‘Faerie’ is a non-traditional watermelon in that it has a creamy yellow rind with thin stripes yet still yields sweet pink-red flesh with a high sugar content and crisp texture. Home gardeners will like growing something unique in their garden and the fact that the vines are vigorous yet spread only to 11’ means it takes up less space in the garden. Each 7-8” fruit weighs only four to six pounds making it a perfect family size melon. Professional growers will appreciate the disease and insect tolerance as well as the prolific fruit set that starts early and continues throughout the season. Bred by Known-You Seed Company.

AAS® Winner Data
Genus species: *Citrullus lanatus*
Common name: Watermelon
Unique qualities: Early and easy fruit setting, deep-globed shape, light yellow rind with thin stripes giving it a very pretty look, pink-red flesh with high and stable sugar content as well as a very crispy flavor
Fruit size: 4 to 6 pounds
Fruit shape: Deep globe 7 inches x 8 inches
Fruit color: Light yellow rind with thin stripes, pink-red flesh
Plant type: Spreading vine
Plant width: 11 ½ foot spread
Garden location: Full sun
Garden spacing: 8 to 10 feet
Length of time from sowing seed to harvest: 72 days
Disease tolerances: Vigorous plant can tolerate general diseases and insects
Closest comparisons on market: ‘Golden Crown’, ‘Vanguard’ and ‘New Queen’