ABOUT GI

Geographical Indications (GIs) are associated with the legacy of a product connected with a specific location having unique blend of nature, culture, tradition, and artisan. In India, there are several registered Gls and there are numerous Gls which are not yet registered officially, but are potential registerable Gls.

> GI based on classes to Natural Goods, Food Stuff Manufactured Goods, Handicrafts or Agricultural Goods

GI based on uniqueness, weather, and terrain of the place of origin

Registered by the Authorized community of the GI

Economic empowerment to Artisans, Producers, and Manufacturers

> 650+ registered Gls and numerous unregistered Gls existence in India

Preservation of local Culture, Tradition, and Legacy

Legal Protection from unfair usage

Gl Sign or symbol indicating Geographical Origin or location

Social Uplifting and continuing the Legacy of the Nation

Prevents counterfeiting and ensures genuineness of products











GIR KESAR MANGO



Gir Kesar mangoes are renowned for their saffron-coloured pulp and distinctive flavour. The trees are medium-sized and evergreen, with an oblong fruit that weighs between 250-300 grams and features a small beak. These trees grow up to 50 feet tall and have a deep taproot and widespread root system, allowing them to remain productive for 200-300 years. The trees begin bearing fruit in 3-4 years and can yield 150-200 kg per year. Gir Kesar mangoes are celebrated for their unique taste, aroma, and excellent sugar-acid balance, which are a result of the region's ideal climatic conditions and advanced agricultural techniques.

UNIQUENESS

Gir Kesar mangoes are unique due to their saffron-coloured pulp, distinctive aroma, and exceptional sweetness, attributed to the ideal climatic conditions and soil in Junagadh's Gir region. These mangoes feature a rare mouthfeel and shine, with their special flavour and aroma setting them apart from other varieties, earning global recognition and acclaim.

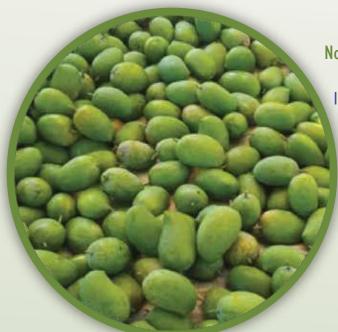
RAW MATERIALS

Mango Saplings, Soil, Water, Pesticides, Fertilizers, Organic Matter etc.

Price Approx. Rs. 150 per kg

Class of Goods 31

> **Proof of Origin Early 1930s**



No. of Families Involved Approx. 10,000 to 15,000 families

> Type of Goods Agriculture

Geographical Location Junagadh district, Gujarat

METHOD OF PRODUCTION

Gir Kesar mangoes are produced through a meticulous process involving the cultivation of mango trees in Junagadh's ideal climatic and soil conditions. The trees benefit from calcareous, well-drained soil, and pure river water, which enhance their growth. Advanced agricultural techniques are employed by local farmers to optimize flowering and fruit development. The result is mangoes with distinctive saffron-coloured pulp, unique aroma, and exceptional quality, marketed through a specialized yard in Talala.

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