

Some of these varieties originally for sale at the MG Bellevue Demonstration Garden may be available at the May 5, 6 Plant Sale.

Cherry and Grape Tomatoes

Abrazebra: A magical new cherry-sized version of Green Zebra. Beautiful, excellent-flavored fruits are yellow and green striped. Bred to be more cold-hardy than Green Zebra. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 75-80 days.

Beam's Yellow Pear: Heirloom favorite. Very sweet 1-2" pear-shaped fruits on productive plants. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 75 days.

Blue Gold Berries: Incredibly beautiful purple/yellow cherry tomato. Flavor is very sweet and rich, and plants are very productive. Sunburn and crack resistant, and the fruits hold well on or off the vine. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 80 days.

Blush: One of our new favorites! Elongated yellow cherry tomato with pink stripes. Excellent sweet, fruity flavor, delicious and prolific. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 70 days.

Brad's Atomic Grape: New release from breeder Brad Gates. Outrageous color and flavor--lavender and purple stripes when immature, ripening to olive-green, red, and brown/blue stripes. Crack-resistant fruits are extraordinarily sweet. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 75 days.

Candyland Red: 2016 AAS Winner. Red fruits are smaller than most cherry tomatoes, but make up for their size with excellent sweet flavor. Plants stay a manageable size. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 55 days.

Chocolate Cherry: Fruits have lovely maroon coloring and delicious, multifaceted flavor. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 70 days.

Chocolate Pear: Produces huge crops of small "black" delicious pear-shaped tomatoes. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 70 days.

Chocolate Sprinkles: Bite-sized grape tomatoes, red with green stripes. Delicious! Indeterminate, hybrid, 65 days.

Green Tiger: Yellow and green striped, elongated cherry from same line as Blush. Delicious! Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 75 days.

Husky Cherry: DWARF. Great for containers, with large, sweet, red cherry tomatoes. Dwarf indeterminate, hybrid, 65 days.

Igleheart Yellow Cherry: TASTE TEST WINNER. From the Igleheart family and Seed Savers Exchange comes a yellow cherry tomato very different from the others--rich, bold, and earthy flavor. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 70 days.

Indigo Blue Berries: One of the new blue cherry tomatoes in the Indigo Series, contains high levels of anthocyanins, the blue pigments found in blueberries. Harvest when bottoms turn red and fruit has softened. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 75 days.

Indigo Cherry Drops: An improved Indigo Rose-type tomato with better flavor and yield. Harvest when the blue turns to red and fruit has softened. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 71 days.

Juliet: Fabulous large red grape tomato. Disease resistant and very productive. Holds well on or off the vine. Indeterminate, hybrid, 60 days.

Lucky Tiger: Elongated red and green cherry that is a sibling to Blush and Green Tiger. Delicious! Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 70 days.

Maglia Rosa: Pink striped elongated cherry from the same breeder as Blush. Sweet and prolific. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 70 days.

Mint Julep: Small pear-shaped version of Green Zebra, but with a sweeter flavor. Chartreuse green with bright yellow stripes. Also known as Michael Pollan. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 75 days.

Orange Zinger: Crack-resistant dark orange cherry that produces high yields of delicious fruits. Indeterminate, hybrid, 60 days.

Pearly Pink: Large, beautiful, bright pink cherries are perfect for snacking. Very productive vines. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 75 days.

Sprite: A delightful grape tomato that is particularly suited for smaller spaces. Plants grow to just a few feet and bear huge clusters of sweet, oval red fruits. Determinate, open-pollinated, 60 days.

Sungold: Perennial favorite! Large plants produce fantastic sweet orange cherry tomatoes over a very long season. If you only have space for one plant, this is the one! Indeterminate, hybrid, 65 days.

Sweet Million: An excellent cherry tomato that really lives up to its name! Produces large sweet fruits in abundance over a very long season. Indeterminate, hybrid, 65 days.

White Cherry: Early and productive pale yellow to ivory fruits with sweet fruity flavor. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 70 days.

Roma (Plum) Tomatoes

Banana Legs: Prolific and long-keeping. Bright yellow, striped Roma-type fruits are sweet and meaty. Determinate, open-pollinated, 75 days.

Black Plum: Prolific, heirloom Russian tomato with small brownish-red oval fruits. Great for sauce. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 72 days.

San Marzano: One of the very best tasting Roma-type tomatoes. Meaty red fruits grow 4-5" long and are set in large clusters. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 78 days.

Speckled Roman: Also known as Striped Roman. Good for both fresh eating and making sauce. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 85 days.

Small Tomatoes

Glacier: One of the earliest tomatoes. Small shrubby plant produces 2-4 oz sweet fruits perfect for salads. Excellent flavor for an early type. Semi-determinate, open-pollinated, 55 days.

Matina: This very early variety bears loads of 2-4 oz red fruit with terrific flavor normally found only in a huge beefsteak. Potato-leaved plants produce large clusters of abundant tomatoes that start early and bear all season. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 58 days.

Ozark Sunset: One of our best finds from 2016 trials. Beautiful purple/pink 2-3 ounce fruits are very striking and have superb flavor. One of the very best of the blue/purple-type tomatoes. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 70 days.

Skyreacher: LATE BLIGHT RESISTANT. This variety was the only plant still standing in 2016 after Late Blight hit the trial gardens. Produces a long harvest of small, delicious red tomatoes with orange stripes. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 75 days.

Stupice: This is one of the best early tomatoes. Excellent flavor for an early type; produces lots of red, small to medium sized fruit over a very long season. Highly popular in areas with short summers. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 65 days.

Medium Tomatoes

Black Sea Man: One of our favorites! Unique pink-green coloring. Medium size fruit with incredible flavor. Determinate, open-pollinated, 75 days.

Black Beauty: World's Darkest Tomato! A meaty, rich-fleshed tomato with extreme anthocyanin expression (same antioxidant in blueberries and blackberries). Deep red flesh is among the best tasting of all tomatoes--rich, smooth, and savory with earthy tones. Hangs well on the vine and stores very well once harvested. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 80 days.

Blue Beauty: Best new tomato from 2016! Gorgeous blue mid-sized slicers, high antioxidant content, and fantastic flavor. Holds well on and off the vine. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 80 days.

Boronia: DWARF. Produces medium size flattened fruits that are dark pink with a smooth, meaty texture. Resembles 'Cherokee Purple' in appearance but has an even more delicious, intense flavor quality. Dwarf indeterminate, open-pollinated, 70 days.

Green Zebra: Mid-sized tomato, yellow-green with stripes. Delicious and tangy, perfect for salads. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 72 days.

Lucid Gem: This tomato has it all, with gorgeous appearance and fantastic flavor. This sister selection to Blue Beauty yields loads of 5-ounce, beefsteak-type fruits, first ripening yellow, then more toward orange when very ripe. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 80 days.

Lucinda: This green zebra-type beefsteak tomato produces fruits that are tangy-sweet, and best picked before surface turns from yellow to golden. Productive plants have attractive lacy foliage and stay relatively small. Semi-determinate, open-pollinated, 75 days.

Oregon Spring: Mid-size red tomato, very cold tolerant, can be planted out ahead of most varieties. Determinate, open-pollinated, 75 days.

Tasmanian Chocolate: DWARF. Stocky plants only reach about 3' tall, but produce an abundance of lovely deep mahogany fruits. Flavor is full, balanced and delicious. Perfect for container gardening. Dwarf Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 75 days.

Uluru Ochre: DWARF. Vigorous dwarf plants are relatively compact, quite early to produce, and prolific. Medium-sized flattened fruits are an unusual color--orange flesh with green overtones--and are absolutely delicious. Dwarf Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 65 days.

Large Tomatoes

Amish Gold: Beautiful, productive, orange 3"-4" slicers. Firm, blemish-free, excellent flavor. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 80 days.

Ananas Noir: Also known as "Black Pineapple," with a distinctive, streaked interior that resembles a tie-dye pattern of pink, red, green and yellow. Plants are large and produce an abundance of large, purple-green fruits. Flavor is a complex, hearty tomato taste that's both sweet and rich, with smoky undertones. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 85 days.

Aunt Ruby's German Green: One of the best green-when-ripe tomatoes. Large green beefsteak tomatoes soften and turn slightly yellow when ripe, and show a lovely pink stripe through the inside. Absolutely delicious. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 85 days.

Big Beef: AAS Award Winner. Early maturity and superior disease tolerance. Bears twice the number of extra-large fruits as other varieties in its class, with tasty classic tomato flavor. Indeterminate, hybrid, 73 days.

Big Brandy: This terrific heirloom-hybrid is a result of crossing Brandywine with New Big Dwarf. The hybrid is much higher yielding and earlier to mature than its heirloom parents, with all of the great flavor and fewer blemishes. Large pink beefsteaks weigh 12-16 oz and have all the wonderful taste of the original heirlooms. Indeterminate, hybrid, 75 days.

Black Krim: Russian heirloom tomato from Crimea. Yields 3-4" slightly flattened dark red to maroon beefsteak tomatoes with dark green shoulders. Fantastic, intense, slightly salty taste. Suitable for containers. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 75 days.

Brandywine: One of the best-tasting heirlooms. Large red-pink fruits consistently place at the top of tomato tastings. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 85 days.

Cherokee Purple: An old Cherokee Indian heirloom, pre-1890. Beautiful deep dusky purple-pink color, superb sweet flavor, and very large sized fruit. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 80 days.

Copia: Cross between Green Zebra and Marvel Stripe produces large delicious tomatoes. Beautifully red and yellow striped fruits are a chef's favorite. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 80 days.

Green Berkeley Tie-Dye: Vivid shades of red, green, and amber come together in a kaleidoscope pattern on this amazing tomato. Red and green stripes on the outside with a chartreuse and ruby red interior. Large 8-12 oz. tomatoes have a tangy and delicious flavor and grow on vigorous, productive plants well-suited to most climates. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 70 days.

Janet's Jewel: Another fabulous introduction from Brad Gates. Large, bright orange striped, beefsteak fruits, many weighing over 1 pound. Very meaty and sweet tasting with fruity undertones. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 85 days.

Legend: LATE BLIGHT RESISTANT. This beautiful, full-sized slicing tomato has well-balanced sweet/acid flavor and is just right for sandwiches. The compact, disease-resistant plants produce nearly seedless fruit and ripen early. Great for short seasons and/or containers. Determinate, open-pollinated, 65 days.

Momotaro: Large pink beefsteak is very popular in Japan. Perfect-looking and deliciously sweet. Indeterminate, hybrid, 70 days.

Mortgage Lifter: Heirloom favorite! These tomatoes were developed in the 1920s, and according to lore, their extraordinary taste was such a success that the farmer was able to pay off his home mortgage by selling plants of this variety. Large pink tomatoes are known for their sweet, rich flavor and impressive size, some reaching up to 2 pounds. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 80 days.

Oaxacan Jewel: Beautiful large bicolor fruit is golden yellow with ruby streaks. Rich, fruity taste is well-balanced and delicious. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 80 days.

Pink Berkeley Tie-Dye: One of our favorite new tomatoes! Large pink and green striped tomatoes are as delicious as they are beautiful. Heavy yields and early ripening. Indeterminate, open-pollinated, 65 days.

Sweet Tangerine: Large orange fruits set heavily on disease-resistant plants. Reliably early and very delicious. Determinate, hybrid, 68 days.