Orange SilverWave is an exotic melon bred in South Korea with an extremely sweet, orange flesh and unique rind color. Many foodie gardeners are looking to grow something different to “Wow!” their guests and this melon will do just that! The attractive 5” oval melons grow on vigorous producing up to six fruits per vine. Whether grown in a large container or in-ground, it’s best to grow the vines on a trellis (bracing the melons) for better disease control. This AAS Winner is great eaten alone, in a fruit salad, wrapped with prosciutto or mixed into a smoothie or margarita. AAS Garden Tip: Melons like warmer growing conditions so plastic mulch or ground covers will help with maturity, especially in the North.

**AAS® Winner Data**

**Genus species:** *Cucumis melo*

**Common name:** Melon

**Fruit size:** 5 inch oval melons

**Color:** Light green rind with green stripes, orange flesh

**Plant spread:** 6 - 7 feet

**Plant habit:** Spreading

**Garden location:** Full sun

**Garden spacing:** 24 inches

**Length of time to harvest:** 75 days from sowing seed, 45 days from transplant

**Disease resistance:** MNSV and Melon Fusarium wilt

**Closest comparisons on market:** Snow Leopard and Lambkin