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COMMENTS ON THE WORKING PAPER
ON THE TEST GUIDELINES FOR CELERIAC (TWV/34/2)

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Characteristic 1 Plant height :

BOULE DE MARBRE 7

Characteristic 3 Plant : number of leaves

Proposal to delete : difficult to assess , too much influenced by vigor and plant quality

Characteristic 11 Petiole : anthocyanin coloration

NEVE 1
GEANT DANOIS 9

Characteristic 14 Leaflet : density of incisions of margin

low can be named 'sparse' as drawing
high can be named 'dense' as drawing

Characteristic 16 Tuber : size

DES MARAICHERS 5
NEVE 7

Characteristic 17 Tuber : protrusion

BOULE DE MARBRE 7

Characteristic 18 Tuber : grooving of surface

Drawing or explanation is needed ? Does it means protubérances on Tuber surface ?

Characteristic 19 Tuber : ground color of skin

NEVE 1
DES MARAICHERS 9

Characteristic 22 : Tuber : mass of roots

Does it means quantity of roots ?
Difficult to assess

. p 12 : Ad. 14 to harmonise with list of characteristics

. p13 :

Ad. 15, lobes

Ad. 17 , drawing to clear

. p 14 :

Ad. 23 : replace by 24

. p15 , characteristic to be named

. Technical questionnaire :

Add : . 21 Tuber inseration of roots
and HF1

Good splitting between OP and new OP

. 25 Color of flesh

Good for grouping

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