

# OVATION

Primocane -  
'Double Cropping'



## General Description:

- A versatile variety that performs well in a number of geographies
- Upright plant habit with good vigour - ideal for long cane production
- Excellent flavour and shelf life
- Suitable for soil and substrate production systems
- A non-exclusive variety for UK



## Performance:

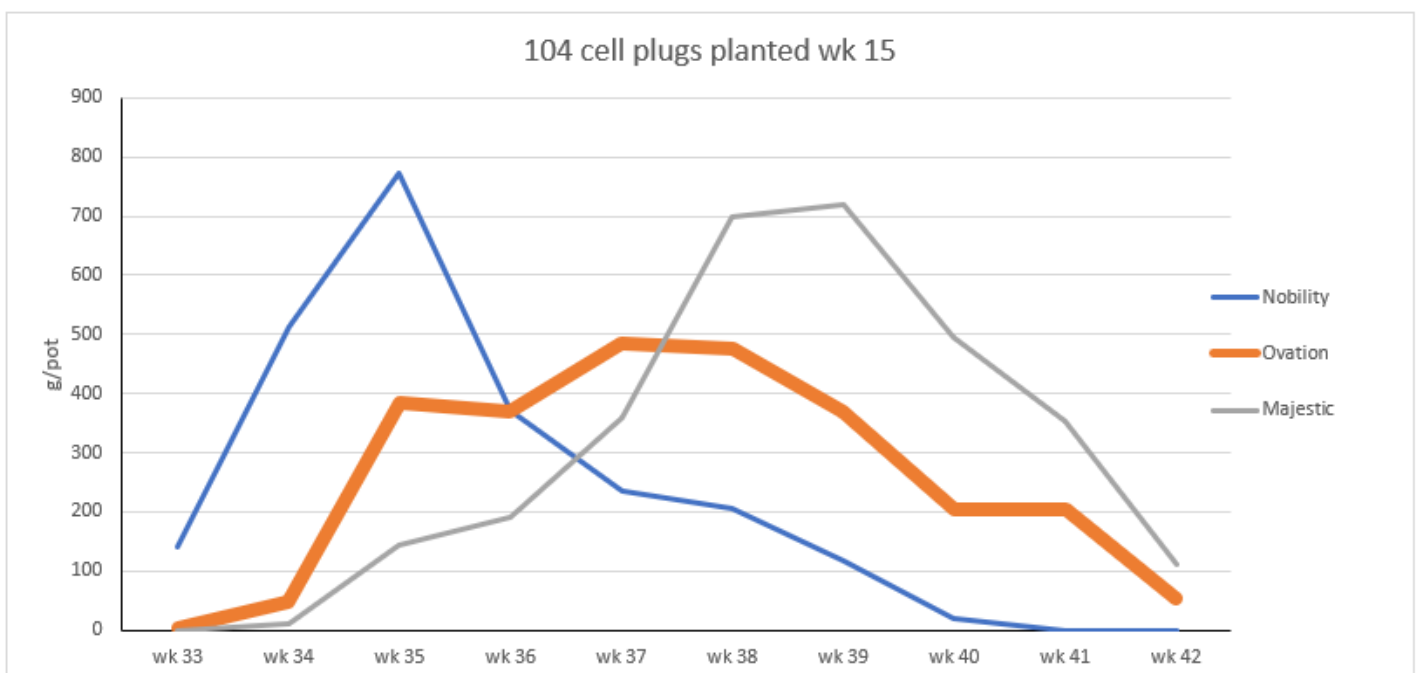
<b>Yield</b>	1.3 - 1.5 kg/cane	Long cane
	2.6 kg/pot	Plugs—year of planting 2019
<b>Average Fruit Size</b>	5.5 g	Consistent size maintained throughout the cropping profile

### Production profile (2019 data):



Growing Degree Data - 2019 trials: Ovation

Planting to first Flower		Flower to Pick		Planting to Pick	
Days	GDH	Days	GDH	Days	GDH
112	26,000	32	11,550	144	37,550



## Plant Material:

Plant Type	Description
<b>Plug Plants 104 cell (45cc)</b>	Produced in Northern European glasshouses from shoot cuttings in a substrate based propagation system This plant type is best suited for growers wishing to produce their own long canes - plant in May
<b>Tray Plants 40 cell (125cc)</b>	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
<b>Long Cane 2 canes x 1.8lt pot</b>	Produced in Northern Europe, plants are packed and cold stored in crates after dormancy Plants require re-potting upon delivery into a larger pot This plant type is most suitable for multi-year raspberry systems
<b>Long Cane 3 canes x 4.7lt pot</b>	Produced in Northern Europe, plants are packed and cold stored in crates after dormancy Plants can be placed directly into the cropping situation This plant type is most suitable for single year long cane systems

## Husbandry:

<b>General Advice</b>	Plant long canes at a density of 4 to 6 per linear m and plugs at 4 per linear m To ensure good bud break canes should receive 1400+ hours of chill Ensure that the long cane root block is defrosted and active prior to plants being exposed to high temperatures Plants should be grown under protective covers Canes can reach heights of 2m with average lateral lengths of 40cm+, so
<b>Pest and Disease</b>	Good tolerance to mildew and botrytis fruit infection Good tolerance to root and cane diseases Protect against capsid & leaf curling midge
<b>Nutrition</b>	Ovation will grow quite freely provided that it has adequate irrigation and fertiliser. Over-growing will result in unwanted side shoots Further detailed information can be found by referring to the nutrition guide produced in conjunction with Delphy UK



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