

Fruit Size

Fruit size differentiation occurs mainly during the early stages of fruit development. In order to maximize fruit size, ensure there is sufficient water and resources during this period (November – March):

- Tree health – healthy roots take up nutrients more efficiently.
- Irrigation – ensure your irrigation plan is effective.
- Fertilization – potassium nutrition is particularly important.
- Flower pruning and fruit thinning early can help to increase fruit size by managing crop load and reducing competition for resources.

