

# Riviera.



Traditional

A first early ware variety with an attractive skin, excellent heat tolerance, good virus resistance and early a good yield.

- ▶ **Large tubers**
- ▶ **Beautiful appearance**
- ▶ **Good virus resistances**



## characteristics

### General characteristics

Breeder: Mts. Boerhave

Crossing: MINERVA x ALCMARIA

Breedersright: 31-12-2030

Seedling: BH 86-0266

### Plant and tuber characteristics

Maturity: first early / 8

Light sprout colour: blue violet / BV

Flower colour: white / W

Number of berries: very high / 4

Foliage - initial development: quite fast / 7

Foliage - final development: average / 7

Foliage - firmness: average / 6,5

Skin colour: yellow / Y

Flesh colour: light yellow / 6

Skin finish: excellent / 8

Tuber shape: oval round / OR

Regularity of tuber shape: quite regular / 6

Tuberisation: quite low / 5

Tuber size: quite large / 7,5

Regularity of size: regular / 7

Dormancy: average / 6

### Sensitivity and quality

Secondary growth: quite sensitive / 6,5

Black spot (internal bruising): slightly to not sensitive / 8

Growth cracks: quite sensitive / 6,5

Harvest damage: quite sensitive / 6

Metribuzin - pre-emergence: slightly to not sensitive / 8

Metribuzin - post-emergence: slightly to not sensitive / 8

Bentazon: - / -

Ethylene: 5% to 15% more tubers / 6

Underwater weight: 318

Dry matter content: 17,7%

Cooking type: rather firm / AB

Discolouration (after cooking): sensitive / 5,5

Raw discolouration: - / -

Fries quality: unsuitable / 4,5

Dry matter distribution: - / -

Crisping quality: unsuitable / 4

TGA-level: 4,8



# How to grow

## Fertilization <sup>1</sup>

**Nitrogen:** standard advice + 10%.

**Phosphate:** standard advice.

**Potassium:** standard advice.

## Seed treatment

Proper pre-sprouting after taking off the top sprout can give a positive result on the tuber set. Desprouting more than once can have a negative impact on yield and size regularity.

## Planting distance

28/35 mm: 22 cm (60.500 plants/ha)

35/55 mm: 27 cm (50.000 plants/ha)

## Weeds

A standard use of metribuzin (Sencor), before or after emerge, doesn't give foliage reaction or yield reduction.

## Fungicides

A strict preventive spraying schedule against late blight is necessary.

## Harvest

Due to its sensitivity scores for black spot and/or harvest damage, wait at least two weeks after haulm killing before harvest.

## Storage - .

Preferred storage temperature is 4 °C. Suitable for delivery straight from the field or short term storage.

<sup>1</sup> Level of fertilization is based on soil analysis.



Say potato,  
say **Agrico.**

## Resistances

**Virus - Leaf roll:** slightly susceptible / 7

**Virus - Yn:** slightly to not susceptible / 8

**Virus - Yntn (tuber):** slightly susceptible / 7

**Spraing:** very susceptible / 4

**Late blight - foliage:** very susceptible / 3

**Late blight - tuber:** susceptible / 5

**Fusarium:** slightly susceptible / 6

**Common scab:** susceptible / 5,5

**Powdery scab:** very susceptible / 2

**Black dot:** susceptible / 5,5

**Wart disease F1:** resistant / 10

**Wart disease F6:** - / -

**Wart disease F18:** - / -

**Golden nematode Ro 1/4:** resistant / 9

**Golden nematode Ro 2/3:** - / -

**White nematode Pa 2:** - / -

**White nematode Pa 3:** - / -