Melon

The melon plant (*Cucumis melo*) has a pronounced polymorphism (i.e. there exist a lot of types, depending on the flesh color, too). According to some historic sources, this plant was already known during the Greek and Roman times.

Type	Cantalupo (yellow-orange flesh), winter melon (white flesh), netted (yellow-green flesh).
Origin	Italy - Sicily/Apulia
Variety	Karman, Talento, Giusto, Gialletto.
Caliber	Variable, depending on fruit weight: minimum weight 600g.
Characteristics	This fruit is eaten almost only uncooked, as starter or dessert. It is rich in sugars, mineral salts ad vitamins (A and C). It has refreshing and adjuvant properties. Another important feature is the low energetic value (20 to 40 calories/100g).
Conservation	Optimal conservation temperature 8-10 °C.
Available packagings	- loose product single layer in carton boxes (30x40): 5kg (4-5 pcs), 10kg (9-10 pcs) - other packagings available on request.

Availability

JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
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