

Major Cranberry Varieties

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Introduction

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Cultivar	Harvest	Resistance	Appearance	Remarks
Bergman	Mid	Resistance to false blossom and leafhopper	Large to medium, red	Good for processing. Adapted to Massachusetts, U.S.
Crowley	Early	Resistance to softening.	Medium to large, deep red	Good for processing. Good yields. Adapted to west coast.
Early Black	Early	Resistance to false blossom.	Medium to small, dark red.	Good production. Standard for East US.
Franklin	Early	Resistant to false blossom and leafhopper.	Large to medium, dark red.	Adapted to Massachusetts, U.S.
Howes	Late	Susceptible to tip worm.	Medium to small, good red colour.	Good production.
Pilgrim	Late	Resistant to false blossom.	Very large, dark red.	Good production. Adapted to Massachusetts, U.S.
Stevens	Mid	Resistant to softening.	Very large, deep red.	Suitable for soils low in organic matter. Adapted to Wisconsin, U.S. and New Jersey, U.S.
Wilcox	Early	Resistant to leafhopper.	Large to medium, deep red.	Excellent quality. High productivity. Adapted to New Jersey, U.S.

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