

Name **Chainat Khaotangkwa Pomelo**

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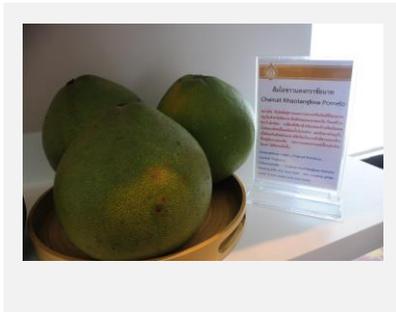
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Main characteristics/features

The Chainat Khaotangkwa pomelo is not a bitter fruit. It is round in shape, has smooth green skin and a thick white pith.

Geographical area

The geographical area for the cultivation of the Chainat Khaotangkwa pomelo is located in the central region plains of Chainat Province.

Production and processing

Pomelo trees can be planted all year round but the best period is in October. The most suitable time for harvest is when the Khaotangkwa pomelo fruits are 6.5-7.5 months old. The fruit is ripe when the oil glands at the bottom become more dispersed and the skin colour around the stem and stalks ends turns yellow. Farmers use garden shears to cut the fruit from the trees.

Link between product and territory

The land in the area is mainly flat and there are important rivers such as the Chao Phraya, the Menam Noi and the Ta Chine. Soil nutrient levels are moderate to high and the area receives enough water, making it suitable for the cultivation of the Khaotangkwa Pomelo.

Pomelos have been grown in Chainat Khaotangkwa since 1807 and are seen as a valuable natural resource and local treasure, renowned for their sweet, tart taste. They have been certified as a local variety by the Department of Agricultural Extension. Every year from the end of August to the beginning of September, Chainat Province promotes the fruit by organising the 'Chainat Khaotangkwa pomelo day'.

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Control body	
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Websites	