

The Red lemon



The red lemon represents a variation of the yellow lemon: compared to the genetic "cousin", the red lemon jumps to the eye for the bright color of the skin, which can be fiery red, or orange. The red lemon also has the pulp of this color, but the taste is slightly more sour than the more well-known lemon. The ripe lemon of this variety has a very thick peel with a drop-shaped, almost elongated shape. The plant produces few fruits compared to the classic lemon in its varieties.

Keep away from frost and asphyxiated or alkaline soils. Tree of medium vigor, sometimes spinescent and with an upright posture. The leaves are medium-large, pointed and green in color. The flowers are white, with a very intense aroma, similar to that of orange.

In a sheltered place it can withstand temperatures close to 0 ° C for very short periods. Cold and low temperatures are not ideal for it, so it's better to keep it safe during winter.

Category: Citrus

Families: Rutaceae

Genus: Citrus

Species: limon "Rosso"

Geographical Area of Origin: South-East Asia

Climatic Zones: Sub-tropical, USDA 10 b (Southern Italy and islands)

Habit: Tree

Leaves: Evergreen

Colore Foglie: Verde ☒

Flowering Period: Aprile / Maggio / Giugno / Luglio / Agosto

Flower: Raceme

Colore Fiori: Bianco ☐

Favorite soil: Sub-acid / medium acid / Middle-Dough / Medium soil

Water needs: Medium


Light Exposure: Medium shade / Half shade / Full light / Full sun

Form: Tree



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Fruiting Period: Dicembre / Novembre / Ottobre / Marzo / Febbraio / Gennaio

Colore Frutti: Rosso  Giallo 