

GUELPH ECLIPSE

An established, top-quality asparagus variety for commercial production

Guelph Eclipse is an all-male asparagus hybrid best suited for green asparagus production. It is winter hardy in temperate and continental climates and produces consistently high yields throughout its production life.

AGROLOGY

- Performs best in well drained, sandy loam and loam soils
- Will continue to produce high yields on virgin and replant soils. Enhanced tolerance to replant situations.
- Early mid-season harvest peak
- Developed for temperate climates, still has extreme tolerance to cold winters

PRODUCT

- Produces thicker spears than Guelph Millennium, and a slightly darker green colour
- Exceptional tight tips, tightly closing bracts, even in warm weather
- Impressive high yields
- Straight, uniform medium to large spear production
- Thick, healthy fern is produced through the summer months which aids for excellent survivability through harsh, winter months



- ✓ Vigorous fern production
- ✓ Impressive high yields
- ✓ Excellent tolerance to cold winters

2011 SIMCOE ASPARAGUS YIELD TRIAL

Average yield including 1 short harvest and 5 full harvests



2007 SIMCOE ASPARAGUS YIELD TRIAL

Average yield including 1 short harvest and 10 full harvests



2012 MICHIGAN ASPARAGUS INTERNATIONAL CULTIVAR TRIAL

Average yield including 1 short harvest and 4 full harvests



2006 WASHINGTON ASPARAGUS VARIETY TRIAL

Average yield including 1 short harvest and 7 full harvests



Fox Seeds breeding program focuses on developing improved varieties of green asparagus adapted to continental climate with cold winters and warm summers for growers. High and consistent yields within and across seasons, exceptional tip quality, winter hardiness, longevity, replant, and disease resistances are all important breeding objectives. Fox Seeds is committed to improving the efficiency of the breeding pipeline throughout the implementation of modern tools such as molecular markers and genomic selection.

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Graphs are presented in lbs/acre average. Information is gathered from internal and third party research groups.