Banana cultivars for Florida
Variedades de banana por Florida

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FHIA 01
(‘Goldfinger’) (AAAB)

- Consumed fresh.
- Resistant to Panama disease.
- Resistant to Black Sigatoka.
- Burrowing nematode resistant.
- Fruit quality: very good; pleasant slightly tart flavor when ripe.
- Yield potential – good.
- Recommendation - yes.
FHIA 02
(‘Mona Lisa’) (AAAA)

- Consumed fresh.
- Resistant to Panama disease.
- Resistant to Black Sigatoka.
- Fruit quality: very good.
- Yield potential – good.
- Recommendation – yes.
FHIA 03 (AABB)

- Eaten fresh and cooked.
- Resistant to Panama disease.
- Resistant to Black Sigatoka.
- Fruit quality: good.
- Yield potential – good.
- Recommendation - yes.
FHIA17 (AAAA)

- Eaten fresh and cooked.
- Resistant to Panama disease.
- Moderately good resistance to Black Sigatoka.
- Moderate resistance to burrowing nematodes.
- Fruit quality: very good.
- Yield potential – good.
- Recommendation - maybe.
FHIA 18 (AAAB)

- Eaten fresh and cooked.
- Resistant to Panama disease.
- Moderately good resistance to Black Sigatoka.
- Moderate resistance to burrowing nematodes.
- Fruit quality: very good.
- Yield potential – good.
- Recommendation – maybe.
Yangambi km5 (AAA)

- Consumed fresh.
- Resistant to Panama disease.
- Resistant to Black Sigatoka.
- Fruit quality: very good.
- Yield potential – poor.
- Recommendation – maybe to no.
Prata Aná (AAB)

- Consumed fresh and cooked.
- Resistant to Panama disease.
- Susceptible to Black Sigatoka.
- Fruit quality: good.
- Yield potential – good.
- Recommendation – no.
Pisang ceylan/Mysore (AAB)

- Consumed fresh.
- Resistant to Panama disease.
- Moderately good resistance to Black Sigatoka.
- Fruit quality: very good.
- Yield potential – good.
- Recommendation – yes.
Kumunamba  
(Yamunamba) (AAB)

- Consumed fresh but mostly used for cooking.
- Resistant to Panama disease.
- Resistance to Black Sigatoka not evaluated.
- Fruit quality: good.
- Yield potential – good.
- Recommendation – maybe.
Kandrian (AAB)

- Mostly cooked.
- Resistant to Panama disease.
- Resistance to Black Sigatoka not evaluated.
- Fruit quality: very good.
- Yield potential – good.
- Recommendation – maybe.
Saba (ABB)

- Eaten cooked.
- Resistant to Panama disease.
- Moderately good resistant to Black Sigatoka.
- Fruit quality: very good.
- Yield potential – good.
- Recommendation – yes.
Pomoti on (AA)

- Consumed fresh.
- Resistant to Panama disease.
- Resistance to Black Sigatoka not evaluated.
- Fruit quality: very good.
- Yield potential – poor.
- Recommendation – no.
Pisang jari buaya (AA)

- Consumed fresh.
- Resistant to Panama disease.
- Resistance to Black Sigatoka not evaluated.
- Fruit quality: fair.
- Yield potential – poor.
- Recommendation – no.
Pisang lemak manis (AA)

- Consumed fresh.
- Resistant to Panama disease.
- Resistance to Black Sigatoka not evaluated.
- Fruit quality: good.
- Yield potential – poor.
- Recommendation – no.
Pisang raja (AAB)

- Consumed fresh.
- Resistant to Panama disease.
- Resistant to Black Sigatoka.
- Fruit quality: good.
- Yield potential – not evaluated.
- Recommendation – no.
Recommendation

• Establish several mats (plants) of cultivars you are interested in and determine for yourself which Panama and Black Sigatoka disease resistant banana cultivars may have a market potential.