

Name **Cát Lở Bà Rịa – Vũng Tàu**  
**Custard Apple**

Country **Viet Nam**

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#### Main characteristics/features

#### Geographical area

Cát Lở Bà Rịa Vũng Tàu custard apple has heart shape, the weigh is 148.2 gram to 151.0 gram. The skin is rough and green before ripe and green - yellow when ripe. The pulp of custard apple is tough and dry with ivory colour. The custard apple has a pleasant fragrance, Vitamin C content of 54.84 to 56.90 mg/kg, high Brix of 17.40% to 19.40% but low total acid content of 2.07% to 2.31%. As such, it has slightly sweet and sour with no acrid taste.

Wards 11, 12 of Vũng Tàu city; Châu Pha commune of Tân Thành district; Phước Long Thọ commune of Đất Đỏ district; Bình Châu commune of Xuyên Mộc district, Bà Rịa - Vũng Tàu province.

#### Production and processing

#### Link between product and territory

Variety: Indigenous custard apple variety.  
Planting season: June to August at the distance of 3 x 2 meter or 3 x 3 meter. Density is 1,100 – 1,600 plants per hectare. In growing phase, water the plants twice a day in dry season. Stop watering 7 – 10 days before blooming stimulation.  
Harvest: During August and September (main harvest), or January to February (off-season harvest). Harvest is done with the fruits turn yellowish green and spikes appear.

The humidity during harvest season is low, making the fruit sweeter and tougher. The soil is slightly acidic with the average pH of 5.82. The content of Al<sup>3+</sup> and Na<sup>+</sup> is very low, whilst the high content of Ca<sup>2+</sup> and Mg<sup>2+</sup> and especially the high Ca/Mg ratio of over 8 making the soil highly suitable for the development of custard apple plant.

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**Competent authority** Bà Rịa - Vũng Tàu Provincial Office for Rural Development

**GI rights holder/GI association**

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**Type of product** Fruits/Custard Apple

**Control body** Bà Rịa - Vũng Tàu Provincial Office for Rural Development

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**Websites**