

Information

Potato Trial Coupar Grange

Variety	Maris Piper
Plot size	16.5 sq.m.
SM6 Timing	First application tubers 25mm, second 14 days later, with the objective of increasing tuber size/weight.

Treatments	Tuber Nos	Yield(kg) 45mm +	%
1. Untreated	972	89.5	100
2. Nutriphite 1.5 lt Nutriphite 1.5 lt	982	90.5	101.1
3. SM6 2.8 lt SM6 2.8 lt	973	93.3	104.2
4. Yield Plus 1.5 lt Cropset 0.6 lt Nutrel 5 lt Bittersaltz 5 kg Smart Mn 2.0 lt	972	92.3	103.1

Result.

As expected with a late treatment such as this the **SM6** did not increase tuber numbers, but neither did the other two treatments. Although none of the treatment differences were statistically significant, there was a clear trend for **SM6** to improve marketable yield.