



Citrus Varieties



Variety	Fruit Season	Skin	Hold to Trees	Seeds	Remarks
Calamondin	Dec-Aug	Thin	Excellent	Few	Spectacular ornamental, bearing hundreds of small, orange-like fruit.
<u>GRAPEFRUIT</u>					
Oro Blanco	Dec-May	Medium	Excellent	None	Hybrid cross between grapefruit and pummelo. Sweeter than most white grapefruit, great juicing.
Rio Red	Jan-May	Thin	Good	Few-None	Good commercial variety. Deep red internal color, juicy, excellent flavor.
Star Ruby	Jan-May	Thin	Good	Few-None	Deep, red internal color with excellent quality. Less acidic than other grapefruit.
<u>KUMQUAT</u>					
Nagami	Nov-Mar	Thin	Excellent	Few	Very ornamental. Bright orange, sweet rind, sour interior.
<u>LEMONS</u>					
Eureka	Year-Round	Medium	Good	Few-None	#1 commercial variety. Excellent true lemon. Juicy and strongly acidic.
Lisbon	Year-Round	Medium	Good	None-Few	Juicy, highly acidic. Vigorous. Hardier and more productive than Eureka.

Meyer	Year-Round	Thin	Good	Few	Less acidic than Eureka, with flowery flavor. Can be used as espalier.
<u>LIMES</u>					
Bears	Year-Round	Thin	Good	None	Excellent commercial variety. True lime flavor. Juicy and acidic. Can be picked green or yellow.
Mexican (Key)	July-Aug	Thin	Fair	Few-Many	Known as the bartender's lime. Very aromatic, juicy and acidic. Can be used green or yellow.
Sweet (Palestinian)	Year-Round	Thin	Good	Few	Juicy but not sweet. Lacks acidity, and has insipid flavor. Used for medicinal purposes.
<u>MANDARINS</u>					
Algerian	Dec-Apr	Thin	Excellent	Few-Many	Small-medium fruit. Rich, aromatic, juicy.
Gold Nugget * (Pixie Like)	Jan-Jun	Medium	Excellent	None	Excellent, rich, sweet taste, light orange rind. Easy to peel.
Pixie	Feb-Apr	Medium	Good	None	Mild, sweet flavor, easy to peel. Large, vigorous tree.
Satsuma	Dec-Apr	Medium	Good	None	One of the most popular mandarins. Sweet, juicy fruit. Very hardy tree.
Tango	Feb-Mar	Thin	Good	Few-none	Easy to peel, sweet, rich flavor. Deep orange flesh and rind.
W. Murcott	Jan-Mar	Thin	Excellent	Few	Sweet, rich flavor. Easy to peel.
<u>ORANGE</u>					

Moro Blood	Jan-Apr	Thick	Good	Few-None	Deep red to dark purple flesh. Rich, distinctive flavor. Bears heavily in alternate years.
Cara Cara Navel	Nov-Mar	Thick	Good	None	Reddish pink internal flesh, good navel flavor. Same characteristics of Washington navel.
Washington Navel	Dec-may	Thick	Fair	None	Best commercial navel, unmatched in flavor. Moderately juicy, easy to peel and segment.
Valencia	Mar-Oct	Thin	Excellent	Few	Best juice orange, Sweet and juicy. Tree is taller than navel. Very productive.
<u>PUMMELO</u>					
Chandler	Jan-Aug	Medium	Fair	Many	Pink-fleshed, a unique sweet flavor and chewy texture. Fruit can be as large as a volleyball.
Tangelo - Minneola	Feb-May	Medium	Good	Few	Cross between grapefruit and mandarin. Unique flavor, rich and aromatic, very juicy.