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Majoret Green Field Pea

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Majoret green field pea was developed by Svalof Weibull of Svalof, Sweden. Breeders seed is maintained by Svalof and ProGene L.L.C. of Othello, Washington, U.S.A. ProGene is representative of the variety in the United States west of the Rocky Mountains. Majoret was first evaluated in North Idaho replicated trials in 1995.

Majoret characteristics noted during the selection process in North Idaho are:

- a. A semi-leafless or afilia variety
- b. Mid season + maturity for the dryland regions of Eastern Washington and N. Idaho
- c. Begins bloom on node 15 to 16
- d. Majoret is not resistant to Wilt Race 1
- e. Majoret is intermediate as far as indeterminance is concerned. Height of Majoret in the 1997 dryland trials was 26 inches compared to Columbian at 51 inches and Karita at 29 inches
- f. Majoret has consistent round green seed of about 220 gm/1,000 seeds
- g. White flowers are predominantly double podded
- h. Plants are of medium green color
- i. Plants stay quite upright clear through harvest

In Western U.S. early generation stock seed is maintained by ProGene L.L.C. of Othello, Washington. Subsequent generations of stock will be maintained by Stubbs Seed Services of Moscow, Idaho and by other seed houses authorized by ProGene and Stubbs Seed Service.