

ORIGIN: cross of X4598 x X3174, France

- Breeder: Dalival / INRA
- Licence holder: Dalival

PICKING DATE: between Braeburn and Fuji, 20 to 25 days after Golden Delicious

FRUIT SIZE:



BLOSSOM: as for Gala

POLLINATED BY:

- Goldrush® Coop 38, Daliclass, Granny Smith, Soprano, Ladina, Belchard Chantecler, Golden Delicious, Gala, Lafayette, Idared
- Malus INRA Baugène®, Malus Golden Gem

TREE TYPE: open and bushy tree, type III (Golden Delicious)

GROWTH: weak

PRODUCTIVITY:

- Time till first cropping: rapid
- Yields: very good
- Susceptibility to alternate bearing: low
- Thinning: needs to be controlled to avoid small fruit sizes



SUSCEPTIBILITY / RESISTANCE TO DISEASES :

- Resistant to common strains of scab (Vf / Rvi6 gene)
- Low susceptibility to fireblight and mildew
- Foliage sensitive to excess sulfur

FRUIT:

- Skin: bicoloured blushed red on a turning green background with a light russet
- Taste: very firm, very sweet with good acidity

STORAGE:

- Very high sugar level after storage. Do not sell just after opening the store
- Cold storage: February
- CA storage: July

USES:

- Strictly limited to farm shops, and organic orchards, for which the variety is particularly well suited.
- Variety released under a selected distribution network scheme for the marketing of the apples under the Choupette® brand in France

