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Twenty-one trials were conducted in eight states and one Canadian province. Seventeen named varieties and 26 numbered clones were available to the cooperators (Table 1). Seed for all clones and varieties was grown by the University of Maine at Aroostook Research Farm. Seedpieces were prepared, cut, and suberized by the staff at the University of Maine Agricultural and Forest Experiment Station in Presque Isle, Maine. Cultural practices were generally similar to those used by commercial growers near each location.

## OBJECTIVES

The objectives of this regional project are (1) to develop pest-resistant, early-maturing, long-dormant varieties that will process from cold storage; (2) to evaluate new and specialty varieties developed in the Northeast; (3) to determine climatic effects on performance to develop predictive models for potato improvement; and (4) determine heritability/linkage relationships and improve the genetic base of tetraploid cultivated varieties.

## RESULTS

Total yield, marketable yield, specific gravity, tuber size, tuber defects, chip color results, boil and bake results are presented in East Region Trial Tables 2 to 7.

### Round whites

For round whites, B1240-1, NY125, NY126, and NY127 had the highest total yields (Table 2). Aquilon, Snowden, B1240-1, and NY126 were the only clones in the 2003 regional trials that had US#1 yields equaling or exceeding those of Atlantic (Tables 3 and 6). On a site-by-site basis these respective varieties had US#1 yields averaging 116%, 100%, 111%, and 112% those of Atlantic. AF1569-2 also provided relatively high marketable yields (average of 90% or better over locations compared to Atlantic on a site-by-site basis). Specific gravities of Aquillon, Snowden, AF1455-20, AF2207-4, and AF2215-1 were close to or greater than Atlantic at comparable sites (Tables 4 and 6). AF1758-7 had an average specific gravity below 1.070. Atlantic, Katahdin, Kennebec, AC Sunbury, Yukon Gold, AF1455-20, AF1569-2, AF1758-7, B1240-1, B1826-1, NY126, and SC8801-2 sized well in most trials (Tables 5 and 6). Aquilon, Atlantic, Snowden, AF2215-1, AF2222-2, B1826-1, NY126 and NY128 chipped

well in most 2003 tests. In addition to these lines, AF1455-20, AF1569-2, AF1938-3, AF2115-1, AF2207-4, B1240-1, B1806-8 NY120, NY125, and NY127 produced good chips out of the field. Envol, Katahdin, AF1758-7, AF2115-1, B1806-8, NY125, and NY126 scored well in boiling tests. Envol, Katahdin, Kennebec, Superior, AF1569-2, AF1758-7, and AF1938-3 scored well in baking tests (Table 6).

Most of the white clones had a high incidence of external defects during 2003 and 13 of 26 had more than 10% external defects (Table 7). Clones with low external defects incidence (less than 8%) were Atlantic, Envol, Snowden, AC Sunbury, Superior, AF2222-2, NY120, NY125, NY126, and NY128. Atlantic, Snowden, Yukon Gold, AF2207-4, AF2222-2, B1240-1, and B1806-8 had high incidence of hollow heart. Aquilon, Atlantic, Katahdin, AC Sunbury, and AF2115-1 had high incidence of internal necrosis. Snowden, AF1758-7, B1240-1, B1826-1, and NY127 also had high levels of vascular discoloration.

### Reds

AC Red Island, Roselys, NDTX731-1R, and NY129 had US#1 yields that were comparable to Chieftain (Table 6). NDTX731-1R had the best overall appearance ratings of this group and had relatively low incidence of internal and external defects (Table 7). NY129 also had acceptable appearance and low defects incidence, but was not quite as pretty as NDTX731-1R. Roselys has a very unusual pale pink color. AC Red Island has a dark red, netted skin, and oblong tubers. It had high incidence of internal necrosis during 2003. Considering all attributes, NDTX731-1R was the best new red in the trials.

### Russets

AF1753-16 had very high total yields, while A9014-2, A90586-11, and ATX84706-2Ru had the highest average US#1 yields (Tables 2 and 3). A9014-2, A90586-11, AF1753-16, and ATX84706-2Ru had US#1 yields equaling or exceeding those of Russet Norkotah (Tables 3 and 6). On a site-by-site basis these respective varieties had US#1 yields averaging 113%, 107%, 101%, and 128% those of Russet Norkotah. Specific gravities of Shepody, A9014-2, A90586-11, and AF1753-16 exceeded 1.080 (Table 4). Shepody, AF1753-16, and ATX84706-2Ru had very large tuber size (Tables 5 and 6). Russet Burbank, A9014-2, and

AF2133-17 had good tuber appearance (Table 6). None of the russets received outstanding boiled quality scores during 2003, while A9014-2 received good baked quality scores (Table 6).

Russet Norkotah, A9014-2, A90586-11, AF1866-8, and AF2133-17 had less than 15% external defects (Table 7). Russet Burbank, Shepody, A9014-2, AF1753-16, and AF1808-18 had more than 5% hollow heart during 2003. None of the lines had any substantial incidence of internal necrosis or vascular discoloration during 2003.

### Promising 2003 Clones

Aquilon is a nice chipping variety for areas where internal heat necrosis does not cause problems. AF1758-7 completed eastern regional testing during 2003 and is promising as a scab-resistant, fresh market clone in areas with cool growing conditions. B1240-1 has shown promise for out-of-field chipping, but it is very late maturing and has not chipped consistently from storage. It has also varied widely in external and internal defects. NY126 showed very good promise for dual-purpose chipping and fresh use during 2003. NDTX731-1R was the most promising red-skinned clone. AF1753-16 was recently released as a french fry variety. A9014-2 and A90586-11 were promising russet/long-white clones based on 2003 results. Several additional red-, russet-, and white-skinned clones showed promise during 2003, but will require another year of testing before making decisions on commercialization potential.

East Region Trial Table 1. General characteristics and known disease resistance for 17 named varieties and 26 numbered clones grown at 21 locations in the Eastern United States and Eastern Canada.

Clone <sup>1</sup>	Pedigree	Skin Color <sup>2</sup>	Skin Text. <sup>3</sup>	Flesh Color <sup>4</sup>	Tuber Shape <sup>5</sup>	Utilization <sup>6</sup>	Known Disease Tolerance or Resistance	
							Resistant	Moderate Resistance
<b>Round Whites</b>								
Aquilon	Hudson x Campbell 13	BuWh	SN	Wh	RO	Chip/Table	CS	PSc
Atlantic	Waseon x Lenape	BuWh	N	OW	R	Chip	GN, NN, PVA, PVX,	CS, VW, EB, Bwlt
Envol	F68123 x Simcoe	BuWh	S	Wh	RO	Table		
Katahdin	40658 x 24642	White	S	Wh	RO	Table	PVA	NN, VW, EB, Bleg, PVS, PVX, PVY
Kennebec	B127 x X(95-96)	White	S	Wh	O	Table	NN, PVA, PVY	Bleg, PVS, PVX, LB, EB, Wart
Snowden	B5141-6 x Wischp	BuTan	N	OW	R	Chip	EB	
Sunbury, AC	Raritan x Agitato	BuYI	S	YF1	OR	Table	GN, PVY	
Superior	X(96-56) x N59.44	BuWh	SN	OW	RO	Table	CS, NN	
Yukon Gold	W5279-4 x Norgleam	BuYI	S	YF1	RO	Table	PLRV, PVA	
AF1455-20	AF988-2 OP	BuWh	SN	OW	R	Table/Chip	GN, NN, PVY, PLRV	VW, PSc, EB, Fus
AF1569-2	Portage x Sunrise	BuWh	SN	Wh	RO	Table	NN	PSc, Fus
AF1758-7	AF303-5 x CF7608-19	BuWh	SN	Wh	RO	Table	GN, NN, CS, CRS	VW, PSc
AF1938-3	Somerset x AF1321-1	BuWh	S	Wh	RO	Table	GN, NN	
AF2115-1	Goldrus x Penobscot	White	S	Wh	O	Table/Chip	NN	ASC
AF2207-4	AF637-1 x AF879-18	BuWh	SN	Wh	OR	Chip	GN, NN	VW
AF2215-1	MaineChip x Atlantic	BuWh	SN	OW	RO	Chip	NN	
AF2222-2	SC8805-12 x ND860-2	White	S	OW	R	Table/Chip	NN	PSc
B1240-1	B0172-22 x B0186-3	BuTan	SN	OW	RO	Table/Chip	GN, PVS	LB, EB
B1806-8	B0925-4 x B0809-10	BuYI	S	YF1	OR	Table/Chip		
B1826-1	B1110-10 x B0807-2	White	S	Wh	OR	Table/Chip	GN	
NY120	Kanona x AF186-2	BuTan	N	Wh	R	Table/Chip	GN	CS, PSc
NY125	Keuka Gold x Genesee	BuYI	SN	YF½	RO	Table	GN	CS
NY126	Keuka Gold x Pike	BuYI	SN	YF2	OR	Table/Chip	GN, CS	
NY127	Q237-8 x Pike	White	S	OW	R	Table	GN, Ro2	
NY128	NY121 x Pike	BuWh	SN	OW	R	Chip	GN, Ro2	LB
SC8801-2	Abnaki x SA8207-3	BuWh	S	Wh	O	Table	NN, PLRV	CS
<b>Red Clones</b>								
Brise du Nord	Trent x Chieftain	RD1	S	Wh	OR	Table	VW, EB	
Chieftain	La1027-18 x La1354	RD2	S	Wh	RO	Table	NN, CS, VW, RZ, LB	
Dk Rd Norland	Redkote x ND626	RD3	S	Wh	RO	Table	PVA CS, PSc, RZ, Wart	
Red Island, AC	Brigus x Redson	RD6	SN	YF½	OR	Table	Wart	CS, PSc, LB

## East Region Trial Table 1. Continued.

Clone <sup>1</sup>	Pedigree	Skin Color <sup>2</sup>	Skin Text. <sup>3</sup>	Flesh Color <sup>4</sup>	Tuber Shape <sup>5</sup>	Utilization <sup>6</sup>	Known Disease Tolerance or Resistance	
							Resistant	Moderate Resistance
Roselys	Belchip x Norland	Pink	S	Wh	RO	Table	VW, RZ	
NDTX731-1R	ND169-10R x ND9476-5R	RD5	SN	Wh	R	Table		
NY129	N38-1 x ND2225-1R	RD4	SN	Wh	R	Table	GN, CS	
<b>Russets/Long Whites</b>								
R Burbank	Sport of Burbank	LtBr	Ru1	Wh	L	Table/Proc.	CS, Bleg	PSc, EB
R Norkotah	ND9687-5 x ND9526-4	Brown	Ru2	OW	OL	Table	CS	PSc, PLRV
Shepody	Bakeking x F58050	White	S	Wh	L	Processing	EB, RZ	
A9014-2	Gem Russet x A8341-5	LtBr	Ru2	Wh	OL	Table/Proc.	CS	CS, PSc, VW, EB, CRS
A90586-11	KSA195-90 x Ranger Russet	BuWh	SN	OW	OL	Processing	VW, CRS, PVX	LB, EB
AF1753-16	CS7981-7 x CF7608-19	Tan	N	Wh	L	Processing	NN, VW	
AF1808-18	AF1367-13 OP	Brown	Ru2	OW	OL	Table/Proc.	NN	VW, ASc, PSc
AF1866-8	(AF1166-4 x CS79123) x AF235-5	Brown	Ru2	Wh	O	Table	NN	PSc
AF2133-17	AF522-5 x CS79123-12	Brown	Ru2	Wh	OL	Table	GN, NN	PSc
ATX84706-2Ru	A7938-1 x COA7906-5	BuTan	SN	OW	OL	Processing		

<sup>1</sup>Origin of numbered clones: A = USDA-ARS Aberdeen, ID and U. of ID; AF, SC = U. of Maine, Aroostook Research Farm, Presque Isle; TX = cross by USDA-ARS Aberdeen, ID, but selected by Texas A&M, College Station; B = USDA-ARS Beltsville, MD; NDTX = cross by North Dakota potato breeding program, but selected by Texas A&M, College Station; NY = Cornell University, Ithaca, NY.

<sup>2</sup>Skin color varies with growing conditions. This information reflects general performance and should not be used to predict exact results for a specific location or growing season. This table summarizes 2003 subjective ratings from four representative locations (ME, NJ, NY, NC), where: BuWh = buff to white; BuYl = buff to yellow; BuTan = buff to tan; RD = red (number scale: 1 = pale red; 2 = light to medium red; 3 = medium red; 4 = medium to deep red; 5 = deep red; 6 = dark red, sometimes too dull); LtBr = light brown.

<sup>3</sup>See cautions in footnote #2. This table summarizes 2003 subjective ratings from four representative locations (ME, NJ, NY, NC), where: S = smooth; SN = slight net; N = netted; Ru = russeted (1 = light; 2 = moderate; 3 = heavy).

<sup>4</sup>See cautions in footnote #2. This table summarizes 2003 subjective ratings from Maine, where: Wh = white; OW = off white; YF = yellow (½ = cream to very pale yellow; 1 = pale yellow; 2 = moderate yellow; 3 = bright yellow).

<sup>5</sup>See cautions in footnote #2. This table summarizes cumulative subjective ratings from all NE1014 locations, where: R = mostly round; RO = round to oblong; OR = oblong to round; O = oblong; OL = oblong to long; L = long. See Table 6 for numerical summary.

<sup>6</sup>Expected utilization is based on commercial experience and/or currently available research results, where processing = french fry processing.

<sup>7</sup>Known disease resistance is based on commercial experience and/or currently available research results. In some cases, disease resistance screening is in very early stages. In many cases, disease incidence can vary dramatically depending on the strain of the plant pathogen that is present. Key to codes: NN = tuber net necrosis; GN = golden nematode, race Ro1; Ro2 = golden nematode, race Ro2; CS = common scab; VW = verticillium wilt; LB = late blight; EB = early blight; PSc = powdery scab; ASc = acid scab; RZ = Rhizoctonia; Fus = Fusarium dry rot; PVA = potato virus A; PVX = potato virus X; PVS = potato virus S; PLRV = potato leafroll virus; CRS = corky ringspot virus; BWL = southern bacterial wilt; Bleg = blackleg; Wart = wart.

East Region Trial Table 2. Total yields (cwt/acre) for 17 named varieties and 26 numbered clones grown at 21 locations in the Eastern United States and Eastern Canada.

Clone	ME1 <sup>1</sup>	ME2 <sup>1</sup>	ME3 <sup>1</sup>	FL	NC	NJ1 <sup>2</sup>	NJ2 <sup>2</sup>	NY1 <sup>3</sup>	NY2 <sup>3</sup>	NY3 <sup>3</sup>	NY4 <sup>3</sup>	NY5 <sup>3</sup>	OH	PA1 <sup>4</sup>	PA2 <sup>4</sup>	PA3 <sup>4</sup>	PA4 <sup>4</sup>	PA5 <sup>4</sup>	QC1 <sup>5</sup>	QC2 <sup>5</sup>	VA	Mean			
<b>Round Whites</b>																									
Aquilon	292	444	519											202									364		
Atlantic	330	376	433	537	240	404	511	517	469	317	386	346	248	359	636	468	339	272	356	451	330	403			
Envol	249			420										281	395	646	572	330	194	177	321	223	283		
Katahdin	321	337	366		198	373	495	445	466					303									376		
Kennebec	350	465	433		216	500	532	406															379		
Snowden	282	384	446	501	259					489	343	497	401	274									205		
Sunbury, AC	282		284	340	204	293	339	342	385					270	367								205		
Superior	277	286	439		215	395	430	410	420	155				192	314								292		
Yukon Gold	335	346	343	416	225	293	375	339	426					280	359	688								322	
AF1455-20	280	345	357		169					377	331													354	
AF1569-2	236	269	393		235					504	473			281	380	612	566							322	
AF1758-7	355	230	301							430	202			192	316			316						388	
AF1938-3										405				244										293	
AF2115-1	313	321	367	424	214					410				281	394									308	
AF2207-4	241	317	388		171	396				329	411			300	293			521	275					339	
AF2215-1	268	344			203	390				409				190	390			363						318	
AF2222-2	261	255	290	438	179	269				378				308	299			503						348	
B1240-1	392	402	323		216	400	551	518	474	396	403	478	276	385	745	839	548	318						319	
B1806-8	313	371			246	404	462							243	422									333	
B1826-1	354	362				456				448	343			280	361									356	
NY120	289	310	444	404	229	397	432	426	276	362	255	270												339	
NY125	369	434			239					629	403			265	476			601	583	371	217				415
NY126	332	441	433	455	236	391	479	476		357				304	475	654	657	405	209	520		485	321	424	
NY127	373	433	666	198	427					571	348			291	526	699	747	456	195	356	461	388	446		
NY128	278	408			490	239	362			470	454	328	387	254	519	670	676	395	277	305	508	299	407		
SC8801-2	386				427																229	461		376	

East Region Trial Table 2. Continued.

Clone	ME1 <sup>1</sup>	ME2 <sup>1</sup>	ME3 <sup>1</sup>	FL	NC	NJ1 <sup>2</sup>	NJ2 <sup>2</sup>	NY1 <sup>3</sup>	NY2 <sup>3</sup>	NY3 <sup>3</sup>	NY4 <sup>3</sup>	NY5 <sup>3</sup>	OH	PA1 <sup>4</sup>	PA2 <sup>4</sup>	PA3 <sup>4</sup>	PA4 <sup>4</sup>	PA5 <sup>4</sup>	QC1 <sup>5</sup>	QC2 <sup>5</sup>	VA	Mean		
<b>Red Clones</b>																								
Brise du Nord	264		534																					330
Chieftain	334		396	445	217	391	500	395	484	336													428	
Dk Rd Norland	271		313	360	207	286	365	321	414	248													375	
Red Island, AC	308		470	473	245	338	532	400															316	
Roselys	308		421																				370	
NDTX731-1R	333		351	473	261	333	463																372	
NY129	346		402	460	247	284	459																351	
<b>Russets/Long Whites</b>																								367
R Burbank	273		270	371		372	554		425															351
R Norkotah	280		363	400		384	377		387															355
Sherody	358		381																					351
A9014-2	337		261	424		324	508																	351
A90586-11	372		342			382	481																	351
AF1753-16	399		503	582	221																			351
AF1808-18	282		278	383		245	268		391															351
AF1866-8	237		312																					351
AF2133-17	273		266			257	293																	351
ATX84706-2Ru	352		377	431	227	440	527																	351

<sup>1</sup>Trials were conducted in three Maine locations, Presque Isle (ME1), Exeter (ME2), and St. Agatha (ME3).<sup>2</sup>The two trial locations for New Jersey were Upper Deerfield main-season trial (NJ1) and Pittstown late-season trial (NJ2).<sup>3</sup>The five trial locations in New York were Riverhead, Long Island (NY1), Freeville (NY2), Wayne County, muck soil (NY3), Steuben County (NY4), Wyoming County (NY5).<sup>4</sup>There were five trial locations in Pennsylvania [Rock Springs (PA1), Lehigh County (PA2), Lancaster County (PA3), Somerset County (PA4), and Erie County (PA5)].<sup>5</sup>The two Quebec trials were Rawdon (QC1) and Louisville (QC2).

Additional note: Some states (ME, NY) had several clones tested in two or more trials per location. For these states, means are presented by location rather than by trial.

**East Region Trial Table 3. Marketable yields (cwt/acre) for 17 named varieties and 26 numbered clones grown at 21 locations in the Eastern United States and Eastern Canada.**

East Region Trial Table 3. Continued.

Clone	ME1 <sup>1</sup>	ME2 <sup>1</sup>	ME3 <sup>1</sup>	FL	NC	NJ1 <sup>2</sup>	NJ2 <sup>2</sup>	NY1 <sup>3</sup>	NY2 <sup>3</sup>	NY3 <sup>3</sup>	NY4 <sup>3</sup>	NY5 <sup>3</sup>	OH	PA1 <sup>4</sup>	PA2 <sup>4</sup>	PA3 <sup>4</sup>	PA4 <sup>4</sup>	PA5 <sup>4</sup>	QC1 <sup>5</sup>	QC2 <sup>5</sup>	VA	Mean	
<b>Red Clones</b>																							
Brise du Nord	240		442											133									272
Chieftain	273		367	384	168	339	433	362	400	249				207	206							309	388
DR Norland	242		258	252	135	254	311	273	369	164				179	164							327	348
Red Island, AC	274		417	410	177	241	459	362						222								214	373
Roselys	288		360																			337	366
NDTX731-1R	302		319	427	217	267	430	458	286					210	147							291	338
NY129	318		378	384	206	251	427	465	293					179								177	382
<b>Russets/Long Whites</b>																							
R Burbank	241		216	168		372	120	271														156	240
R Norkotah	263		346	242		249	252	314						119									223
Shepody	244		262					289						140									240
A9014-2	306		243	319		238	399							182								213	258
A90586-11	326		294			245	338	343						141								288	331
AF1753-16	240		297	382	95									81								218	280
AF1808-18	219		249	267		136	186	285						69								199	257
AF1866-8	177		250											80								180	276
AF2133-17	230		217			177	204							104								68	182
ATX84706-2Ru	253		260	320	163	400	479							113								215	288

<sup>1</sup>Trials were conducted in three Maine locations, Presque Isle (ME1), Exeter (ME2), and St. Agatha (ME3).<sup>2</sup>The two trial locations for New Jersey were Upper Deerfield main-season trial (NJ1) and Pittstown late-season trial (NJ2).<sup>3</sup>The five trial locations in New York were Riverhead, Long Island (NY1), Freeville (NY2), Wayne County, muck soil (NY3), Steuben County (NY4), Wyoming County (NY5).<sup>4</sup>There were five trial locations in Pennsylvania (Rock Springs [PA1], Lehigh County [PA2], Lancaster County [PA3], Somerset County [PA4], and Erie County [PA5]).<sup>5</sup>The two Quebec trials were Rawdon (QC1) and Louisville (QC2).

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East Region Trial Table 4. Specific gravities (1.0 excluded) for 17 named varieties and 26 numbered clones grown at 21 locations in the Eastern United States and Eastern Canada.

East Region Trial Table 4. Continued.

Clone	ME1 <sup>1</sup>	ME2 <sup>1</sup>	ME3 <sup>1</sup>	FL	NC	NJ1 <sup>2</sup>	NJ2 <sup>2</sup>	NY1 <sup>3</sup>	NY2 <sup>3</sup>	NY3 <sup>3</sup>	NY4 <sup>3</sup>	NY5 <sup>3</sup>	OH	PA1 <sup>4</sup>	PA2 <sup>4</sup>	PA3 <sup>4</sup>	PA4 <sup>4</sup>	PA5 <sup>4</sup>	QC1 <sup>5</sup>	QC2 <sup>5</sup>	VA	Mean	
<b>Red Clones</b>																							
Brise du Nord	82			82																75			80
Chieftain	74			65	59	60	60	63	70	75	68									63	97		69
DR Norland	62			61	63	52	50	56	63	64	55									63	75		53
Red Island, AC	80			77	70	67	66	67	75											76			65
Roselys	75			79																76			71
NDTX731-1R	68			60	58	52	53	57												65			77
NY129	74			67	55	63	70	63												78	67		65
<b>Russets/Long Whites</b>																							
R Burbank	85			74	71			68		87										74			77
R Norkotah	81			75	62			64	70	77										67			73
Shepody	92			84							86									86			82
A9014-2	90			74	70			81	80										89			81	
A90586-11	96			83				82	77		93								88			80	
AF1753-16	96			85	68	77													88			83	
AF1808-18	91			80	71			75	68		86								74			86	
AF1866-8	61			70															74			68	
AF2133-17	78			75				71	67										82			80	
ATX84706-2Rus	84			75	63	68	70	70											81			76	
																				85			75

<sup>1</sup>Trials were conducted in three Maine locations, Presque Isle (ME1), Exeter (ME2), and St. Agatha (ME3).<sup>2</sup>The two trial locations for New Jersey were Upper Deerfield main-season trial (NJ1) and Pittstown late-season trial (NJ2).<sup>3</sup>The five trial locations in New York were Riverhead, Long Island (NY1), Freeville (NY2), Wayne County, muck soil (NY3), Steuben County (NY4), Wyoming County (NY5).<sup>4</sup>There were five trial locations in Pennsylvania (Rock Springs [PA1], Lehigh County [PA2], Lancaster County [PA3], Somerset County [PA4], and Erie County [PA5]).<sup>5</sup>The two Quebec trials were Rawdon (QC1) and Louisvillle (QC2).

Additional note: Some states (ME, NY) had several clones tested in two or more trials per location. For these states, means are presented by location rather than by trial.

**East Region Trial Table 5.** Percentage yield of tubers in the 2.5 to 4 inch size range for round whites and reds and russets (greater than eight ounces at most locations) for 17 named varieties and 26 numbered clones grown at 21 locations in the Eastern United States and Eastern Canada.

East Region Trial Table 5. Continued.

Clone	ME1 <sup>1</sup>	ME2 <sup>1</sup>	ME3 <sup>1</sup>	FL	NC	NJ1 <sup>2</sup>	NJ2 <sup>2</sup>	NY1 <sup>3</sup>	NY2 <sup>3</sup>	NY3 <sup>3</sup>	NY4 <sup>3</sup>	NY5 <sup>3</sup>	OH	PA1 <sup>4</sup>	PA2 <sup>4</sup>	PA3 <sup>4</sup>	PA4 <sup>4</sup>	PA5 <sup>4</sup>	QC1 <sup>5</sup>	QC2 <sup>5</sup>	VA	Mean		
<b>Red Clones</b>																								
Brise du Nord	15		74																				45	
Chieftain	38		62	46	34	31	50	35	34														36	
DR Norland	16		27	8	34	6	38	14	25														23	
Red Island, AC	36		69	37	36	5	37	38															36	
Roselys	55		73																				55	
NDTX731-1R	23		54	54	45	14	54	61															36	
NY129	28		55	39	45	11	62	38															38	
<b>Russets/Long Whites</b>																								
R Burbank	25		29	1		22		21																19
R Norkotah	30		36	13		5	30	15																26
Shepody	49		62					51																47
A9014-2	42		48	13		5	49																	32
A90586-11	22		28			4	32		27															25
AF1753-16	47		57	25	8																			36
AF1808-18	49		43	16	0	44		30																29
AF1866-8	27		57																					32
AF2133-17	38		30			2	28																	25
ATX84706-2Rus	70		77	35	30	76	82																26	

<sup>1</sup>Trials were conducted in three Maine locations, Presque Isle (ME1), Exeter (ME2), and St. Agatha (ME3).<sup>2</sup>The two trial locations for New Jersey were Upper Deerfield main-season trial (NJ1) and Pittstown late-season trial (NJ2).<sup>3</sup>The five trial locations in New York were Riverhead, Long Island (NY1), Freeville (NY2), Wayne County, muck soil (NY3), Steuben County (NY4), Wyoming County (NY5).<sup>4</sup>There were five trial locations in Pennsylvania (Rock Springs [PA1], Lehigh County [PA2], Lancaster County [PA3], Somerset County [PA4], and Erie County [PA5]).<sup>5</sup>The two Quebec trials were Rawdon (QC1) and Louisville (QC2).

Additional note: Some states (ME, NY) had several clones tested in two or more trials per location. For these states, means are presented by location rather than by trial.

East Region Trial Table 6. Average (sites x years) US#1 yield, specific gravity, and tuber size distribution relative to standard varieties, tuber appearance and shape ratings, chip color, and boil scores for 17 named and 26 numbered round-white clones. Number of comparisons (sites x years) are in parentheses.

Variety	Year(s)	Comparison to Std <sup>1</sup>			Shape Rating <sup>3</sup>	Out of Field <sup>5</sup>	50–55°F Storage	45°F Storage	Reconditioned <sup>6</sup>	Boil Score <sup>7</sup>	Bake Score <sup>7</sup>
		US#1 % of std	Spec. Grav.	Size Distrib.							
<b>Round Whites</b>											
Aquilon	2003	116(3)	1(3)	-12(3)	6.0(4)	2.6(4)	0 0 0	6 0 0	4 0 0	2 3 0	0 0 0
Aquilon	3	97(20)	-2(19)	-13(18)	6.2(19)	2.8(19)	1 0 0	14 0 1	6 1 0	3 6 0	1 0 0
Atlantic	2003	100(24)	0(22)	0(21)	6.0(20)	2.0(18)	2 0 0	7 0 0	2 1 1	8 2 0	1 1 6
Atlantic	14	100(259)	0(255)	0(206)	6.3(233)	2.0(155)	33 21 6	72 19 20	19 7 18	36 17 10	25 13 23
Envol	2003	70(4)	-12(2)	-19(4)	5.9(5)	3.0(3)	0 0 0	0 0 3	0 0 0	0 0 1	2 0 0
Envol	3	72(22)	-10(18)	-10(22)	6.1(23)	3.3(19)	2 1 0	1 2 4	0 0 1	0 0 2	3 1 0
Katahdin	2003	89(15)	-19(15)	2(14)	6.2(14)	2.9(14)	0 0 0	0 0 6	0 0 4	0 0 5	4 0 0
Katahdin	14	94(179)	-15(168)	-2(140)	6.2(201)	2.7(115)	9 7 14	5 16 44	0 1 30	2 2 25	32 21 1
Kennebec	2003	78(8)	-18(8)	-4(8)	4.6(9)	5.2(9)	0 0 0	3 0 4	0 0 4	1 0 4	0 2 0
Kennebec	14	94(165)	-12(164)	0(130)	5.3(161)	4.4(88)	8 5 16	26 20 39	4 2 27	7 2 27	24 18 5
Snowden	2003	100(16)	-3(14)	-15(14)	5.0(13)	1.8(12)	2 0 0	7 2 0	2 1 1	7 1 0	0 2 2
Snowden	12	96(138)	-1(131)	-16(101)	5.8(138)	2.0(93)	31 3 1	53 12 9	17 5 5	30 5 2	9 9 11
Sunbury, AC	2003	71(11)	-8(9)	-2(11)	6.6(12)	3.4(10)	0 2 0	0 0 2	0 0 0	0 0 1	0 0 0
Superior	2003	84(13)	-14(11)	-9(12)	5.8(13)	3.4(11)	0 2 0	3 0 3	0 1 1	1 1 1	1 0 0
Superior	14	88(167)	-11(159)	-8(127)	6.0(202)	3.0(120)	23 14 18	21 21 31	1 5 22	2 6 16	29 17 6
Yukon Gold	2003	81(16)	-8(13)	-0(16)	6.5(16)	3.3(14)	0 0 0	0 0 6	0 0 2	0 1 2	2 1 1
Yukon Gold	14	84(122)	-7(112)	1(90)	6.6(128)	3.0(84)	4 1 4	5 11 36	0 1 14	0 2 14	19 10 2
AF1455-20	2003	86(8)	-2(8)	2(7)	5.2(8)	2.5(8)	1 0 0	2 2 1	0 1 3	0 2 2	0 1 1
AF1455-20	3	82(29)	-3(29)	-4(26)	5.4(28)	2.4(28)	5 0 0	4 5 4	0 3 5	3 4 4	2 1 1
AF1569-2	2003	98(10)	-20(10)	0(9)	5.8(10)	2.8(10)	2 0 0	2 1 2	0 0 3	0 0 4	0 1 1
AF1569-2	3	93(31)	-16(29)	-2(28)	6.1(30)	2.6(28)	4 0 0	4 3 5	0 0 7	1 1 7	1 1 1
AF1758-7	2003	74(7)	-27(7)	-4(6)	4.7(7)	3.1(7)	0 0 0	2 0 4	0 0 2	0 1 2	2 0 0
AF1758-7	4	89(39)	-26(35)	-5(33)	5.7(39)	2.9(34)	4 0 0	4 2 15	0 0 4	1 3 5	10 1 0
AF1938-3	2003	80(5)	-14(3)	-12(5)	5.8(5)	3.0(4)	3 0 0	1 0 1	0 0 2	1 1 1	0 0 0
AF1938-3	3	85(22)	-12(25)	-6(24)	5.8(25)	3.0(24)	9 0 0	4 0 6	0 0 5	3 2 4	1 2 0
AF2115-1	2003	80(10)	-8(8)	-9(10)	5.2(11)	4.0(9)	2 0 0	1 0 5	0 0 2	1 3 2	0 1 0
AF2207-4	2003	64(13)	3(11)	-26(13)	5.1(14)	3.7(12)	2 0 0	3 4 0	0 0 2	2 2 0	0 1 0
AF2215-1	2003	88(9)	-2(7)	-13(9)	5.2(10)	2.8(8)	1 0 0	6 0 0	1 1 0	2 2 0	0 1 0

East Region Trial Table 6. Continued.

Variety	Year(s)	Comparison to Std <sup>1</sup>			Chip Color <sup>4</sup>			Recon-ditioned <sup>6</sup>	Boil Score <sup>7</sup>	Bake Score <sup>7</sup>	
		US# <sup>1</sup>	% of std	Spec. Grav.	Size Distrib.	Appearance Rating <sup>2</sup>	Shape Rating <sup>3</sup>	Out of Field <sup>5</sup>	50-55°F Storage	45°F Storage	
AF2222-2	2003	70(11)	-10(9)	-29(11)	6.2(12)	1.9(10)	1 0 0	5 0 0	1 1 0	2 2 0	0 1 0
B1240-1	2003	111(19)	-7(17)	4(16)	5.9(16)	2.6(14)	2 0 0	6 0 3	1 2 1	3 1 2	0 1 1
B1240-1	3	108(49)	-6(45)	6(44)	6.0(45)	2.6(41)	10 0 0	17 2 5	4 2 5	6 4 4	1 1 1
B1806-8	2003	83(9)	-7(7)	-19(9)	6.1(10)	3.4(8)	3 0 0	0 1 2	0 0 1	0 2 1	1 0 0
B1826-1	2003	85(8)	-10(6)	3(7)	6.0(8)	3.5(6)	1 0 0	3 0 0	1 0 0	2 0 0	0 0 0
NY120	2003	87(14)	-10(12)	-28(11)	6.5(12)	1.7(10)	3 0 0	3 1 2	0 0 2	2 3 1	2 0 0
NY125	2003	86(12)	-16(10)	-18(11)	6.0(11)	3.2(9)	1 0 0	1 0 1	0 0 0	0 1 0	2 0 0
NY126	2003	112(17)	-9(15)	-1(16)	5.8(16)	3.4(14)	3 0 0	6 0 1	2 0 0	1 3 0	2 0 0
NY127	2003	88(15)	-18(13)	-12(14)	5.5(14)	2.0(12)	3 0 0	0 1 2	0 0 1	1 1 1	0 0 0
NY128	2003	87(17)	-7(15)	-19(14)	6.0(14)	1.9(12)	3 0 0	5 0 1	2 0 0	4 2 0	0 1 2
SC8801-2	2003	83(4)	-17(2)	7(4)	6.1(4)	5.0(2)	0 0 0	0 0 2	0 0 0	0 0 1	0 0 0
<b>Red Clones</b>											
Brise du Nord	2003	91(3)	14(3)	-4(3)	4.0(3)	4.3(3)	0 0 0	0 0 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	1 1 0
Brise du Nord	2	93(14)	14(14)	-9(13)	4.0(14)	3.8(14)	0 0 0	0 0 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	1 1 0
Chieftain	2003	100(14)	0(12)	0(12)	5.9(13)	3.0(11)	0 0 0	0 0 5	0 0 0	0 0 0	3 0 0
Chieftain	14	100(110)	0(101)	0(80)	6.0(98)	2.8(56)	1 0 2	0 3 22	0 0 3	0 1 2	18 2 1
Norland, Dk Red	2003	80(13)	-8(11)	-16(11)	6.3(13)	3.1(12)	0 0 0	1 0 2	0 0 0	0 0 0	1 0 0
Norland, Dk Red	11	76(81)	-5(73)	-17(71)	6.2(96)	3.0(67)	2 1 4	5 8 9	0 0 2	1 1 1	9 6 1
Red Island, AC	2003	98(10)	8(8)	-5(9)	6.0(11)	4.2(9)	0 0 0	0 1 1	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0
Roselys	2003	102(4)	10(2)	18(4)	6.0(4)	3.5(2)	0 0 0	0 0 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0
Roselys	2	106(15)	8(11)	19(15)	6.0(15)	3.2(11)	0 0 0	0 0 5	0 0 0	0 0 0	1 0 0
NDTX731-1R	2003	99(13)	-8(11)	-2(11)	6.4(13)	1.9(12)	0 0 0	0 3 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0
NY129	2003	98(12)	2(10)	-2(10)	6.1(12)	2.2(10)	0 0 0	0 0 4	0 0 0	0 0 0	3 0 0

East Region Trial Table 6. Continued.

Variety	Year(s)	Comparison to Std <sup>1</sup>			Shape Rating <sup>3</sup>	Out of Field <sup>5</sup>	Chip Color <sup>4</sup>		Reconditioned <sup>6</sup>	Boil Score <sup>7</sup>	Bake Score <sup>7</sup>
		US#1	% of std	Spec. Grav.			Size Distrib.	Appearance Rating <sup>2</sup>			
<b>Russets/Long Whites</b>											
Russet Burbank	2003	84(6)	4(5)	-5(6)	4.2(8)	7.0(5)	0	0	0	0	0
Russet Burbank	14	93(43)	7(36)	-6(31)	4.0(104)	7.4(53)	0	1	0	1	1
Russet Norkotah	2003	100(8)	0(8)	0(8)	6.2(7)	6.5(8)	0	0	4	0	0
Russet Norkotah	7	100(67)	0(61)	0(50)	6.4(60)	6.6(51)	0	0	0	1	0
Shepody	2003	94(4)	6(4)	23(4)	5.0(5)	6.8(4)	0	0	0	1	0
Shepody	7	96(35)	7(29)	19(24)	5.0(34)	7.0(22)	0	0	1	0	0
A9014-2	2003	113(6)	9(6)	6(6)	6.3(6)	6.7(7)	0	0	2	0	0
A9014-2	2	122(12)	10(12)	8(12)	6.0(12)	6.6(13)	0	0	0	1	0
A90586-11	2003	107(7)	11(7)	-1(6)	5.1(8)	6.9(7)	0	0	4	0	0
A90586-11	2	127(16)	13(14)	3(15)	5.5(17)	6.4(16)	0	0	0	1	0
AF1753-16	2003	101(4)	11(4)	13(4)	4.2(6)	6.7(5)	0	0	0	1	0
AF1753-16	3	94(16)	9(14)	20(14)	4.3(12)	6.8(15)	0	0	9	0	0
AF1808-18	2003	78(8)	6(8)	7(8)	5.5(9)	6.6(8)	0	0	0	1	0
AF1866-8	2003	69(3)	-8(3)	4(3)	5.1(4)	5.3(3)	0	0	0	1	0
AF2133-17	2003	73(6)	2(6)	-3(6)	6.0(7)	6.3(6)	0	0	1	0	0
AF2133-17	2	76(14)	0(12)	3(14)	6.0(15)	5.9(12)	0	0	1	1	0
ATX&4706-2Ru	2003	128(7)	3(7)	35(7)	5.8(9)	5.8(8)	0	0	3	0	0
ATX84706-2Ru	2	126(18)	3(16)	41(18)	5.7(20)	5.8(17)	0	0	4	1	0
							0	1	2	0	0
							0	0	3	0	2
							0	0	0	0	1

<sup>1</sup>Standard varieties were as follows: Atlantic was used as the standard for all whites; Chieftain was used for all reds; and Russet Norkotah was used for all russets and long-tuber-type clones.

All relative comparisons are calculated by location and then averaged over locations for presentation. US#1 data are the relative yield as a percentage of the standard. Specific gravity data (1.0 excluded) are the difference vs the standard (minus sign indicates lower specific gravity than the standard). Size distribution for whites and reds is the percentage of yield from 2½ to 4 inches in diameter and is expressed as the difference relative to the standard (minus sign indicates smaller tubers than standard). Size distribution for the russet and long varieties is calculated the same way, but is based on the percentage of yield consisting of tubers greater than 8 oz in weight.

<sup>2</sup>Average value from visual ratings using standard NE1014 rating codes where 1 = very poor appearance and 9 = excellent appearance.

<sup>3</sup>Average value from visual ratings using standard NE1014 rating codes where 1 = round, 5 = oblong, and 8 = long.

<sup>4</sup>From left-to-right, the number of trials with good, borderline, and poor chipping scores, respectively.

<sup>5</sup>Out of field samples were fried three to twelve days after harvest in New Jersey, North Carolina, Virginia, and the New York early maturity trial.

<sup>6</sup>Chips were reconditioned in Maine, Upstate New York, New Brunswick, and Ohio trials. Initial storage temperature ranged from 38 to 45° F

<sup>7</sup>From left-to-right, the scores are good, fair, and poor. Data are from Maine, New Brunswick, New York, Pennsylvania, and Ohio.

East Region Trial Table 7. Average (sites x years) percent tuber defects for 17 named and 26 numbered round-white clones. Number of comparisons (sites x years) are in parentheses.

## East Region Trial Table 7. Continued.

Variety	Year(s)	% External Tuber Defects			% Internal Tuber Defects <sup>2</sup>		
		Total <sup>1</sup>	Sun-burn	Mis-shapen	Growth cracks	Hollow Heart	Internal Necrosis
<b>Red Clones</b>							
Brise du Nord	2003	16.4(3)	0.5(2)	0.6(2)	3.6(2)	33.3(3)	0.0(1)
Brise du Nord	2	19.3(13)	1.7(8)	3.8(6)	7.7(8)	10.6(14)	2.0(11)
Chieftain	2003	6.3(13)	1.3(9)	1.6(9)	1.2(9)	0.0(14)	10.6(9)
Chieftain	14	6.7(65)	1.6(49)	1.4(51)	1.4(50)	0.6(81)	12.6(52)
Norland, Dk Red	2003	8.6(13)	1.1(8)	1.5(8)	1.9(8)	1.9(12)	0.5(10)
Norland, Dk Red	11	4.6(56)	1.1(39)	1.6(38)	1.2(30)	0.9(71)	0.8(59)
Red Island, AC	2003	8.8(11)	2.6(6)	1.8(6)	1.9(6)	0.6(9)	7.3(7)
Roselys	2003	4.9(4)	1.2(4)	0.6(4)	2.0(4)	2.5(2)	N/A
Roselys	2	12.1(12)	1.8(8)	2.1(8)	2.4(8)	0.5(10)	1.0(7)
NDTX731-1R	2003	7.6(13)	1.3(8)	2.8(8)	3.0(8)	0.2(12)	1.1(9)
NY129	2003	3.0(13)	0.8(8)	0.8(8)	1.0(8)	0.0(11)	1.3(8)
<b>Russets/Long Whites</b>							
Russet Burbank	2003	24.7(7)	0.3(6)	16.4(6)	1.6(6)	6.2(5)	0.0(4)
Russet Burbank	14	20.1(67)	1.3(61)	15.2(61)	1.2(57)	7.8(74)	8.2(35)
Russet Norkotah	2003	8.0(7)	1.2(4)	5.0(4)	0.4(4)	3.9(8)	1.6(6)
Russet Norkotah	7	8.9(39)	1.6(29)	4.5(29)	0.6(29)	4.4(49)	1.2(29)
Shepody	2003	23.3(5)	7.2(5)	11.9(5)	2.4(5)	10.8(4)	0.0(2)
Shepody	7	33.0(21)	7.4(20)	12.1(20)	0.8(20)	3.7(25)	1.8(10)
A9014-2	2003	7.8(8)	0.9(5)	3.4(5)	0.6(5)	9.6(6)	0.5(5)
A9014-2	2	9.5(14)	0.9(11)	5.1(11)	0.6(11)	8.3(11)	0.5(11)
A90586-11	2003	11.4(8)	5.0(5)	6.0(5)	0.6(5)	3.3(7)	1.0(5)
A90586-11	2	13.7(15)	5.9(8)	6.3(8)	0.7(8)	2.9(13)	0.8(10)
AF1753-16	2003	36.4(6)	8.2(5)	19.2(5)	5.1(5)	7.2(5)	0.0(3)
AF1753-16	3	43.4(15)	7.7(10)	16.4(10)	6.4(10)	3.1(14)	0.0(8)
AF1808-18	2003	17.5(9)	5.3(6)	6.2(6)	1.2(6)	5.1(8)	0.4(6)
AF1866-8	2003	14.2(4)	1.5(4)	6.3(4)	6.3(4)	2.5(3)	0.0(1)
AF2133-17	2003	10.0(7)	2.1(4)	4.2(4)	1.8(4)	0.4(6)	0.0(4)
AF2133-17	2	13.5(13)	1.4(8)	7.9(8)	0.9(8)	0.4(12)	0.0(8)
ATX84706-2Ru	2003	20.8(8)	2.5(5)	4.3(5)	14.1(5)	5.0(8)	1.1(6)
ATX84706-2Ru	2	22.0(17)	4.3(9)	4.8(9)	9.9(9)	3.2(16)	0.5(13)

<sup>1</sup>Total defects may contain defects (common scab, rot, etc.) other than the three categories listed in this table.

<sup>2</sup>Typically 30 to 40 tubers per clone are cut and examined for internal defects at each location. For most eastern test locations where internal necrosis is reported the specific internal defect being rated is internal heat necrosis (IHN).