

PI 588862. Malus hybrid

Heyer #12. Pedigree - Russian apple seedling received from Al Stevenson, Morden, Manitoba. Comments:: Fruit: 6 cm(standard), green yellow, very early. Too tart for dessert apple, but fine for cooking. Heavy producer; grows in dry areas. Drops badly while ripening and breaks down quickly. Should be picked before fruit turns yellow. "Obsolete, a fair breeder." (Coutts 1991). Highly productive, very hardy up into Canada; early apple for northern climate.

The following were developed by L.F. Hough, Rutgers University, Department of Horticulture, New Brunswick, New Jersey, United States; Catherine H. Bailey. Donated by Dan Thompson, Agriculture Canada, Center for Plant Health, 8801 East Saanich Road, Sidney, British Columbia V8L 1H3, Canada. Received 08/24/1984.

PI 588863. Malus domestica Borkh.

Jerseymac. Collected in United States. Pedigree - NJ24 x Julyred
NOTE: NJ24 = [Melba x (Wealthy x Starr) x (Red Rome x Melba)] Early McIntosh strain. Cross made in 1956; selected 1961; tested as NJ38. Comments:: Fruit (standard) resembles a well-colored Red McIntosh in appearance, flavor and aroma, but ripens a month earlier. (Sept. 1 at Polson, Montana); bruises early. Useful for sauce, pies, eating fresh; reasonably good keeper for summer apple. Tree bears young, produces annually, vigorous, productive. Grown at Saskatoon several years, over-winters well. Resistant to cedar-apple rust. Ships well, very marketable.

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Liset (Crab).

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PI 588865. Malus domestica Borkh.

Alnarp 2. Collected in Sweden. Pedigree - Selected in 1920 from a group of mixed Doucin Trees. Intro. 1944; imported into the U.S. in 1949 under PI 184382. Comments:: Used only as a clonal rootstock; vigorous; very hardy; strongly anchored; propagated easily in stool beds; merits orchard trials in USA, especially in districts of low temperatures. Winter hardy, produces full-sized trees, and induces early bearing and productivity in the scion cultivar.

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PI 588866. Malus hybrid

Kerr. Pedigree - Dolgo x Haralson Selected 1944; Introduced 1952; Crossed made 1938. Tested as Morden 352. One of the very best APPLE x CRAB APPLE crosses. Comments:: Fruit: 4 cm (crabapple), green to solid dark purple-almost black. Flesh: yellowish, flecked with dark red; good canning good keeping to early January. May be regarded as large Dolgo