



Continuing the Fleming Family Tradition

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.

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Welcome to the 15th 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.

If you would like any more information regarding any of these varieties, please click the photograph and you will be directed to their evaluation. Alternatively, please visit www.factree.com.au and you will have access to all the current evaluations from this season and previous seasons.

If you have any further questions regarding any of these varieties please call our office on (03) 9999 1999 or email us sales@factree.com.au.

If you would like to order any of these varieties please contact us and we can advise of availability.

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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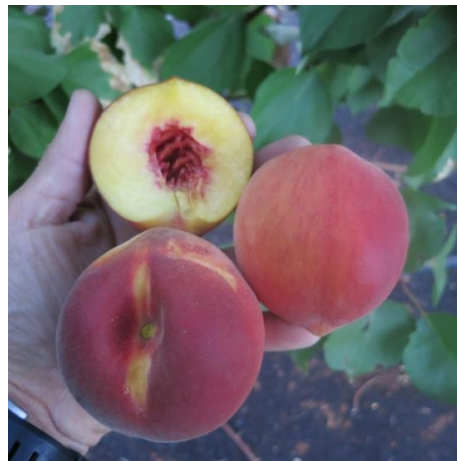


Red Fall™ (cv. 'Zaitreta')

A yellow peach with a 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 13%. A light flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 25/01/2014

Overall Score: 6.5/10

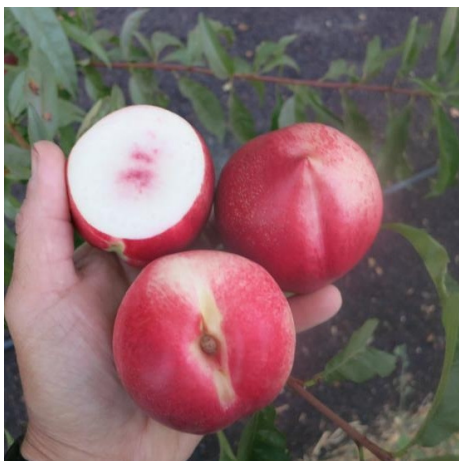


FTP 065

A yellow peach with a dark red skin. A rounded shape with an average size of 71mm. A crunchy and juicy flesh with a slightly sweet flavour and a brix of 14%. A light flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 25/01/2014

Overall Score: 6/10



FTN 065

A white nectarine with a blushed dark red skin. An ovate shape with an average size of 70mm. A crunchy and juicy flesh with a slightly sweet flavour and a brix of 15%. A commercial flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 25/01/2014

Overall Score: 6/10



FTIP 093

An interspecific plum with a maroon skin. A slightly flat shape with an average size of 58mm. A juicy, medium textured flesh with a slightly sweet flavour and a brix of 18%. A commercial flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 27/01/2014

Overall Score: 5/10



Marcia's Flavor PBR

An interspecific plum with a blushed maroon skin. An ovate shape with an average size of 55mm. A crunchy and juicy flesh with a very sweet flavour and a brix of 18%. A commercial flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 28/01/2014

Overall Score: 6.5/10

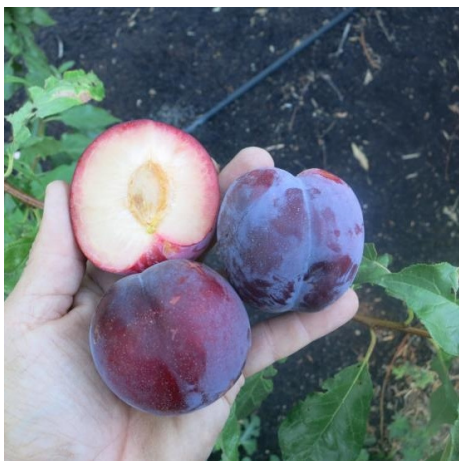


Sierra Rose

An interspecific plum with a purple skin. An ovate shape with an average size of 57mm. A crunchy and juicy flesh with a slightly sweet flavour and a brix of 17%. A light flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 28/01/2014

Overall Score: 6/10



FTIP 0215

An interspecific plum with a purple skin. An oblong shape with an average size of 58mm. A crunchy and juicy flesh with a slightly sweet flavour and a brix of 19%. An average flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 28/01/2014

Overall Score: 6.5/10

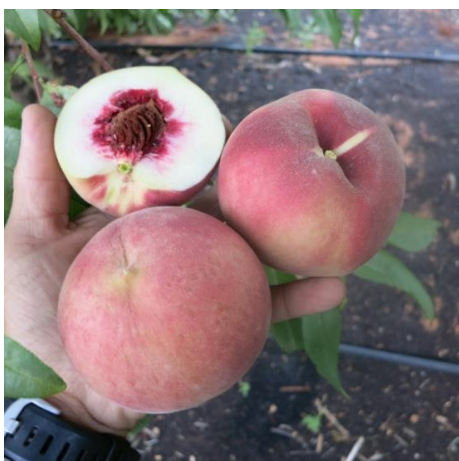


FTIP 032

An interspecific plum with an approximate 20% maroon blush over a yellow skin. A slightly flat shape with an average size of 60mm. A crunchy and juicy flesh with a very sweet flavour and a brix of 17%. A commercial flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 28/01/2014

Overall Score: 7/10

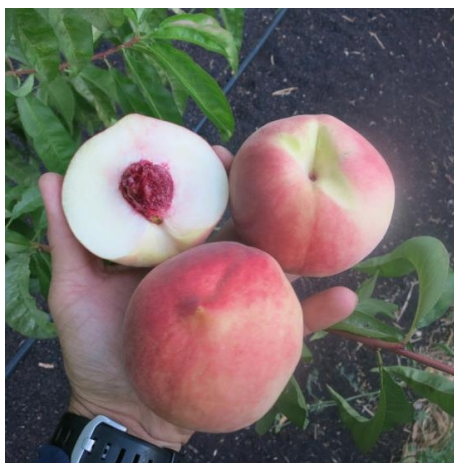


FTP 079

A white peach with a solid red skin. An ovate shape with an average size of 76mm. 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: 29/01/2014

Overall Score: 7/10



FTP 0315

A white peach with a blushed red skin. An ovate shape with an average size of 81mm. A crunchy and juicy flesh with a slightly sweet flavour and a brix of 14%. A light flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 29/01/2014

Overall Score: 6/10



FTP 114

A yellow peach with a dark red skin. A rounded shape with an average size of 76mm. A crunchy and juicy flesh with a very sweet flavour and a brix of 14%. A commercial flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 29/01/2014

Overall Score: 7/10

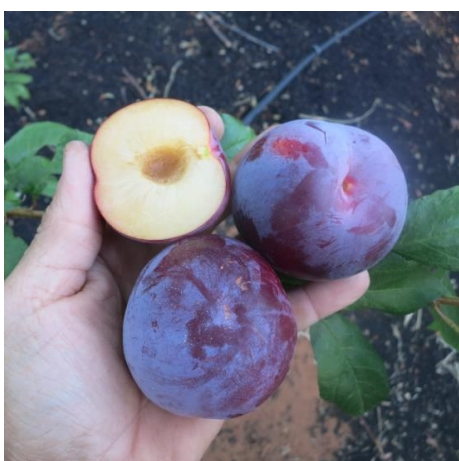


FTIP 085

An interspecific plum with a maroon skin. An ovate shape with an average size of 60mm. A crunchy and juicy flesh with a very sweet flavour and a brix of 22%. An average flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 30/01/2014

Overall Score: 6.5/10

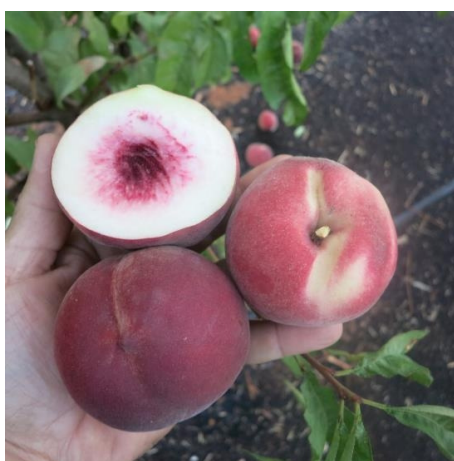


FTIP 016

An interspecific plum with a purple skin. A rounded shape with an average size of 60mm. A juicy flesh with a slightly sweet flavour and a brix of 20%. A light flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 30/01/2014

Overall Score: 5.5/10



FTP 033

A white peach with a dark red skin. A rounded shape with an average size of 67mm. A crunchy and juicy flesh with a very sweet flavour and a brix of 15%. A commercial flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 30/01/2014

Overall Score: 6.5/10



Autumn Glo

An apricot with a yellow/green skin. A slightly flat, assymetric shape with an average size of 52mm. A medium textured flesh with a slightly sweet flavour and a brix of 18%. A light flower density and crop load were recorded for this season. Evaluator notes a very light crop and lumpy fruit.

First Pick: 01/02/2014

Overall Score: 4/10

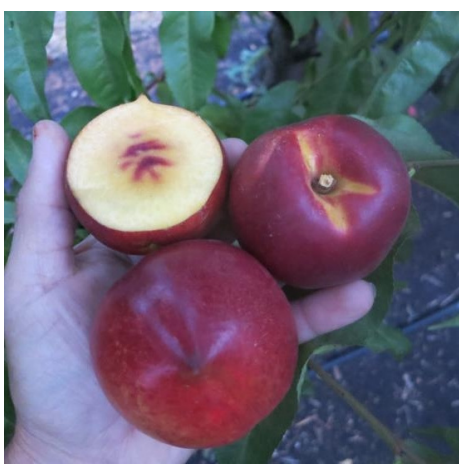


FTP 085

A yellow peach with a solid yellow skin. An ovate shape with an average size of 67mm. A rubbery flesh with a balanced, slightly sweet flavour and a brix of 13%. A commercial flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 02/02/2014

Overall Score: 5.5/10



FTN 092

A yellow nectarine with a solid dark red skin. An ovate shape with an average size of 64mm. A hard, crunchy and juicy flesh with a very sweet flavour and a brix of 17%. A light flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 03/02/2014

Overall Score: 6/10



FTIP 0811

An interspecific plum with a blushed maroon skin. A rounded shape with an average size of 58mm. A crisp, crunchy and juicy flesh with a very sweet flavour and a brix of 20%. A light flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 06/02/2014

Overall Score: 6/10



FTN 0712

A yellow nectarine with a blushed dark red skin. An ovate shape with an average size of 66mm. A medium textured, juicy flesh with a slightly sweet flavour and a brix of 16%. A light flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 07/02/2014

Overall Score: 5.5/10

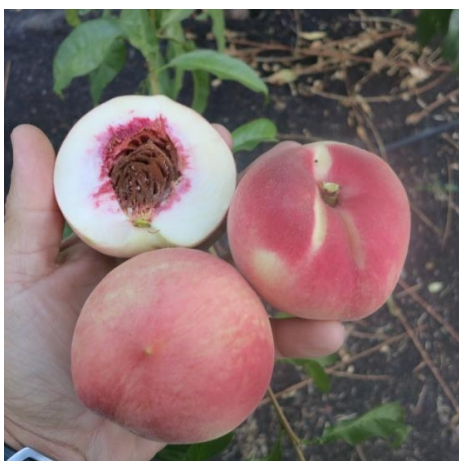


FTPCP 071

A complex interspecific with a blushed maroon skin. An oblong shape with an average size of 60mm. A crunchy and juicy flesh with a very sweet flavour and a brix of 20%. A commercial flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 07/02/2014

Overall Score: 5.5/10



FTP 075

A white peach with a red skin. A rounded shape with an average size of 70mm. A juicy, fine/melting flesh with a very sweet flavour and a brix of 16%. A commercial flower density and crop load were recorded for this season.

First Pick: 07/02/2014

Overall Score: 6/10



FTIP 105

An interspecific plum with a blushed maroon skin. A slightly flat shape with an average size of 53mm. 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: 08/02/2014

Overall Score: 6/10



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