

The Calabrese orange



The Oval or Calabrese orange is a cultivar of unknown origin, probably generated by a mutation of the Common Blond orange.

The tree is average sized with spreading habit and remontant, with the most abundant flowering occurring in spring months. The white, very fragrant flowers grow singly. The fruit is oval with yellow-orange rind and juicy flesh with a pleasant flavour. It remains on the tree until late spring.

This cultivar is an ideal choice as an ornamental plant.

Category: Citrus

Families: Rutaceae

Genus: Citrus

Species: sinensis "Ovale Calabrese"

Geographical Area of Origin: Mediterranean Europe

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

Habit: Tree

Leaves: Evergreen

Colore Foglie: Verde ☐

Flowering Period: Giugno / Luglio / Agosto / Settembre / Ottobre

Flower: Simple flower

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: Fitocella / Tree

Colore Frutti: Arancione ☐

Parfumed: yes