Kufri Kanchan

Morphological features

Canopy: Semi-compact

Stem : Red-purple with green pigment

highly scattered throughout

Leaflet : Ovate-lanceolate

Flower : Blue-violet

Tuber: Pink, ovoid with medium-deep

eyes and cream flesh

Sprout : Pink



Adaptability : North-Bengal hills and Sikkim

Maturity : Medium

Average yield potential : 250-300 q/ha

Storability : Good

Reaction to diseases/pests : Early blight – not tested

: Late blight – moderately resistant

: Charcoal rot – not tested

: Wart – immune

: Viruses – not tested

: Cyst nematodes – susceptible

Consumer and processing quality: Easy to cook, texture waxy, flavour mild,

free from after-cooking discoloration.

Special attributes : Slow rate of degeneration