

AVOCADO PLANTS

MEXICOLA GRANDE - The Mexicola Grande is a consistent bearer of dark colored fruit with outstanding flavor. Rich buttery taste. Thin, tender skin. Larger fruit with smaller pit than regular Mexicola. Ripens August to October. It is one of the most cold hardy varieties, hardy to the mid 20°'s. Prefers well draining soil. Plant in a container if you need to be able to move under cover during extreme winters. Shipped potted in soil to ensure the best possible start when planted in yard or garden. Box size nearly five feet tall.

JOEY - Founded by Joey Ricers in Uvalde, Texas. The fruit is medium in size and egg shaped. It has excellent flavor. This skin is purple-black in color. Heavy bearer.

BRAZOS BELLE - Purple black skin, large fruit, hardy to mid 20s, 10' - 15' tall.

This Mexican variety is hardy to the low teens and has large purple black fruit with a great flavor.

LILA – New, very cold-hardy variety. This is a very flavorful, medium sized, green-skinned avocado that is perfect for our climate! Tree height: 20 – 30'

BROGDON – Is an excellent cold hardy avocado easily identified by its purple skin. It is an excellent choice for guacamole lovers. Self pollinating. Season: September to November. Mature tree height: 30'.

WINTER MEXICAN - Has thin, tender skin. Grows to about 40 feet in about 25 years. Fruits are harvested November through December. Mexican and its hybrids are the hardiest. Mexican is black to purple skinned and has very good flavor. Flowers are not showy. Will fruit in a larger pot, usually at 25 gallons. In tropical zones Avocados are trees and can grow to 40' in 25 years. Tree is evergreen. Winter Mexican is a cross of Mexican and West Indian.

MANGO PLANTS

KENT - Kent is a late season variety with large highly colored fruit. Kent grows as a medium sized tree with an upright open canopy and medium vigor. Fruit shape: oval – Blush: red/purple – Pulp color: orange/yellow – Flavor: sweet. Kent was selected in Coconut Grove, Florida in 1945. The flesh is deep yellow, sweet, aromatic, and virtually fiber-less. The tree is a large vigorous grower which can attain heights of fifty to sixty feet if unmanaged. The most rewarding attribute is a bountiful late season crop. The fruit ripens from July to August.

VALENCIA - The flesh is sweet, aromatic, firm, and fiber-less. The tree is a vigorous large grower making it an excellent shade tree complemented by an exceptionally attractive fruit. It has one of the finest flavors of all of the late season varieties and it never disappoints. The fruit ripens July to August.

KEITT - Keitt is a Florida selection which has become one of the world's most outstanding mangoes. Excellent eating quality, disease resistance, productivity, and ripening time are some of the features of this four to five pound Goliath. While the fruit are extremely disease resistant, the juvenile trees are extremely difficult to grow due to disease problems. For that reason we have suspended production. The fruit ripens from August to October.

PHILIPPINE – Large evergreen tree, the Philippine Mango is known worldwide as the best tasting variety of Carabao mangoes in the world. Philippine mangoes have a distinct rich taste, no turpentine taste, not fibrous and high nutritional value. Best tasting fruits are picked in the summer months.

MALLIKA - 'Mallika' is a "condo mango" native to India. It has become a favorite here at PIN due to its superb flavor, unparalleled disease resistance, and small but extremely productive habit. There is a catch however. The fruit must be picked mature green for optimum flavor, and they are traditionally ripened in camel dung while on the way to market in India. They can also be packed in a cardboard box and kept at room temperature if camel dung is difficult to come by in your part of the world. Ripening typically takes ten to fourteen days. The season is from June to July.

TOMMY ATKINS – The Tommy Atkins has become the most extensively planted export mango in the New World and it is the benchmark of the commercial mango industry. It's color, disease resistance, and storage qualities appeal to merchants and consumers worldwide. The fruit ripens June to July.

EDWARD - Edward is a fiberless cultivar that is sweet, aromatic, and considered by many to be the finest tasting of all Florida mangos. The skin is a golden yellow having a reddish blush where exposed to the sun. The tree is a vigorous large grower that is a consistent but poor producer. Like the Bailey's Marvel and the Keitt, the juvenile trees can be very difficult to grow. The fruit ripens from June to July.

