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**ORIGIN:** sport of Galaxy, France  
- Breeder: Valois / MFS  
- Licence holder: Valois / MFS

**PICKING DATE:** Gala (one month before Golden Delicious)

**FRUIT SIZE (mm):**



**BLOSSOM DATE:** mid season (as for Golden Delicious)

**POLLINATED BY:**

- Braeburn, Granny Smith, Cox, Fuji, Golden Delicious, Idared or any other diploid variety with the same blossom date
- Malus Golden Gem, Malus INRA® Baugene®

**POLLINATOR FOR:** Bramley, Cox

**TREE TYPE:** type III (Golden Delicious)

**GROWTH:** average

**PRODUCTIVITY:**

- Time till first cropping: rapid
- Yields: good
- Susceptibility to alternate bearing: low



## GALAVAL



**SUSCEPTIBILITY / RESISTANCE TO DISEASES:**

Susceptible to scab and canker

**FRUIT:**

- Skin: intensive red colour with stripes; excellent colour level (redder than Buckeye® Gala Simmons)
- Flesh: crisp and juicy
- Taste: sweet

**STORAGE:**

- Cold storage: December
- CA storage: March

**USES:**

Interesting sport of Gala for areas where the conditions for colour are difficult, such as Southern Europe.

