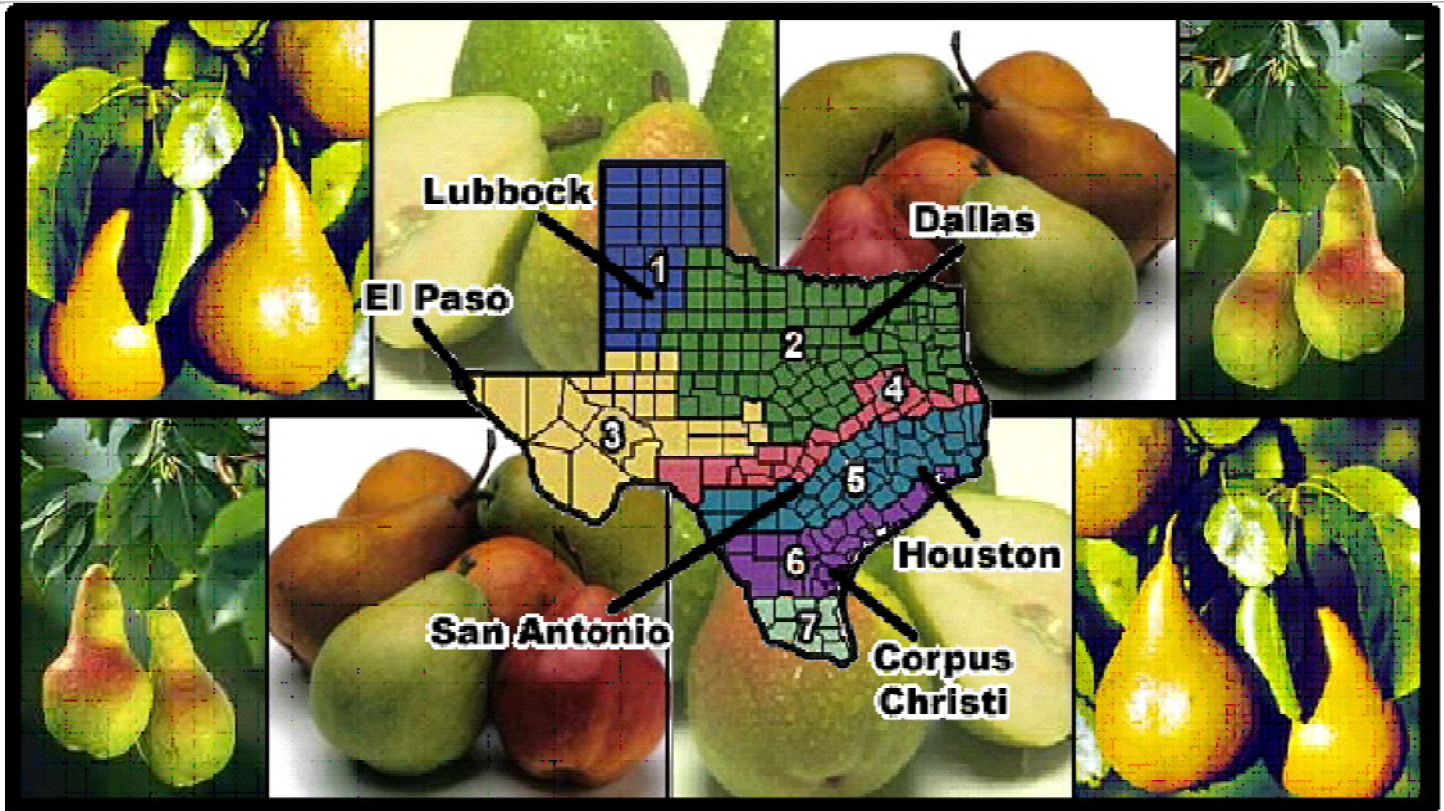


Fruit Variety Recommendations for Texas

Pears - *Prunus, spp.*



Variety	Zone*	Chill Req.	Fruit Characteristics				Avg. Ripe Date	Pollination
			Texture	Skin Color	Size	Flavor		
Ayers	1,2,3,4	High to Medium	Fine Grained	Yellow w Red blush	Medium	Sweet	August	Cross: Bartlett, Kieffer
Bartlett	1,2	High to Medium	Fine Grained	Yellow w Red blush		Sweet	August	Cross: Ayers, Kieffer
Florida Home	6,7	Low	Juicy	Light Green	Small	Sweet	Early July	Cross: Leconte, Pineapple
Kieffer	1,2,3,4,5,6	High to Medium	Coarse	Yellow w Blush	Large	Musty	September to October	Cross: Leconte, Orient
Leconte	1,2,3,4,5,6	High to Medium	Coarse & Crisp	Yellow	Medium	Sweet	August	Cross: Kieffer, Orient
Moonglow	1,2,3,4	High to Medium	Fine Grained	Yellow w Pink Blush	Large	Semi-Sweet	September	Cross: Ayers, Orient
Orient	1,2,3,4,5,6	High to Medium	Coarse	Yellow	Medium to Large	Sweet	August	Cross: Kieffer, Leconte
Pineapple	5,6	Medium to Low	Fine Grained	Yellow	Large	Sweet & Tangy	August	Semi-Self: Leconte, Orient
3-N-1	3 Varieties on 1 tree which include Kieffer, Bartlett, and Ayers. See above specifics for each.							

* Refers to Numbered Zones on above Map.



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