## Sultana Stimangas Grapes



**Sultana Stimangas** is one of the most planted light-skinned grape varieties. The vast majority of Sultana vineyards are for table grape or dried grape production.White wines made from Sultana are usually characterized as being rather sweet and lacking in complexity in comparison to more noble varieties. The best examples have aromas of tropical fruits and is fresh and simple on the palate with a rounded finish.



Sultaniye Stimangas is the name given to the grape in Peloponnese . Here, it is also used for table grapes, dried grapes and wine. Sultaniye Stimangas is mainly grown at Stimangas area in Corinth and Crete in the Aegean region of the country . The Sultana grapevine is very vigorous but shows poor fertility in anything other than its preferred warm mesoclimates. It is prone to most fungal diseases, especially when grown in cooler, wetter parts of Western Europe.

Sultaniye has been used to breed many other table and wine grape varieties.