

<b>Title</b>	Improvement of new mandarin varieties that very early / early and late ripening period via mutation breeding
<b>Number</b>	TAGEM/BBAD/12/A08/P02/3
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#### **Abstract:**

Citrus is the most widely produced fruit group in the world. There has been a rapid increase in the production in the world and in our country. Approximately 3 million tons of citrus fruit are produced in Turkey. With total export of one million tons, our country is ranking as the 4th Citrus exporter in the world and ranking as the 2nd among in the Mediterranean countries. It's up to the dynamism of the citrus industry and the subject to renew Turkey itself to re-enter the Western European countries where the top exports made and to retain the current markets.

Under this project to compete in world citrus markets; Improving early and late mandarin cultivars by spanning the productions made with the mid season cultivars to a more wide time, is intended.