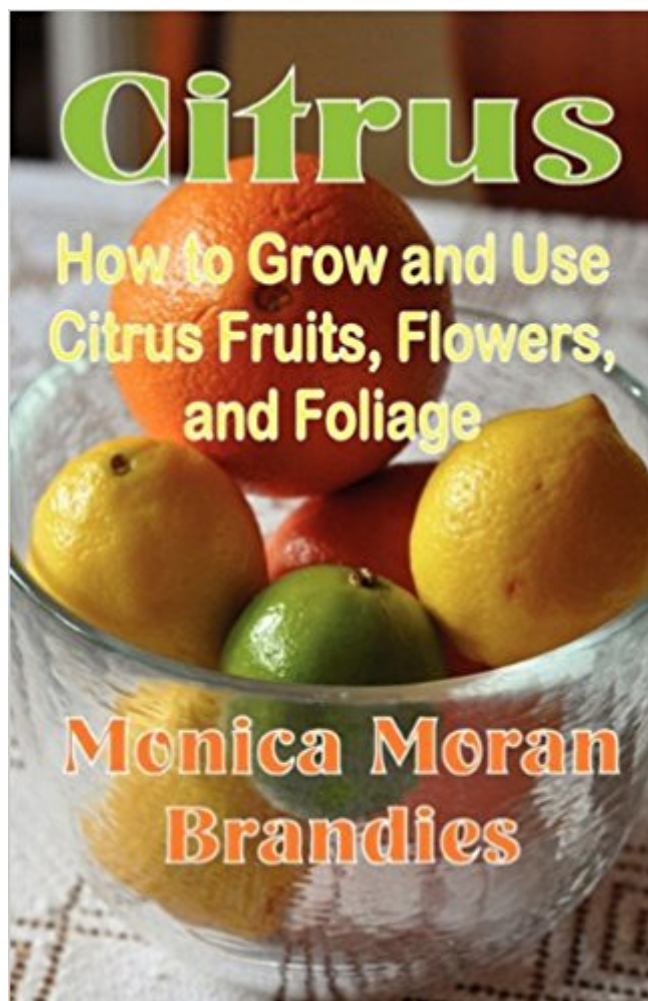


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Citrus: How To Grow And Use Citrus Fruits, Flowers, And Foliage



Synopsis

Grow it! Find the best types for your garden! Use it! Here are recipes for drinks, food, beauty products, household products, insect repellents, and more. Don't waste the fruit, peels, or even the blossoms. Citrus is one of the world's most useful herbs. In this colorful handbook, popular Florida author Monica Brandies shares her ways with wonderful citrus: * Buy or harvest citrus. Tips on selection and storage of the best fruit. * Grow citrus at home. Indoors in cool climates and outdoors in many southern states, here's what you need to know to keep your citrus trees and shrubs healthy. * Citrus in the kitchen. Recipes and techniques for food and drink from citrus fruits, peels, and flowers. Directions for many homemade treats! * Citrus around the house. Make your own air fresheners, potpourri, citrus vinegar, citrus products for cleaning and stain removal, and home-made orange oil for multiple heavy duty uses. There is never a reason to waste any part of a citrus fruit. * Citrus in the garden. Use citrus peels to kill bugs and fire ants, repel mosquitoes and cats, and make worm compost. * Citrus guide. These listings and color photos help you select appropriate and interesting citrus types and cultivars, and check on the harvest time in many USA citrus-growing regions.

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Customer Reviews

Very interesting to learn how to use citrus, and its many benefits, but did lack somewhat on how to grow them. It's what I was looking for. Having it first in the title is misleading.

Well written and very useful book. Very informative and well organized. I would highly recommend this book to anyone interested in citrus.

This author is definitely passionate about Citrus. I bought this book to get more information on fertilizing and controlling insects and this book has info that I've not seen anywhere else.

The book was not what I expected or wanted. Too much "use" of citrus and not enough "how to grow".

Love the recipes and info on citrus. A very interesting book. Very informative for serious and new citrus growers thoroughly enjoyed reading this book

Nice book

This book isn't bad, but it isn't great either. If you are just starting to think about moving to Florida, maybe check it out from the library. At least thirty percent of the book is devoted to unsubstantiated text on the benefits of citrus fruits for "detoxifying" and other Dr. Oz-type stuff. Relatively little is on the actual growing of citrus and its varieties. The entire group is treated as a whole with only relative terms used to classify hardiness. This book is almost useless if you live outside of Florida. It is so Florida-specific that it should be mentioned in the title. Much of the household uses that are spoken about are only anecdotally supported. It isn't useless, but better in the hands of a complete novice. At least, if that novice lives in Florida.

Citrus has a grand assortment of health benefits and many don't know how to get the most of out of it. "Citrus: How to Grow and Use Citrus Fruits, Flowers, and Foliage" is a guide to getting the most out of citrus and its many uses, not just health, that citrus can have for the modern home. Monica Moran Brandies discusses how to grow citrus in one's own home as well as how to select store bought versions. "Citrus" is a very useful resource and highly recommended.

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