

TRIPLOID WATERMELON VARIETY 2009 DEMONSTRATION PLOT RESULTS Growers participating in the demonstration plots were: Jerry Landrum, St Francisville, LA; Chuck Melsheimer, Reeves, LA; Jason Anderson, Coushatta, LA; Scott Ryan, Dixie, LA; Tony Brunini, Epps, LA and Calvin Hollis, Spearsville, LA.

| VARIETY SOURCE * | YEILD 1-10*** | SHAPE | SIZE lbs/melon Predominate size | RIND COLOR 1-10 *** | RIND THICKNESS 1-10*** | FLESH COLOR 1-10*** | FOLIAGE 1-10*** | SOULBE SOLIDS | SHELF LIFE 1-10 *** | COMMENTS |
|------------------------------------|---------------|------------------|---------------------------------|--|------------------------|---------------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------------|---|
| SUMMER SWEET 5244 Abbott & Cobb | 7.3 | Round | 10-12 12-15 | 6.6-Green stripe, light green melon | 6.3 | 7.0 | 7.5 | 11.0 | 6.8 | Bleached, Hollow heart -1 location |
| SEEDLESS 7167 Abbott & Cobb | 7.3 | Round | 10-12 12-15 | 6.6 -Green stripe, light green melon | 6.7 | 7.0 | 7.8 | 11.3 | 6.6 | Some melons bleached, Hollow heart -1 location |
| SEEDLESS 7187 Abbott & Cobb | 7.0 | Round | 15-17 15-12 | 6.4-Green stripe, light green melon | 7.0 | 7.6 | 7.8 | 11.3 | 6.5 | Light color, Bleached |
| SEEDLESS 7197 Abbott & Cobb | 7.3 | Round | 15-17 15-12 | 7.0-Green stripe, light green melon | 6.1 | 7.0 | 7.4 | 11.0 | 6.1 | Bleached, Excellent color-1 location |
| SEEDLESS 9601 Abbott & Cobb | 7.5 | Round | 15-17 12-15 | 6.4-Dark green melon | 6.7 | 7.2 | 7.3 | 11.9 | 6.1 | Bleached, Light color, Sunburn |
| 6052 Hazera | 6.5 | Blocky oblong | 12-15 | 6.5-Green stripe, light green melon | 6.0 | 7.0 | 6.3 | 12.3 | 6.5 | Light color, Sunburn, Bleached |
| LIBERTY Nunhems | 6.8 | Round blocky | 15-17 12-15 | 6.6-Green stripe, light green melon | 7.0 | 7.2 | 7.0 | 12.3 | 6.9 | Hollow heart, Bleached, Light color |
| NUN 6032 WM Nunhems | 7.3 | Round blocky | 15-17 12-15 | 6.8-Dark green stripe, light green melon | 7.0 | 7.0 | 6.7 | 12.4 | 6.5 | Light color , White streaks in flesh- one location, Sunburned, Some melons bleached, Hollow heart-1 location |
| REVOLUTION Nunhems | 7.3 | Oblong | 15-17 17-20 | 7.6-Dark green stripe, light green melon | 6.5 | 7.2 | 6.8 | 12.0 | 6.2 | Good color, Some bleached melons, Hollow heart -1 location |
| CRUNCH RED Harris Morgan | 7.8 | Round blocky | 17-15 15-12 | 6.8-Dark green stripe, light green melon | 6.3 | 7.0 | 6.9 | 11.0 | 6.1 | Good color , Some bleached melons Sunburn |
| MILLIONAIRE Harris Morgan | 7.0 | Round blocky | 17-15 15-12 | 6.6-Green stripe light, green melon | 6.5 | 7.0 | 6.8 | 11.7 | 6.3 | Light color, Some bleached melons, White streaks in flesh 1 location Hollow heart in 1 location |
| MAJESTIC Seminis | 7.4 | Round blocky | 17-15 15-12 | 6.4-Green stripe light, green melon | 6.7 | 6.8 | 7.2 | 11.7 | 6.8 | Light color White streaks in flesh -1 location |
| FENWAY Seminis | 7.3 | Round | 10-12 12-15 | 7.8-Dark green stripe, dark green melon | 7.0 | 7.7 | 7.8 | 11.9 | 6.0 | Good color, Some melons bleached |
| CRISP N SWEET Seedway | 7.3 | Round | 10-12 12-15 | 6.5-Green stripe light green melon | 6.5 | 6.7 | 6.4 | 10.8 | 5.8 | Hollow heart, Some bleached melons |
| EXTRA CRISP Seedway | 7.0 | Round blocky | 12-15 | 6.8-Dark green stripe, medium dark green melon | 8.3 | 7.0 | 7.0 | 11.7 | 6.6 | Light color, Hollow heart -1 location |
| SUPER CRISP Seedway | 7.3 | Round blocky | 12-15 | 7.2-Dark green stripe, medium dark green melon | 7.0 | 7.2 | 7.2 | 11.7 | 6.4 | White streaks in flesh-1 location |

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