

PERSIMMONS

- There are about 2,000 varieties of persimmons. The most common ones are hachiya and fuyu.
- *Persimmons are typically in season from September to December.*
- They originated from China and belong to the berry family.
- *Persimmons first came to California in the 19th century.*
- It can take a persimmon tree up to 7 years before it produces fruit.



The Fuyu persimmons served in the cafeteria are harvested in the San Joaquin Valley of Central California by Trinity Fruit Company which is in the heart of the largest agricultural producing county in the world.

