

# Sapota

## Varieties

### Kalipatti

**State** : Maharashtra, Gujarat & North Karnataka.

Popular **table purpose** variety, leaves broad, thick and green in colour, fruits oblong/round, borne in single, fruit quality high with soft sweet pulp, main picking season winter. Fully grown tree yields 350-400 fruits/tree.

### Cricket Ball

**State** : Tamil Nadu, Karnataka, Maharashtra, West Bengal, Andhra Pradesh.

It is a **table purpose** variety. Fruits large sized, round, sweet with granular pulp.

### Co.1

**State** : Tamil Nadu

Hybrid between Cricket Ball x Oval suitable as **table purpose**. Bearing after 4 years of planting, fruits large, oblong, sweet, flesh reddish brown, weight 125 g, TSS 18%.

### Co.2

**State** : Tamil Nadu

Selection from 'Baramasi' suitable for **table purpose**. Tree medium in height, fruit oblong-round, medium sized, flesh soft juicy, sweet, gritty, light brown in colour with pleasant aroma, TSS 23%, average wt. of fruit 125-150g.

### PKM. 1

**State** : Tamil Nadu

Selection from Guthi suitable for **table purpose**, profuse bearing, fruits medium sized, elliptical-oblong with thin skin, rich in sugars, TSS 23%, average fruit wt. 80g.

### Pilipatti

**State** : Maharashtra, Gujarat

Suitable for **high density** plantation, fruits oval with rough surface, pulp gritty, medium sweet, average fruit wt. 400-450g.

### Pala

**State** : Andhra Pradesh, Tamil Nadu

Popular & high yielding cultivar, fruits oval or egg shaped, thin skin, borne in clusters with apex broadly pointed and pulp very sweet with good flavour.

## **Guthi**

**State** : Andhra Pradesh, Tamil Nadu

Tree medium in height conical in shape. Fruit elliptical, small, brown, Pulp less juicy, soft, gritty, brown in colour, with slight aroma.

## **Bangalore**

**State** : Andhra Pradesh

Large sized oval fruits with about nine ridges running from the base to the apex, apex round, pulp golden coloured, medium sweet.

## **Kirtibarathi**

**State** : Andhra Pradesh, Tamil Nadu

It is cultivated for table as well as for processing purpose. Very small egg shaped fruit with four to six ridges on the rind, skin is rough, medium thick with buff colour, pulp very sweet when fully ripe. Ideal for transporting to distant markets.

## **CO.3**

**State** : Tamil Nadu

Hybrid between 'Cricket Ball' and 'Vavivalasa'. Trees are of intermediate stature. Bearing commences from the fourth year of planting. Fruits are dull brown, oblong, sweet, average annual yield of 157 kg fruits/tree