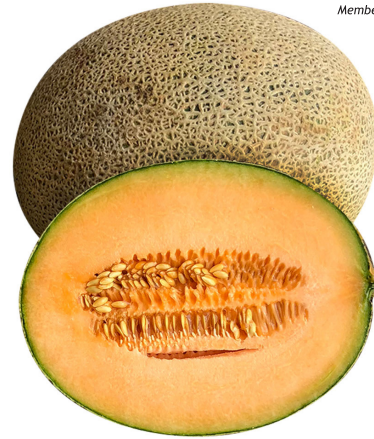


# MELON MORGAN

## A HARPER CANTALOUPE WITH EXCELLENT TASTE, HIGH BRIX AND LONG SHELF LIFE

- Medium to large, oval fruit
- Ideal for early to main season
- Attractive medium to fine, well developed net
- Firm, orange flesh ideal for fresh-cut or whole fruit market
- Resistance to Fusarium



### Type:

A hybrid Harper type cantaloupe with long shelf life.

### Maturity:

Main season 80 - 85 days.

### Plant Characteristics:

A vigorous plant with good leaf cover that protects the fruit against sunburn. Uniform fruit set makes harvesting easier. Flowers and sets fruit evenly to give high yield.

### Fruit Characteristics:

Harvest indicators include net development, a change of the rind colour from olive green to straw colour, and cracking around the peduncle. Medium to large sized fruit with weight of 2.3 – 3 kg. The shape is oval with an attractive medium to fine, well-developed net. MORGAN has bright orange flesh colour, firm flesh texture, high brix and excellent taste. The fruit has a long shelf life and medium seed cavity.

### Disease Resistance:

HR: Fusarium (Fom) 2.

### Adaption:

MORGAN is recommended for early to main season plantings.

### Yield Potential:

Very high yield potential.

### Features & Benefits:

MORGAN is very high yielding, with a bright orange flesh colour, firm texture, high brix and excellent taste. The fruit has a long shelf life, and is suited to the fresh-cut and whole fruit markets.

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