# Meera

Meera is an early maincrop variety which is extremely suitable for the production of crisps, with excellent taste and fry quality during the whole season. It is a competitive crisp potato because of the uniformity of its' round to round oval shape, correct dry matter content, low alkaloid % and good yield.







**VR 808** 



**Opera** 



<b>Basic properties</b>
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Dormancy	7,5	PCN Rostochiensis	1, 4, (2-3)
Foliage development	7	PCN Pallida	-
Maturity	7	Wart disease	1
Tuber shape	R/RO	Late blight foliage	6
Uniformity of tubers	7	Late blight tuber	6,5
Tuber size	7,5	PVY	4
Uniformity of size	8	Common scab	6,5
Relative tubercount	7,5	Powdery scab	6,5
Shallowness of eyes	6	Fusarium	7,5
Colour of skin	Υ	Tobacco Rattle Virus	7,5
Colour of flesh	Υ	Mechanical damage	7
Early yield %	95	Second growth	7,5
Mature yield %	105	Bruising	6

**Resistances / tolerances** 

**Cultivation and storage (point of attention)** 

Seed treatment	Average to good dormancy
Plot selection	Suitable for all kinds of soils
Fertilisation	N + P + K ++ Mg +
Planting	Average to slightly wider planting distance
Cultivation	Soils with high free living nematodes should be treated
Metribuzin	Average sensitive (5.5)
Harvesting	High dry matter requires attention
Storage	Can be dried quickly with good ventilation
Handling	Avoid unnecessary handling
Point of Attention	For seed production the first period of rogging is important.  Avoid "regrowth"

## Quality

Skin presentation	6,5
UWW	450
Dry matter %	24,1
Cooking type	BC
Quality of taste	8
Crisps index	8
French fries index	_

#### Explanation

9 (=favorable) 1 (=unfavorable) General:

Tuber shape: R (=round) O (=oval) L (=long)

D (=dark) Y (=yellow) L (=light) C Colour:

(=cream) W (=white) R (=red) P

(=purple) Br (=brown)

### Segment







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