

## Main characteristics of fodder beets, included in the Belgian variety catalog 2023 <sup>1</sup>

### Group 1: fodder beets with a medium to high dry matter content

Varieties	Year of admission	Country of admission	Colour beet	Ploidy <sup>2</sup>	Mildew resistance (1-9) <sup>3</sup>	Cercospora resistance (1-9) <sup>3</sup>	Rust resistance (1-9) <sup>3</sup>	%DM beet	DM yield (ton/ha)	Fresh yield (ton/ha)	Tare (% fresh matter)	Bolters resistance	<i>Rhizoctonia</i> tolerance
CARIBOU	2012	France	red	T	6,6	5,9	7,0	15,0	18	120	4,7	good	medium
JAMON	1992	France	yellow orange	T	7,1	6,7	7,8	15,2	18	121	5,1	good	low to medium
RIALTO	2008	Belgium	red	T	6,0	6,4	6,8	15,4	18	119	3,7	medium to good	medium to high
BANGOR	2023	Belgium	yellow	T	6,7	5,3	7,3	15,6	19	124	3,9	good	low to medium
DELICANTE	2023	Belgium	white	T	7,4	5,0	7,8	15,9	19	120	4,6	good	low
MERVEILLE	1999	France	pink	D	6,5	5,6	7,7	16,1	18	113	6,2	good	low to medium
BRUNIUM	2013	France	pink	D	6,1	5,7	6,4	17,0	19	115	5,2	medium	high
GITTY KWS	2021	Belgium	pink	D	6,7	4,5	6,7	17,3	20	113	4,1	good	medium
ENERMAX	2022	Belgium	white	D	7,0	5,1	7,4	18,4	20	107	5,2	good	low

### Group 2: fodder beets with a high to very high dry matter content

Varieties	Year of admission	Country of admission	Colour beet	Ploidy <sup>2</sup>	Mildew resistance (1-9) <sup>3</sup>	Cercospora resistance (1-9) <sup>3</sup>	Rust resistance (1-9) <sup>3</sup>	%DM beet	DM yield (ton/ha)	Fresh yield (ton/ha)	Tare (% fresh matter)	Bolters resistance	<i>Rhizoctonia</i> tolerance
LAURENA KWS	2019	Belgium	white	D	8,2	6,8	7,7	21,4	21	100	4,9	good	medium to high
GODIVA KWS	2016	Belgium	white	D	8,5	5,8	6,3	22,7	22	95	6,2	good	medium

<sup>1</sup> Reproduction of the complete table from the Belgian recommended variety list is allowed, provided that the source is acknowledged. Any other form of reproduction is prohibited.

<sup>2</sup> D: diploid, T: triploid

<sup>3</sup> The higher, the better