

Blue Moon



Blueberry type:	Northern Highbush
Released:	2011
Key attributes:	Large with firm textured fruit, sweet aromatic flavour with strong bloom. Fruit has very good shelf life. Suitable for tunnel and glasshouse production as well as outdoors. Average Brix is 12.5°, ranging between 12.2° and 13.1° and the fruit has a medium to low acidity content.
Chilling Required:	High (600h+ < 7.2C)
Flowering:	Late flower bud break around mid September. PDF = 85 Days
Pollinator:	Sunset Blue
Bud break:	First visible leafs starting beginning of September.
Harvest:	Mid-season production: from mid-November to late December
Plant Vigour:	Medium to good. Semi-Upright to Spreading
Yield:	Medium (12-15 ton/ha)
Berry size:	Large (3.5g), ranging between 2.9 and 4.1g
Fruit shape:	Intermediate between flat and oblate with a pentagonal shape
Colour:	Medium blue to light blue
Bloom:	Strong; light blue
Picking Scar:	Small/Medium dry scar





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Firmness:	Very firm with good shelf life
Flavour:	Sweet aromatic flavor, average acidity
Disease:	Shows an early stage of rust on leaves with no sporulation. Little anthracnose of fruit possible. No symptoms of Botryosphaeria spp. were found.
Licensed Countries:	South Africa
Patent:	https://patents.justia.com/search?q=blue+moon

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