



SEED POTATO VARIETIES

Tui Certified Seed Potatoes are available in a wide range of varieties, and are certified to ensure they are true to type and will grow a healthy crop.



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VARIETY	TUBER/SKIN	*FLESH/TEXTURE	COOKING	DAYS TO HARVEST
Rocket Fastest producing of early varieties and provides a good yield. Great for growing in containers.	Oval, white	White, waxy	Good boiling potato with waxy texture.	Very early crop, approx 90 days
Swift Fast growing with exceptional taste. Great for growing in containers. High yielder.	Round, white	Creamy yellow, waxy	Will not discolour or disintegrate on steaming.	Very early crop, approx 90 days
Cliff Kidney Performs best in soils that contain peat. An excellent, firm potato for early cropping. Great for growing in containers.	Kidney, slight pink tinge	White, firm, waxy	Best for boiling. Excellent flavour.	Early crop, approx 100 days
Jersey Benne A medium cropper that can be grown in most soils. Great for growing in containers.	Oval, white	White, waxy	One of the most popular varieties for mashing or boiling.	Early crop, approx 100 days
Maris Anchor Yields well in most soil types but likes shelter. Great for growing in containers.	Oval, white	White, waxy/floury	Keeps well with excellent all purpose cooking qualities.	Early-main crop, approx 110 days
Ilam Hardy Very adaptable and will give a good yield over a wide variety of conditions. Light blight resistance. Great for growing in containers.	Oval to round, white	White, waxy/ floury	Excellent all purpose cooking – in particular boiling and frying.	Early-main crop, approx 130 days
Agria Great for growing in containers. High yielder.	Long oval, cream	Cream, floury	Excellent cooking qualities – in particular boiling. Stores well.	Main crop, approx 130 days
Heather Reliable, steady cropper.	Long oval, purple	White, floury	Excellent cooking qualities – in particular boiling, mashing and roasting. Excellent flavour.	Main crop, approx 130 days
Purple Passion Moderate resistance to blight and powdery scab.	Oval, purple	Cream, firm	Excellent cooking qualities – in particular French fries and boiling.	Early-main crop, approx 140 days
Desiree Likes reasonably fertile soils.	Oval, pink/red	Creamy yellow, firm	Excellent all purpose cooking qualities.	Main crop, approx 140 days
Sebago Good yielder that will grow in most soils.	Oval, yellow	White, floury	A good potato for boiling, potato salads and when mature makes good French fries.	Early-main crop, approx. 140 days
Nadine Requires adequate soil moisture at all times.	Round, white	White, waxy	Excellent cooking qualities – in particular boiling.	Main crop, approx 140 days
Red Rascal Reliable, steady crop. Resistant to late blight and powdery scab. Suitable to be grown organically.	Oval, red	White, floury	Excellent all purpose cooking qualities in particular baking, roasting and mashing.	Main crop, approx 150 days
Summer Delight Will grow well throughout New Zealand in most soils. High resistance to bruising damage and soft rot. High yielder.	Round to oval, yellow	Creamy yellow, waxy/ floury	Excellent cooking qualities for all end uses except frying.	Main crop, approx 150 days
Summer Beauty Cross between Summer Delight and multi-purpose Coliban. Disease resistant. Produces extremely high yields.	Oval-round shape, white	White, floury	Excellent flavour and cooking qualities, in particular boiling, mashing and roasting.	Main crop, approx 150 days
Moonlight Excellent drought and wind tolerance. Very high yielder.	Oval, white	White, waxy/floury	Excellent all purpose cooking – in particular boiling and frying.	Main crop, approx 160 days
Rua Will adapt and produce heavily in most soil types.	Round to oval, white	White, waxy/floury	Excellent cooking qualities – in particular roasting and boiling. Keeps well.	Main crop, approx 160 days

*Flesh/texture may vary due to growing conditions. **Note:** availability is subject to weather and seed potatoes being able to be lifted.