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Crystal Lettuce

A frilly lettuce type with an iceberg bite!



Innovative new lettuce type

For hydroponics and plant factories



Crystal Lettuce: An innovative new lettuce type. Bred by Rijk Zwaan and now for the first time introduced to you. Crystal lettuce is a frilly open lettuce type with an iceberg bite.

With a sweet crunchy bite, Crystal lettuces have a high leaf count of robust leaves, with a light blister and a frilled margin. In internal testing Crystal lettuce has consistently performed well in taste tests and processability.



The frilliest iceberg of all



Food service applications

These decorative leaves are ideal for single loose-leaf food service applications such as sandwiches and burgers, and perform well in combination with both acidic and hot ingredients retaining their texture and crunch. This means that they are also suitable for the hot pot market.



Hydroponic production

- Crystal lettuce can be grown year round;
- Produces compact yet heavy heads;
- Is strong against hearting up, twisting and cracking.

These characteristics mean that this new type of lettuce is especially suited to hydroponic production, high intensity lit crops and plant factories.

