

Plum

Trademark: **FRANZI™**
Variety: **Wei 1408 (S)**
Species: Plum, *Prunus domestica*



Origin:	
Breeder, Place	Dr. Michael Neumüller, Technical University Munich and Bavarian Centre of Pomology and Fruit Breeding, Hallbergmoos, Germany
Intellectual property	Dr. Michael Neumüller, Bavarian Centre of Pomology and Fruit Breeding, Hallbergmoos, Germany
Parents	Hanka (S) x Cacaks Frühe
Property rights	application for EU plant variety rights, registered trademark
Blossom:	
Blooming date	medium early
Fertility	self-fertile
Pollinator	Katinka (S), Cacaks Schöne (recommended according to breeder information)
Fruit:	
Ripening time	medium early, 4. plum week
Scale, shape	medium to large, 36-48 mm, ellipsoid
Colour	blue to purple, heavy bloom
Fruit flesh	at the first pick greenish yellow, at full maturity yellow to amber coloured, firm
Taste	well balanced sugar-acid ratio with high sugar content for an early ripening plum
Stone separability	freestone
Plum pox	tolerant to symptoms of the fruits
Tree:	
Vigour	medium strong to strong, semi-upright, good branching
Crop load	high
Evaluation:	Typical for this early ripening plum are the good taste, the fruit size and the firmness. The fruits are suitable for fresh eating and baking.