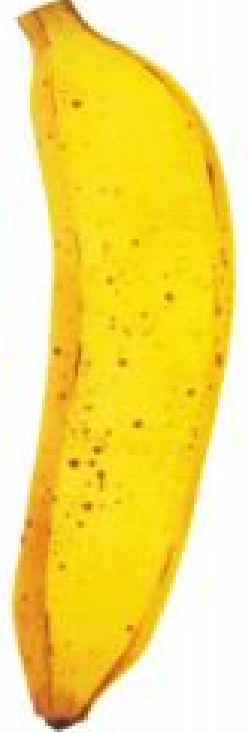


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Peel Color Green

Light green
(breaking
toward
yellow)

Yellowish-green

Greenish-yellow
(more yellow
than green)

Yellow with
green tips

Yellow

Yellow, flecked
with brown