

Canning Tomatoes

Canning tomatoes typically have an oblong shape. They have a low water content which makes them ideal for cooking and canning. Most types are prolific producers and tend to ripen in large, successive batches to make canning easier.

NAME	TYPE	FRUIT	DTM
AMISH PASTE	Indeterminate Heirloom/Sauce	8-oz. teardrop meaty fruits. Outstanding sweet flavor. For paste, sauces, and catsup.	78-85
BELLSTAR	Determinate Medium	6-8oz pear-shaped, crack resistant, extremely productive	65-70
CHERRY ROMA	Indeterminate Slicing/Clusters	Produces bountiful sets of 1" long, plum-shaped fruits with a surprising flavor that's both sweet and spicy at the same time. A real taste treat when eaten fresh, or dried to enjoy all year long!	75-80
CHICO III	Indeterminate Paste	Very good flavor paste tomato that is also disease resistant.	67
CLASSICA HYBRID	Determinate Slicing/Clusters	A high yielder of perfectly pear-shaped fruits, high in sugar for extra sweetness, and easy to peel. Fruits average over 3-1/2 oz., excellent color and firmness.	76
DEBARAO	Indeterminate Heirloom	Oval medium size 3-4oz, early maturing, crack resistant	72
EARLY CASCADE	Indeterminate Slicing/Clusters	Ripens early & continues heavy yields, produces bumper crops. Clusters of 2", firm, bright red fruit. Delicious for salads, canning & sauces. Disease resistant.	55
HEINZ 2653	Determinate Cluster	3-4 oz. fruit. Very firm. Early maturing, dependable producer for cold weather climates. Excellent for canning.	75-80
ITALIAN GOLD	Determinate Compact/Sauce	This bright gold, roma-style tomato is excellent for making thick, rich sauce. Also good for canning and freezing. Compact plants give prolific yields.	70-75
JULIET	Indeterminate Slicing/Clusters	Small roma, delicious, great for salads, paste, fresh.	60

LA ROMA	Determinate Compact	One of the very best “Italian” types. Uniform, medium-sized fruits, 3-4 oz. Vigorous; very prolific. Produced 7 x more fruit than standard Roma in trials.	62
LA ROMA II RED	Determinate Large	A red tomato hybrid, large, tasty 5-8 oz. Fruit. Resistant to Verticillium, Fusarium Wilt Race 1 and 2, Nematodes, Alternaria, Gray Leaf Spot, Root Knot Nematodes	76
MARTINO'S ROMA	Determinate Heirloom/ All purpose	Richly flavored, meaty, pear-shaped fruits set heavily on compact plants with rugose, dark green foliage. So heavily productive, the 2 oz., 3" fruits tend to drop from the vine when ripe.	75
OROMA	Determinate Sauce	Smooth, cylindrical tomatoes. 3- 3 1/2" fruits average about 4 oz. Peels easily and makes thick tomato sauce and paste. Keeps well on and off the vine.	85-90
ORANGE BANANA	Indeterminate Paste	2-4" long fruit sweet flavor, ranks high for taste, excellent for drying and paste	85
POLISH LIAGUISA	Indeterminate	Sausage shaped fruit that weighs 8 to 10 ozs. Yields are very heavy	73
PLUM LEMON	Determinate Heirloom	The bright canary-yellow 3" fruit, looks like lemon. Delicious, sweet taste.	75
PRINCIPE BORGHESE	Determinate/Small Heirloom/Sauces	Bushy plant with many 2" small red “plum” fruits in clusters. Traditional Italian tomato for drying, sauces, and cooking. Bushy habit, productive. Stores well.	60-80
PURPLE RUSSIAN	Indeterminate Heirloom	Huge amounts of 6oz oblong fruit, sweet and meaty, very productive	80
RED PEAR	Indeterminate Canning	Bright red, pear-shaped, 2" long fruit borne in clusters. Excellent for canning, sauce, juicing, and salads. Produced throughout a long season.	78
ROMA	Determinate Canning	Popular type for paste, sauces and canning. Compact vines yield large harvests of 3" long, bright red, pear-shaped or plum-shaped fruit. Thick walled and solid.	78
ROMA VFA	Determinate Canning/Sauce	Heavy crops of red pear-shaped fruit with few seeds. Great for salsa, sauces or salads.	75
ROMAN CANDLE	Indeterminate Salsa/Sauce	A pure-yellow, banana-shaped tomato with a superior flavor. Paste-type fruits, 4 to 6" long, are very meaty and flavorful with brilliant yellow skin and white flesh.	75-80

SAN MARZANA	Indeterminate Canning/Paste	Rectangular pear shaped 3 ½” fruits with a mild flavor. Meaty texture. Bright red.	80
SAN MARZANO NANO	Determinate Canning/Paste	Rustic plant with covering foliage. The fruits are cylindrical, weigh 70 g , have a wonderful color and are uniform.	75
SAUCEY	Determinate Cluster/Sauces	Out yields other varieties in its class. Blunt plum-shaped, smooth fruits in clusters of 5-10. Hold well on plant for one large harvest. Great sauce flavor.	75-85
SAUSALITO	Determinate Canning	Developed for commercial processing into ketchup and canned tomatoes but is also great for home use in salsas and picante sauce. Round, firm 2-3 oz. fruits.	72
SPECKLED ROMAN	Indeterminate Drying	5" long fruit, meaty with a strong tomato flavor, very few seeds, good for sauce, salsa, and drying	80
STRIPED ROMAN	Indeterminate Canning	Long pointed red fruit have wavy orange stripes. A perfect midsized beauty with brilliant color, meaty flesh and excellent flavor.	80
SUPER MARZANO	Indeterminate Sauce/Paste	Large, pear-shaped fruit are 5” long. Fruit is high in pectin, giving sauce and paste natural thickness. Tall plants with high yields. Resists bacterial speck.	70
TUSCANY	Determinate Sauce/Canning	Abundant, round, red 3-4 oz. fruits with superb flavor and texture. This is a very useful hybrid for salsa, canning, saucing, or salads. Great for Italian cooking.	75
VIS PASTE	Determinate Round	Italian round, superb flavor, great for cooking	65
VIVA ITALIA	Determinate Canning/Sauce	An Italian pear-shaped tomato with high natural sugar content. Tasty for fresh eating, canning and freezing. Very disease resistant.	80
WINDOW BOX ROMA	Determinate Canning/Sauce	Medium, tasty, prolific roma. For container, pot and planter growing	70