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Citrus

Grow your own Vitamin C! Did you know its been over 200 years since the first citrus tree was planted in California by Father Junipero Serra? Since then citrus has become the most popular tree planted in this state. Citrus not only provides a healthy source of flavorful fruit but they also have fragrant attractive flowers and decorative green foliage. The dwarfs and semi dwarfs are excellent container plants. Dwarfs grow to about 8 ft, semi dwarfs 8-15 ft, and standards 20-30 ft. Our selection of citrus includes long time favorites as well as some of the newer introductions, from UC Riverside and grown locally for us by *Monterey Bay Nursery*. Check the [Monterey Bay Nursery](#) link on our website for specific information on each variety. We are happy to order any that we may not currently have in stock.

Grapefruit

- Cocktail - s.dwarf
- Oroblanco - s.dwarf
- Star Ruby

Lemon

- Eureka - s.dwarf
- Libson - s.dwarf
- Libson 'Seedless' - s.dwarf
- Meyer - s.dwarf improved

Lime

- Bearss Seedless (Persian) - s.dwarf
- Kaffir - s.dwarf
- Mexican 'Thornless' - s.dwarf

Limequat

- Eustis

Kumquat

- Meiwas - s.dwarf

Mandarin

- Algerian - s.dwarf
- Clementine Nules - s.dwarf
- Fallglo - s.dwarf
- Honey (Calif) - s.dwarf
- Nova - s.dwarf
- Owari satsuma - s.dwarf

Orange

- Cara Cara Navel
- Fukumoto 'Early Navel' - s.dwarf
- Lane Late Navel - s.dwarf
- Moro - s.dwarf (Blood Orange)
- Red Valencia - s.dwarf
- Robertson Navel
- Sanguinellis - s.dwarf

Orange (cont.)

- Tarocco - s.dwarf
- Trovita - s.dwarf
- Valencia - s.dwarf
- Washington Navel - s.dwarf

Tangelo/Tangerines:

- Clementine
- Dancy
- Mineola
- Owari Satsuma Mandarin

Misc:

- Calamondin (Calamansi)
- Eustis Limequat
- Nagami Kumquat

Recipe for Success with Citrus

- Good drainage is essential. Amend native soils 1/3 compost to 2/3 native soil using *Gardner N' Bloome Organic Compost* or *Acid Rich Planting Mix*. For containers use *Gardner N' Bloome Acid Rich Planting Mix* or *Potting Soil*. Plant should be slightly above final soil grade
- Fertilize every 6 weeks with *Gardner N' Bloome Fruit Tree* fertilizer year round and twice a year with *Citrus Growers Blend*, which helps provide additional micronutrients to aid in greening of foliage (Citrus are heavy feeders)
- Watch for insects and spray with a horticultural oil as needed
- Prune only to shape tree. The more foliage the more fruit production
- Protect from frost when temperatures dip below 30 degrees by using a frost blanket and spraying Cloud Cover
- Never over fertilize or fertilize when plant is dry. Water the plant a day ahead of fertilizing