



PLUM

# BLUE FROST® AZURA®

robust - productive - firm - storable



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## VARIETY DETAILS



**ORIGIN:** Dr. Walter Hartmann, Germany



**PARENTS:** 'Hanita' x 'Cacaks Schöne'



**GROWTH:** medium vigour, do not prune too much at the beginning, otherwise growth will be too steep and the harvest will be delayed



**HEALTHCHARACTER:** very robust variety with healthy wood and leaves, tolerant to plum pox virus, in case of infection only leaf symptoms, no fruit symptoms



**BLOSSOM:** early, partly self-fertile, pollinator recommended, a good pollinator is 'Jojo', for example



**RIPENESS:** mid-August (after 'Cacaks Schöne' and 'Hanita')



**APPEARANCE:** dark blue with very strong light blue wax bloom, oval, medium size 33 - 47 g, diameter from 36-42 mm,



**QUALITY:** firm fruits that can be transported and stored well, good stone detaching



**TASTECHARAKTER:** pleasant plum aroma, harmonious with fine acidity, 85 - 113 degrees Oechsle



**CROPYIELD:** comes into production somewhat later, but then bears well and regularly



**STORECHARACTER:** good



**SPECIAL NOTES:** early blue colouring of the fruit, do not harvest too early! Start harvesting about 10-14 days after blue colouring (when fruits are slightly loose), otherwise the acidity has not yet dissipated. Excellent dessert plum & very suitable for baking.

HAUSZWETSCHGE

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RIPENING TIME:



MONTH:

JULY

AUGUST

SEPTEMBER

OCTOBER

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