

# Eureka Lemon Tree



## *Citrus limon* 'Eureka'

- **Use:** One of the most popular lemon varieties grown today, it is a vigorous grower and tends to bear while still young with fruit arriving late winter through early summer. The prolific yellow lemons are small-to-medium size, with tender, juicy fruit and few to no seeds, and the rind has prominent ridges and is full of fragrant oil that gives it an intense citrus scent.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Full sun. Water regularly, when top 3 in. of soil is dry, but good draining soil is a must. They are always hungry so be sure to give them lots of citrus fertilizer!
- **Growth:** Moderate grower to 4-7 feet tall and 4-6 feet wide
- **Hardiness:** Zone 9-11; 30 degrees F, must be grown indoors in winter when temps below 50 degrees for reliable fruit production.
- **Foliage:** Evergreen, variegated cream & green foliage
- **Flower:** Fragrant 1 1/2 - 2" white flowers,
- **Fruit:** A true lemon 2-3" wide, not a hybrid like Meyer lemon, and its juice and zest are often made into baked goods like lemon meringue pie or lemon bread. It also makes delicious lemonade and other drinks.

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