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Duncan &amp; Davies' Guide to

# FRUIT AND NUT TREES

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**Always look for the Duncan & Davies label of distinction.** It's your guarantee of higher profits. Because all Duncan & Davies trees are propagated from the world's finest varieties, you can trust our trees to give you the most vigorous growth — and to be the heaviest bearing variety. They have the added advantage of starting life under the most ideal conditions in the country — field-grown in Taranaki's rich volcanic loam.

That's why, when you buy Duncan & Davies trees, you can be sure of bigger fruit, sturdier and healthier specimens every time.

**DUNCAN & DAVIES**  
THE PLANT PEOPLE



## APPLE GARDEN DELICIOUS (Protected)

New to our New Zealand range. An outstanding genetic dwarf — produces a very sweet, full size apple — yellow green to golden yellow skin — light blush pink on cheeks. The red is more pronounced in cooler conditions. Self fertile — matures at approximately 2m high, 1.5m wide.

The perfect well behaved garden apple requiring only the smallest garden space — ornamental in flower and fruit — small enough to spray and pick without effort.



**Plus** we also have available a selection of sought after "olde-worlde" apple varieties:

**Egremont Russett** A fine russetted English apple.

**Freyberg** Golden Delicious and Cox's Orange.

**Hollandbury** Old-fashioned, superb baking apple.

**Kentish Fillbasket** Very large, "olde-worlde" English baking apple.

**Lawfam** Multi-purpose dessert/ baking apple.

**Lobo** Superior Canadian-bred baking apple.

**Merton Russett** A superb English dessert apple.

**Reinette de Canada** A russetted apple of fine flavour.

**Starkrimson** Supreme American variety eating apple.

**Tydemans Late Orange** An Orange Pippin of supreme quality.

## APRICOTS

Two superb genetic dwarfs.

**Garden Annie** (Protected)

New to our New Zealand range. Self fertile — produces large crops of medium to large, bright yellow, clingstone, firm juicy fruit — only half the normal size of a standard apricot tree. Makes for easy pruning, spraying and harvesting.

**Katy Cot** (Protected)

New to our New Zealand range. Large, uniform fruit — deep yellow flesh — red blush skin. Freestone — heavy cropper under warmer winter conditions where lack of winter chilling prevents some varieties from setting well.

## PEACH

Two Zaiger beauties from the USA.

**Garden Lady**

A genetic dwarf — new to our New Zealand range — regular heavy cropper of large, yellow flesh, freestone fruit of excellent eating quality. Only grows to about 1.3m when fully mature.

**Honeyhale**

A Zaiger semi-dwarf. Large, golden red, juicy fruit. High yield crops about mid-February — on a smaller than standard tree. Usually attains a height of about 60% of a standard peach tree. As it requires a relatively low winter chilling period this peach is ideal for New Zealand.

## PEACH BONANZA

(Dwarf)

Grows anywhere an ordinary peach grows, to 1m high in two years, eventually 2m without pruning. Foliage, richer and denser than usual. From early life bears heavy crops, of large yellow fleshed freestone peaches.

## PLUMCOT PARFAIT

(Protected)

Another Duncan & Davies exclusive — new to our New Zealand range. Cross between a plum and apricot. Unique flavour in a freestone fruit with no tartness of skin. Pinkish orange skin, delicious red and amber marbled flesh. Semi-dwarf 3-4m, compact growth, decorative foliage. Self-fertile. Well suited to warmer areas as it requires only a short winter chilling period.



## NECTARINE DWARF

**Nectarina**

Full size fruit from a tree less than 2 metres tall at maturity — a genetic dwarf, this handsome little tree will fruit within two years of planting — and produce amazing crops of sweet, luscious, golden fleshed juicy fruit. Semi-freestone.



## NASHI

Asian Pear (all varieties on *Pyrus Pyrifolia* rootstock).



**Hosui**

Matures mid-February — full golden brown russet type, medium to large fruit, very sweet, juicy, tender, crisp, excellent quality.

**Kosui**

Matures late-January to early-February — partial golden russet, medium size, very sweet. Tender, crisp flesh — very juicy. Excellent quality. Recognised in Japan as best quality commercial variety.

**Shinseiki**

Matures late-January to early-February — thin skin, yellow, medium size fruit, firm, sweet flesh, medium eating quality, suitable as pollinator.

**Nijiseiki**

Mid-season variety — yellow green, clear skin type, medium size sweet tender yet crisp fruit, good eating quality — the most important variety in Japan.



## PERSIMMON

Duncan & Davies have the largest selection.

Interest is increasing in New Zealand in Persimmon as an export crop, particularly to Japan. Persimmon is also a valuable addition to the home orchard as it produces fruit from late summer to late autumn.



**Astringent** – Chocolate, Gailey, Hira Tanenashi, Ichikikei Jiro, Tamopan, Tanenashi (budded on Kaki understock).

**Non-Astringent** – Agagaki, Izu, Jiro, Japanese Fuyu, Nishimaro Wase, Matsamoto W Fuyu, 20th Century, Zenjimarū (budded on Kaki understock).

## CITRUS

New Zealand's largest nursery would not be complete without a range of these renowned trees.



**Grapefruit Golden Special**  
**Citrus Lemonade**  
**Lemon Meyer**  
**Lime Tahitian**  
**Mandarin Clementine**  
**Mandarin Encore**  
**Mandarin Ortanique**  
**Tangelo Seminole**  
**Tangelo Ugli**

## FEIJOAS

- Tremendous export potential
- Extra hardy – frost and wind tolerant
- Unfussy – needs only well-drained soil
- Pest and disease resistant

Duncan & Davies offer the following grafted varieties:

### Mammoth

Yields heavy crops of large, oval-shaped fruit – ripen mid-April.

### Triumph

Yields heavy crops of large, short, oval, plump fruit – late April.

### Cooledgei

Yields good crops of medium size, oblong to elongated fruit.

### David

Yields good crops of medium to large oval fruit.

### Apollo

Yields large sized, good eating quality fruit.

### Gemini

Yields very even fruit size, high fruit number per tree, smaller and more rounded fruit than "Apollo".



## KIWIFRUIT PLANTS

Cutting Grown. These are the benefits:

- Vigorous young plants with more substantial root system
- Uniform growth, maturing earlier eliminating rank growth and excessive pruning, maximising production and growth
- Selected from Mother stock from export orchards with proven fruiting record
- Initial cost is only cost – vine training starts immediately – no time wasted on grafting
- We guarantee variety, quality, vigour.

### Actinidia Hayward

(female) **Actinidia Male** (Duncan & Davies selected pollinator) – long flowering season.

### Actinidia Matua

(male) – long flowering season.

### Actinidia Tomuri

(male) – late flowering.

### Super Vigorous Field-Grown Plants



## CHERRIES

Three popular varieties:

### Compact Stella

Large, dark red, firm, sweet fruit – a hardy, vigorous, early bearer, self-fertile, ideal pollinator.



### Cherry Starkrimson – Dandeecher (Protected)

A new D&D introduction from Zaiger of California, a self-fertile dessert cherry, crisp, juicy of delicious flavour, yellow amber flushed red skin turns deeper red as the fruit matures. Crops in mid-season and produces an excellent annual yield. The tree is semi-dwarf in growth habit, making a neat upright round headed tree. A very fine cherry for garden or commercial planting. The very great advantage for garden planting is the fact that it is self-fertile and does not require companion trees – often a space problem in small gardens – to fruit on an annual basis.

### Tangshi

A small growing, self-fertile tree which has deep red, sweet fruit.

## GUAVA Red

Valuable winter fruiting shrubs. Bears fruit at a young age – excellent eating or made into jelly.

## FIGS

We offer the best varieties for New Zealand growing conditions.

### San Pedro Miro

Smaller growing than most varieties – large, very sweet, white-fleshed fruit.

### Sugar

Medium sized, pear-shaped fruit – very sweet and juicy.

### White Adriatic

Medium sized, white-fleshed – sweet, juicy fruit.

## MULBERRIES

### Morus Alba Pendula

A weeping white mulberry tree – produces crops of juicy mulberries – a gourmet delight. Forms a small to medium sized picturesque tree.

## ORDER FORM AND PRICE LIST

(ALL PRICES EX OUR BRIXTON NURSERY)	PER UNIT \$	PER 50 \$		
<b>APPLES</b>	Garden Delicious	6.50	5.85	
	"Olde Worlde"	4.50	4.05	
<b>APRICOTS</b>	Garden Annie	8.10	7.29	
	Katy Cot	8.10	7.29	
<b>CERRIES</b>	Compact Stella	8.10	7.29	
	Starkrimson	8.10	7.29	
	Tangshi	6.50	5.85	
<b>CITRUS</b>	Grapefruit Golden Special	4.80	4.32	
	Lemonade	4.80	4.32	
	Lemon Meyer	4.80	4.32	
	Lime Tahitian	4.80	4.32	
	Mandarin Clementine	4.80	4.32	
	Mandarin Ortanique	4.80	4.32	
	Mandarin Encore	4.80	4.32	
	Tangelo Seminole	4.80	4.32	
	Tangelo Ugli	4.80	4.32	
<b>FEIJOAS</b>	Apollo	4.80	4.32	
	Cooledgei	4.80	4.32	
	David	4.80	4.32	
	Gemini	4.80	4.32	
	Mammoth	4.80	4.32	
	Triumph	4.80	4.32	
<b>GRAPES</b>	Schulyer	3.70	3.33	
	Seyve Villard	3.70	3.33	
<b>GUAVAS</b>	Red Variety	2.00	1.80	
<b>KIWIFRUIT</b>	Hayward Female	4.20	4.05	
	D&D Selected Male	4.20	4.05	
	Matua Male	4.20	4.05	
	Tomuri Male	4.20	4.05	
<b>MULBERRIES</b>	Alba Pendula	7.50	6.75	
<b>NASHIS</b>	Asian Pear			
	Hosui	12.20	10.98	
	Kosui	12.20	10.98	
	Shinseiki	12.20	10.98	
	Nijiseiki	12.20	10.98	
<b>NECTARINES</b>	Nectarina Dwarf	4.80	4.32	
<b>OLIVES</b>	El Greco	3.50	3.15	
<b>PEACHES</b>	Bonanza	4.80	4.32	
	Garden Lady	5.20	4.68	
	Honeyhale	5.60	5.04	
<b>PERSIMMONS</b>	<b>ASTRINGENT VARIETIES</b>			
	<b>KAKI U/STOCK</b>			
	Chocolate	12.20	10.98	
	Gailey	12.20	10.98	
	Hira Tanenashi	12.20	10.98	
	Ichikikei Jiro	12.20	10.98	
	Tamopan	12.20	10.98	
	Tanenashi	12.20	10.98	
	<b>PERSIMMONS</b>	<b>NON ASTRINGENT</b>		
		<b>KAKI U/STOCK</b>		
		Akagaki	12.20	10.98
Izu		12.20	10.98	
Jiro		12.20	10.98	
Japanese Fuyu		12.20	10.98	
Nishimaro Wase		12.20	10.98	
Matsamoto W Fuyu		12.20	10.98	
20th Century		12.20	10.98	
Zenjmaru	12.20	10.98		
<b>PLUMCOT</b>	Parfait	8.70	7.83	
<b>NUTS:</b>				
<b>ALMOND</b>	Almond All-In-One	8.10	7.29	
<b>CHESTNUTS</b>	Ex New	10.00	9.00	
	Horton	10.00	9.00	
	Paragon	10.00	9.00	
	Pukekura	10.00	9.00	
	Truby King	10.00	9.00	
<b>HAZELNUTS</b>	<b>(CORYLUS)</b>			
	Avellana	4.20	3.78	
	Mervielle De Bolvert	4.20	3.78	
	Nottingham	4.20	3.78	
	Waterloo	4.20	3.78	
	Wispit	4.20	3.78	

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To order, please list below your requirements plus despatch address details:

FRUIT/NUT TREE	VARIETY	QUANTITY

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_



## GRAPE

### Schulyer

A good flavoured black grape — a cross between Albany Surprise and Hamburg giving a sweetness yet hardiness of the two combined.



### Seyve Villard

A muscat white grape.

## ALMOND ALL-IN-ONE (Protected)

A natural semi-dwarf (60% of standard) with an upright stocky habit — a regular bearer of medium-sized, sweet nuts which are easy to harvest and hull. Flowering time after 'Nonpareil' and slightly earlier than 'Mission'. The tree is self-fertile and serves as an effective pollinator for other varieties.



## CHESTNUTS

Five selected varieties:

**Ex New** — large, good quality nuts

**Horton** — large nuts, excellent flavour

**Paragon** — large nuts, excellent quality

**Pukekura** — large, sweet nuts, heavy cropper

**Truby King** — large, sweet nuts

## HAZELNUTS

Duncan & Davies chosen range of these popular, versatile nuts:

### **Corylus Merveille De Bolvert**

Very large rounded shells, large nuts.

### **Corylus Nottingham**

Medium oval shells, somewhat flattened, good flavour, sweet nuts.

### **Corylus Waterloo**

Small oval-shaped shells, excellent flavour.

### **Corylus Wispit**

Medium small oval shells, sweet nut.

### **Corylus Avellana**

The ornamental hazelnut.

## OLIVE

### **El Greco**

Bears fruit very early in life. A small ornamental tree with pale green foliage. Fruit has small stones and is most suitable for pickling. Olive 'El Greco' has been selected for its high yielding capabilities and the fruit's olive

oil producing potential. A very drought-resistant tree that will withstand winds.

## SEMI-DWARF

## GENETIC DWARF

There are two main types of dwarf tree — those which are dwarfed by the root stock upon which the scion or fruiting shoot has been grafted and those on which the fruiting part is genetically dwarfed.

### **Semi-Dwarf**

Trees are grown on dwarfing stock which influences the ultimate size. Depending upon the dwarfing root stock used, trees will grow from only 40% to 70% of standard trees. D&D varieties available include: Cherry Starkrimson, Peach Honeyhale, Almond All-In-One.

### **Genetic Dwarf**

Trees are quite different, as it is the fruiting part of the tree which is dwarfed. They are budded (grafted) on the usual root stock, but will grow very slowly with bushy growth and tightly spaced fruit buds. D&D varieties available include: Apple Garden Delicious, Apricot Garden Annie and Katy Cot, Nectarine Nectarina, Peach Garden Lady, and Peach Bonanza.

All deciduous products are sleeve wrapped to extend the planting season.

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