# Vitabella

Vitabella is a tasteful, firm cooking oval ware potato which is highly suited for organic growing, mainly for the Northwestern-European market. The taste and presentation are excellent. Vitabella has very good storability, therefore it can be supplied almost all year round. The variety is also suitable for homemade fries. The oval tubers have a yellow colour of flesh and present well.









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### **Basic properties**

Dormancy	8,5	PCN Rostochiensis	1, 4
Foliage development	7	PCN Pallida	-
Maturity	7,5	Wart disease	1, 2/6
Tuber shape	0	Late blight foliage	8
Uniformity of tubers	7	Late blight tuber	7
Tuber size	7	PVY	8
Uniformity of size	7	Common scab	5
Relative tubercount	7	Powdery scab	7
Shallowness of eyes	7	Fusarium	6,5
Colour of skin	LY	Tobacco Rattle Virus	6
Colour of flesh	Υ	Mechanical damage	5
Early yield %	100	Second growth	8
Mature yield %	105	Bruising	7,5

**Resistances / tolerances** 

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

Seed treatment	Pre-sprouting is required. Do not store very cold
Plot selection	Good structure and ample fertilisation required
Fertilisation	N +++ P + K + Mg ++ Bo ++
Planting	Planting not too early, more narrow and higher
Cultivation	With good fertilisation, foliage is well covered
Metribuzin	Less Sensitive (7)
Harvesting	Early mature tubers. Harvest with care and enough soil on belt.
Storage	Dry quickly and keep ventilating
Handling	Avoid unnecessary handling! Use rubber on your equipment
Point of Attention	The growth and storage should focus on avoiding damage to

the tubers

#### Quality

Skin presentation	7,5
UWW	365
Dry matter %	20
Cooking type	Α
Quality of taste	8,5
Crisps index	-
French fries index	7

#### Explanation

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

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

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

(=cream) W (=white) R (=red) P (=purple) Br (=brown)

#### Segment















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