



Apple 'Lienite'

A cultivar with very good fruit taste, high tolerance to diseases and small tree. Recommended for home gardens and organic orchards.

Obtained in Dobeles, Institute of Horticulture in 1997 as an open-pollinated seedling of 'Remo'. It is supposed that the other parent was cultivar 'Treboux' ('Pärnu Tuviõun'). Cultivar application: registered in 2018 (LV Nr.18001). Breeder's rights not protected.

Ripening: early to medium. Storage short, 1-2 months, recommended to consume shortly after harvesting.

Fruits: small to medium, globose conical or oblong conical, ribbing medium. Fruit skin with bloom, medium greasy, thick and firm. Ground colour is pale yellow, over colour medium, pink stripes, dots and flush.

Flesh: very soft, yellowish, medium fine grained, juicy. Flavour is very good to excellent, subacid, aromatic.

Tree: low vigour, forms a drooping crown. Fruiting of tips and spurs. Starts to bear very early, yields medium, tend to become biennial.

Flowering time: medium to late. In some years has a second wave of flowering early in summer.

Resistant to 5 scab races (Vf/Rvi6), low susceptibility to fruit rots. During storage may develop skin browning.

Winter-hardiness: good.

Recommended rootstocks: medium vigour rootstocks MM106, B.118. Due to small tree size, planting distances can be reduced.