

# White Delight Peach Series

The White Delight peach series is being released by Texas A&M University to provide firm, attractive, subacid, white-fleshed, high quality peaches for the medium chill zone. These new peach cultivars would supply a series of peaches ripening over six weeks from late May until early July in the medium chill zone of Texas.

**Productivity:** High when tested in Fairfield and Terrell, Texas where 'June Gold' and 'Harvester' are grown commercially. White Delight Two is also productive in Floresville, Texas where 'Flordaking' and 'TexKing' are grown commercially.

**Size:** Medium to large depending on the number of fruit left on the tree..

**Quality:** Low acid, sweet. Excellent.

**Flesh:** White and melting.

**Ripening season:** A series of four cultivars that ripen from late May until early July.

**Chilling requirement:** White Delight One and White Delight Two require 550 chilling hours whereas White Delight Three and White Delight Four require about 700 chilling hours to fruit normally. This is based on the relative bloom times in relation to the standard cultivars 'June Gold' and 'Regal'.

**Availability:** Budwood available under license for budding in 2013.

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White Delight 1 - Late May



White Delight 2 - Mid June



White Delight 3 - Late June



White Delight 4 - Early July

