

Roma III Tomato



Lycopersicon 'La Roma III' (determinate type)

- **Use:** An excellent roma tomato known for its vigor and uniformity. Disease resistant plants are very vigorous and produce fruit abundantly throughout the growing season. The perfect variety for any home gardener who enjoys canning or making their own pastes and sauces. Intermediate resistance to Nematodes.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Full sun or at least 5-6 hours of afternoon sun. Water regularly, when top 3 in. of soil is dry. Use slow release fertilizer for best results. Keep water off leaves and flowers.
- **Growth:** Grows 12-15" tall and 10-12" wide. Best when caged or staked. Fruits 62 days after transplant.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 9-11, Annual, houseplant.
- **Foliage:** Lacy leaves
- **Fruit:** Bright red, meaty fruits are large, 5 to 8 ounces, and full of flavor. The plum tomatoes have very few seeds. Unlike other tomatoes, this tomato is not juicy allowing it to cook drier and eventually make a thick sauce.

Don't forget to plant Marigolds with your Tomatoes to keep away the bugs!