

Laura

Variety background

Breeder	Europlant
Breeder Agent	Branston
Parentage	Rosella x B6140-12

Agronomy characteristics

Maturity	Maincrop
Dormancy	Moderate
Yield	Moderate - High
Shape uniformity	Good
Tuber shape	Long oval
Tuber numbers	Medium / High
Eye depth	Shallow
Flower colour	White
Bruise/damage resistance	Medium
Drought resistance	Medium
Nitrogen group RB209	3

Resistances (1=low/poor)

Foliage blight	4
Tuber blight	6
Common scab	6
Powdery scab	3
Dry rot	-
Blackleg	7
PVY	9
PLRV	8
Spraing (TRV)	7
PCN Ro1	Resistant
PCN Pa2/3	Susceptible

Sensory characteristics

Cooking type	B - Fairly firm
Skin colour	Dark red
Flesh colour	Yellow
Disintegration	Low
Dry matter %	19-21%
Target market	Table use

Seed density

Count/50kg	Population (000/ha)	Seed Rate (t/ha)
500	28.1	2.81
600	29.8	2.49
700	31.9	2.28
800	33.8	2.11
900	35.9	1.99



Laura is suitable for usage both off-the-field through to long-term storage. Weaknesses include susceptibility to burst lenticels and powdery scab so take extra care with field selection and irrigation management.

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Laura is sensitive to Metribuzin which should not be applied either pre, or post-emergence.