

ABSTRACT: Male Asparagus Hybrid Named ‘M256’

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‘M256’ is a new and distinct male *asparagus* hybrid that is used to produce *asparagus* cultivars that have commercially desirable traits. ‘M256’ can be distinguished from the closest varieties known to the inventor by its ability to produce offspring that have a higher proportion of marketable spears with tightly appressed bracts, and a significantly higher total yield when yields are added over several years. The variety is further distinguished by its ability confer early spear emergence to its progeny.

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