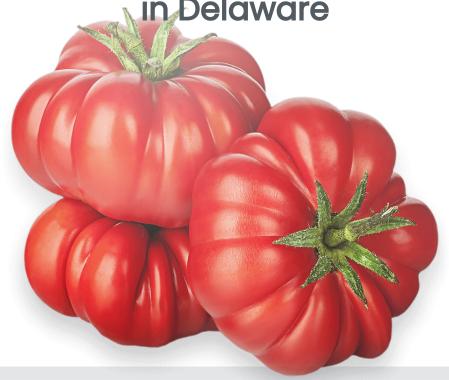


Tips to Grow Heirloom Tomatoes in Delaware



- Heirloom tomatoes require lots of sun, rich soil, mulch, water and a support structure.
- o They can be grown from seeds or seedlings of heirloom varieties.
- o Seeds should be sown in moist, sterile soil mix and covered lightly.
- Seedlings should be planted after the danger of frost has passed.
- o To prevent cross-pollination, different varieties should be placed far from each other.
- o The soil should be amended with compost, leaf, or manure and fertilized regularly.
- Heirloom tomatoes are fast-growing and produce ripe fruits in 60 to 80 days.



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