

Joe's Farm Tomato Varieties

Name	Description
Determinate - Red	
Bella Rosa (hybrid)	75 days. Large, 10 to 12 oz. bright red tomatoes are round, firm and highly flavorful with a good balance of acid and sugar. A heat tolerant variety which does well in hot humid areas. Plants produce high yields. Perfect for home gardens
Celebrity (hybrid)	70 days. Medium-sized, globe-shaped fruits are crack resistant and average 7 oz. Semi-determinate.
EmmyLou	75 days. Emmylou is a new TSWV and TYLCV resistant tomato variety widely adapted for the Southeast. It has a strong plant with a continuous heavy yield and a high percentage of extra-large fruits. Exceptional red color and firmness. Suitable for mature green or vine ripe production.
Rambler (hybrid)	68-72 days. An adaptable, high-quality salad variety featuring extra large, attractive fruits that weigh approx. 8 to 12 oz. each. Dark red, globe-shaped fruits are very firm and have deep red flesh. Great for fresh markets. Plants are widely adaptable and produce excellent yields. Intermediate resistance to Gray Leaf Spot and Tomato Spotted Wilt Virus.
Red Deuce	71 days. Extra-large fruit for early vine ripe harvest. High-yielding producer of smooth fruit. A good fit for fresh market with its solid, meaty interior, and good color.
Roadster	65-70 days. Candy apple red with glossy, 8 to 12 oz., very firm fruits. Tomatoes have smooth shoulders, are globe-shaped, and have exceptional taste with rich red color inside and out. High yield potential, are widely adaptable and benefit from light pruning. Great for container gardening.
Indeterminate - Red	
Arbason	80 days. Arbason is an early, prolific beefsteak tomato suitable for both indoor and outdoor production. Plants are healthy, even under disease pressure, and yields are reliably heavy. The fruit are round, bright red and have a firm, tangy flesh.
Better Boy (hybrid)	75 days. A spectacular, mid-season variety with plump, juicy, deep red tomatoes that often weigh more than 1 lb. Extremely flavorful, with juicy yet firm flesh. Heavy foliage protects fruits from sunscald. Highly adaptable variety that thrives in nearly any climate. Demonstrates excellent disease resistance.
Big Beef Plus (hybrid)	75 days. Fruits are sweeter with a higher Brix of 6.2 and weigh 9 to 16 oz. PLUS it's highly resistant to Tomato Spotted Wilt Virus, Fusarium Crown & Root Rot and Tomato Torrado Virus with intermediate resistance to Root-knot Nematode. Higher yield potential.
Box Car Willie	80 days. Prolific yields of smooth, reddish-orange fruits average 10 to 16 oz. each. With an old-fashioned flavor you'll remember from childhood, these high-yielding, multi-use tomatoes will last throughout the season and are ideal for canning, freezing or for home-cooked meals. Crack resistant.
Champion (hybrid)	70 days. Especially bred as a luscious sandwich tomato. Solid, meaty slices with just the right sweetness. High yields of large fruit, bigger than Early Girl and earlier than Better Boy. Outstanding performer.
Early Girl (hybrid)	57 days. Full-sized tasty fruit. Meaty, ripe red fruits, 4 to 6 oz., are slightly flattened and bright crimson throughout. Very appealing, with firm textures and blemish-resistant skin. Heavy yields on sturdy vines.
Jet Star (hybrid)	70 days. Prolific producer of big, globe-shaped fruits that ripen all the way through. Excellent flavor with low acidity. Nice, compact habit.
Beefsteak	
Brandywine	90-100 days. Heirloom dating back to the 1880's. Potato leaf plants with good yields of extra-large, up to 1 1/2 lbs., clear-skinned, light rosy-pink fruit. Considered one of the world's best-flavored tomatoes. Exhibits moderate resistance to Late Blight. Indeterminate.
Mortgage Lifter	75-85 days. Good yields of very large, 1 to 2 lb., smooth, pink-skinned fruits. Very meaty fruits with few seeds. Very mild, delectable, sweet flavor. Indeterminate.
Roma	
Roma (hybrid)	75 days. Roma is considered to be the most well-known paste-type tomato, perfect for sauces, pastes and ketchup. Heavy crops of bright bright red, pear-shaped fruits are nice and meaty, with very few seeds. Determinate
San Marzano (hybrid)	80 days. Superb flavor in slightly rectangular-shaped fruits, 3-1/2" x 1-1/2", that hang in large clusters. Holds well on the vine and in storage. Extra-high solid content is perfect for canning. Indeterminate.

Heirloom

Brandywine Pink	80-100 days. The best tasting tomato available according to many. Brandywine produces fruits which weigh about one pound each (but can reach two pounds) and are oblate, deep pink, meaty and juicy. Unique potato leaf foliage. Indeterminate.
Cherokee Purple	80-90 days. A reliable producer of unusual, medium pink-purple fruits that appear brown in color, and average 10 to 12 oz., each. Fruits are round to oblate, with no cracking. Exhibits tolerance to mild drought. Indeterminate.
Green Zebra	78 days. Fully ripened fruits are bright green, with stripes of a still lighter green. Round, smallish, 2 to 4 oz. fruits have excellent, real tomato flavor. Plants are vigorous. Indeterminate.
Hillbilly	85 days. Huge, mildly flavored, beefsteak-type fruits weigh 1 to 2 lbs. each, and are low in acid and a most unusual orange-yellow, streaked and mottled in shades of red and pink. Regular potato leaf variety. Indeterminate.
Indian Stripe - Purple	80 days. This heirloom variety bears 8 to 10 oz. burgundy-purple tomatoes that have an exquisite taste. It gets its name from the faint green stripes that fade as tomatoes ripen. This variety has been compared to Cherokee Purple, but Indian Stripe bears more heavily and the fruit is a bit lighter in color. Indeterminate.
Pineapple	85-90 days. Enormous, uniquely patterned yellow-red striped fruits will be the center of attention. Beefsteak type fruits easily grow 5" and larger, are orange yellow with red streaks and no green shoulders. Meaty flesh has a nice mild flavor. Heavy foliaged plants produce good yields. Indeterminate.

Yellow

Lemon Boy (hybrid)	72 days. Medium-sized fruits with beautiful and unique lemon yellow skin. Unusually colored, eye-catching tomatoes with wonderful flavor. Lemon Boy is perfect for slicing to reveal the delicious, lemon-colored flesh. These tomatoes need at least one inch (2.5 cm) of water per week and prefer six hours or more of direct sun each day. Indeterminate.
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Cherry

Braveheart (hybrid)	60 days. Perfect little 1 oz. red cherries grow on medium-sized plants that are easier to manage than the very tall plants of some cherry tomatoes. Sweet, juicy fruit are thin-skinned yet crack-resistant with a delicious, rich flavor. Expect abundant and early harvests to extend all the way to the end of the growing season. Indeterminate.
Black Cherry	65 days. Round, 20 gm. fruits are a pleasant purple-brown color. Regarded as one of the best-tasting tomatoes. High-yielding. Selected by the founder for sweetness, increased crack tolerance and yield. Indeterminate.
Juliet (hybrid)	60 days. A larger sister variety of Santa, Juliet is one of the most disease resistant in our trials. Deep red, shiny fruits avg. 2-2 1/4" x 1 3/8-1 1/2", weighing 1 1/2-2 oz. Typically 12-18 fruits per cluster. Delicious, rich tomato flavor for salads, great salsa, and fresh pasta sauce. Good crack resistance, vine storage, and shelf life. Indeterminate.
Midnight Snack (hybrid)	65-70 days. Productive all season, yielding fruit that is well balanced and flavorful. Great in salads or right off the plant, Midnight Snack is a guilt free treat anytime of the day or night. Indeterminate.
Orange Zinger	60 days. Crack resistant with big yields. The high quality tasty, dark orange tomatoes have big tomato flavor with a balance of sweet and tangy. Indeterminate.
Sakura	55 days. Real sweet tomato flavor and firmness without being hard. Among the first to ripen, Sakura keeps going all season long because of its disease resistance. Very tidy, compact plant fits well in tight spaces. Prolific yielder of bright red, shiny, medium-large cherry tomatoes that average 20-22 gm. Indeterminate.
Sungold (hybrid)	57 days. Very sweet, bright orange cherry tomatoes taste not just sugary but also fruity and delicious. Vigorous growers, these tall plants bear long clusters of fruit. Try these for a real taste treat, you won't believe you're eating tomatoes! Indeterminate.

Definitions

Determinate	having exact and discernible limits or form.
Indeterminate	not exactly known, established, or defined.
Hybrid	the offspring of two plants of different species or varieties
Heirloom	lines of plants, grown locally or regionally, that have been passed down through families or groups.