

2021

GV PKT, BOSCO & GALA, GOLDENS, GRANNIES - MATURITY

12 FEBRUARY 2021

WBC harvest completed and Gala harvest finishing or on 2nd pick.

Gala blocks are very mixed in maturity, so growers urged to check block maturity prior to deciding on destination to store, market or juice for 2nd pick fruit.

OK to commence harvest of PKT now for export OR storage.

Grannies still some time to harvest.

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FRUIT GROWERS VICTORIA LTD

2/12/2021

ORCHARDIST		BLOCK / VARIETY		DATE		COMMENTS
COBRAM PKT		COBRAM PKT		12/02/2021		
SAMPLE	SIZE	PRESSURE		ACID/PLATE	SUGAR	
	(Diameter. mm)	(side a)	(side b)		(oBrix)	
1	74.0	6.0	6.5		13.0	HARVESTING THIS WEEK
2	68.0	6.0	6.5		13.0	
3	77.0	6.0	6.0		14.0	
4	76.0	7.0	6.5		13.0	
5	68.0	6.0	6.5		13.0	
6	74.0	6.5	6.5		13.0	
7	78.0	6.5	6.0		13.0	
8	65.0	6.0	6.5		14.0	
9	67.0	6.5	6.5		13.5	
10	76.0	6.0	6.5		13.0	
AVG	72.3	6.3			13.3	
ALL BLOCKS	72.3	6.4			13.0	

STORAGE TERM	LIMIT	STARCH RANGE		SUGAR RANGE		PRESSURE RANGE		STORAGE
		MIN PLATE	MAX PLATE	MIN BRIX	MAX BRIX	MIN KG	MAX KG	
LONG	DECEMBER	2.0	3.0	11.0	18.0	6.4	8.0	DO NOT STORE
MEDIUM	SEPTEMBER	3.0	4.0	12.5	18.0	6.2	7.6	OK TO STORE
SHORT	JULY	4.0	5.0	12.5	18.0	5.8	6.2	DO NOT STORE
MINIMAL	6 WEEKS							DO NOT STORE



ORCHARDIST		BLOCK / VARIETY		DATE		COMMENTS
KYABRAM PKT		KYABRAM PKT		11/02/2021		
SAMPLE	SIZE	PRESSURE		ACID/PLATE	SUGAR	
	(Diameter. mm)	(side a)	(side b)		(oBrix)	
1	70.0	7.0	6.0		12.0	
2	75.0	7.5	6.5		11.5	
3	72.0	6.5	7.0		12.0	
4	68.0	6.5	7.0		12.0	
5	73.0	6.5	7.5		13.0	
6	68.0	6.5	6.5		12.0	
7	73.0	7.5	8.0		11.0	
8	66.0	6.0	7.0		12.0	
9	73.0	6.0	6.0		12.0	
10	71.0	6.0	6.5		12.0	
AVG	70.9	6.7			12.0	
ALL BLOCKS	70.9	6.7			12.0	

STORAGE TERM	LIMIT	STARCH RANGE		SUGAR RANGE		PRESSURE RANGE		STORAGE
		MIN PLATE	MAX PLATE	MIN BRIX	MAX BRIX	MIN KG	MAX KG	
LONG	DECEMBER	2.0	3.0	11.0	13.0	6.4	8.0	OK TO STORE
MEDIUM	SEPTEMBER	3.0	4.0	12.5	13.0	6.2	7.6	DO NOT STORE
SHORT	JULY	4.0	5.0	12.5	13.0	5.8	6.2	DO NOT STORE
MINIMAL	6 WEEKS							DO NOT STORE



ORCHARDIST		BLOCK / VARIETY		DATE		COMMENTS
ARDMONA PKT		ARDMONA PKT		12/02/2021		
SAMPLE	SIZE	PRESSURE		ACID/PLATE	SUGAR	
	(Diameter. mm)	(side a)	(side b)		(oBrix)	
1	73.0	6.0	6.0		13.0	
2	68.0	6.0	6.0		13.0	
3	76.0	6.0	6.0		13.0	
4	72.0	6.5	7.0		13.0	
5	65.0	6.5	7.5		13.0	
6	75.0	6.5	6.5		13.0	
7	71.0	6.0	6.0		13.0	
8	75.0	6.0	6.0		13.0	
9	72.0	6.0	6.5		13.5	
10	77.0	6.0	7.0		13.0	
AVG	72.4	6.3			13.1	
ALL BLOCKS	72.3	6.4			13.0	

STORAGE TERM	LIMIT	STARCH RANGE		SUGAR RANGE		PRESSURE RANGE		STORAGE
		MIN PLATE	MAX PLATE	MIN BRIX	MAX BRIX	MIN KG	MAX KG	
LONG	DECEMBER	2.0	3.0	11.0	13.0	6.4	8.0	DO NOT STORE
MEDIUM	SEPTEMBER	3.0	4.0	12.5	13.0	6.2	7.6	OK TO STORE
SHORT	JULY	4.0	5.0	12.5	13.0	5.8	6.2	DO NOT STORE
MINIMAL	6 WEEKS							DO NOT STORE



ORCHARDIST		BLOCK / VARIETY		DATE		COMMENTS
SHEPP EAST PKT		SHEPP EAST PKT		12/02/2021		
SAMPLE	SIZE	PRESSURE		ACID/PLATE	SUGAR	
	(Diameter. mm)	(side a)	(side b)		(oBrix)	
1	73.0	5.5	7.0		14.0	
2	70.0	7.0	7.0		13.0	
3	73.0	6.0	6.5		13.0	
4	78.0	6.5	6.5		12.0	
5	75.0	5.5	6.5		13.0	
6	73.0	7.5	7.0		12.0	
7	68.0	6.0	5.5		13.0	
8	63.0	7.5	6.0		12.0	
9	76.0	7.0	7.0		13.0	
10	72.0	7.0	7.5		13.0	
AVG	72.1	6.6			12.8	
ALL BLOCKS	72.3	6.4			13.0	

STORAGE TERM	LIMIT	STARCH RANGE		SUGAR RANGE		PRESSURE RANGE		STORAGE
		MIN PLATE	MAX PLATE	MIN BRIX	MAX BRIX	MIN KG	MAX KG	
LONG	DECEMBER	2.0	3.0	11.0	13.0	6.4	8.0	OK TO STORE
MEDIUM	SEPTEMBER	3.0	4.0	12.5	13.0	6.2	7.6	OK TO STORE
SHORT	JULY	4.0	5.0	12.5	13.0	5.8	6.2	DO NOT STORE
MINIMAL	6 WEEKS							DO NOT STORE



ORCHARDIST		BLOCK / VARIETY		DATE		COMMENTS
KYABRAM BOSC		KYABRAM BOSC		11/02/2021		
SAMPLE	SIZE	PRESSURE		ACID/PLATE	SUGAR	
	(Diameter. mm)	(side a)	(side b)		(oBrix)	
1	70.0	6.0	6.0		12.0	
2	68.0	7.0	8.0		13.0	
3	69.0	8.0	8.5		12.0	
4	71.0	7.0	9.0		12.5	
5	66.0	8.5	8.5		13.0	
6	72.0	9.0	9.0		12.0	
7	66.0	8.5	8.5		12.0	
8	77.0	7.0	8.0		12.5	
9	69.0	7.5	7.5		12.5	
10	61.0	8.5	9.0		11.0	
AVG	68.9	8.0			12.3	
ALL BLOCKS	68.9	8.0			12.3	

STORAGE TERM	LIMIT	STARCH RANGE		SUGAR RANGE		PRESSURE RANGE		STORAGE
		MIN PLATE	MAX PLATE	MIN BRIX	MAX BRIX	MIN KG	MAX KG	
LONG	DECEMBER			11.8	14.5	6.8	8.5	OK TO STORE
MEDIUM	SEPTEMBER			12.7	14.5	6.2	6.7	DO NOT STORE
SHORT	JULY			13.1	14.5	5.8	6.1	DO NOT STORE
MINIMAL	6 WEEKS			12.0		5.5	6.5	DO NOT STORE



ORCHARDIST		BLOCK / VARIETY		DATE		COMMENTS
KYABRAM GALA		KYABRAM GALA		11/02/2021		
SAMPLE	SIZE	PRESSURE		ACID/PLATE	SUGAR	
	(Diameter. mm)	(side a)	(side b)		(oBrix)	
1	75.0	8.0	8.0	5.0	10.5	
2	73.0	8.0	8.5	3.0	11.0	
3	74.0	8.0	8.0	3.0	10.0	
4	69.0	9.5	9.5	3.0	12.0	
5	65.0	9.5	9.5	2.5	12.0	
6	75.0	7.0	7.5	3.5	12.0	
7	72.0	7.0	7.5	4.0	12.0	
8	71.0	7.5	8.0	3.0	12.0	
9	68.0	8.0	8.0	3.5	11.5	
10	77.0	7.0	8.0	3.5	11.0	
AVG	71.9	8.1		3.4	11.4	
ALL BLOCKS	719	8.1		3.4	114	

STORAGE TERM	LIMIT	STARCH RANGE		SUGAR RANGE		PRESSURE RANGE		STORAGE
		MIN PLATE	MAX PLATE	MIN BRIX	MAX BRIX	MIN KG	MAX KG	
LONG	NOVEMBER	15	2.5	114	13.4	7.0	10.0	DO NOT STORE
MEDIUM	SEPTEMBER	2.6	4.0	114	13.4	6.5	10.0	OK TO STORE
SHORT	JULY	4.0	5.0	118	13.4	6.5	10.0	DO NOT STORE
MINIMAL	6 WEEKS			12.5		6.9	10.0	DO NOT STORE



ORCHARDIST		BLOCK / VARIETY		DATE		COMMENTS
SHEPP EAST GALA		SHEPP EAST GALA		12/02/2021		
SAMPLE	SIZE	PRESSURE		ACID/PLATE	SUGAR	
	(Diameter. mm)	(side a)	(side b)		(oBrix)	
1	74.0	6.0	7.5	6.0	11.0	2ND PICK
2	70.0	7.0	6.5	6.0	11.0	
3	79.0	8.0	6.5	5.0	14.0	
4	72.0	8.5	9.0	2.5	10.0	
5	73.0	9.0	8.5	3.0	13.0	
6	72.0	7.0	7.5	5.0	11.0	
7	69.0	7.5	7.5	6.0	11.0	
8	73.0	10.0	9.0	4.0	14.0	
9	78.0	5.0	6.0	6.0	10.0	
10	75.0	5.5	6.5	6.0	10.0	
AVG	73.5	7.4		5.0	11.5	
ALL BLOCKS	73.5	7.4		5.0	11.5	

STORAGE TERM	LIMIT	STARCH RANGE		SUGAR RANGE		PRESSURE RANGE		STORAGE
		MIN PLATE	MAX PLATE	MIN BRIX	MAX BRIX	MIN KG	MAX KG	
LONG	NOVEMBER	15	2.5	11.4	13.4	7.0	10.0	DO NOT STORE
MEDIUM	SEPTEMBER	2.6	4.0	11.4	13.4	6.5	10.0	DO NOT STORE
SHORT	JULY	4.0	5.0	11.4	13.4	6.5	10.0	OK TO STORE
MINIMAL	6 WEEKS			12.5		6.9	10.0	DO NOT STORE



ORCHARDIST		BLOCK / VARIETY		DATE		COMMENTS
COBRAM GRANNIES		COBRAM GRANNIES		12/02/2021		
SAMPLE	SIZE	PRESSURE		ACID/PLATE	SUGAR	
	(Diameter. mm)	(side a)	(side b)		(oBrix)	
1	70.0	10.0	10.0	1.0	11.0	
2	73.0	9.0	9.5	1.0	11.0	
3	71.0	9.5	9.5	1.0	11.0	
4	68.0	9.0	9.5	1.0	11.5	
5	71.0	9.0	9.0	1.0	11.0	
6	64.0	9.0	9.0	1.0	11.0	
7	70.0	9.0	9.5	1.0	12.0	
8	69.0	9.0	9.0	1.0	11.0	
9	71.0	9.0	9.0	1.0	11.0	
10	70.0	9.0	9.0	1.0	10.0	
AVG	69.7	9.2		1.0	11.1	
ALL BLOCKS	66.6	9.4		10	10.2	

STORAGE TERM	LIMIT	STARCH RANGE		SUGAR RANGE		PRESSURE RANGE		STORAGE
		MIN PLATE	MAX PLATE	MIN BRIX	MAX BRIX	MIN KG	MAX KG	
LONG	FEBRUARY	2.0	3.0	10.0	16.0	7.0	9.0	DO NOT STORE
MEDIUM	NOVEMBER	3.0	4.0	10.5	16.0	6.6	8.8	DO NOT STORE
SHORT	SEPTEMBER	4.0	5.0	11.4	16.0	6.6	8.5	DO NOT STORE
MINIMAL	6 WEEKS			13.0		6.5	8.5	DO NOT STORE



ORCHARDIST		BLOCK / VARIETY		DATE		COMMENTS
KYABRAM GRANNIES		KYABRAM GRANNIES		11/02/2021		
SAMPLE	SIZE	PRESSURE		ACID/PLATE	SUGAR	
	(Diameter. mm)	(side a)	(side b)		(oBrix)	
1	70.0	7.5	9.0	1.5	10.0	
2	71.0	8.5	9.0	1.5	9.0	
3	70.0	10.0	10.5	1.0	10.0	
4	69.0	9.5	10.0	1.0	10.0	
5	67.0	9.0	9.5	1.5	9.0	
6	71.0	10.0	10.0	1.0	10.0	
7	71.0	10.0	10.0	1.0	10.5	
8	67.0	9.5	9.5	1.5	10.0	
9	68.0	11.0	11.0	1.0	11.0	
10	75.0	8.0	8.0	1.0	10.0	
AVG	69.9	9.5		1.2	10.0	
ALL BLOCKS	69.9	9.5		1.2	10.0	

STORAGE TERM	LIMIT	STARCH RANGE		SUGAR RANGE		PRESSURE RANGE		STORAGE
		MIN PLATE	MAX PLATE	MIN BRIX	MAX BRIX	MIN KG	MAX KG	
LONG	FEBRUARY	2.0	3.0	10.0	16.0	7.0	9.0	DO NOT STORE
MEDIUM	NOVEMBER	3.0	4.0	10.5	16.0	6.6	8.8	DO NOT STORE
SHORT	SEPTEMBER	4.0	5.0	11.4	16.0	6.6	8.5	DO NOT STORE
MINIMAL	6 WEEKS			13.0		6.5	8.5	DO NOT STORE



ORCHARDIST		BLOCK / VARIETY		DATE		COMMENTS
ARDMONA GRANNIES		ARDMONA GRANNIES		12/02/2021		
SAMPLE	SIZE	PRESSURE		ACID/PLATE	SUGAR	
	(Diameter. mm)	(side a)	(side b)		(oBrix)	
1	68.0	9.5	9.5	1.0	11.0	
2	64.0	9.5	10.0	1.0	10.5	
3	72.0	9.0	10.0	1.0	11.0	
4	67.0	9.5	9.5	1.0	11.0	
5	63.0	10.0	10.0	1.0	10.5	
6	61.0	10.0	10.0	1.0	11.0	
7	63.0	10.0	10.0	1.0	10.5	
8	64.0	10.0	10.0	1.0	11.0	
9	65.0	9.5	10.0	1.0	11.0	
10	65.0	10.0	10.0	1.0	11.0	
AVG	65.2	9.8		1.0	10.9	
ALL BLOCKS	66.6	9.4		1.0	10.2	

STORAGE TERM	LIMIT	STARCH RANGE		SUGAR RANGE		PRESSURE RANGE		STORAGE
		MIN PLATE	MAX PLATE	MIN BRIX	MAX BRIX	MIN KG	MAX KG	
LONG	FEBRUARY	2.0	3.0	10.0	16.0	7.0	9.0	DO NOT STORE
MEDIUM	NOVEMBER	3.0	4.0	10.5	16.0	6.6	8.8	DO NOT STORE
SHORT	SEPTEMBER	4.0	5.0	11.4	16.0	6.6	8.5	DO NOT STORE
MINIMAL	6 WEEKS			13.0		6.5	8.5	DO NOT STORE



ORCHARDIST		BLOCK / VARIETY		DATE		COMMENTS
SHEPP EAST GRANNIES		SHEPP EAST GRANNIES		12/02/2021		
SAMPLE	SIZE	PRESSURE		ACID/PLATE	SUGAR	
	(Diameter. mm)	(side a)	(side b)		(oBrix)	
1	63.0	10.0	10.0	1.0	9.0	
2	69.0	9.0	9.0	1.0	9.0	
3	69.0	9.0	9.0	1.0	9.0	
4	70.0	9.0	9.5	1.0	9.0	
5	63.0	9.5	10.0	1.0	9.0	
6	61.0	9.5	9.5	1.0	9.0	
7	64.0	9.0	10.0	1.0	8.0	
8	65.0	9.0	9.0	1.0	8.0	
9	62.0	8.5	9.5	1.0	9.0	
10	62.0	9.0	9.0	1.0	9.0	
AVG	64.8	9.3		1.0	8.8	
ALL BLOCKS	66.6	9.4		1.0	10.2	

STORAGE TERM	LIMIT	STARCH RANGE		SUGAR RANGE		PRESSURE RANGE		STORAGE
		MIN PLATE	MAX PLATE	MIN BRIX	MAX BRIX	MIN KG	MAX KG	
LONG	FEBRUARY	2.0	3.0	10.0	16.0	7.0	9.0	DO NOT STORE
MEDIUM	NOVEMBER	3.0	4.0	10.5	16.0	6.6	8.8	DO NOT STORE
SHORT	SEPTEMBER	4.0	5.0	11.4	16.0	6.6	8.5	DO NOT STORE
MINIMAL	6 WEEKS			13.0		6.5	8.5	DO NOT STORE



ORCHARDIST		BLOCK / VARIETY		DATE		COMMENTS
KYABRAM GOLDEN DELS		KYABRAM GOLDEN DELS		11/02/2021		
SAMPLE	SIZE	PRESSURE		ACID/PLATE	SUGAR	
	(Diameter. mm)	(side a)	(side b)		(oBrix)	
1	72.0	7.5	8.5	2.0	11.0	
2	74.0	7.0	8.0	3.0	11.0	
3	73.0	7.0	9.0	2.0	12.0	
4	73.0	7.5	8.5	3.0	11.0	
5	71.0	8.0	7.5	1.5	12.0	
6	76.0	7.5	7.5	2.5	12.0	
7	69.0	7.0	7.0	3.0	11.0	
8	68.0	7.5	8.0	2.0	11.0	
9	71.0	7.5	7.5	3.0	11.0	
10	68.0	8.0	8.0	2.0	11.5	
AVG	71.5	7.7		2.4	11.4	
ALL BLOCKS	715	7.7		2.4	11.4	

STORAGE TERM	LIMIT	STARCH RANGE		SUGAR RANGE		PRESSURE RANGE		STORAGE
		MIN PLATE	MAX PLATE	MIN BRIX	MAX BRIX	MIN KG	MAX KG	
LONG	NOVEMBER	2.0	3.0	11.3	14.5	7.4	8.4	OK TO STORE
MEDIUM	SEPTEMBER	3.0	4.0	11.5	16.0	6.6	8.0	DO NOT STORE
SHORT	JULY	4.0	5.0	13.0	16.0	6.0	6.5	DO NOT STORE
MINIMAL	6 WEEKS			14.0		6.0	8.0	DO NOT STORE

