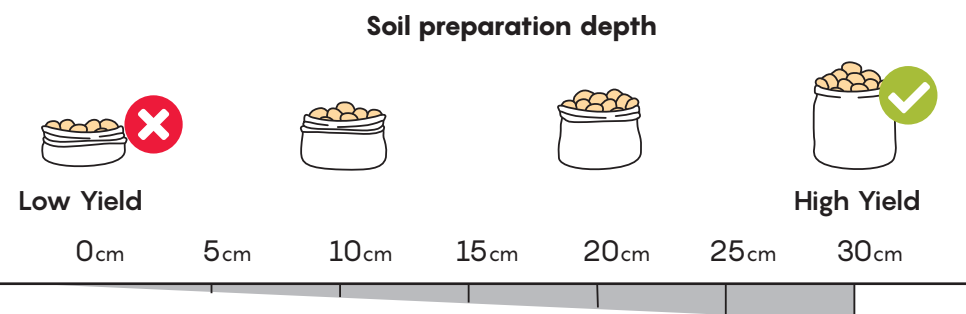
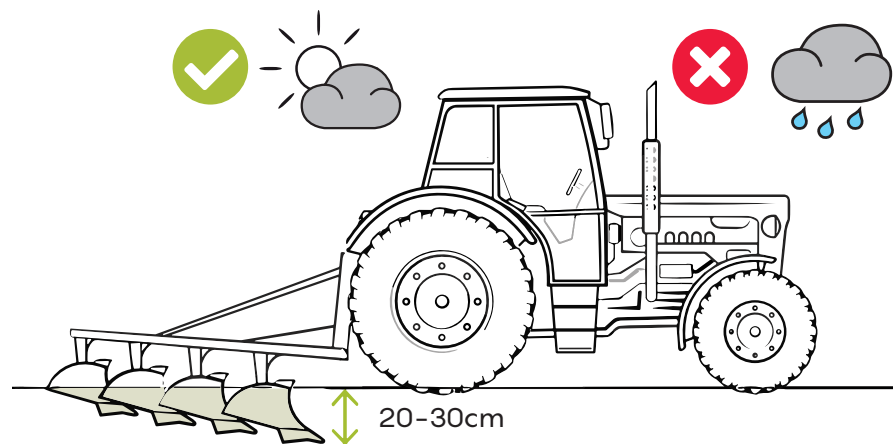


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SOIL PREPARATION & FERTILIZATION

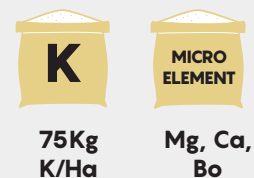
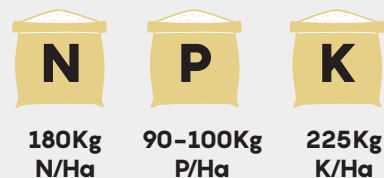
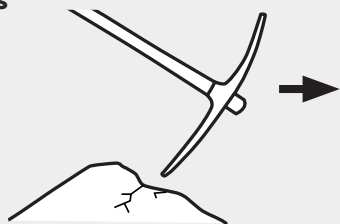


Before planting

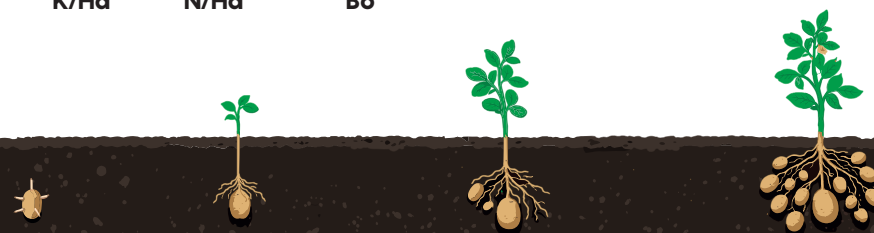
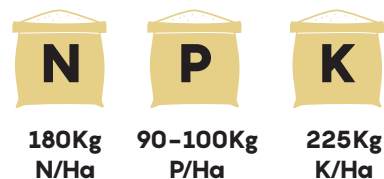
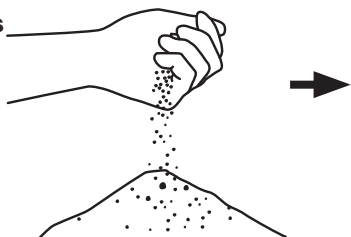
50 days after planting
(at tuber initiation)

110 days after planting

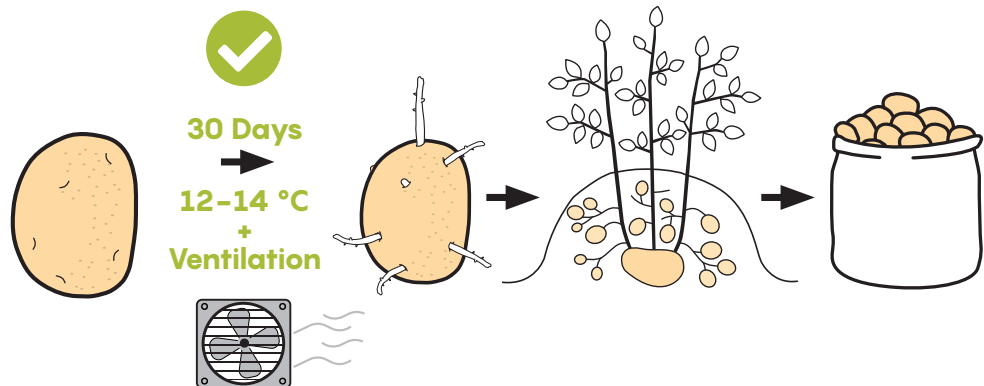
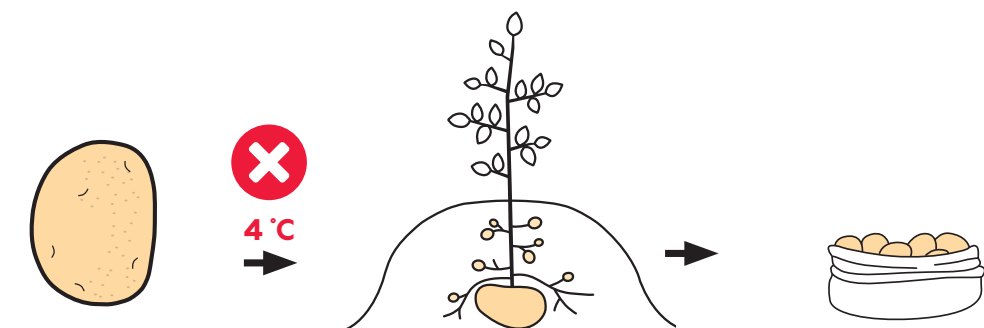
Heavy soils
(clay)



Light soils
(sand)

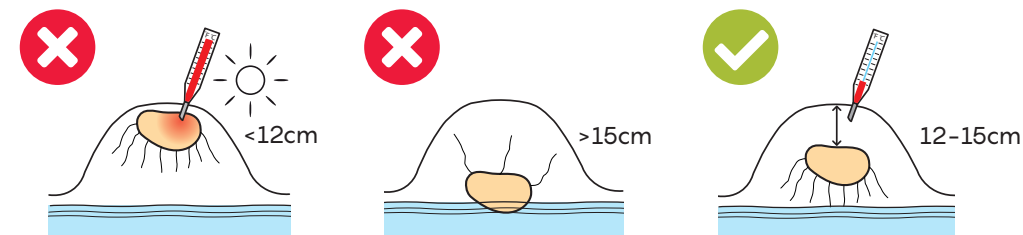


SEED PREPARATION

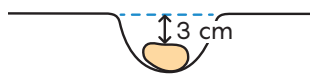


- ✗ Don't store the seed in a cold warehouse.
- ✓ Choose a well-ventilated place to store the seed before planting.
- ✓ Break the dormancy: warm up the seed correctly for 30 days at 12-14 °C with good ventilation.
- ✓ Always plant seed with small sprouts.

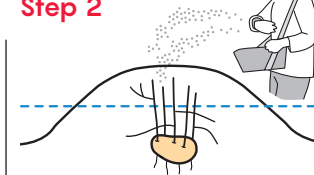
PLANTING DEPTH AND DISTANCE



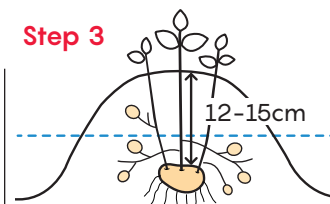
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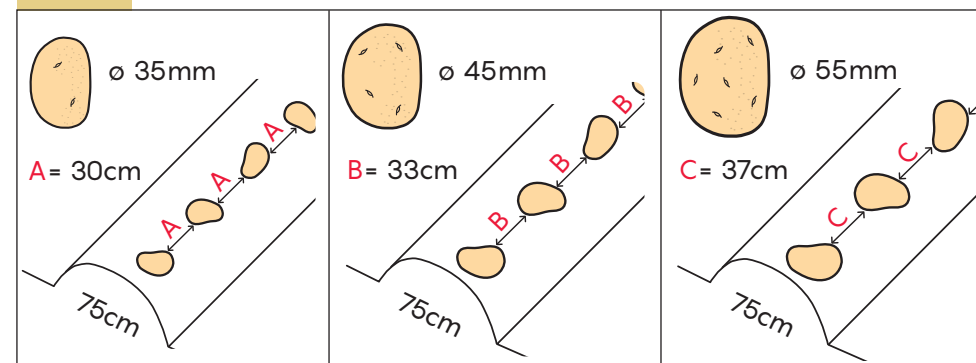
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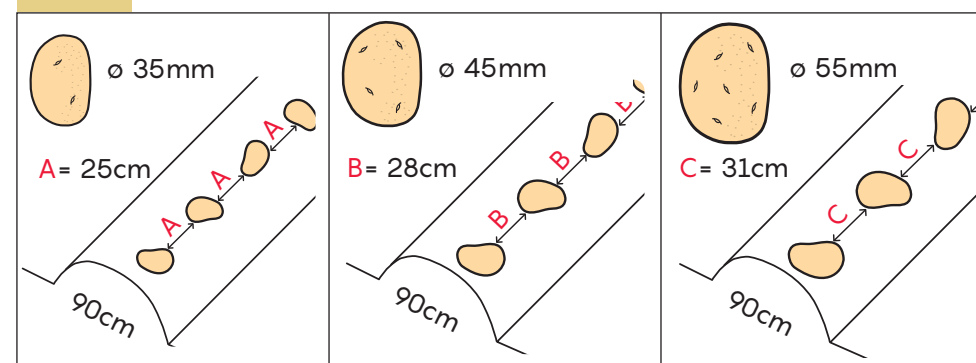
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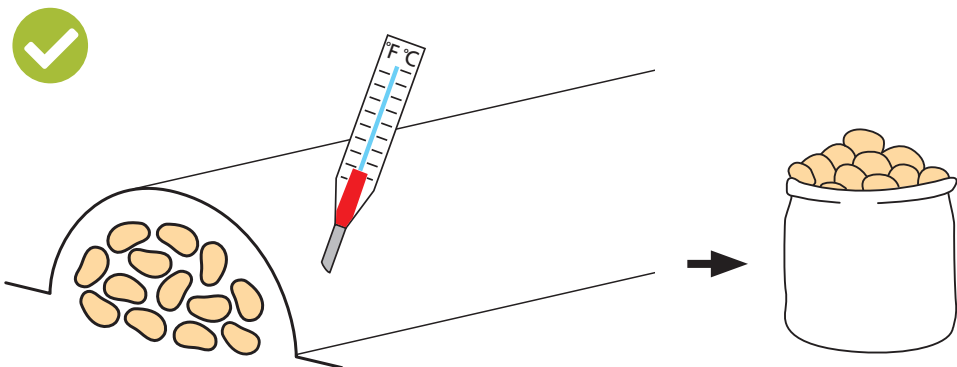
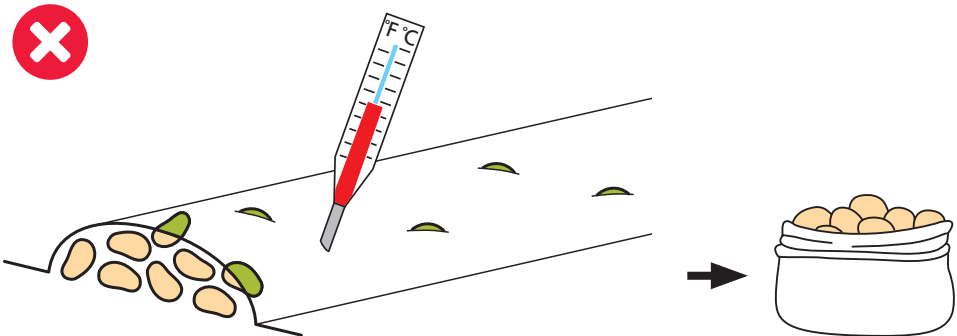
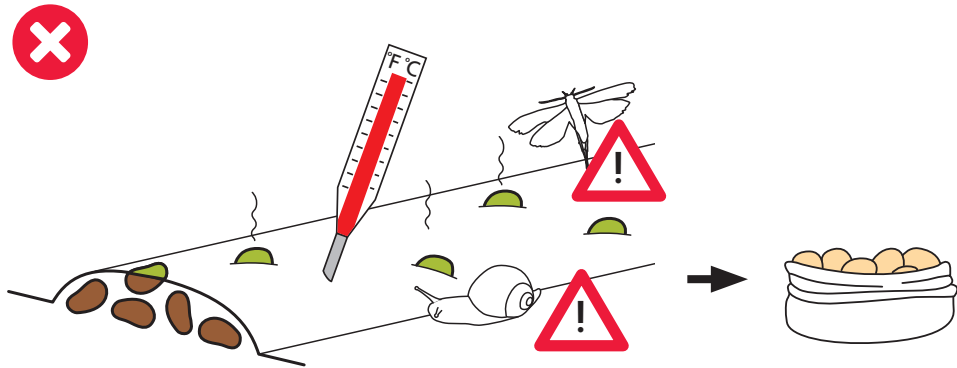
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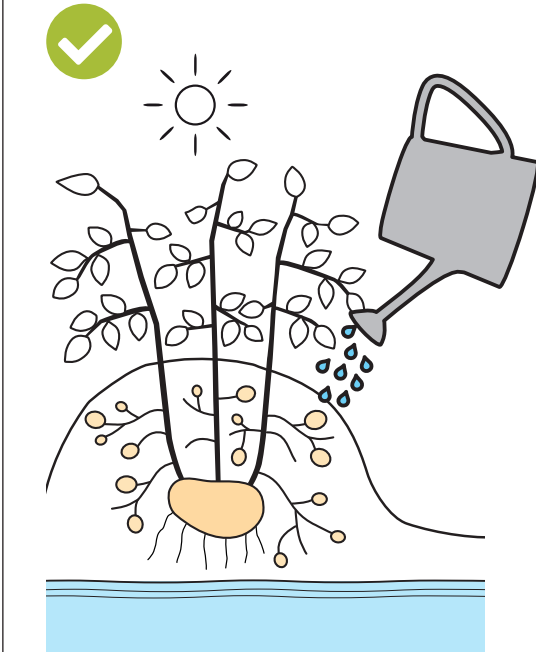
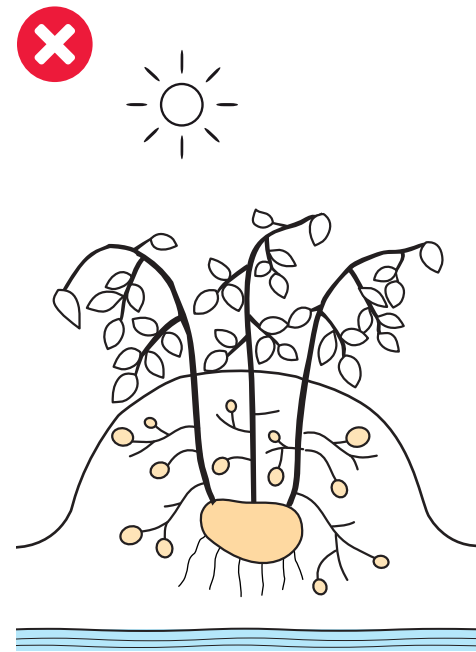
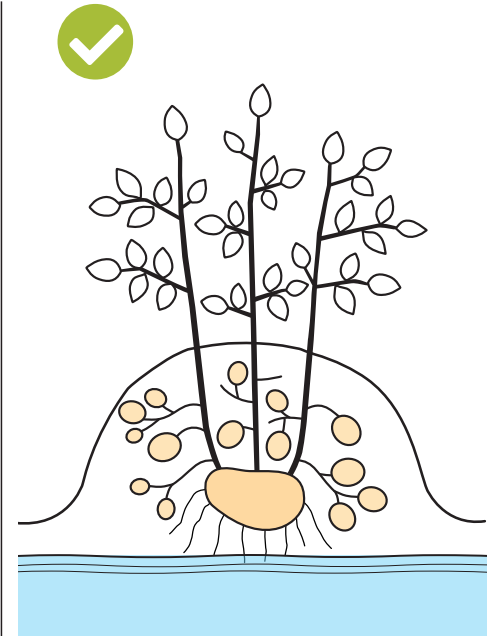
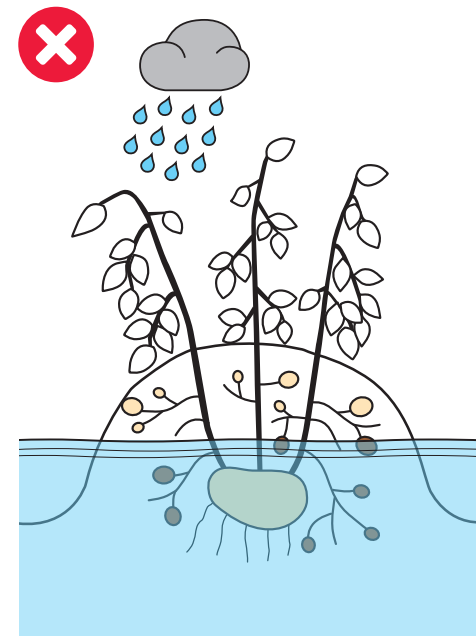
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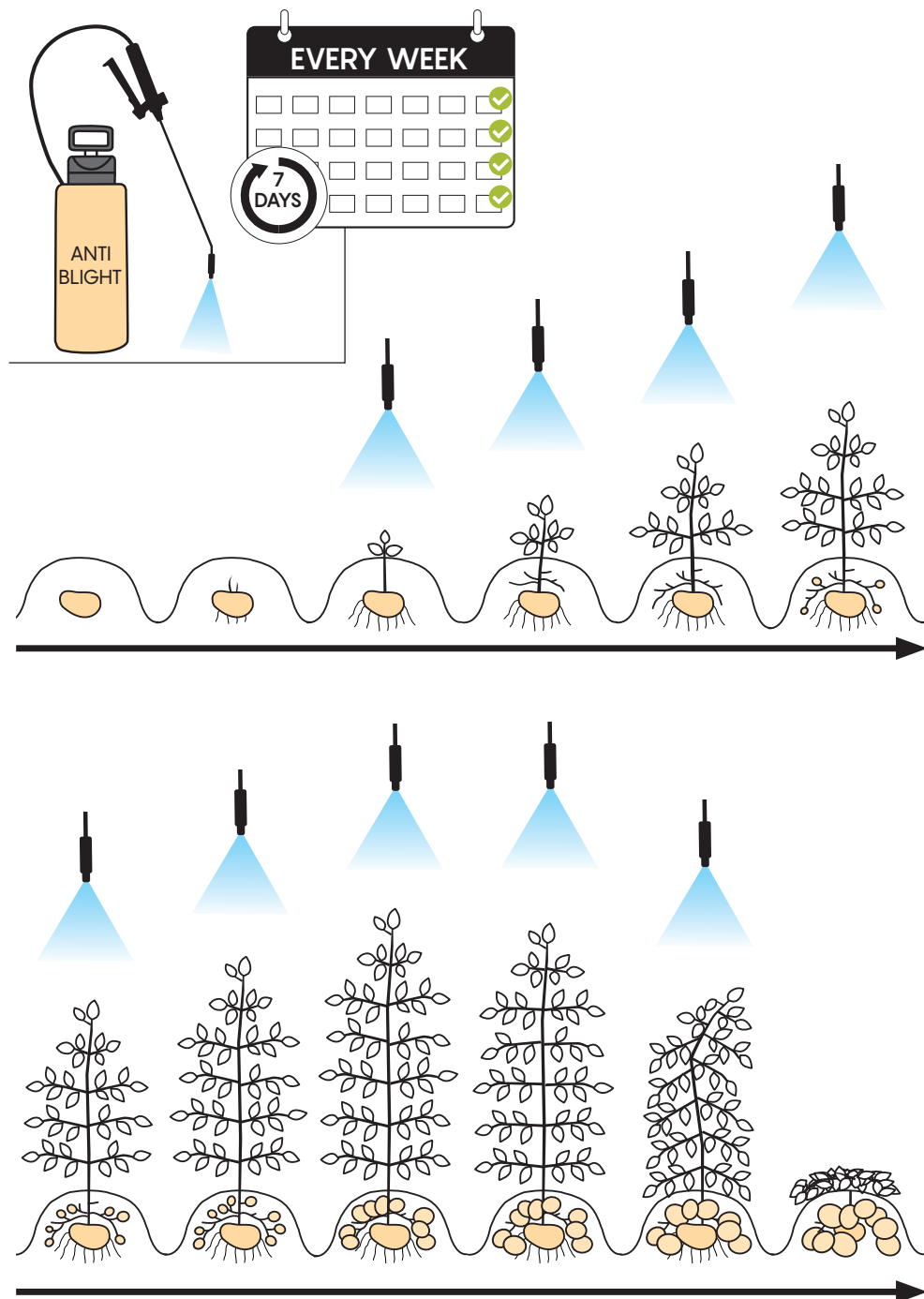
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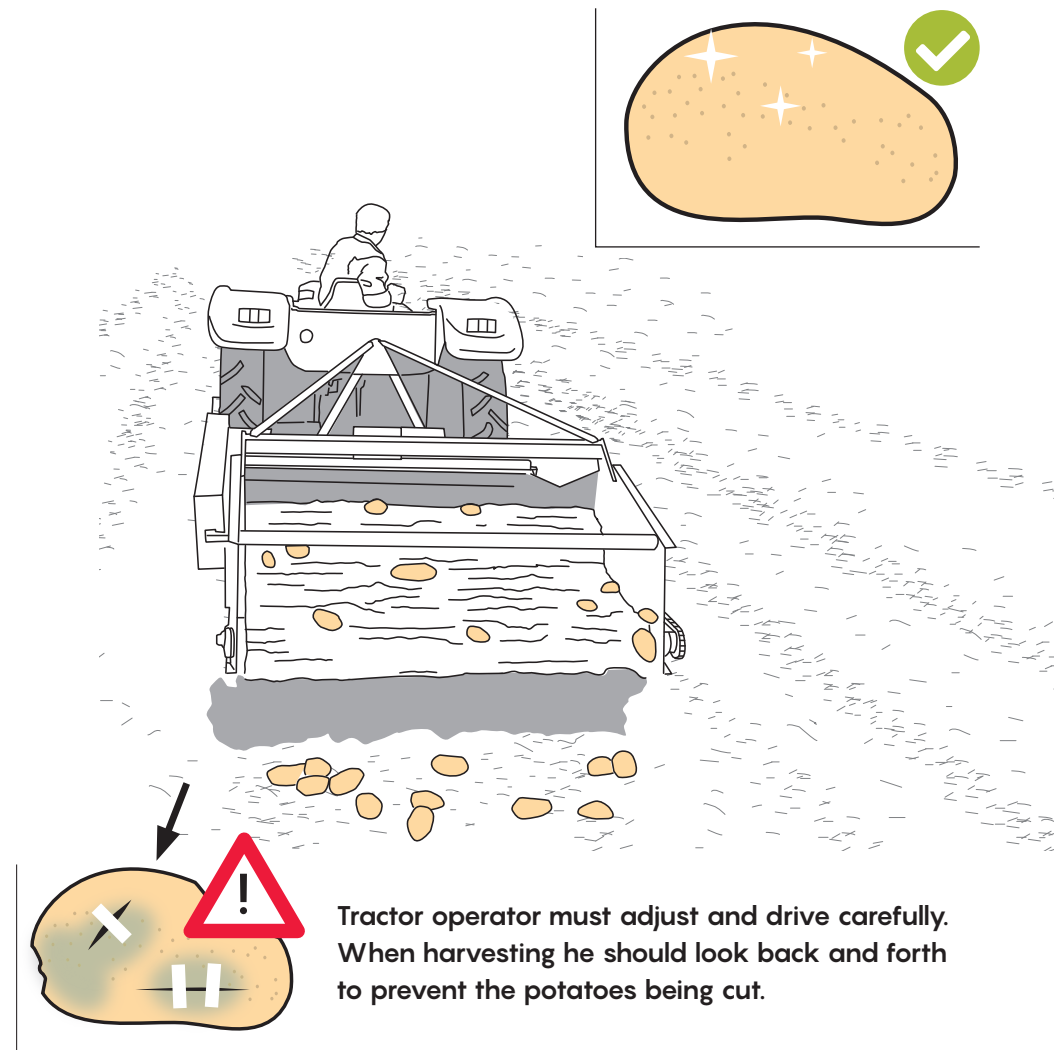
REGULAR GROWTH



PREVENTIVE BLIGHT PROTECTION



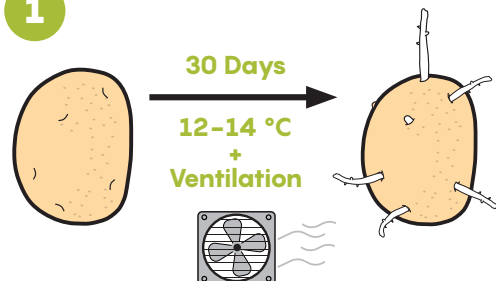
HARVEST



- ✓ Stop irrigation 2 weeks before harvest to get tubers with 100% set skin.
- ✓ Minimum 2 weeks between haulm killing and lifting the potatoes.

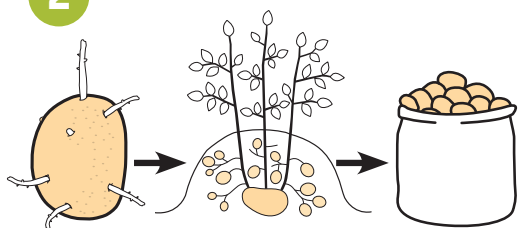
KEY TAKEAWAYS

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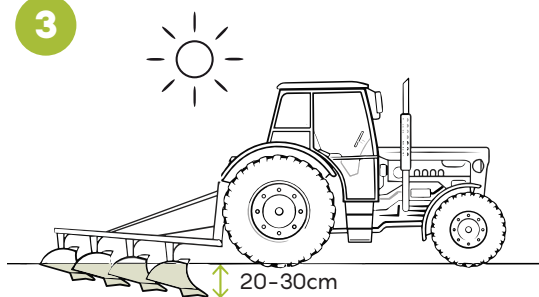
Break the dormancy: 30 days at 12-14 °C in combination with good ventilation.

2



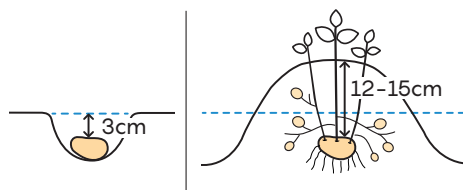
Always plant the seed with small white sprouts.

3



Prepare your soil deep.

4



Plant the seed 3 cm below soil surface. Build up the rows till 12-15 cm above the planted tuber.

5



Low N-inputs.

N = 50% SPUNTA

P: 90-100 Kg/Ha

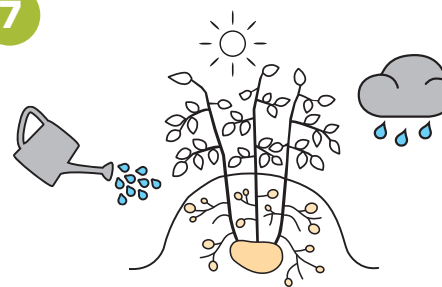
K: >300 Kg/Ha

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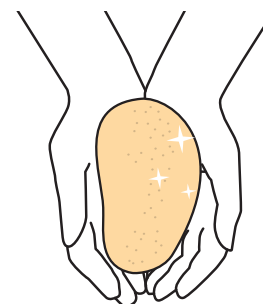
Prevent Blight infection by protecting your crop weekly.

7



Avoid stress & irrigate regularly.

8



Handle tubers with care:

- ✓ 20Kg of Sulfate of Potassium 3 weeks before harvest.
- ✓ Stop irrigation 2 weeks before harvest.

CHOOSE ZELDA

- ✓ Very high marketable yield
- ✓ Suitable for second crop
- ✓ Low Nitrogen inputs
- ✓ Tolerant to salinity
- ✓ Long oval tubers
- ✓ Attractive bright skin
- ✓ Storable up to 6 months
- ✓ Multipurpose including home fry



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