



Monji Plant Profile

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Oro Blanco Grapefruit

Citrus 'Oro Blanco'

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<u>Hardiness</u>	<u>Exposure</u>	<u>Soil</u>	<u>Water</u>	<u>Flowers</u>	<u>Height</u>
Zones 8, 9, 12-24, H1, H2 or indoors	Full sun bright light	Sandy soil choose a complete fertilizer, supply nitrogen to citrus in all regions	Regular watering	Fragrant flowers and decorative fruit	25-30 feet tall

When it comes to grapefruit, the best in the West is **Oro Blanco**. The University of California developed this white-fleshed pummelo-grapefruit hybrid. **Oro Blanco** has an exceptionally sweet flavor and lacks the typical bitter grapefruit aftertaste. It is seedless and ripens from December to April. Another grapefruit to consider is Cocktail, a grapefruit-orange hybrid that produces a wonderful sweet juice. And if you insist on a red grapefruit, try Star Ruby or Rio Red, but remember, the hotter the summer, the better the color and flavor.