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Bearing Season: *Heavy fruit* - *Light fruiting*

Cultivar	Acquisition: Source	qty	Priority	Fruit quality	Hedge	Plasticity	Ornamental	Propagation	Ease (1-5)	Chill hours/ frost tolerance	decid./evergr.	Culture: low H2O	Shade	Height	spacing	Pollinator	January	February	Marche	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Comment
Almond, "All-in-one"											d	3																	self-pollinating
Apple, General							2				d																		Size flexible, easy to contain, plant 20-36" apart, or even 3 to a hole. Plant several dwarfs in the space of one standard to extend bearing season.
Apple, Anna				2			2			200	d																		Heavy bearer, good low chill apple
Apple, Beverly Hills				4			2			300	d				20														heavy bearer, worst low chill apple
Apple, Crab				4			2				d																		great bearing, long season, good for sauce
Apple, Dorsett Golden				1			2			100	d																		Good rave in DW cat
Apple, Einsheimer				4			2			100	d											-							Good rave in DW cat, early
Apple, Fuji				1			2			500	d																		Excellent taste
Apple, Granny Smith				4			2			500	d					-										- - - - -			Stores well on, off tree, stay on our tree until January, good for baking only.
Apple, Mutsu				1			2			500	d																		
Apple, Pettingil				2			2				d				20														3 Large, red, sharp, good quality
Apple, Pink lady							2			500	d																		
Apple, Valamore				2			2				d				20														3 medium size, red, sweet, fair quality
Apple, White Pearmain				3			2				d				20														3 large, pale green, light crops, fair quality
Apple, Winter Banana				3			2				d				20														3 Large, pale yellow w/ blush, light crops, fair
Apricot, General				1			2				d																		Difficult to force into small space. Graft multiple varities on one tree. Fruit set varries widely.
Apricot, Early Golden				1			2			450	d																		late
Apricot, Flora Gold				1			2			500	d																		Best fruit, worst set.
Apricot, Gold Kist				1			2			300	d																		Best set- use as base tree. Late
Apricot, Katy				1			2			400	d																		
Apricot, royal (Blenheim)				1			2			500	d																		
Asian Pear, General				3			3				d																		Find one that tastes good, graft multiple to one tree. Most need pollinizer. Bearing times? Many other varieties.
Asian Pear, 2oth century				3						450	d																		
Asian Pear, Shinko				3						450	d																		
Asian Pear, Shinseiki				3						400	d																		Tolerates clay soil
Avocado, General							4				e	5		30															Don't over or under water when first planted. K Helps trunks be strong. Paint young trunks white to avoid sunburns.
Avocado, Bacon				4							e	5		30												- - - -			Watery fruit, no good for an avocado but still OK.
Avocado, Fuerte				3							e	5		30															
Avocado, Gwen				1							e	5		20															smaller tree

Avocado, Hass				1							e	5																							
Avocado, Littlecado				2							e	5		20																					smaller tree
Avocado, Nabal				1							e	5		20																		-	-		
Avocado, Reed				1							e	5		20																					
Avocado, Pinkerton				1							e	5		20																					
Avocado, Whitsell				1							e	5		20																					smaller tree
Banana, General							3	r			e																								
Banana, Brazilian (hawaiin apple)				2				r																											25 feet tall
Banana, Ice Cream				3				r			e																								
Banana, Manzano				1				r			e																								
Berry-Bababerry raspberry				1			4	c			d																								5 low chill. Only raspberry that grows in so cal
Berry-Blackberry "Ollaieberry"				1			4	c			d																								5 low chill. Good.
Berry-Blue, General				1			4				d																								In Oak barrels or big pit 80% peat, 20% soil, Never soaked, never let dry. pH 4.5-6. Mulch with pine needles, oak leaves. Very easy to grow if moisture, soil ok. 2-8' tall depending on variety. At least half-day sun. Long season, jun-sept. No
Berry-Blue, Alice											d																								5 low chill
Berry-Blue, B Blue											d																								5 low chill
Berry-Blue, sharp											d																								5 low chill
Berry-Bosenberry											d																								5 low chill Good fruit, cut back to sticks.
Berry-Boysenberry, Thornless											d																								5 low chill Thornless=fruit not as good.
Cactus, Peruvian Apple/Pitya				2			1	c			e	1																							
Cactus, prickly pear				4	y		3	c			e	1																							
Cashew				2	x	x		s/g	1	\	e	3		24	20	\																			Tropical. Nuts need roasting to expell poison
Cherimoya				1							d	3																							All varieties good.
"Cherry"							3	g		700+																									True cherry generally too high chill.
Cherry, Capulin 5				5				g			e																								Low chill, true cherry. 10-12" tall, good set, pretty good fruit. Not much dif. betw
Cherry, Surinam, "Lolita"				3				g			e																								
Cherry, Surinam, "vermillion"				3				g			e																								Unusual, tasty fruit. 4x/year. Bushes, in Eugenia family.
Chestnut, Eurobella 5								g			e																								4 bearing time, 5 low chill?
Chestnut, European 5								g																											4 bearing time, 5 low chill?
Fig, General							2	c	1			2																							3 fresh, canning and drying. Cut back to 5' bushes each winter; fruit on new
Fig, Black Mission				2				c	1	100	d	2				n																			
Fig, Celestial				1				c	1	100		2				n																			
Fig, Conadria				3				c	1	100		2				n																			
Fig, Improved Brown Turkey				4				c	1	100	d	2				n																			3 large, purple-green/red, fresh use only
Fig, Janice-Seedless Kadota								c	1	100		2				n																			
Fig, Kadota				3				c	1	100		2				n																			
Fig, Osborne Prolific				3				c	1	100		2				n																			
Fig, White Genoa				3				c	1	100	d	2				n																			3 best along coast
Grape, General							3	c	2			2																							Many other good varieties. fruit on 2nd year wood. cut back to trunk + 6"
Grape, concord, "niagra"								c	2			2																							seeded
Grape, flame seedless								c	2			2																							
Grape, golden muscat				3				c	2		d	2																							3 Warm areas only. Strong musky flavor.
Grape, Pierce								c	2		d	2																							3 black, slip skin, CA concord coastal
Grape, Ruby seedless								c	2			2																							

Grapefruit, "oro blanco"							2	g	2		e																															Sweet, can get dwarf
Guava, General					y			g																																		Better than almost anything nutritionally.
Guava, Lemon				3	y		2	g	2																																	
Guava, Pinapple, "Nazmetz"				2	y		1	g	1			2																													Big fruit, doesn't discolor when cut, exceptionally good flavor.
Guava, Pinapple, cooledge				2	y		1	g	1		e	2																													
Guava, Pinapple, Edenvale Supreme				2	y		1	g	1		e	2																													
Guava, Pinapple, seedlings				2	y		1	g	1		e	2																													
Guava, Strawberry				3	y		2	g			e																														
Guava, Tropical, "Red Indian"				5	y		1	g																																	
Guava, Tropical, "Ruby Supreme"				5	y		2	g																																	
Guava, Tropical, "White Turnbull"				5	y		2	g																																	
Guava, Tropical, Mexican				3	y		2	g																																	
Jujube, "Jen"				2	\	\		c/m	2	\	e	\		15																											Supposedly fantastic. Thorny, Hi vit C. Small tree to 15'
Jujube, "Len"																																									
Jujube, "li"																																									
Kei Apple, "Arcadian"				4	\	\	3	s/c	1	x	e	x		15	3	x																									1 male to 15 females for fruiting. Makes impenetrable, spiny hedge like organic
Kiwi, General				2			2	g	4																																Like iron. Salt damage common, not usually serious; don't use manures unless
Kiwi, Mar Vista							2	g	4		d																														6 bearing times
Kiwi, Tewi							2	g	4		d																														6 bearing times. Higher chill.
Kiwi, Vincint							2	g	4		d																														Best female kiwi. 6 bearing times. Female leafed beg Mar, male 2 weeks later.
Kumquat, "Meiwa"				3	y		2	g	3																																Sweet for a kumquat
Kumquat, "Nagami?"				3	y		2	g																																	
Lemon					y		2	g	1		e	3	2																												
Lemon, Meyer				2	y		2	g	1			3	2																												
Lime, Mexican				1	y		1	g	1		e	3	2																												
Loquat, General					y		1	s/g	1			2	2																												Thinning increases fruit size. Take care of tree worth it. Cross pollination beneficial. Fruiting times not siginificantly different. Grows in deep shade but little
Loquat,Advance					y		1	g	1		e	2	2																												
Loquat, Barrymore					y		1	g	1			2	2																												
Loquat, Big Jim				2	y		1	g	1			2	2																												
Loquat, Champagne				2	y		1	g	1		e	2	2																												
Loquat, Golden Nugget				2	y		1	g	1		e	2	2																												
Loquat, Victor					y																																				bearing times from leaflet 2488
Loquat, Zoo Seedling					y						e																														Good hedge. Planted spring 1993. Jamming april '94
Macademia, General					y																																				Like iron, acid.
Macademia, "Beaumont?"				vg	y	x	\	g/s	2		e	x		30	15	\																									6 bearing times. Low yeilds and pests a problem. Climax vegetation. transplanted March 1994 in middle of lusty new growth. covered to keep damp.
Macademia, "Cate"					y																																				rare cultivar.
Mulberry, Black				vg		x		c/s	1			\	\	30																											Do real well. Small if air layered. Available, Excellent fruit. Leaves edible as vegetable. Not affected by secretion from pecan.
Natal Plum				g		\	x	s/c/	1		e	\	\	15	1																										Scented flowers. Very thorny
Nectarine, General																																									Size can be kept down.

Nectarine, Desert Dawn				g						250	d																																
Nectarine, Desert Delight										1-200	d																																
Nectarine, goldmine				g						400	d																																
Nectarine, panamint				best						250	d		y		18																												3 red/yellow
Nectarine, Silver Lode											d		y		18																												3 red/white
Oak, coast live				p	y	\	x		1		e	x		50	70																												
Orange-Blood, "Sanguinella dwarf"					y																																						5
Orange-Blood, Moro					y																																						Same bearing time as big tangerine?
Orange-Navel					y						e																																Dwarf citrus get 10' tall.
Orange-Valencia ?											e																																
Passion Fruit, purple				g		x		s/g	1		e			v	18	x																											70 kinds, purple best flavor
Peach "Red Ceylon"																																											
Peach, General																																											Easy to graft, hard to control size; 1-2 trees, 3-4 grafts each.
Peach, "Florida Prince"				g																																							
Peach, Babcock				Best							d		y		18																												3
Peach, Bonanza										250	d		y		8																												poor fruit
Peach, Bonita				g							d		y		18																												3
Peach, Mid Pride				g																																							
Peach, seedling											d		y		18																												3
Peach, Redwing											d		y		18																												3
Peach, robin											d		y		18																												3 best of early
Peach, Sims											d		y		18																												3
Peach, springtime											d		y		18																												3 earliest
Peach, Tejon											d		y		18																												3
Peach, Ventura (Santa Barbara)				g							d		y		18																												3
Pear, Monterey 5											d																																
Pear, Zoo											d																																
Pecan				vg		x		g/s						45	30	\																											Tropical. Flooding, frost tolerant. Some varities need polinators. Secretions inhibit growth of most plants
Persimmon											d																																
Plum, General																																											Hard to keep small. 1 tree, a few grafts.
Plum, "Elephant Heart"				best																																							Use as base tree
Plum, Santa Rosa 5				ok							d																																Early
Plum, Satsuma				good																																							
Pomegranate											d	x																															Fleshman's, Phil's =good
Sapote					y																																						3 first one
Strawberry Tree				p	y	\	\	s	1		e	\	\	7		\																											
Tangelo, "Miiveola"				ex	y																																						Fantastic fruit per JG. Dwarf or standard.
Tangerine, "Encore"					y																																						C&M only grower. Dwarf avaialable? Much better than any other tangerine.
Tangerine, Dancy					y						e																																
Walnut-Black											d																																