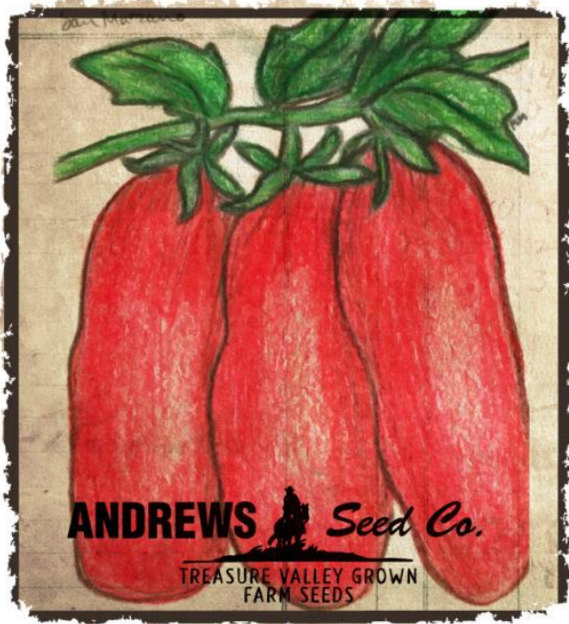


SAN MARZANO

Indeterminate Tomato

San Marzano tomatoes are small with an elongated and thin, oval shape, similar in appearance to a Roma tomato, but with a pointed tip. The skin is smooth, dark red, easy-to-peel, and taut with a slight give when pressed. Underneath the skin, the flesh is thick, dense, and bright red with a semi-firm consistency.



NOTES

VARIETY INFO

Botanical Name: *Lycopersicon lycopersicum*

Plant Dimensions: 5 feet tall

Days to Maturity: 85

Zone: 3-9

SOWING INFO

Sow Outside: Not Recommended.

Start Inside: 5–6 weeks before transplanting, sow 1/4" deep. At first true leaf, pot-up to 50-cell trays or 4" pots. Transplant into rows 24–36" apart. Plant with at least two-thirds of the stem buried underground, as planting tomatoes deeply will develop a stronger root system and a healthy, more resistant plant.

Days to Emerge: 7 - 10 Days

Seed Depth: 1/4"

Seed Spacing: 18 - 24"

Row Spacing: 3 - 5"

Thinning: Not necessary

GROWING INFO

Harvesting: San Marzano tomato plants reach maturity and begin to bear fruit within 85 to 90 days after seed germination. The fruit will be a deep red in color and firm to the touch. Gently grab the fruit and twist it until the tomato pulls free from the stem. Alternatively, you can use scissors or pruners and cut the stems from which the fruit hangs close to the tomatoes.

Fruit: Oblong, thin, oval shaped.