

NEW PRODUCTS

ZONGA

ALKMENE x DELCORF

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- > Harvest time (Belgium): **mid August** (about 10 days before Delcorf)
- > Average size 65-85 mm, globose fruit
- > **Triploid** variety
- > Bright red, striped blush (50%) on a yellow-green background
- > Smooth skin
- > Delicate sour, slightly sweet taste
- > Very crisp and very juicy
- > Productive, low vigour



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At a glance...

> Firmness: 6.5 kg, Brix: 13 %, Acidity: 9.9 g/l, starch: 5.9

> Flowering time: 4 – 5 days before Golden. Triploid.
Pollinators: Malus Evereste, Professor Sprenger

> Low chilling requirement (600-800 chill units)

With a harvest time 10 days before Delcorf this is Better3fruit's earliest variety.

The apple bursts with flavour. The taste sensation is intensified by the very crisp and very juicy texture.

The storage capacity and shelf life is comparable to that of Delcorf, which is obviously very positive for such an early variety. It can be no surprise that Zonga has been very well received for direct marketing.

Zonga is not marketed under club-form. European growers can obtain Zonga freely from Carolus tree nursery (www.carolustrees.com). In Australia and New Zealand you can order trees through Giston Consulting Services.

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