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# The Evaluation Facts

Welcome to a new edition of The Evaluation Facts for the 2013 - 2014 season. The Evaluation Facts is a regular newsletter keeping you in touch with the latest information from the Graham's Factree Cultivar Evaluation Project.

## Volume 11, 2013 - 2014

Welcome to the 11th volume of 'The Evaluation Facts' Newsletter for the 2013-2014 season.

**All varieties in this current newsletter have been evaluated in  
THE RIVERLAND, South Australia.**

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### **EVALUATION SCORING SCALE**

< 5/10 = poor variety and should not be seriously considered

5/10 = variety displays some negative attributes but needs further consideration

6/10 = variety is equal to the current commercial varieties available to growers and should be trialed by individual growers to see if it works for them.

6.5/10 = variety is showing that it is superior to current commercial varieties and should be seriously considered for commercial planting.

7/10 and above = variety is very good and is highly recommended for growers to consider planting commercially.

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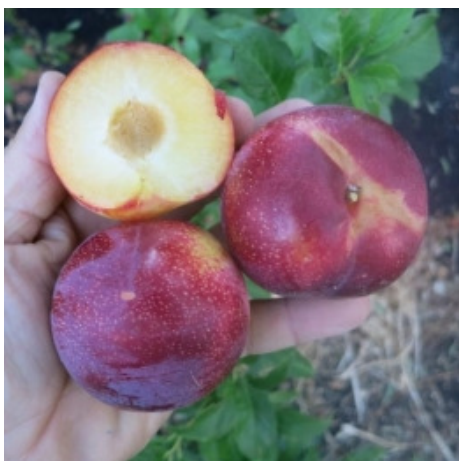
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### **FTIP 116**

An interspecific plum with a blushed maroon skin. An ovate shape with an average size of 53mm. A soft and juicy flesh with a very sweet flavour and a brix of 19%. A commercial flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 30/12/2013

Overall Score: 6.5/10



### **FTPC 112**

A complex interspecific with a soild maroon skin. An ovate shape with an average size of 46mm. A crunchy and juicy flesh with a slightly sweet flavour and a brix of 19%. A commercial flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 30/12/2013

Overall Score: 5.5/10



### **FTN 0314**

A white nectarine with a blushed dark red skin. An ovate shape with an average size of 74mm. A crunchy flesh with a slightly sweet flavour and a brix of 13%. A light flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 30/12/2013

Overall Score: 5/10



### **FTIP 092**

An interspecific plum with a solid purple skin. An oblong shape with an average size of 52mm. A crisp, crunchy and juicy flesh with a very sweet and acid flavour and a brix of 20%. A commercial flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 30/12/2013

Overall Score: 6.5/10



### **Glacier PBR**

A white peach with a blushed dark red skin. An ovate shape with an average size of 74mm. A crunchy and juicy flesh with a very sweet flavour and a brix of 17%. An average flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 31/12/2013

Overall Score: 7/10



### **FTP 052**

A yellow peach with a yellow/green skin with some solid red areas. An ovate shape with an average size of 75mm. A rubbery flesh with a slightly sweet flavour and a brix of 11%. A commercial flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 31/12/2013

Overall Score: 5.5/10



### **FTN 0715**

A white nectarine with a solid dark red skin. An ovate shape with an average size of 73mm. A crunchy and juicy flesh with a slightly sweet flavour and a brix of 12%. A light flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 31/12/2013

Overall Score: 5.5/10



### **FTP 098**

A white peach with a solid dark red skin. An ovate shape with an average size of 74mm. A crunchy and juicy flesh with a slightly sweet flavour and a brix of 12%. A commercial flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 01/01/2014

Overall Score: 6.5/10



### **FTN 116**

A white nectarine with a solid dark red skin. An ovate shape with an average size of 68mm. A crunchy and juicy flesh with a slightly sweet flavour and a brix of 13%. An average flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 01/01/2014

Overall Score: 6/10



### **Honey Cascade**

A yellow nectarine with a blushed dark red skin. An ovate shape with an average size of 65mm. A crunchy and juicy flesh with a very sweet flavour and a brix of 14%. A light flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 02/01/2014

Overall Score: 6/10



### **Honey Glo**

A yellow nectarine with a blushed dark red skin. An ovate shape with an average size of 65mm. A crunchy and juicy flesh with a very sweet flavour and a brix of 14%. A light flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 02/01/2014

Overall Score: 5.5/10



### **FTIP 087**

A interspecific plum with a solid purple skin. A slightly flat shape with an average size of 62mm. A soft and juicy flesh with a slightly sweet flavour and a brix of 19%. A commercial flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 02/01/2014

Overall Score: 6/10

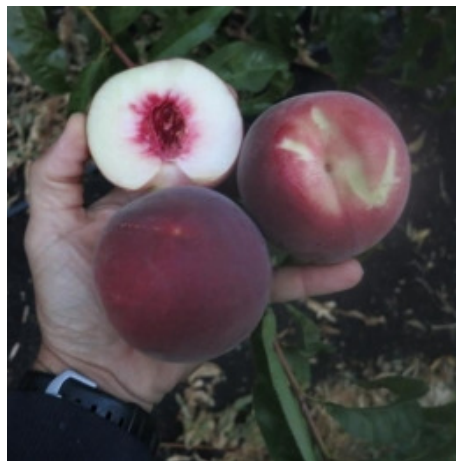


### **Flavorite**

An interspecific plum with a solid purple skin. A rounded shape with an average size of 57mm. A crunchy and juicy flesh with a very sweet flavour and a brix of 19%. A commercial flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 02/01/2014

Overall Score: 7/10



### **FTP 094**

A white peach with a solid dark red skin. A rounded shape with an average size of 74mm. A crunchy and juicy flesh with a very sweet flavour and a brix of 14%. A light flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 02/01/2014

Overall Score: 6.5/10

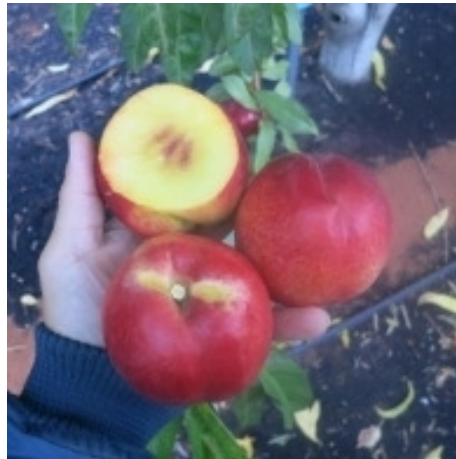


### **FTP 011**

A white peach with a blushed dark skin. A rounded shape with an average size of 71mm. A crunchy and juicy flesh with a slightly sweet flavour and a brix of 13%. A commercial flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 02/01/2014

Overall Score: 6.5/10

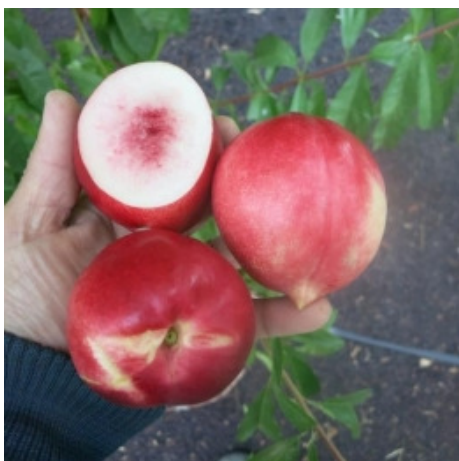


### **Honey Gem**

A yellow nectarine with a blushed dark red skin. A rounded shape with an average size of 73mm. A crunchy and juicy flesh with a balanced flavour and a brix of 11%. A light flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 03/01/2014

Overall Score: 6/10

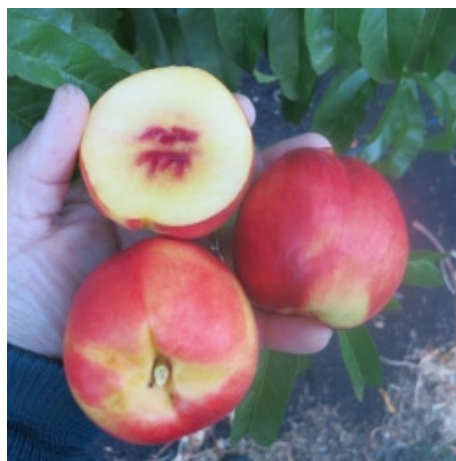


### **FTN 048**

A white nectarine with a blushed red skin. An ovate shape with an average size of 66mm. A medium, juicy flesh with a slightly sweet flavour and a brix of 12%. An average flower density and crop load were recorded for this season..

First Pick: 04/01/2014

Overall Score: 6/10

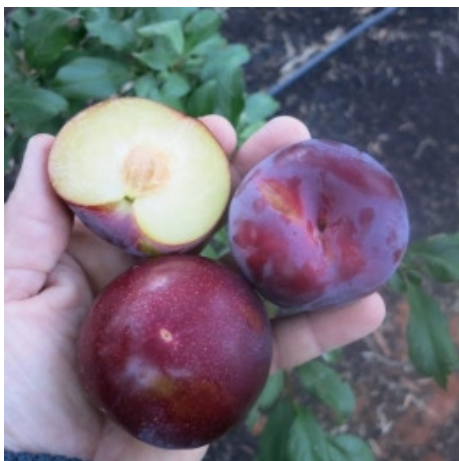


### **FTN 017**

A yellow nectarine with a blushed red skin. An ovate shape with an average size of 68mm. A crunchy, juicy flesh with a slightly sweet flavour and a brix of 13%. A light flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 04/01/2014

Overall Score: 6/10



### **FTIP 081**

An interspecific plum with a solid purple skin. A slightly flat shape with an average size of 58mm. A medium, juicy flesh with a slightly sweet flavour and a brix of 16%. A commercial flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 04/01/2014

Overall Score: 6.5/10



### **FTP 0815**

A yellow peach with a 30% red blush over yellow/green skin. A rounded shape with an average size of 71mm. A rubbery flesh with a slightly sweet, bitter flavour and a brix of 12%. A commercial flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 04/01/2014

Overall Score: 5.5/10



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