**NOBILITY**

Primocane

**General Description:**

- Very early variety
- Strong primocane, not suited to long cane production
- Excellent flavor (sweet & aromatic), brix and shelf life
- Suitable for soil and substrate production systems
- A non-exclusive variety for UK

**Performance:**

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<th>Yield</th>
<th>20 - 25 t/ha</th>
<th>4 plugs/linear m</th>
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| Average Fruit Size | 6g | Consistent size maintained throughout the cropping profile |

**Production profile (2019 data):**

![Graph showing production profile](chart.png)

**Growing Degree Data - 2019 trials:**

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<th>Planting to first Flower</th>
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<td>Days</td>
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### Plant Material:

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| **Plug Plants 104 cell** (45cc) | Produced in Northern European glasshouses from shoot cuttings in a substrate based propagation system  
This plant type offers value for growers wanting to take plant material early for planting into suitably protected/heated structures |
| **Tray Plants 40 cell** (125cc) | Produced in Northern European glasshouses from shoot cuttings in a substrate based propagation system  
This plant type is ideal for growers wishing to maximise the primocane crop in the year of planting  
The larger cell size enables continued development in the heated glasshouse during early spring time |

### Husbandry:

| General Advice                       | Plant 2 plugs into a 7lt pot, at 2 pots/m  
Ensure that the plug plant is not subject to any stress (frost, drying-out..) at establishment as this will severely arrest growth  
Plants should be grown under protective covers  
On achieving the required density, new spawn/branches should be removed  
Canes can reach heights of 1.8m so ensure adequate supports are in place  
Not recommended for a floricane crop—fruits down the majority of the primocane |
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| Pest and Disease                     | Good tolerance to botrytis fruit infection  
Good tolerance to root and cane diseases  
Protect against capsid & leaf curling midge  
Some mildew observed in 2019, associated with high humidity build up |
| Nutrition                            | Nobility will grow quite freely provided that it has adequate irrigation and fertiliser.  
Further detailed information can be found by referring to the nutrition guide produced in conjunction with Delphy UK |