

*The Food Plant People*  
**Tropiculture Australia**

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**Tropiculture Australia** established for over 34 years in Australia's tropical Northern Territory, specialises in all aspects of fruit tree and food plant cultivation, fruit production, research and development, horticultural advisory services, plant nursery and fertiliser manufacturing.

**Tropiculture Australia is committed to sustainable agriculture.**

**Fertilisers** - An associate **Tropifert Australia P/L** manufactures and distributes a range of organic based fertilisers and associated products. Products include Tropifert "Grower", "Superfruit", "Fish'n Chips for Plants" liquid plant food, Potting mix etc.

**Fruit Tree and Food Plant Nursery** - Supplies Food Plants to commercial growers and retail nurseries in the Northern Territory, interstate and overseas. The nursery consists of over 100,000 plants and some 400 varieties including many different mango, citrus, carambola, guava, figs, sapodilla, avocado, banana, longan, spondias, jackfruit, bamboo, abiu, vanilla, passionfruit, vegetables, herbs, spices and much more.

**Research and Development** - Tropiculture Australia is committed to all aspects of horticultural research and development and has selected, improved and developed a number of cultivars, fertilisers and production methods.

**Horticultural Services** - The consulting service covers all aspects of tropical horticulture and advises commercial growers, new investors, communities and the general public on developing and establishing orchards and market gardens.

**Orchard** - 8 hectares at Bees Creek, 40km from Darwin, consists of over 4,000 fruit trees and other plants.

**-Farm Sales and Fruit Tasting-**

We are open to the public every Saturday morning between 8 am and 12 noon.

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# NURSERY CATALOGUE

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Our policy is to always maintain quality stock with budwood, cuttings, tissue culture and seed sourced from clean, and wherever possible virus free or certified material. Listed in this catalogue are some of the fruit trees, food plants, herbs and associated lines we maintain in stock in varying quantities depending on demand. Seasonal vegetables are not listed.

Plants are produced in season, subject to demand, we may from time to time run out of stock of certain items. **Commercial quantities must be ordered well in advance.**

Standard stock lines are generally in 5 litre bags, or as indicated. Tube stock where possible is also available. Advanced trees are available in 10.5 litre pots and large tubs. Multi grafts are also available from time to time or produced on request.

Items marked "T/A" or "T/A Selection" are those selected, crossbred, developed or improved through various propagation means by Tropiculture Australia.

Plant suitability for your area should be checked before ordering.

**We trust this catalogue will be of assistance. We will be happy to supply further information.**

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| <b>ABIU</b>            | <b>Pouteria caimito</b><br>T.25<br>Z.4<br>Seedlings<br>Attractive yellow skin fruit of excellent flavour   |
| <b>AKEE</b>            | <b>Blighia sapida</b><br>Arillus attached to the seed eaten when ripe fruit opens along sides  |
| <b>ALOE VERA</b>       | <b>Aloe barbadensis</b> 140mm Pot<br>Commercial variety for drinks and medicinal. Leaves up to 1kg.  |
| <b>ANNONA</b>          | Custard apples:-<br>African Pride ( <b>Atemoya</b> )<br>Bullocks Heart ( <b>Riticulata</b> )<br>Sugar Apple ( <b>Squamosa</b> )<br>Soursop ( <b>Muricata</b> )   |
| <b>AVOCADO</b>         | <b>Persea americana</b> (Tropical Selection) Self Pollinating<br>T/A Schuller Prolific bearer, conical tree, good flavour<br>T/A Calypso (107) Sweet, nutty flavour  |
| <b>BARBADOS CHERRY</b> | <b>Malpighia galbra</b><br>Red acidic cherry type fruit high in vitamin C  |
| <b>BILIMBING</b>       | <b>Averrhoa bilimbing</b><br>Very acidic, gherkin looking fruit suitable for jams,<br>chutney and removing stains  |
| <b>BANANA</b>          | <b>Musa</b><br>Tissue cultured 200mm Pots<br>Commercial quantities available in tubes on request.<br>Var. Lady Finger, Williams, JDD, Dwarf Red Dacca,<br>Pacific Plantain(cooking banana), Sucrier, Grande Naine etc. |
| <b>BASELLA SPINACH</b> | <b>Basella alba</b> 140mm Pots<br>Spinach known as Ceylon, Malabar, Indian and Mong Toi Spinach  |
| <b>BRAZIL SPINACH</b>  | <b>Alteruanthera sissoo</b> 140mm pot  |
| <b>BASIL</b>           | <b>Ocimum basilicum</b> Thai, Sweet and other varieties 140mm Pots   |

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| <b>BAMBOO</b>           | <b>Bambusa oldhamii</b> 10.5lt pots. (Smaller pots on request)<br>Sweet Shoot Bamboo 15mx12cm Grown also for Timber<br><b>Dendrocalamus asper (pring betung)</b><br>Edible Shoots and Timber 30mx30 cm<br><b>Dendrocalamus brandisii</b><br>Edible Shoots and Timber 36mx20cm<br>Worlds Tallest Bamboo<br><b>Dendrocalamus latiflorus</b><br>Sweet Bamboo 24m.X 20cm. Grown also for Timber<br><b>Dendrocalamus latiflorus (Variegated) var. Mei Nung</b><br>Light green culms with darker green stripes<br><b>Gigantochloa Timor</b><br>Giant Black Bamboo 20mx10cm<br>Black with Green Stripes when young , used for furniture. |            |
| <b>BAY CHERRY</b>       | <b>Eugenia reinwardtia</b><br>Native spreading bushy tree, good flavoured cherry type fruit.  |            |
| <b>BAY LEAF</b>         | <b>Laurus nobilis</b><br>Leaves used to flavour food. In tropics best grown in pots.  |            |
| <b>BLACK SAPOTE</b>     | <b>Diospyros digyna</b><br>T/A Large Fruit<br>Also known as the chocolate pudding fruit   |            |
| <b>BRAHMI</b>           | <b>Bacopa monnieri</b><br>Enhances memory   | 140mm pot  |
| <b>BRAZILIAN CHERRY</b> | <b>Eugenia uniflora</b><br>Attractive red acidic fruit high vitamin C   |            |
| <b>BREAD FRUIT</b>      | <b>Artocarpus altilis</b><br>Starch food. Baked, boiled or chips.   |            |
| <b>CANISTEL</b>         | <b>Pouteria campechiana</b><br>Mealy, sweet yellow/orange pulp  |            |
| <b>CARAMBOLA</b>        | <b>Averrhoa carambola</b><br>BCP.1 - T/A Selection<br>B.10 - Malaysian Selection<br>B.17 - Malaysian Honey Carambola<br>(Requires B.10 or B.2 for pollination)<br>B.2 - Malaysian Selection (Pollinator)  |            |
| <b>CASHEW</b>           | <b>Anacardium occidentale</b><br>Pear Juicy and refreshing. Seeds to be treated.  |            |
| <b>CERMAI</b>           | <b>Cicca acida / Phyllanthus acidus</b><br>Gooseberry like fruit. Eaten stewed or pickled   |            |
| <b>CINNAMON</b>         | <b>Cinnamon zeylanicum</b><br>Spice from bark. Oil from leaves  |            |
| <b>CITRONELLA GRASS</b> | <b>Cymbopogon nardus</b> A source for citronella oil  | 140mm pot  |
| <b>CHILLIES</b>         | <b>Capsicum annum</b><br>Many varieties available including Habanera, Birdseye, Ball etc.   | 140mm pot  |
| <b>CHIVES...GARLIC</b>  | <b>Allium ursinum</b>   | 140 ml pot |
| <b>COCONUTS</b>         | <b>Cocos nucifera</b><br>Shot but not potted  |            |
| <b>CASSAVA</b>          | <b>Manihot dulcis</b><br>Large starchy bulb. Baked, boiled or chips.  | 140mm pot  |
| <b>CURRY LEAF</b>       | <b>Murraya koenigii</b><br>Leaves used for food flavouring  |            |
| <b>COCOA</b>            | <b>Theobroma cacao</b><br>Seeds dried for cocoa   |            |
| <b>COFFEE</b>           | <b>Coffea</b><br>Arabica coffee   |            |

## CITRUS

All Citrus:- 5lt bags  
10.5lt pots

### **BERGAMOT**

#### **C. bergamia**

Oil extracted from rind for perfumes and flavouring

### **KUMQUAT**

Nagami - oval fruit (**Fortunella margarita**)

Meiwa – round to oval fruit (**Fortunella crassifolia**)

### **CALAMONDIN**

#### **C. madurensis**

Green Leaf variety Orange/Yellow fruit

Variiegated variety both fruit and leaves

Fruit resembles miniature orange acidic and juicy, heavy bearer

### **CITRON**

#### **C. medica**

Buddha's Hand (Fingered Citron) Attractive ornamental

Etrog . Peel is made into a crystallised sweet

### **GRAPEFRUIT**

#### **C. paradisi**

BCP –Ruby Red T/A selection prolific bearer and juicy

Rio – Red

Marsh -White

### **LEMON**

#### **C. limon**

Tropical Meyer T/A selection prolific bearer, very juicy fruit

Eureka

Lisbon

Villa Franca

Fino

Verna

### **LIMES**

#### **C. latifolia**

Tahitian – large green fruit, seedless

West Indian – aromatic excellent flavour. T/A selection

Florida – thornless (West Indian Type)

Elsie de Vos - Orange flesh makes excellent marmalades

### **NATIVE LIMES**

Finger Limes ...**Citrus australasica**

Australian round lime...**Citrus australis**

Faustrimendins...Finger Lime crossed with Kumquat and Calamondin

### **KAFFIR LIME**

#### **C. hystrix**

(Nathanael clone) T/A selection – leaves & fruit rind used for

Flavouring food. Fruit juicy and aromatic. Very, very small thorns.

### **PUMMELO**

#### **C. grandis**

Bos. - Red

Termtat - White

### **MANDARIN**

#### **C. reticulata**

Tropical Emperor T/A selection, heavy bearer, easy peel

Fremont

Daisy

Murcott (Honey Murcott)

Afourer (Murcott)

### **ORANGE**

#### **C. cinensis**

Valencia T/A selection

Navel T/A selection

Joppa

Maltese (Red flesh in colder regions)

### **SEVILLE ORANGE**

**C. aurantium**

Fosr the perfect marmalade. Perfume oil extracted from flowers.

### **LEMONADE**

#### **C. limon x cinensis**

Unique non acidic effervescent flavour

### **SWEET LIME**

Mediterranean sweet lime

A very refreshing flavour

### **TANGELO**

#### **C. paradisi x reticulata**

Mineola

OTHER CITRUS ON APPLICATION

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| <b>DATE PALM</b>  | <b>Phoenix dactylifera</b><br>Fruit requires dry desert type climate. Elsewhere as ornamental.   |
| <b>DRAGON FRUIT(PITAYA)</b>                             | Red Flesh ... <b>Hylocereus paolyrhi</b> 140mm pots<br>White Flesh.. <b>Hylocereus undatas</b> or Cuttings<br>White Flesh, Easily removed spines, Yellow skin. <b>H. katom</b><br>Climbing cacti producing delicious fruit from large showy<br>night blooming flowers. |
| <b>DRUMSTICK/HORSE RADISH/KELOR TREE</b>                | <b>Moringa oleifera</b><br>Many parts of the tree can be eaten including Pods, Leaves and Roots<br>Plus many medicinal uses. Very fast grower  |
| <b>DURIAN</b>   | <b>Durio zebethinus</b><br>The King of fruits, smells like hell, tastes like heaven. Very tropical.  |
| <b>FIGS</b>   | <b>Ficus carica</b> 10.5lt pot<br>S t. John - small bushy tree, brown fruit 5lt Bag<br>Others available include...Brown Turkey, Deanna, etc.   |
| <b>GALANGAL</b>   | <b>Alpinia officinarum</b> 140mm Pot<br>Aromatic rhizome and oil used for food flavouring  |
| <b>GINGER</b>   | <b>Zingiber officinale</b> 140mm Pot<br>Culinary and medicinal use   |
| <b>GRUMICHAMA</b>                                       | <b>Eugenia dombeyi</b><br>Fruit looks like cherry , good flavour   |
| <b>GUAVA</b>  | <b>Psidium guajava</b><br>Glom Sali - large round, white flesh, crunchy excellent flavour<br>Pink - small pear shaped fruit<br>Northern Gold T/A selection round, 200-300gms excellent flavour   |
| <b>IMBE</b>   | <b>Garcinia livingstonei</b><br>Yellow/orange fruit  |
| <b>JABOTICABA</b>                                       | <b>Myrciaria cauliflora</b><br>Cherry type fruit grows on trunks and main stems  |
| <b>JACKFRUIT</b>  | <b>Artocarpus heterophyllus</b><br>Medium size fruit. Firm yellow flesh. T/A selection<br>Medium size orange flesh   |
| <b>KAKADU PLUM</b>                                      | <b>Terminalia ferdinandiana</b><br>Native to Northern Australia. Acidic High Vitamin C,<br>jams, pickles, stewed and chutneys.   |
| <b>KENCUR</b>   | <b>Kaempferia galanga</b> 140mm Pot<br>Rhizomes used for food flavouring   |
| <b>KRACHAI (Thai),CHINESE KEYS, LESSER GALANGAL....</b> | <b>Boesenbergia rotunda</b>  |
| <b>LEMON GRASS</b>                                      | <b>Cymbopogon citratus</b> For food flavouring   |
| <b>LITCHI</b>   | <b>Litchi chinensis</b><br>Fayzee Siu<br>Bosworth 3  |
| <b>LONGAN</b>   | <b>Euphoria longana</b><br>T/A Longan<br>Haew<br>Kohala  |
| <b>LOQUAT</b>   | <b>Eriobotrya japonica</b><br>Not for tropics  |
| <b>MACADAMIA</b>  | <b>Macadamia intergrifolia</b><br>Cultivar 816   |
| <b>MADRONO</b>  | <b>Reedia madruno</b><br>Small yellow/orange fruit   |
| <b>MALAY APPLE</b>                                      | <b>Syzygium malaccensis</b><br>Red skin white pulp refreshing fruit  |
| <b>MIRACLE FRUIT</b>                                    | <b>Sunsepalum dulciferum</b><br>Berries alter taste buds so that sour acid fruit taste sweet.<br>Plant best retained in large pot and part shade.  |

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| <b>MANGOSTEEN</b>                     | <b>Garcinia mangostana</b><br>queen of fruits. Very tropical.  |                               |
| <b>MANGO</b>                          | <b>Mangifera indica</b><br>Many varieties available including:<br>Kensington Pride                      Falan<br>Irwin    Glenn<br>Strawberry                                  Nam Doc Mai<br>Nang Klan Wan                              Lemon<br>Banana (Fong Lim)                        R2E2<br>Keitt    Kent<br>Pamela Jane                                  Tommy Atkins<br>Vandyke                                        Haden<br>Valencia Pride                                Khieo Sawoei<br>Elephant                                        Sri Jaya                      And many others |                               |
| <b>MATA KUCING</b>                    | <b>Euphoria malaiense</b><br>Small bushy tree has heavy crop of sweet fruit<br>(similar to Longan) up to 2cm in diameter.  |                               |
| <b>MINT</b>                           | <b>Mentha</b> variety    140mm Pot<br><b>Persicaria odorata</b> Viet. hot mint/Laksa Leaf  |                               |
| <b>MONSTERA DELICIOSA</b>             | Also known as fruit salad fruit and inch fruit   |                               |
| <b>MORINDA CITRIFOLIA/Nonni Fruit</b> |  |                               |
| <b>MULBERRY</b>                       | <b>Morus nigra</b> Black Berries<br><b>Morus alba</b> White Berries  |                               |
| <b>OIL PALM</b>                       | <b>Elaeis guineensis</b><br>Oil bearing fruit produce palm oil of commerce   |                               |
| <b>OLIVE</b>                          | <b>Olea europaea</b> Olive of commerce<br>Arbequina<br>Manzanillo  |                               |
| <b>PANDAN</b>                         | <b>Pandanus amaryllifolius..</b><br>Used as flavouring in Asian cooking  | 200mm pot<br>140mm pot        |
| <b>PAPAYA/PAWPAW</b>                  | <b>Carica papaya</b><br>T/A Yellow Flesh<br>Exotica Red  | 140mm pot                     |
| <b>PASSIONFRUIT</b>                   | <b>Passiflora edulis</b><br>Panama Red<br>Hawaiian Gold  | 140mm pot                     |
| <b>PEANUTS</b>                        | <b>Arachis hypogaea</b>  | 140mm pot                     |
| <b>PEDALAI</b>                        | <b>Artocarpus sericicarpus</b><br>Large tree, fruit eaten fresh, seeds maybe boiled or roasted   |                               |
| <b>PEPPER</b>                         | <b>Piper nigrum</b><br>Vine producing commercial pepper  | 140mm Pot                     |
| <b>PINEAPPLE</b>                      | <b>Ananas comosus</b><br>Roughie (Sugar Pineapple)<br>Cayenne (Also used for canning)<br>Delicious   | 140mm Pot<br>or Loose Suckers |
| <b>POMEGRANATE</b>                    | <b>Puncia granatum</b><br>A very ancient fruit from the middle east.   |                               |
| <b>ROLLINIA DELICIOSA</b>             | Also known as Amazon Custard Apple or Lemon Meringue fruit.  |                               |
| <b>ROSELLA</b>                        | <b>Hibiscus sabdariffa</b><br>Makes perfect jam, jelly and cordial. High vitamin C   | 140mm Pot                     |
| <b>ROSE APPLE</b>                     | <b>Eugenia jambos</b><br>Rose scented fruit eaten fresh or preserved   |                               |
| <b>RAMBUTAN</b>                       | <b>Nephelium lappaceum</b><br>Very tropical.   | Marcotted<br>Grafted          |
| <b>SALAK</b>                          | <b>Salacca edulis</b><br>Very spiky palm with fruit peel resembling snake skin   |                               |

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| <b>SPONDIAS CYTHEREA</b>      | Dwarf variety of this popular fruit .Also known as Fiji Apple, Golden Apple, Kedongdong, Hog Plum, Coc, etc. |            |
| <b>SANTOL</b>                 | <b>Sandoricum koetjape/indicum</b>   |            |
|                               | Thirst quenching, good flavour, pulp adheres to seed   |            |
| <b>SAPODILLA</b>              | <b>Manilkara zapota</b>  |            |
|                               | Also known as Ciku. Varieties include Sowa Manilla, Berrimah, Ponderosa, Prolific.                           |            |
| <b>STAR APPLE</b>             | <b>Chrysophyllum caimito</b>   |            |
|                               | Haitian (purple)   |            |
|                               | T/A Green  |            |
|                               | T/A Purple   |            |
| <b>STEVIA</b>                 | <b>Stevia rebaudiana</b>   | 140mm Pots |
|                               | Natural sweetner   |            |
| <b>STRAWBERRY TREE</b>        | <b>Muntingia calabura</b>  |            |
|                               | Fast grower, bright red fruit, sweet, with edible minute seeds   |            |
| <b>SWEET LEAF</b>             | <b>Sauropus androgynus</b>   |            |
| <b>SUGARCANE</b>              | <b>Saccharum officinarum</b>   |            |
| <b>SWEET POTATO</b>           | <b>Ipomoea batatas</b>   | 140mm pot  |
|                               | Orange stringless variety  |            |
|                               | Purple skin, White flesh variety   |            |
| <b>TAMARIND</b>               | <b>Tamarindus indicum</b>  |            |
|                               | Sweet pulp variety   |            |
|                               | Semi Sweet variety   |            |
| <b>TARO</b>                   | <b>Colocasia</b>   | 140mm pot  |
|                               | Large bulb variety   |            |
| <b>THREE SPICE/FIVE SPICE</b> | <b>Plectranthus amboinicus</b>   | 140mm pot  |
| <b>TUMERIC</b>                | <b>Curcuma longa</b>   | 140mm pot  |
|                               | Rhizome used as spice and dyes   |            |
| <b>VANILLA</b>                | <b>Vanilla planifolia</b>  | 140mm pot  |
|                               | Orchid vine producing spice beans of commerce  |            |
| <b>VIETNAMESE CORIANDER</b>   | <b>Eryngium foetidum</b>   | 140mm pot  |
|                               | Food flavouring  |            |
| <b>WAX APPLE</b>              | <b>Syzygium aqueum</b>   |            |
|                               | Red bell shaped fruit, also known as Water Apple & Bell Apple  |            |
| <b>ZIZYPHUS MAURITIANA</b>    | Eaten fresh or dried. Pitted, dried fruit sold as Chinese dates.   |            |

OTHER PLANTS ON APPLICATION

PRICES SUBJECT TO ALTERATION WITHOUT NOTIFICATION

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## TROPIFERT FERTILISERS

### Tropifert

**'GROWER' blend** From Organic Material - general purpose N 4.5 - P 4.0 - K 4.0  
Suitable for Citrus, Ornamentals, Lawns, Vegetables, Tomato, establishment  
of Young Trees and wherever a higher Nitrogen level is required.  
Application rate 50 - 100 grms per square metre

### Tropifert

**'SUPERFRUIT' blend** From Organic Material - N1.90 - P 4.50 - K5.50  
Unique blend resulting in firm fruit with enhanced flavour and long shelf  
life. For Mango Apply March/early April. Also suitable for many other fruit,  
including Papaya, Banana, Rollinia, Avocado, Passion Fruit, Pineapple, Guava,  
Dragon fruit, Carambola, Star apple, Custard apples etc.  
Application rate 50 - 100 grms per square metre.

### Tropifert

**'FISH EMULSION'** From Organic Material - Liquid Fertiliser & Soil Conditioner. N 2.7- P.40-K.30  
Generally used as a foliar spray it is also very effective in soil applications.  
It also assists in protecting the plant against insects and fungi.  
Application rate 10-20 mls per litre water

### Tropifert

**FISH 'N CHIPS for PLANTS** Manufactured from recycled Cooking Oils and Fish Bi-product.  
The perfect nutritional takeaway for plants . Maybe used as a foliar or for  
soil application . Also helps to deter insects and fungal diseases.  
Other nutrients may also be added if required.  
**Foliar or Soil application:-**  
Trees....15mls per litre water following new flush and at plantout.  
Vegetables and Nurseries....8 to 10mls per litre water 2-3 week intervals.

### GUANO GOLD

From Organic Material - Phosphatic Fertiliser P 12 - Ca 29 - Silica 10  
Unique natural fertiliser consisting of Phosphorous, Calcium and Silica  
essential for good quality Fruit , Vegetables, Pastures, Grain etc.  
Application rate 30-50 grms per square metre

### POTASSIUM PLUS

Potassium, Magnesium and Sulphur  
K 17-Mg 19 - S 9

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### AGRISPON

Liquid Bio-Stimulant. A natural multi plant extract and soil activator. Improves  
uptake of nutrients as soil microbes are stimulated. Improves soil structure.  
Application rate 1 lt. per hectare.

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### Tropifert POTTING MIX

Complete potting mix blended from soil free organic material. Bulk or 32lt/25kg  
bags. Includes Tropifert Grower Fertiliser to supply food for your plants

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**WE CAN ALSO BLEND PRODUCTS TO CUSTOMER REQUIREMENTS. (Subject to quantity)**

**WE CAN ASSIST YOU TO ACHIEVE MORE IN PRODUCTION AND QUALITY**

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