









PLUM VARIETIES 2019







Variety	Approx. Harvest	Fruit & Flavor	Comments	Pollination
 Green Gage	August	Small to medium yellow-green fruit; juicy, smooth texture with amber flesh. Freestone.	Great for desserts, cooking, canning, or preserves	Pollinate with any other European Plum
 Imperial Epineuse	August/ September	Medium size purplish red fruit; Meaty, rich, sweet and firm with yellow flesh. Freestone.	Very productive; great for fresh eating or drying. Highly regarded old variety	Pollinate with any other European Plum
 Italian	August/ September	Medium to large purple fruit; juicy with distinctive rich, sweet flavor. Freestone.	Great for canning & drying; early reliable producer	Pollinate with any other European Plum
 Seneca	September	Large reddish fruit; crisp yellow flesh, very sweet. Freestone	Good disease and crack resistance; good for fresh eating, canning and drying	Considered self-fertile, better fruit set when pollinated with any other European Plum
 Stanley	September	Medium to large, oval dark blue fruit. Firm yellowish-green flesh with sweet rich flavor. Freestone.	Heavy annual bearer; good for fresh eating, canning and drying	Considered self-fertile, better fruit set when pollinated with any other European Plum
 Yellow Egg	August/ September	Large golden yellow fruit; firm, juicy yellow flesh. Freestone.	When fully ripe, rich & sweet, tart if picked early. Productive tree; good fresh and canning	Considered self-fertile, better fruit set when pollinated with any other European Plum

Pluots

Pluots are hybrids of plums and apricots. They have predominantly plum heritage with smooth skins. However, they do have apricot in them (will need heat to ripen & disease may be an issue), so this is for the fruit tree enthusiasts to try out!




 Dapple Dandy	August/ September	Creamy white and red flesh; complex, sweet flavor with crisp texture.	Great plum/apricot flavor. Freestone.	Pollinate with another pluot or Burgundy plum.
 Flavor King	August	Reddish-purple fruit with crimson flesh; sweet, spicy, another taste test winner	Great for fresh eating; keeps on tree for 4 to 6 weeks	Pollinate with another pluot or Burgundy plum.

JAPANESE PLUM VARIETIES 2019

Variety	Approx. Harvest	Fruit & Flavor	Comments	Pollination
 Beauty	July/ August	Medium size reddish purple fruit; amber flesh with excellent flavor.	Santa Rosa type, great for fresh eating. Consistently heavy crops.	Considered self-fertile, better fruit set when pollinated with any other Japanese Plum
 Burgundy	August	Medium size maroon fruit; red semi-freestone flesh with sweet mild flavor	Productive tree; use as a pollinator for pluots or plueries.	Considered self-fertile, better fruit set when pollinated with any other Japanese Plum
 Hollywood	August	Large red fruit with deep red flesh; juicy and sweet	Great for fresh eating and jelly. Ornamental tree with pink blossoms and dark purple leaves	Pollinate with any other Japanese Plum
 Methley	July/ August	Medium to large reddish purple fruit; juicy red flesh with a sweet, mild flavor	Great for fresh eating and jelly.	Considered self-fertile, better fruit set when pollinated with any other Japanese Plum
 Satsuma	July	Medium to large dark red fruit; firm, meaty red flesh, juicy and sweet	Excellent for fresh eating, canning, & cooking	Pollinate with any other Japanese Plum
 Shiro	August	Medium to large round yellow cling-stone fruit. Very juicy with a mild sweet flavor	Excellent for fresh eating, canning, & cooking. Consistent crop set.	Pollinate with any other Japanese Plum

Pluerry

Pluerries are complex fruit hybrids, mainly from Japanese plums and cherries. They have predominantly plum heritage with fruit resembling plums. They are newer, so if you try one out, let us know what you think!

 Candy Heart Pluerry	August September	"Skin is dark speckled red, with amber-red flesh"	"lightly subacid and very sweet, with a wonderfully unique flavor"	Pollinate with another Pluerry or Burgundy Plum
 SweetTreat Pluerry	July August	"Much larger than a cherry, this precocious and prolific variety will hang on the tree for over a month"	"Combines the sweetness of a cherry with that summer fresh plum zing"	Pollinate with another Pluerry or Burgundy Plum
 Sugar Twist Pluerry	July August	Red fruit with yellow flesh. Complex flavor "cherry sweet with a plum twist".	Newest pluerry; ripens a month earlier than Sweet Treat.	Pollinate with another Pluerry or Burgundy Plum