

REINE DES REINETTES LEPAGE

ORIGIN: traditional French variety

PICKING DATE: very large picking window (from Gala to Golden Delicious)

FRUIT SIZE:



BLOSSOM: average and very large

POLLINATED BY: Elstar, Gala, Granny Smith, Golden Delicious, Falstaff, Mairac® La Flamboyante C.O.V.

TREE TYPE: type III (Golden Delicious)

GROWTH: strong

PRODUCTIVITY:

- Time till first cropping: relatively long
- Yields: good
- Susceptibility to alternate bearing: yes
- Thinning: relatively difficult



SUSCEPTIBILITY / RESISTANCE TO

DISEASE: average susceptibility to scab and mildew

FRUIT:

- Skin: orange red with stripes on a yellow background
- Flesh: firm to melting, mid juicy, texture fine to average
- Taste: very high sugars and good acidity

STORAGE:

- Cold storage: December
- CA storage: January

USES: very important variety for the beginning of the apple season in France

NOTES:

