#### **Olive Oil Production References**

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• <u>OLIVE PRODUCTION MANUAL</u> Ferguson L., Sibbett G.S., Martin G.C., University of California Division of Agriculture and Natural Resources Publication 3353

This manual is a world reference for production of table olives with some reference to oil production. It is an excellent reference for general olive production information regarding botany of the olive, orchard planning, tree and fruit development, pest management, harvest and processing. Printed in 1994 and now being revised.

#### • OLIVE OIL from the Tree to the Table Kiritsakis A. K., et al.

This book contains good basic research based information on several subjects related to olive oil. It starts with an overview of the history of olive oil, world production, and consumption trends. Then it goes deeply into the composition of the olive and covers the basics of harvest, storage and oil processing. It covers a lot of new information about processing by-products that are not covered in other texts and goes into great detail about the composition of olive oil suitable for an oil chemist or food science student.

## • VARIEDADES DEL OLIVO Tous J. M. & Aroca A. R., IRTA

This book describes the olive industry and varieties produced in the Cataluna Region. For sale through the Institute of Ag Research & Technology. (IRTA) (Spanish only).

## • EL CULTIVO DEL OLIVO Barranco D. et al.

The worlds' greatest olive oil researchers have cooperated to write the second edition of the European "bible" of olive oil production, published in November 1997. It contains chapters on all aspects of olive culture and processing. (Spanish only).

# • WORLD OLIVE ENCYCLOPAEDIA by the International Olive Oil Council

This comprehensive encyclopedia, released in English in 7996, contains chapters on the history and evolution of the olive, the biology and physiology of the olive, genetics, production techniques, pest control, oil processing, table olive processing, economics, marketing, legislation, and the international agreement on table olives and olive oil.

Available from: Corti Brothers, 5810 Fulsome Blvd., Sacramento, CA 958J9

• OLIVAE MAGAZINE by the International Olive Oil Council.

A magazine published six limes per year featuring technical reports on world olive production and processing, statistical information, sensory evaluation, and promotions of the council. Available in English. Subscribe to: The Intl. Olive Oil Council. Principe de Vergara, 154, 28002 Madrid, Spain