARIETY | TYPE | RESISTANCE | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEPT | OCT | NOV | DEC |
| SV2146VB | Savoy | Pe 1-13,15,16,18 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sumbawa* (SVVB2741) | Savoy | Pe 1-17, 19 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pukapuka* (SVVB2740) | Savoy | Pe 1-17, 19 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Kona* (SVVB2636) | Savoy | Pe 1-15,17 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Magnetic | Savoy | Pe 1-15,17 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Taliabu* (SVVB2725) | Savoy | Pe 1-17, 19 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SV2141VB | Savoy | Pe 1-13,15 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SV2157VB | Savoy | Pe 1-13,15,16,18 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Upolu | Smooth | Pe 1-16, 19 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Disko* (SVVC6091) | Smooth | Pe 1-7, 9-18 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Antigua | Smooth | Pe 1-9,11-16,18,19 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jolo* (SVVC5883) | Smooth | Pe 1-7, 9-18 | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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Spinach Overview

| Calendar Nordics | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------|--------|------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|
| VARIETY | TYPE | RESISTANCE | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEPT | OCT | NOV | DEC |
| Disko (SVVC6091) | Smooth | Pe 1-7, 9-18 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sumbawa (SVVB2741) | Savoy | Pe 1-17,19 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pukapuka (SVVB2740) | Savoy | Pe 1-17,19 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SV2146VB | Savoy | Pe 1-13,15,16,18 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Kona (SVVB2636) | Savoy | Pe 1-15,17 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Magnetic | Savoy | Pe 1-15,17 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Taliabu (SVVB2725) | Savoy | Pe 1-17,19 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SV2141VB | Savoy | Pe 1-13,15 | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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Spinach Disease Legend

| | | |
|-----|--|-----------------------|
| Pe | Perenospora effusa (EX Perenospra farinosa f.sp. Spinaciace) | Downy Mildew |
| Cv | Cladosporium variable | Cladosporium |
| Sb | Stemphylium botrysum | Stemphylium |
| CMV | Cucumber Mosaic Virus. | Cucumber Mosaic Virus |



SV2146VB

Excellent leaf quality and colour

- // Mid early maturity favoured for late spring and autumn production
- // Leaf colour is dark green
- // The leaves are semi-blistered, sturdy and thick with a round to oval shape and good pliability
- // The erect plant habit ensures a higher cut with less waste



Sumbawa* (SVVB2741)

Dark green early savoy

- // Upright, strong and thick leaf
- // Leaf type similar to SV2146VB but benefits from better Downy Mildew resistance
- // High yield potential
- // Pe 1-17, 19



Taliabu* (SVVB2725)

New dark green savoy suitable for summer production

- // Suitable for babyleaf production through the summer months
- // Leaves are oval shaped with good thickness and pliability
- // Pe 1-17, 19



Magnetic

Reliable production of high quality leaves

- // Versatile variety suitable for sowing from late spring through to the autumn
- // Nice savoy leaf type with good thick and pliable leaf
- // Excellent dark green leaf colour similar to SV2141VB
- // Erect plant habit for higher quality cut and less waste
- // Good bolting resistance



Pukapuka* (SVVB2740)

Dark green early savoy

- // Thick leaves and stems giving high yield potential
- // Uniform canopy at harvest
- // Ideal leaf size for babyleaf



Kona* (SVVB2636)

High yield potential of excellent quality leaf

- // Mid late semi savoy well suited for late spring/early summer and autumn production
- // Slightly later than SV2146VB with better bolting tolerance
- // Leaves are a dark green colour
- // Leaf shape is oval and has good thickness and pliability
- // Plant habit is erect with good petiole length giving a high cut of quality leaves at harvest



SV2141VB

Versatile production from spring to autumn

- // Mid late semi savoy for drilling from late spring to early autumn
- // Proven summer variety that is slow to bolt
- // Dark green round leaf
- // Nice upright plant habit with a strong uniform petiole length



SV2157VB

Excellent leaf quality and colour

- // Autumn variety producing high quality, thick dark semi-savoy leaves
- // Uniformity and leaf shape are excellent
- // The prostrate cotyledons make for easier harvest with the potential for higher yield



Upolu

Early spring and autumn production

- // Fast maturing for early spring or autumn production
- // Although classified as smooth, the leaf has some savoy texture to it
- // Leaves are medium dark green with an oval shape and good thickness
- // The erect plant habit makes for an easy cut at harvest



Disko* (SVVC6091)

Early maturing smooth variety suitable for spring and late autumn production

- // Oval shaped leaf with good thickness
- // Medium dark green colour
- // Good bolting tolerance for maturity giving flexible harvest window
- // Erect plant habit giving giving efficient harvest



Antigua

Versatile summer variety

- // Variety for summer production with a high yield potential
- // Slow but very even leaf growth combined with a very high bolting tolerance
- // Leaf colour and leaf thickness make this variety one of the best in terms of quality in summer cultivation
- // Versatile with good harvest window as it holds its shape



Jolo* (SVVC5883)

Late maturing mid summer variety with good bolting tolerance

- // Dark green colour
- // Upright plant habit
- // Oval round leaf with good leaf thickness
- // Good bolting tolerance for summer production



“Seminis has a long and proud history of supplying Spinach to the UK and Nordic markets. Our accelerated focus on breeding activities mean we will see an increased number of new varieties coming soon with improved disease package and better field performance.”

**Casper Jonsen
Key Account Manager**

Pea Overview

Calendar UK & Ireland

| VARIETY | SEASON | MATURITY DAYS | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEPT | OCT | NOV | DEC |
|----------|--------|---------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|
| Avola | Early | 57 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Talbot | Early | 59 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SV0893QF | Main | 65 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Utrillo | Late | 63 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Dorian | Late | 65 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SV1022QG | Late | 68 | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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Please contact local representatives for more country related information on calendar.

Pea Range (UK)

| Variety | Season | Maturity Days | Plant ht (cm) | Pods Per Node | Pod Length (cm) | Peas Per Pod |
|----------|--------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------|
| Avola | Early | 57 | 60 | 1 | 7 | 6-7 |
| Talbot | Early | 59 | 60 | 1-2 | 8 | 7-8 |
| SV0893QF | Main | 65 | 50 | 2-3 | 8 | 7-8 |
| SV1022QG | Late | 68 | 60 | 2 | 10 | 8 |
| Utrillo | Late | 63 | 75 | 1-2 | 13 | 8-10 |
| Dorian | Late | 65 | 75 | 1-2 | 13-14 | 9-10 |

Pea Overview

Calendar Nordics

| VARIETY | SEASON | MATURITY DAYS | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEPT | OCT | NOV | DEC |
|-------------------------|--------|---------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|
| Salinero | Early | 56 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Avola/Spring | Early | 57 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Utrillo | Late | 63 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Dorian | Late | 65 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sweet Anne (Sugar Snap) | Mid | - | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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Pea Disease Legend

| | | |
|------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Aps | Ascochyta pisi | Ascochyta leaf and pod spot |
| BYMV | Bean yellow mosaic virus | Bean yellow mosaic virus |
| Ep | Erysiphe pisi | Powdery Mildew |
| Fop | Fusarium oxysporum f.sp. Pisi | Fusarium wilt |
| PEMV | Pea enation mosaic virus | Pea enation mosaic virus |
| Pv | Peronospora viciae | Downy Mildew |



Salinero

Earliest pea variety in the Seminis portfolio
(Avola -1 day)

- // Very early maturity combined with good yield potential
- // Consistent performance
- // Intermediate resistance against downy mildew
- // Normal plant type and dark green normal foliage



Avola

Early season variety

- // Producing medium sized peas of very good quality and flavour
- // Pods are medium sized approx. 7cm long with 6-7 peas per pod
- // Resistance: HR: Fop:1



Utrillo

Main season proven variety (Avola +6)

- // Producing large dark pods and peas of excellent eating quality
- // Pod length 12cm with 8-10 peas per pod
- // Consistent 2 pods per node
- // Resistance: HR BYMV/Ep/Fop:1



Dorian

Main season (Avola +8)

- // Also known as Mr Big
- // Producing large pods with large peas
- // Very good eating quality
- // Pod length 12-13cm with 8-10 peas per pod
- // Resistance: HR: Ep



Talbot

Early season variety (Avola +2 days)

- // Even smooth pods
- // Medium sized peas which are even in colour and excellent quality
- // Pods are average 8cm with 7-8 peas per pod
- // High yield potential for its maturity group
- // Resistance: HR: Fop:1, IR: BLRV



SV0893QF

Early Main season (Avola +8 days)

- // High yield potential of medium sized peas
- // Vigorous plant with 2-3 pods per node
- // Pod length 8cm with 7-8 peas per pod
- // Resistance: HR: BYMV/Fop:1/Ep, IR: Pv



SV1022QG

Main season (Avola +11 days)

- // Good yield potential with attractive uniform pods
- // Upright plant habit setting 2-3 pods per node
- // Pod length 10-12cm, peas per pod 8-9
- // Resistance: HR: BYMV/PeMV/Fop:1,2/Ep, IR: Pv



Sweet Ann

Sweet Ann is a mid-season maturity snap pea variety with very attractive pods

- // Sweet, smooth and stringless pods with pointed ends
- // Pods are uniform and shiny green
- // Pods get to approximately 7-7.5cm in length and 1.1-1.2cm in width

Sweetcorn Overview

Calendar UK & Ireland

| VARIETY | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEPT | OCT | NOV | DEC |
|------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|
| Willinger* | | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ |
| SV1446SD | | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ |
| Passion | | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ |

Calendar Nordics

| VARIETY | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEPT | OCT | NOV | DEC |
|-------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|
| Tasty Sweet | | | | | ■ | ■ | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ |
| Willinger* | | | | | ■ | ■ | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ |
| SV1446SD | | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ |
| Passion | | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ |

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Sweetcorn Disease Legend

| | | |
|---------|---|--|
| Bm | Bipolaris maydis | Southern Corn Leaf Blight |
| Cg | Collectotricum graminicola (antracnose leaf blight) | Anthracnose |
| Et | Exserohilum turcicum (ex Setosphaeria turcica) | Northern Corn Leaf Blight |
| MDMV | Maize Dwarf Mosaic Virus | Maize Dwarf Mosaic Virus |
| PS (Rp) | Puccinia sorghi | Rust |
| Pst | Pantoea stewartii (ex Erwinia stewartii) | Stewarts Wilt |
| SCMV | Sugar Cane Mosaic Virus (ex MDMV strain B) | Sugar Cane Mosaic Virus (ex MDMV strain B) |

The various Rp genes confer resistance to some but not all races of common rust. The effectiveness of a specific Rp gene or combination of Rp genes in Sweetcorn will be determined by the common rust races which are prevalent in each growing area.

*Subject to approval Breeder's Reference SVSK5678



Tasty Sweet

Good performance for early drillings

- // Strong plant with good early vigour
- // Large, well covered ears and good tip fill
- // Short vegetation period and reliable yield in most conditions
- // Ear length 20cm, diameter 50mm, 14-16 rows



Willinger* (SVSK5678)

Mid Season

- // Strong plant with good lodging tolerance
- // Producing uniform ears with good tip fill
- // Ear length 19-20cm, diameter 52mm, 16-18 rows
- // Resistance: HR Rp1G, IR SCMV/Pst/Bm:0/Et:1

*Subject to approval in the UK



SV1446SD

Mid Season

- // Excellent eating quality
- // Deep yellow uniform cobs
- // Ear length 20cm, diameter 52mm, 18-20 rows
- // Resistance: HR RpG59, IR MDMV/SCMV/Pst/Bm:0/Et:1



Passion

Mid/Late season variety

- // Excellent eating quality
- // Reliable production of high % class 1 cobs
- // Ear length 19cm, diameter 50mm, 18-20 rows
- // Resistance: HR: RpD, IR: Pst/Et

Beans Overview

Calendar UK & Ireland

| VARIETY | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEPT | OCT | NOV | DEC |
|---------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|
| Bartava | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | | | | |
| Kundura ¹ (SVGT1295) | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | | | | |
| Gouti | | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | | |
| SV1541GA | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | | | |
| SV1286GW | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | | | |

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¹ Subject to approval. Breeder's Reference SVGT1295.

| Season | Variety | Sieve size distribution | | | Pod length CM | Maturity days Relative to Bartava | Plant height cm | Pod colour fresh + Light green ++++ Intensive dark green | Resistances |
|--------|--------------------|-------------------------|--------|-----------|------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------|--|---------------------------|
| | | 6.5-8 mm | 8-9 mm | 9-10.5 mm | | | | | |
| Early | Bartava | - | 35 | 65 | 13-14 | 0 | 40 | +++ | HR BCMV/CI:55 |
| Early | Kundura (SVGT1295) | - | 40 | 60 | 12 | 0 | 40 | +++ | HR BCMV/CI:55 |
| Early | Cadillac | 40 | 50 | 10 | 11-12 | +4 | 40 | +++ | HR BCMV/CI:55/PSP:2 |
| Main | SW1286GW | 65 | 35 | - | 12.5 | +5 | 40 | +++ | HR BCMV/CI:55/PSP:2 |
| Main | SV1541GA | 45 | 50 | - | 14-15.5 | +6 | 40 | +++++ | HR BCMV/CI:55 IR Ua:90 |
| Main | Gouti | 8 | 67 | 25 | 13-114.5 | +9 | 45 | ++++ | HR BCMV/CI:55 IR Ua:90 |

Beans Overview

Calendar Nordics

| VARIETY | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEPT | OCT | NOV | DEC |
|----------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|
| Bartava | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | | | | |
| Kundura | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | | | | |
| Cadillac | | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | | |
| Gouti | | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | | |
| SV1541GA | | | | | | | | ■ | ■ | ■ | | |

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Beans Disease Legend

| | | |
|------|---|--------------------------|
| BCMV | Bean common mosaic virus | Bean common mosaic virus |
| CI | Colletotrichum lindemuthianum | Anthraxnose |
| PSP | Pseudomonas savastanoi pv. Phaseolicola | Halo Blight |
| Ua | Uromyces appendiculatus | Rust |



Bartava

Early variety with high yield potential

- // Reliable early production
- // High yield potential for the maturity
- // Pod colour is mid-dark green
- // Pods are 8-10.5mm wide and 12-13cm long with good fleshy walls
- // Good upright plant habit makes for ease of harvest and ensure a high % of premium quality beans at harvest



Kundura* (SVGT1295)

New introduction for the early production

- // Early maturity
- // Attractive sieve size with majority in 9-10.5mm diameter and 12cm long
- // Good upright plant habit. Height approx. 40cm
- // High yield potential for maturity
- // Good uniformity and quality of final product

*Subject to approval in UK.



SV1541GA

High quality product

- // Very dark uniform fine pods
- // Pods are in range 6.5-9mm diameter and 12.5-13.5cm long
- // Good strong plant and well suited for both mechanical and hand harvest
- // Rust resistant



Gouti

Improved Paulista type

- // High yield potential
- // Vigorous and healthy plant
- // Medium to dark green straight pods
- // Pods are majority in range 8-9mm and 13cm long
- // Slow seed development
- // Good disease package



Cadillac

Versatile for early and late sowing

- // Suitable for early and late sowing
- // Medium fine beans producing most pods 8-9mm in diameter and 11-12cm long
- // Slow seed development giving increased harvest window
- // Suitable for both hand picking and machine harvest



SV1286GW

Flexibility when needed

- // SV1286GW is a fine bean with a high concentration of very uniform pods in the size 7-9mm
- // The medium dark green pods are 11-12cm long
- // Very good field holding giving an extended harvest window
- // The plant habit is erect and is well suited for machine harvest
- // Suitable for most soil types

Courgette Overview

Calendar UK & Ireland

| VARIETY | TYPE | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEPT | OCT | NOV | DEC |
|------------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|
| Acceste | Green | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ambassador | Green | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Calendar Nordics & Baltics

| VARIETY | TYPE | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEPT | OCT | NOV | DEC |
|------------|-------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|
| Acceste | Green | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ambassador | Green | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Top Kapi | Light Green | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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Acceste

Standard variety for baby courgette production

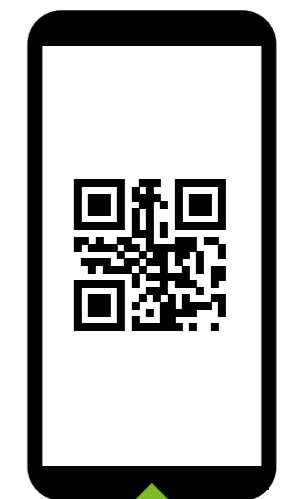
- // Easy to pick with high yield potential
- // Fruit are medium to dark green
- // Very good flower drop
- // Excellent shelf life



Ambassador

Early maturing main season variety

- // Very reliable producer of medium green fruit
- // Easy to harvest
- // Good vigour to combat cooler spring weather



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