

Climatic regions suitable for walnut-growing in Britain*

Criteria assessed: annual and seasonal precipitation; average daily maximum temperature during growing season




Preferred soil requirements:

Depth \geq 75cm
Organic content \geq 10%
pH 5.5-7.0
Good drainage

Other requirements:

Shelter from severe winds
Absence of frost pockets
Appropriate nut-bearing varieties

Key

-  Optimum area for walnuts providing soil and other requirements are met
-  Climate suitable for walnuts providing soil and other requirements are met
-  Generally not suitable for walnut-growing (however favourable micro-climates may exist within this area)

*also suitable for heartnuts (*Juglans ailantifolia var cordiformis*)

