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Tamarillo



Although it looks much like a medium-sized tomato, the tree tomato is not a true tomato. Tasting somewhat like a tomato, it is usually eaten with sugar or boiled to make Popular and refreshing drink

An extremely fast growing shrub to 20ft. Flowers are self-pollinating, and tree tomatoes may bear from seed in just over a year.

Requires lots of water and good drainage-standing water will kill the plant in just a few days. Makes and excellent container plant in cold climates.

Uses are similar to common tomato. Eaten fresh and often boiled or pureed to flavour drinks.

Propagation is usually by seed, but grafting is also possible. Seeds can sprout quickly and seedlings usually show vigorous growth.

Approx. 225 seeds per gram