



ABSTRACT: An Avocado Tree Named "Gem"

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A distinct variety of *Persea americana* tree with a vigorous moderately-spreading upright growth habit is exhibited. The tree is less alternate bearing than the widely-grown 'Hass' variety (non-patented in the United States). The fruit is ellipsoid-shaped, lacks shoulders, is generally black-skinned, is well distributed around the tree, and commonly is larger than that of the 'Hass' variety. The leaves are displayed in a greater quantity than the 'Hass' variety and are similar in appearance to those of the 'Hass' variety. Moderate resistance to *Persea* mites is exhibited. The variety is suitable for the production of quality avocado crop under commercial growing conditions.

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