



# Hot Pepper

*Capsicum annuum*

## Padron

### General Description:

Spanish 'Tapas' pepper. Fruits are conical, slightly wrinkled with a long curved stalk. Fruits should be picked at green immature stage when only a small percentage will be hot. From the municipality of Padrón in the province of A Coruña, Galicia, northwestern Spain.

Requires picking at an immature stage, and frequent harvesting is essential. If fruits left to get bigger than 5 cm, then fruits will become quite pungent.

### Profile:

<b>Plant Habit</b>	Large plant, short internodes and small leaves	<b>Fruit Colour</b>	Green (Red if left to mature)
<b>Fruit Habit</b>	Pendant	<b>Fruit Shape</b>	Conical or truncated-conical
<b>Scoville rating</b>	5,000 (if left to over mature)	<b>Fruit Size (lxd)</b>	3-5 x 2-2.5 cm
<b>Taste</b>	Spicy and sweet, but not too hot		

The information that has been provided is an average of the data gathered from various trial locations. Please be aware that variations in the growing environment and climatic conditions can render this information inaccurate, it is intended for general guidance only.



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