



Apple 'Ella'

A mild, delicious autumn apple for home gardens, easy to grow.

Cross: 'Anoka' x 'Golden Delicious'. Named to honour the wife of world-known breeder K.Lapins. Breeder's rights: Institute of Horticulture, Latvia, 2002.

Ripening medium or later, with 'Rubin', stores 3-4 months.

Fruits medium to large, roundish conical, smooth, uniform. Skin yellow with broad red stripes, greasy. Flesh yellowish, soft and mild, juicy, subacid. Flavour very good. Susceptible to bruises.

Tree medium vigour, easy to train. Production early and abundant, needs thinning for good fruit size.

Flowering medium late.

Resistances: tolerance to scab good to medium. Very good tolerance to mildew and fruit rots.

Good winter-hardiness, but needs a rather long growth season for shoots to mature.