

Capsicum annuum var. glabriusculum



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Bird Pepper

Solanaceae

Plant Specifics

Size: Dwarf shrub, use like a wildflower. 3 ft tall by 2.5 ft wide

Life Span: Short-lived perennial

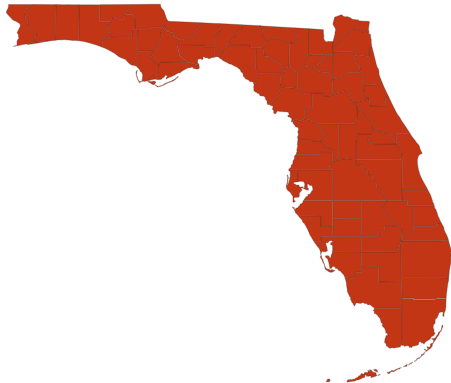
Flower Color: White

Fruit Color: Orange, red

Phenology: Evergreen. Flowers and fruits year-round.

Habitats:

Natural Range in Florida



USDA Zones

Suitable to grow in:



Landscaping

Recommended Uses: Edible, very hot fruits

Light: ☀ Full Sun, ☁ Part Shade

Moisture Tolerance: Not wet but not extremely dry ----- to -----
Somewhat long very dry periods

Salt Water Flooding Tolerance: Not salt tolerant of inundation by salty or brackish water.

Salt Spray Tolerance: Low/no tolerance of salty wind or direct salt spray

Soil/Substrate: Clay, Sand

Wildlife



Birds (especially mockingbirds) eat the green, un-ripened peppers.

Attracts bees.

