# Tropical Blue

Zero Chill Evergreen





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### TROPICAL BLUE BENEFITS

- Evergreen/ Zero chill
- Good flavour

The Fruit -

The fruit of Tropical Blue is 16-22 mm in diameter with a great bloom, crunch and excellent flavour profile.

The scar is dry and small, with the fruit well displayed on the plant for easy and quick picking.

- Exceptionally early
- Season extension

Background -

Tropical Blue is an evergreen blueberry variety requiring zero chill units. It produces fruit in the Snowchaser season or earlier.

Tropical Blue has been grown in a number of low chill locations and has demonstrated its ability to produce large yields of quality fruit with superb flavour profiles. Tropical Blue is poised to have a strong presence in the early season evergreen blueberry industry worldwide.



#### Firmness

Firm berries with a good shelf life

#### Yield

3.5 - 5 KG per plant

#### Flavour

Great, well balanced sugar acid profile

## TROPICAL BLUE OVERVIEW

Chilling

Zero Chilling, Evergreen

Agronomy

Evergreen pruning

techniques required

Fruit Size

16-22 mm

## Seasonality

**Exceptionally early** 



Fruit Colour

Mid blue attractive

berries with a good

bloom

## TROPICAL BLUE OVERVIEW

#### Market

- Tropical blue will provide unrivalled fruit quality in the zero chill growing regions
- Fruit quality, size and flavour will be well received by retailers
- Well positioned to be a leading evergreen/zero chill blueberry variety globally

#### Offer

- Tropical Blue is available for licencing non exclusively in most suitable growing regions
- For all other Tropical Blue licencing enquiries please contact Rupert rupert@globalplantgenetics.com see last page







# TROPICAL BLUE IN ACTION





# **EVALUATION RESULTS**

	Chill Hours	Berry Size	Berry Scar	Berry Colour	Berry Firmness	Berry Flavour	Plant Vigour
Tropical Blue	ZERO	7.7	9	7	7	7.5	8
Georgia Dawn	150 - 200	7	7.5	7	6.8	7.5	8.5
Maverick	250 - 250 Evergreen	7.5	8	7	8	8	8
Early Duchess	<< 100	9.3	7.5	7	8	7.5	8.5
Georgia- 1797	100 - 200	8	8	7	8.5	8.5	8

# LICENCE HOLDERS

Tropical Blue blueberry plants can be purchased from the following licensees, according to territory:



EU, Morocco & Tunisia stefan@plants365.co.uk



# OPTION AGREEMENT HOLDERS



Chile

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Australia

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If you are located in other territories and are interested in Tropical Blue, please make contact with us for more information



# **CONTACT US**





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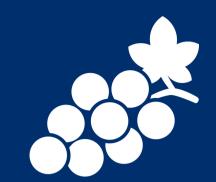
















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