XILIN SAND CANDY ORANGE (西林沙糖桔)

Country of origin: China
Category: Special Signs of Geographical Indication Products
Type of product: Orange

Geographical Area: Guangxi Zhuang Autonomous Region Xilin County Octopus Town, Ancient Barrier Town, Ma Beng Township, The General Miao Township, Zuo Miao Township, The Foot Of The Yao Nationality Miao Township, Xiping Township, That Labor Township, 8 Township Jurisdiction Administrative Region

Specificity of the Product: Xilin County has a unique climate and excellent soil environment that is suitable for orange breeding. The fruit is round, bright orange, and eye-catching. The peel is thin, the flesh is crisp, it is juicy without residue, the taste is sweet and delicious, and it has a unique flavor. It has been called the citrus "king of fruit".

There is a poem on record about it written during the Tang Dynasty. During the Ming and Qing Dynasties, the citrus industry developed into what it became during the era of commodity production. Many of the people in this area worked in the region planting oranges. Because of its fine varieties and because it was loved by the masses, it gradually spread to other places. Xilin county has high temperatures, unique climate and soil environmental conditions. Recently, the planting of the oranges has been scaled up in the hope that it will help with economic development in the region and help to lift people in the mountain region out of poverty.



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