



Open Field Lettuce


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A close-up photograph of lettuce plants. The image shows several dark purple, unopened flower buds and a few bright yellow, fully bloomed flowers. In the foreground, there are several white, fluffy seed heads (pappi) that have already opened. The background is a soft, out-of-focus green, suggesting a field setting.

Growing Recommendation



Lettuce Varieties



Iceberg

ICEBERG
DOVER



ICEBERG
GONDAR



ICEBERG
KINDU



ICEBERG
TEMPLIN



Variety	Features	Nr.0	Resistences					Growing Speed	Pink Ribs	Size
			BI	Fol: 1	Fol: 4	LNSV	CRR			
Dover	Dark green; very nice size and round shape; rapid growth with good harvesting window; strong against pink ribs and frost	√	29-39EU					3	9	10
Gondar	Large size type with medium frame; very fast; upright, round to flat round shape (to avoid cuts through the ribs); nice layered structure preventing it from becoming too solid/compact and good harvesting window; high harvest performance; its shape is well suited to packing; for fresh market and industry	√	29-39EU					5	7	10
Kindu	Medium size; fast; round head shape; beautiful fresh-green color after cleaning; robust; for fresh market and industry	√	29-39EU					3	6	10
Templin	Medium to large size; high harvest performance with upright, closed head shape and direct access to the cut point; strong against bolting and pink ribs; strong against sunburn; long harvesting window; for fresh market and industry	√	29-39EU					3	9	9 tot 10

Slow	1	Speed	5	Fast
Very sensitive	1	Red / Pink Ribs	9	Barely sensitive

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ICEBERG
SKINDEL



ICEBERG
WELLKIN



ICEBERG
ROCKIN



ICEBERG
PLUSKIN



Variety	Features	Resistences						Growing Speed	Pink Ribs	Size
		Nr.0	BI	Fol: 1	Fol: 4	LNSV	CRR			
Skindel	Large, flat-round head shape; steady growth with a long harvesting window even when stressed; strong against tipburn, pink ribs and sunburn, strong against bolting; good heading ability; robust; for fresh market and industry	√	29-39EU					4	8	10
Wellkin	Very nice, round and upright head shape with smooth ribs on the base; thick, dark green leaves which are strong against soil-borne diseases; fast weight with good harvesting window; good heading ability; for fresh market and industry; especially for first plantings	√	29-39EU	IR				5	5	10
Rockin	Good heading ability with solid heading; size 10 in light to medium heavy soils; very strong against bolting and tipburn; best cultivation periods spring and summer; note the lack of resistance to aphids		29-40EU					4	4	10
Pluskin	Medium to large size with a good frame, making it especially well protected (e.g., hail, sunburn) and against soil-borne diseases; best for medium-heavy soils; good field holding ability and dark green color; strong against tipburn	√	29-39EU					1	7	10

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Liberkin	Large size, big frame for good protection of the head (e.g., hail, sunburn); flat-round head shape with flat ribs on the base; good harvesting window; strong against tipburn and pink ribs; good heading ability with dark green color and thick leaves; very stable even under poor conditions; for fresh market and industry	√	29-39EU					2	8	9 tot 10
Firstkin	Very secure and stable round head shape with good protective cover leaves around the head; size 10; light to medium heavy soils; very strong against bolting and tipburn, strong against pink ribs; with thick leaves	√	29-39EU					5	9	10
Sprinkin	Medium size; fast filling variety; flat round head shape with flat ribs on the base and protective cover leaves around the head; very strong against bolting; good heading ability with thick leaves; less suitable for heavy soils	√	29-40EU					4	7	10
Larkin* (NUN 00321 LTL) NEW	Medium to large size with flat round head shape, year round cultivation, smooth base and easy to cut, good weight with long harvesting window, strong against tipburn, medium strong against bolting, for fresh market and industry	√	29-40EU					4	7	10

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Butterhead

BUTTERHEAD
MAFALDA



BUTTERHEAD
URSULA



BUTTERHEAD
JANIQUE



BUTTERHEAD
BIRGIT



Variety	Features	Resistances					Growing Speed	
		Nr.0	BI	Fol: 1	Fol: 4	LNSV		CRR
Mafalda	Medium to large size; flat-wide head which closes early and fills in slowly, resulting in a long harvest period; wide and beautiful closed base; strong against bolting and tipburn	√	29-39EU					4
Ursula	Medium size; good heading with strong base; high harvesting performance, optimal for lettuce hearts, 12x boxes and Flowpack; strong against bolting and tipburn	√	29-39EU					3
Janique	Very large size; blond; strong against frost in spring with a solid base and good heading ability under fleece; loosely layered; for industry and fresh market	√	29,30,32-35,37,39,40EU					5
Birgit	Medium to large size with plenty of cover leaves for good box filling performance; good wide base; light green; flat shape; good harvesting window; later heading; best suited for spring and autumn cultivations	√	29-40EU					4

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BUTTERHEAD
BARCIA



BUTTERHEAD
LYNELLE* (NUN 04133 LTL) **NEW**



Variety	Features	Resistances					Growing Speed	
		Nr.0	BI	Fol: 1	Fol: 4	LNSV		CRR
Barcia	Large size; fast-growing, very wide base; light green; strong heading ability; for fresh market and industry; best suited for spring and late-season cultivation	√	29-40EU					4
Lynelle* (NUN 04133 LTL) NEW	Medium size, good balance between frame and head; year round cultivation; flat head shape with wide, closed base which remains a good wide head shape after harvesting; good weight with long harvesting window; strong against bolting and tipburn; for fresh market and industry	√	29-40EU					4

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Oakleaf

OAKLEAF
JUNIPER




OAKLEAF
POPLAR



OAKLEAF
ELOWEN* (NUN 07082 LTL)



Variety	Features	Resistances						Growing Speed
		Nr.0	BI	Fol: 1	Fol: 4	LNSV	CRR	
Juniper	Medium to large-size; strong against tipburn in spring time and strong against bolting	√	29-39EU					3
Poplar	Large-size; flat headshape, wide base that grows off the ground and remains wide and closed even after cleaning; fine leaves (no fluttery, protruding leaves); strong against tipburn; robust even under poor conditions	√	29-39EU					4
Elowen* (NUN 07082 LTL) 	Medium to large size; fast weight; nice bright green color; good shape and nice flat base; medium strong against tipburn and bolting (better than Poplar); for fresh market and industry	√	29-40EU					4

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OAKLEAF
BUGHATTI



OAKLEAF
INSIGNIA



Variety	Features	Resistances						Growing Speed
		Nr.0	BI	Fol: 1	Fol: 4	LNSV	CRR	
Bughatti	Large size; brown red color; very fast with good weight and therefore proved and unsurpassed in the earliest fleece cultivations; low susceptibility to rot due to its perfectly closed base (! Missing Nr.0 must be taken into account in late plantings)	√	29-40EU					5
Insignia	Medium size; brown red color; medium fast with good weight due to a higher number of leaves; good shelf life; strong against bolting and tipburn	√	29-39EU					2

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Mini Romaine

MINI ROMAINE
THIMBLE



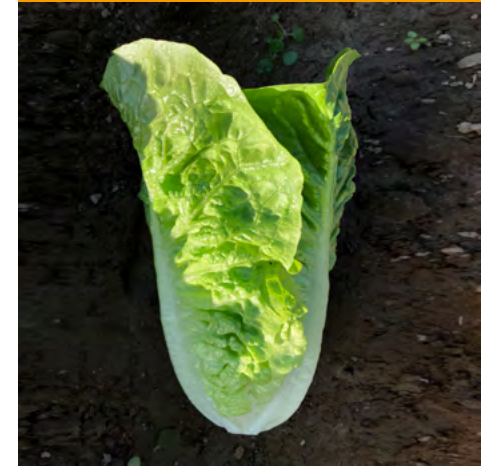
MINI ROMAINE
RUGBEE



MINI ROMAINE
SPLASHBEE*



MINI ROMAINE
LUCBEE* (NUN 06618 LTL)



Variety	Features	Resistances						Growing Speed
		Nr.0	BI	Fol: 1	Fol: 4	LNSV	CRR	
Thimble	Year round cultivation; fast growth with good harvesting window; upright and elongated head shape; very good head closure with good filling ability under both cold and hot conditions; flat ribs with less cracking, therefore fast harvesting (leaves not vase-shaped); very good and fast packaging in Duo-Packs; very strong against bolting and tipburn	√	29-35,37,38,40EU	IR		√		5
Rugbee	Year round cultivation; slightly larger, and slower than Thimble; good closing head shape with late filling; good harvesting window; nice upright and elongated head shape; flat ribs with less cracking, therefore very fast harvesting with good head closure (leaves not vase-shaped); very good and fast packaging in Duo-Packs; very strong against bolting and tipburn		29,30,32,36,39,40EU		IR			3
Splashbee*	Year round cultivation; slightly larger, and slower than Thimble; good closing head shape with late filling; good harvesting window; nice upright and elongated head shape; flat ribs with less cracking, therefore very fast harvesting with good head closure (leaves not vase-shaped); very good and fast packaging in Duo-Packs; very strong against bolting and tipburn		29-39EU	IR				3
Lucbee* (NUN 06618 LTL) 	Medium size; very uniform and good balance between frame and head; slender shape with smooth ribs; strong against tipburn and bolting	√	29-39EU			√	√	4

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An aerial photograph of a vast field of vibrant green lettuce plants, densely packed and stretching towards the horizon. The lighting is bright, highlighting the texture and color of the leaves.

Batavia

BATAVIA
BATEIRA



BATAVIA
BATSUN



BATAVIA
BATISTA* (NUN 05418 LTL)



BATAVIA
NAIDE



Variety	Features	Resistances					Growing Speed	
		Nr.0	BI	Fol: 1	Fol: 4	LNSV		CRR
Bateira	Light green; open head shape (does not become closed and compact); medium curly, strong leaves; good weight and harvesting window; strong against bolting and tipburn; for fresh market and industry	√	29-40EU					4
Batsun	Slightly more compact than Bateira; light green; open head shape (not head-forming); medium curly (not round) and strong leaves; strong against based diseases; especially suited for summer cultivation in lighter soils; good weight and harvesting window; strong against bolting and tipburn	√	29-40EU	HR				4
Batista* (NUN 05418 LTL) 	Medium to large size; nice base but can have a few side shoots or be a little ribby; strong against tipburn, medium strong against bolting; for fresh market and industry	√	29-39EU	HR				4
Naide	Medium-size; open variety with nice, curled leaves; upright and dark red; strong against bolting and tipburn	√	29-39EU	IR				2
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Lollo Bionda / Lollo Rossa

LOLLO BIONDA
BARTIMER



LOLLO ROSSA
SOLMAR



Variety	Features	Resistances						Growing Speed
		Nr.0	BI	Fol: 1	Fol: 4	LNSV	CRR	
Bartimer	Light green; medium curly leaves; fast weight; strong against bolting and tipburn; upright growth and easy to pack; high yield due to high harvest performance; low risk of leaf cracks due to flexible leaves	√	29,30, 32-35,37-40EU					4
Solmar	Fast, curly, open growing type; upright shape, therefore especially proved in spring and late-season cultivation; good weight	√	29-33,35,37,38EU	IR				3

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Little Gem

LITTLE GEM
THUMPER



LITTLE GEM
THINKER



LITTLE GEM
THEMES



LITTLE GEM
THESPIAN



Variety	Features	Resistances						Growing Speed
		Nr.0	BI	Fol: 1	Fol: 4	LNSV	CRR	
Thumper	Green color with yellow heart; very strong against bolting and tipburn; solid shape and growth (minimum plant density of 15/m ²)	√	29-35,37,38,40EU			√		4
Thinker	Dark green color with yellow heart; very strong against bolting and tipburn; slower and narrower, more upright head shape than Thumper (minimum plant density of 15-17/m ²)	√	29-30,32-37EU	HR		√		3
Themes	Brijlant, dark green color; flat ribs; late closing with a nice yellow heart; slower than Thumper; very strong against bolting and tipburn	√	29-32,34-37,39EU	HR	IR	√		3
Thespians	Type Thumper; light green color with yellow heart; very uniform and solid round head shape; very strong against bolting and tipburn	√	29-35,37,38,40EU			√		4

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