Muscadine Cultivars for North Carolina Production

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Cultivar	Туре	Fruit Color	Fruit Size	Cold-hardy	Season
Wine and Juice					
Carlos	Self-fertile	Bronze	Small-Medium	+	Mid
Doreen	Self-fertile	Bronze	Small-Medium	+	Late
Magnolia	Self-fertile	Bronze	Small-Medium	+	Mid
Noble	Self-fertile	Dark	Small-Medium	++	Mid
Fresh Market					
Black Beauty	Female	Dark	Large	++	Early-Mid
Black Fry	Female	Dark	Large	++	Mid
Darlene	Female	Bronze	Large	-	Early-Mid
Early Fry	Female	Bronze	Large		Early
Fry	Female	Bronze	Large	++	Mid
Granny Val	Self-fertile	Bronze	Large		Late
Hall	Self-Fertile	Bronze	Medium-Large	-	Early
Ison	Self-fertile	Dark	Medium-Large		Mid
Lane	Self-fertile	Dark	Medium-Large	-	Early
Late Fry	Self-fertile	Bronze	Large	++	Late
Nesbitt	Self-fertile	Dark	Medium-Large	-	Mid-Late
OhMy (new)	Self-fertile	Bronze	Medium, seedless	?	?
Paulk	Self-fertile	Dark	Large	-	Mid-Late
Razzmatazz	Self-fertile	Pink/Red	Small, seedless	-	All*
Summit	Female	Bronze	Medium	+	Early-Mid
Supreme	Female	Dark	Large	-	Mid
Tara	Self-fertile	Bronze	Medium-Large	-	Early-Mid
Triumph	Self-Fertile	Bronze	Medium	+	Early

*This variety bears throughout the entire harvest season, early through late.

******Most recommended for home gardeners for fresh eating:

Dark: Ison, Lane, Paulk Bronze: Hall, Granny Val, Summit, Triumph

(For home wine production, the varieties are the same as for commercial growers)