

AMETYST

(UEB 2650/2) was produced by crossing Nela with Vista Bella Community Plant Variety Rights EU 31549 from 20.02.20012

Origin: Institute of Experimental Botany Prague (Střížovice) CZ

Tree: Diploid, medium vigorous, ramified, spreading to drooping, forms many fruiting

spurs

Blossom: Early, flowers heavily, requires fruit thinning to attain good size and produce

annual crops

Picking time: Mid-August, 10 days before Gravensteiner

Productivity: Precocious, heavy, without thinning may become biennial

Keeping quality: In natural storage about one month

Fruit: Medium size, shape globose weakly flat, stem medium long, skin smooth,

russet free, ground color green-yellow, over color purple red with bloom, 70-90% as solid flush without stripes. Flesh yellowish, medium firm, texture fine,

very juicy, mildly acidic, refreshing with good flavor

Diseases: Resistant to scab (*Vf*), very low susceptibility to powdery mildew

Comment: Interesting scab resistant early variety without specific requirements for growing conditions

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