



# Malus domestica DELBARD

## ESTIVALE ('Delcorf')



<b>Height</b>	6-8 m
<b>Width</b>	6-8m
<b>Crown</b>	round/spherical, half open crown
<b>Bark and branches</b>	brown
<b>Leaf</b>	green
<b>Flowers</b>	white, flowers in April
<b>Fruits</b>	edible fruits, greenish yellow, orange, red
<b>Spines/thorns</b>	None
<b>Toxicity</b>	usually not toxic to people, (large) pets and livestock
<b>Soil type</b>	clayed soil, loamy soil, sandy soil, acid soil
<b>Paving</b>	tolerates no paving
<b>Winter hardiness zone</b>	6 (-23,3 to -17,8 °C)
<b>Wind resistance</b>	good, susceptible to sea wind
<b>Other resistances</b>	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6), can withstand wind
<b>Fauna tree</b>	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6), can withstand wind, provides food for birds
<b>Application</b>	small gardens, patio gardens
<b>Shape</b>	multi-stem treem, clearstem fruit tree, halfstem fruit tree, espalier fruit tree

Delbard Estivale is an apple variety from France, specially selected to serve as a hand apple or storage apple. Forms a medium-sized tree to about 7-9 m tall with a semi-open, round, eventually flattened spherical crown. The white blossom is an additional ornamental feature in April. The apples ripen around August and September and keep well. They are large and round to broadly conical in shape. The colour is greenish-yellow, with a substantial orange-red blush or stripes. The flesh is firm and distinctly juicy. The flavour is fresh sweet-sour and very aromatic. Excellent hand apple. Hardiness zone 6.