

# How and when to feed fruit & citrus trees<sup>v2</sup>

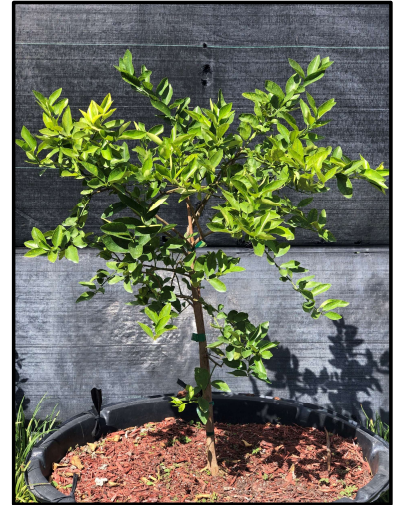


## Step 1. Pre and Post Harvest Care

Fruit and Citrus trees are somewhat demanding in their fertilizer requirements, especially Potassium. Do not overuse fertilizers with high Nitrogen which will promote flush growth and retard flowers and blooms.

During the year, prior to harvest, topdress with a granular application of **Fruit Special 8-3-9** to stimulate growth and development

After the harvest, resume the applications until the following year



## Step 2. When the tree flowers and blooms

When the tree begins to flower it is a signal that the plant is transitioning from the vegetative to the fruiting stage.

Switch nutritional feed from the one used in Step 1 of the vegetative stage to a more fruit promoting fertilizer like **Harvest Pro 0-0-22**

Continue until fruits appear on tree



## Step 3. When the tree develops fruits

Fruit production may occur throughout the year, but depending upon cultivar, the major harvest season may be during summer, autumn, or winter

Once fruits appear on the tree, continue with **Harvest Pro 0-0-22** to provide extra potassium and magnesium

*As a rule of thumb apply ¼ pound of product per every inch (1") of trunk diameter as measured at around four feet of height*

*Contact your local Plant Pharmacy representative for all the products needed to have a great harvest*



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