

Sour cherry

Variety: Olibell (S)
Species: Sour cherry, *Prunus cerasus*



Origin:	
Breeder, Place	Institut Újfehértói Kutató Intézet, Hungary
Intellectual property	Artevos, Germany
Synonym	SKD
Property rights	application for EU plant variety rights
Blossom:	
Blooming date	medium to medium late, just before 'Lövöpetri (S)'
Fertility	self-fertile
Fruit:	
Ripening time	late, same time as 'Ungarische Traubige' and 'Lövöpetri (S)'
Scale, shape	25-27 mm, 7-9 g, kidney-shaped, medium long stalk with leaves
Colour	dark red, shiny
Fruit flesh	dark red, medium firm to firm (38-40 Durofel pressure), very juicy, medium strong tinctorial, medium large and easy removing stone
Taste	spicy flavoured flesh with fine sourness
Cracking sensitivity	low
Stalk detachment	good, stalk abscission is dry and non infectious
Tree:	
Vigour	medium strong to strong, widely spread, very good ramifying, no tendency to blind wood, shoots bouquet-rich, dark green and healthy leaves
Crop load	From an early age regular high yields. Regular dense spread of fruits without tendency to clusters.

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Evaluation:

Olibell (S) is a new sour cherry variety in the late ripening range. The fruits can be used for processing and fresh eating.

This sour cherry, which ripens shortly before 'Schattenmorelle', has a high to very high flowering density and tends to flower slightly earlier than its sister variety 'Lövöpetri (S)'. The very harmonious, spreading tree structure without tendency to blind wood is characteristic of Olibell (S). The early and regularly high yields in combination with very good fruit qualities ensure the economic viability of this new variety. The good tree and foliage health convinces also.