Peach

Trademark: ONYX ™

Variety: Monalu (S)

Species: Peach, Prunus persica



Origin:	
Breeder, Place	R. Monteux, Caillet, France
Intellectual property	STAR FRUITS ®, France
Property rights	registered for plant variety rights in France, registered for EU trademark
Blossom:	
Blooming date, -intensity	medium-early blossom period, medium to strong density
Fertility	self-fertile
Flower shape	rose shape
Frost susceptibility	very low susceptibility of flower buds to winter frost
Fruit:	
Ripening time	medium, 5. peach week, 3-5 days before 'Redhaven'
Scale, shape	medium to large, rounded with a limited suture
Skin	very smooth-skinned
Colour	nearly 100 % crimson over colour, fruit colours well in the shade
Fruit flesh	cream white with distinct red filament, firm, juicy
Taste	aromatic with balanced acidity and refreshing peach taste, underripe already well flavoured
Stone separability	freestone
Storage	good
Tree:	
Vigour	medium strong, compact, very good branching, very healthy and dark green leaves
Crop load	from an early age regular and high, timely fruit-thinning is necessary
Evaluation:	White-fleshed peach in the mid-season with an outstanding appearance, aromatic flavour and proven high yield with large fruit size. The smooth skin of ONYX ™ Monalu (S) is exceptional. Most classic peach varieties generally have strong woolly skin.