

Miho

Satsuma fruit are easy-peel and seedless. The trees are low vigour for a citrus tree, but heavy croppers and need fruit thinning for best results. Satsumas are cold-hardy and need minimal spraying for diseases. They can be grown in large containers.

Miho (Miho Wase) is a nucellar seedling of Miyagawa selected in Japan in 1940. The fruit are somewhat more oblate than Miyagawa, but higher in sugar, usually lower in acid, and earlier in maturity. The tree is also more vigorous. Miho is the most popular early satsuma grown in New Zealand.