

NIAB WEMR

Malling Allure EM2157

An exciting, late season 'Malling™ Centenary'-type Junebearer from the East Malling Strawberry Breeding Club

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- Late season June-bearer
 7-10 days later than Elsanta
- High % class 1 fruit
 Average = 91% (EMSBC growers' trials)
- Large fruit size
 Average = 68% >35mm (EMSBC growers' trials)
- Good Class 1 yield
 Average main crop yield = 990g/plant
 (NIAB-EMR trials, misted tip, soil, tunnelled)
- Excellent fruit quality
 Similar quality to Malling™ Centenary, superior to Elsanta and late standards (EMSBC growers' trials)
- Useful disease resistance
 Moderately resistant to powdery mildew
- Trials and commercialisation
 Main crop Growers' Trials (inc. BGG) in 2017,

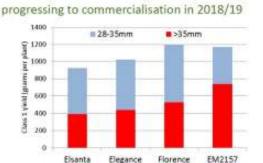


Figure 1. Class 1 yields and fruit size, NIAB-EMR trial 2016. Misted tips, tunnelled soil production.





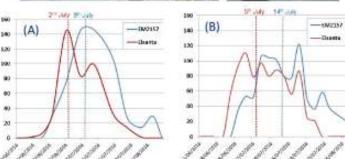


Figure 2. Crop profile of EM2157 on BGG grower sites in (A) Kent and (B) Perth in 2016. 60-day production (waiting bed plants). Date at top of chart denotes 50% harvest date