# **RED & PINK**

**NEW!** Cosmonaut Volkov – Reported to have superb heirloom flavor and be dependable in cooler weather; medium size red tomato running to green shoulders.



Brandywine, Suddoth's Strain Excellent flavor, vigorous plants with good yields of large pink fruits. Suddoth's strain of Brandywine is supposed to be the most delicious of them all.

Italian Heirloom – A large red heart-shaped tomato, productive, excellent flavor; fairly dense flesh. Won many taste tests here, and an impressive producer.



**Legend** – Smooth medium-large red round tomatoes. Sets fruit at cooler temperatures and tolerant to late blight. Semi-determinate.



Super Fantastic – HYBRID. Impressive yields of very large, beautiful round red slicers with decent flavor. Reliable producer.

**Chianti Rose** – Large deep pink beefsteaks; earlier than most large heirlooms.

Gill's All Purpose – Medium size red tomato, early and with particularly good flavor. Oregon heirloom variety. Determinate, medium size plant.



**Jory** – Red heart-shaped slicer/canner, an Oregon heirloom that was widely planted commercially at one time, very rare.

# **EARLY VARIETIES**

**Scotia** – Medium size tomatoes, early and prolific with quite good flavor. Small, determinate plant.

**Stupice** – Extra-early, cold-tolerant tomato. 2-4 oz salad size, very sweet, delicious red fruit, indeterminate full-size plant. One of the first to harvest and last in fall.

# **PURPLE & BLACK**



Purple Cherokee – Medium-large, dark colored, the best tasting tomato; famous heirloom variety. Usually less productive and may be disease susceptible... but worth it.

**Black Krim** – Large maroon-black tomato, with rich, sweet intense flavor that rivals Purple Cherokee. I keep having to grow both.



**NEW!** Pink Berkeley Tie Dye – Deep red with green streaks; said to be the best of the new Wild Boar varieties.



**NEW!** Lucid Gem – Another irresistible Wild Boar variety, described as having good field holding and keeping qualities.

# **YELLOW & ORANGE**



**Gold Medal** – Very large, yellow blushed with red; juicy; mild, sweet flavor, gets rave reviews at tastings. Fairly early and productive.

Jaune Flamme – salad-size bright orange tomatoes, early and with very good flavor; reliable. Lyrically described in "Animal, Vegetable, Miracle"



**Tangerine** – Large orange slicer, somewhat late, but produced a lot even in the horrible wet September of 2013.

# **GREEN & GREEN-MULTI**

**Ananas Noire** – Uniquely beautiful. Very large tomatoes are green, purple, red, orange and yellow and have great flavor.





Aunt Ruby's German
Green – Large green beefsteak,
with delicious flavor, a good
producer and rain tolerant.

Green Zebra - Salad-size, green, and delicious.

# **CHERRY TOMATOES**

Sungold HYBRID – Always wins the taste tests; small orange cherry tomatoes that are just the best. The one variety I would take to that desert island.





**Peacevine cherry** – Small bright red cherry in tresses. Very productive and exceptionally good flavor.

# **Green Doctors Frosted Cherry**

Olive-shaped green cherry with silver frost and gold blush, sweet and delicious; a surprise coming from something that looks more like an olive than a tomato.





Indigo Blueberries – In the Indigo-Rose family; very dark purple-black over red; a smaller cherry type than Indigo Rose.

**NEW!** Amethyst Cream – Small cherry, pale yellow blushed with dark purple; a Wild Boar variety, said to have great flavor and production.

**Chocolate Cherry** – A purple-brown cherry, which (to my surprise) was one of the winners in several 2015 taste tests.

# **PASTE & PLUM**



Mr. Fumarole – Medium-large, productive pink paste tomato that got rave reviews at tastings and from customers. Tends to crack in wet weather. Indeterminate.

**Saucy** – A large, firm, red plum tomato, similar to Health Kick, little or no blossom end rot. Determinate.

**Romeo** – Huge paste tomato, over a pound, somewhat late. Very few seeds. Rare.

NEW! Pasta – HYBRID; Indeterminate; said to be a particularly delicious paste that is productive and disease resistant.

# **Price and Ordering**

**Plants are \$4 each; basil is \$2.** Multi-plant discounts are available.

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If you have any problems, please let me know and we'll see what we can do.

And I'm always interested in talking about gardening and giving advice!

# **Update from Lisa**

2016 gave us the warmest, earliest spring I've ever seen, and then the earliest fall rains, starting in August.

Between the early, staggered planting and the early fall rains, we couldn't fairly judge the new varieties, and no clear winners appeared this year. Personally, I enjoyed Peacevine cherry the most (besides Sungold, of course!); I try other red cherries but always come back to Peacevine.

While I tested several new eggplants in 2016, Galine and Nadia continue to be by far the best performers.

Seed for Peguis, my favorite jalapeño, is no longer available in retail quantities. But Jalapeño Gigantia is pretty good too.

Spreading the joy of tomatoes

### PEPPERS

**King of the North** – Large, fat, beautiful greento-red bell pepper. Cold tolerant and reliable.

**New Ace HYBRID** – Green-to-red bell pepper, the most cold tolerant and reliable bell ever.

**Orange Sun** – Green-to-orange bell pepper, ripen reasonably early, sweet and especially delicious.

**Sheepnose Pimento** – Shaped like a small bell pepper; thick walled, very sweet. Early, reliable.

**Numex Big Jim** – large, long green anaheim type chile.

**Jalapeno Gigantia** HYBRID – large, hot, productive jalapeño. Replaces Peguis.

**Long Narrow Cayenne** – Long thin hot peppers.

# **EGGPLANT**

**Diamond** – Slender dark purple eggplants, a reliable OP eggplant for cooler areas.

**Millionaire HYBRID** – Extra-early, productive Japanese type eggplant, 8" slender purple fruits.

**Galine HYBRID** – Purple Italian type eggplant that did very well here in 2014 and 2015.

Nadia HYBRID – Dark purple Italian eggplant, slightly larger & slightly later than Galine.

# **BASIL**

Genovese Basil – The standard for pesto.

Siam Queen – Thai basil; also very ornamental.

Sweet Dani Lemon – Lemon-scented basil



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