

Miss Lilly™ (TH-948)



Blueberries

Blueberry type:	Southern Highbush
Released:	2016
Key attributes:	Miss Lilly™ ‘TH-948’ has large, firm, flavorful berries, concentrated ripening and a very upright growth habit. Candidate for machine harvest. Late flowering with a short ripening period.
Chilling Required:	Low chill (-400h < 7.2C)
Flowering:	Flower bud break May-June. PDF = 80 Days Flowers two weeks after Star.
Pollinator:	SH variety with similar flowering time.
Harvest:	Early to mid-season production: from September to October and has a compact harvesting season. Ripens with Star.
Plant Vigour:	Upright with good vigorous growth – plant more dense.
Yield:	Good (15 - 18 ton/ha) plant more plants/ha to compensate.
Berry size:	Very large size fruit (2–2.3g/berry), ranging between 14-25mm.
Fruit shape:	Round
Colour:	Medium blue to light blue
Bloom:	Strong; light blue
Picking Scar:	Small dry scar





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- Firmness:** Firm with good shelf life, similar to Star.
- Flavour:** Crisp with good brix & flavour, average acidity. Ave brix 12.5.
- Disease:** Little rust has been observed. A little anthracnose on fruit has been recorded. No Botryosphaeria spp. have been found.
- Licensed Countries:** Zimbabwe, Zambia, Namibia, Botswana, Swaziland, Lesotho, Mozambique, Angola, Tanzania, Kenia, Malawi, South Africa, Uganda, Rwanda, Burundi.

Comparitive Results *

Star	Georgia Dawn	Miss Jackie	Miss Alice Mae	Miss Lilly
Yield (Kg/bush)				
4,3	4,5	6,5	5,1	3,5
Berry wt (g/berry)				
1,6	1,7	1,7	1,8	2,3
Firmness (g/mm)				
196	175	168	197	182
Brix (%)				
13,7	13,9	12,7	14,7	12,2
* Over 4-5 year period				

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