

PUMPKIN STAR 7026



A GREY HYBRID PUMPKIN

- Semi-bush growth habit
- Large uniform fruit with slight ribbing
- Firm, deep orange flesh with little under-skin greening
- Small seed cavity
- Excellent yield potential

Type:

A grey hybrid pumpkin with a semi-bush growth habit.

Maturity:

Early maturity 90 days in summer, 100 - 110 days in cool winters. Grey pumpkins should only be harvested once the fruit stems develop cork-like cracks and lose most of their green colour. This allows full flesh colour development.

Plant Characteristics:

Semi-bush growth habit. Can be planted up to 7,000 plants per hectare. Quick maturing.

Fruit Characteristics:

Large, deep-flat, grey fruit. Average weight of 6kg with slight ribbing. Thin skin with minimal greening. Small seed cavity, thick shoulder flesh and small blossom-end scar. Very good size to weight ratio. Deep orange flesh, thick and very firm. Not suited to long-term storage.

Yield Potential:

Very high.

Disease Resistance:

Intermediate resistance to powdery mildew and ZYMV.

Features & Benefits:

STAR 7026 is well-suited to processing due to high recovery rate and flesh quality. It has very little greening under the skin and can be marketed at maturity without the need for further storage.

Disclaimer: This information is based on our observations and/or information from other sources. As crop performance depends on the interaction between the genetic potential of the seed, its physiological characteristics, and the environment, including management, we give no warranty express or implied, for the performance of crops relative to the information given nor do we accept any liability for any loss, direct or consequential, that may arise from whatsoever cause. Please read the Starke Ayres Standard Terms and Conditions of Sale before ordering seed.

Resistance: is the ability of a plant variety to restrict the growth and development of a specified pest or pathogen and/or the damage they cause when compared to susceptible plant varieties under similar environmental conditions and pest or pathogen pressure. Resistant varieties may exhibit some disease symptoms or damage under heavy pest or pathogen pressure (HR = High resistance, IR = Intermediate resistance).

CUSTOMER SERVICES: +27 (0) 11 748 3588 • WWW.STARKEAYRES.COM • MEMBER OF THE PLENNEGY GROUP

SEEDS OF SUCCESS