

# MELON NESTA

## A YELLOW CANARY MELON WITH EXCELLENT TASTE

- Ideal for summer to late season
- Medium to large, oval, golden yellow fruit
- Light green, firm flesh with long shelf life
- High brix and excellent taste
- Fusarium and powdery mildew resistance



### Type:

A hybrid yellow canary melon with long shelf life.

### Maturity:

Main season 75 - 80 days.

### Plant Characteristics:

A vigorous plant with a healthy leaf cover that protects the fruit against sunburn. Easy flowering and fruit set to give high yield.

### Fruit Characteristics:

Harvert indicators include a change of the rind colour from yellow to golden yellow. Large sized fruit with weight of 1.5 - 2.4 kg. The fruit shape is oval to round oval. NESTA has light green to white 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 wilt (Fom: 0,1)  
IR: Powdery Mildew: (Px) 1, 2.

### Adaption:

NESTA is recommended for summer to late season production.

### Yield Potential:

Very high yield potential.

### Features & Benefits:

NESTA is a very high yielding, with a light green to white 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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