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# A team of experts, top-notch seeds!

We are pleased to present our 2021 organic and untreated vegetables, herbs, sprout seeds and microgreens brochure. Note that this brochure is a complement to the 2019–2021 catalogue you already have on hand.

More than ever in these pandemic times, healthy and local food is becoming more and more important. We have been careful to respect your criteria in the new selections we offer you. Taste, quality, strength and performance have guided our choices. We hope that these novelties will add value to your crops.

We wish you an excellent 2021 season.

*The Vegetable Product Team*

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## Discontinued products and replacing products

Code	Discontinued product	Code	Replacing product
65-0216-UNT	ARTICHOKE Amethyst FI Purple Untreated	nd	nd
65-2428-ORG	ESCAROLE Seance Green Organic	nd	nd
65-3825-ORG	CAULIFLOWER Janvel FI Organic	65-3831-ORG	CAULIFLOWER Mardi FI Organic
65-5054-ORG	SPINACH Shelby FI Organic	65-5053-ORG	Spinach Tundra FI Organic
65-5646-OPC	EAZY LEAF OAKLEAF Cantarix Red Organic/Germplus/Coated	65-5645-OPC	EAZY LEAF OAKLEAF Bellevue Red Organic/Germplus/Coated
65-5705-GCU	LETTUCE BOSTON Harmony Green Germplus/Coated/Untreated	65-5706-GCU	LETTUCE BOSTON Rhapsody Green Germplus/Coated/Untreated
65-6698-ORG	ONION Redwing FI Red Organic	65-6696-OPC	ONION Red Carpet FI Red Organic/Germplus/Coated
65-9530-ORG	SPROUT Fenugreek Organic	nd	nd
65-9531-ORG	MICROGREENS Dill Organic	nd	nd
65-9533-ORG	SPROUT/MICROGREENS Kale Organic	nd	nd
66-8878-GEU	GREENHOUSE TOMATO Makari FI Pink Germplus/Untreated	66-8880-GEU	GREENHOUSE TOMATO Pink ID FI Pink Germplus/Untreated
67-3202-GEU	LEMONGRASS Untreated	67-3202-GEU	LEMONGRASS Germplus/Untreated



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## CAULIFLOWER



### 65-3831-ORG Cauliflower Mardi F1

Early maturing cauliflower, best suited for northern climates. It produces uniform white heads, weighing on average 600 g to 800 g. The plant, erect and vigorous, has a partially self-covering foliage that protects the florets well.

**Organic seed.**

**Maturity :** 72 days  
**Head shape :** domed  
**Plant type :** large  
**Harvest seasons :**  
spring – summer –  
winter

## CUCUMBER



### 65-4233-UNT Cucumber Green Light F1

Mini parthenocarpic cucumber that offers a high yield of attractive fruits, an early ripening and an excellent taste without bitterness. The plant can produce up to 40 thornless fruits. For optimal harvest, stake or climb Green Light and pick the fruits between 7 cm and 10 cm length.

**Untreated seed.**

**Maturity :** 55 days  
**Fruit dimensions :**  
7-10 x 3 cm  
**Flowering habit :**  
parthenocarpic

## KOHLRABI



### 65-3240-UNT Kohlrabi Kossak F1

Huge, but still crisp and tender kohlrabi. The bulbs can reach up to 20-22 cm in diameter without getting pithy, woody or hollow. White flesh hybrid that can keep up to 4 month in cold storage.

**Untreated seed.**

**Maturity :** 55 days  
**Colour :** pale green

## LETTUCE



### 65-5645-OPC Lettuce Eazy Leaf oakleaf Bellevue Red

A red oakleaf ideal for full size or mini head harvest, Bellevue has a soft butter-like texture and very sweet flavour. Excellent field holding ability, slow bolting and downy mildew tolerance make it ideal to grow in adverse conditions.

**Organic seed / Germplus / Coated.**

**Maturity :** 55 days  
**Colour :** red  
**Tolerance :** downy mildew  
races 1-8US, lettuce leaf  
aphids, lettuce dieback

## MELON - CANTALOUPE



### 65-7231-UNT Cantaloupe Halona F1

Halona stands out for its exceptionally sweet flavour and aroma and its very good disease tolerance. The early, well rounded, ribbed and lightly netted fruits grow abundantly on vigorous plants that show a better tolerance to Fusarium and powdery mildew than other early varieties.

**Untreated seed.**

**Maturity:** 72 days  
**Weight:** 1.8- 2.3 kg  
**Flesh colour:** bright orange  
**Netting:** light  
**Sutures:** deep  
**Tolerances:** Fusarium,  
powdery mildew

## MELON – WATERMELON

**65-6055-UNT** Watermelon (seedless) Mini Solitaire F1 Red



Seedless, early mini round watermelon, weighing 1.6 to 2.3 kg for a single portion without leftovers. The dark red flesh is sweet and crispy. Medium vine. An excellent choice for regions with a short growing season.

**Untreated seed.**

**Maturity:** 85 days

**Rind colour:** medium green with dark green stripes

**Fruit shape:** oval

**Tolerances:** Fusarium race 1-2, Anthracnose race 1-3, gummy stem blight, downy mildew

## PEPPER – SWEET

### *Patio Collection Fresh Bites F1*



**65-7190-UNT**  
Fresh Bites F1 Red



**65-7191-UNT**  
Fresh Bites F1 Yellow



**65-7192-UNT**  
Fresh Bites F1 Orange

New collection with 3 colours of small and sweet snacking peppers. These very compact plants produce quickly and offer an abundant harvest, concentrated over a short period of time.

**Untreated seed.**

**Maturity :** 55 days • **Fruit dimensions (length x diam.):** 8 x 3 cm



**65-7231-UNT** Sweet Pepper Sailfish X10R F1 Red

Early sweet pepper with a square shape and a beautiful bright red colour. Concentrated fruit set, medium size with smooth and thick walls. The fruit does not crack and can stay on the plant for a long time.

**Untreated seed.**

**Maturity :** 65 days

**Fruit dimensions (length x diam.):**  
9,5 x 9,5 cm

**Colour :** green-red

**Tolerance :** Phytophthora, bacterial leaf spot races 1 to 10



## PEPPER – SWEET



### 65-7296-UNT Sweet Pepper Just Sweet F1 Yellow

Small 4-lobed snack pepper, similar to a Bell pepper, but smaller. The deliciously sweet fruit is around 7 cm long and grows on a vigorous plant that can reach up to 90 cm high and 37 cm wide. This snacking pepper has a bright and shiny colour and does not need a stake because the plant has a very robust bushy habit. Winner AAS 2020.

**Untreated seed.**

**Maturity :** 75 days

**Fruit size (length x diam) :**  
7 x 4 cm

**Tolerance :**  
Tobamovirus

## SPINACH



### 65-5053-ORG Spinach Tundra F1

High quality spinach for growing tender and succulent baby leaves. Its oval and semi-savoyed leaves are of an attractive dark green colour. The upright plant and the length of the stem make harvesting easy and clean. Abundant harvest. Replaces the Shelby variety.

**Organic seed.**

**Maturity :** 50 days

**Tolerance :** downy mildew races 1-13, 15, 16

## SQUASH



### 65-4526-UNT Summer squash (spaghetti) Angel Hair F1

Small "single-serving" type spaghetti squash that provides only 1 or 2 servings of flesh. The uniform fruits are attractive with their oval shape and darker yellow rind than most other varieties. Sweet hazelnut taste. Long vine.

**Untreated seed.**

**Maturity:** 85 days

**Fruit shape:** oval

**Colour:** dark yellow

**Length:** 15 cm



### 65-4640-UNT Winter Squash Autumn Frost F1

Uniquely ribbed, round fruit that ripens to dark tan with a frosted overlay. Autumn Frost fruit is similar in taste to a butternut squash, with superior quality, richer flavour and a shelf life of up to 4 months after maturity. Tolerant to powdery mildew. Winner of the 2020 Les Exceptionnelles program.

**Untreated seed.**

**Maturity:** 100 days

**Fruit shape:** square

**Weight:** 1.1-1.8 kg

**Plant habit:** vine

## TOMATO – ROUND



### 65-9001-UNT Tomato Big League F1 Red Patio Collection

Large size tomato for small spaces. Big League produces large fruit in less time. They ripen early in the season and are excellent fresh or in salads. Because of the weight of the fruit, which can reach 400 g to 600 g each, it is recommended to install fruit stands. To be produced in the field or for transplants. Replaces the Megabite variety.

**Untreated seed.**

**Maturity:** 65 days

**Plant habit:** determinate

**Size of the plant:** very small

## TOMATO – ROUND

**65-9096-UNT** Heirloom Tomato Buffalosun F1 Yellow/Orange



Variety with better texture, higher yield and less cracking. Buffalosun gives beautiful orange-red fruits outside, nicely marbled inside, until the end of the season. Its indeterminate plant produces fruits with a sweet taste and a tender flesh without a pasty texture. It is recommended to stake Buffalosun. Variety tolerant to late season mildew. Winner AAS 2020.

**Untreated seed.**

**Maturity:** 75 days

**Growth habit:** indeterminate

**Plant size:** large

**Weight of the fruits:** 300-350 g

**Tolerances:** Fusarium, Verticillium, tomato spotted wilt virus, late blight

## TOMATO – SMALL FRUITED

**65-9251-UNT** Cherry Tomato Little Bing F1 Red



Determinate plant with a compact habit and a healthy green foliage. With less than 61 cm in height, this tasty variety produces an abundance of tomatoes in the middle of summer. The flowers appear early and the fruits ripen in only a few weeks, allowing the harvest of many tomatoes at a time. To be produced in the field or for transplants.

**Untreated seed.**

**Maturity:** 55 days

**Plant habit:** determinate

**Size of the plant:** very small

**Fruit weight:** 25 g



**65-9303-UNT**

Cherry Tomato Apple Yellow F1



**65-9302-UNT**

Cherry Tomato Apple Red F1

An original duo of small tomatoes in the unique shape of a small apple with dimples. Apple Yellow and Apple Red offer incredible performance. A lemony flavour in a perfect balance between sweetness and acidity. The texture is fleshy and firm. Attractive fruits are bright lemon yellow or bright red. Tomato Apple Yellow F1 is a Winner AAS 2020.

**Untreated seed.**

**Maturity :** 80 days • **Growth habit :** indeterminate • **Size of the plant :** large • **Fruit weight :** less de 25 g  
**Tolerance :** tomato yellow leaf curl virus, tomato mosaic virus, Fusarium crown and root rot



## TOMATO – SMALL FRUITED



### 65-9304-UNT Cherry Tomato Orangeto F1

Small, bright orange, semi-determinate tomato with the PH3 gene that gives the variety a good tolerance to late blight caused by *Phytophthora infestans*. The harvest can thus go to the end of the season. Sweet (10 % to 13 % Brix) and juicy fruits do not crack and can be grown in a container or in the field. Winner of the 2020 Les Exceptionnelles programm.

**Untreated seed.**

**Maturity:** 60 days

**Plant habit:** semi-determinate

**Size of the plant:** small

**Fruit weight:** 20-25 g

**Tolerances:** tomato mosaic virus, *Phytophthora*



### 65-9278-ORG Cherry Tomato Indigo Blue Berries Purple Organic

Attractive tomato for the palate and the eyes. The plants produce delectable bunches of small cherry tomatoes of 25 g to 50 g each. The green fruits quickly show a purple shoulder and crimson body, ripening to a deep black colour. The fruits contain a high level of anthocyanin, a natural antioxidant (found in indigo pigmentation) known to fight certain diseases. To obtain a sparkling taste and a pleasant texture, harvest the fruit when the colours have deepened.

**Organic seed.**

**Maturity:** 75 days

**Plant habit:** indeterminate

**Size of the plant:** large

**Fruit weight:** 25-50 g

## TOMATO – ITALIAN



### 65-9271-UNT Tomato San Marzano Mini Marzito F1 Red

Indeterminate mini San Marzano tomato with a good tolerance to leaf mold and to blossom end rot. Sweet fruits are great fresh eating or used in cooking. Performs well in high tunnel and field.

**Untreated seed.**

**Maturity:** 60 days

**Plant habit:** indeterminate

**Size of the plant:** small

**Fruit weight:** 20-25 g

**Tolerances:** *Fusarium* race 1, leaf mold, nematodes

## TOMATO – GREENHOUSE



### 66-8880-GEU Greenhouse Tomato Pink ID F1

For the amateur of pink tomatoes, here is a beautiful early variety whose fruits weigh from 170 g to 210 g. Pink ID has an exceptional taste and produces a large quantity of fruit without white heart or blossom end rot (black spots under the tomato). Grafting Pink ID on rootstock DR014ITX is recommended. Replaces the Makari variety.

**Untreated seed / Germplus.**

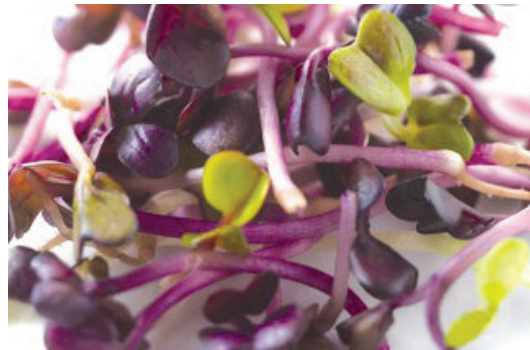
**Plant size:** large

**Tolerances:** tomato mosaic virus, *Cladosporium* leaf mold, *Fusarium* wilt, grey leaf spot (*Stemphylium*), *Verticillium*, tomato yellow leaf curl, root knot



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