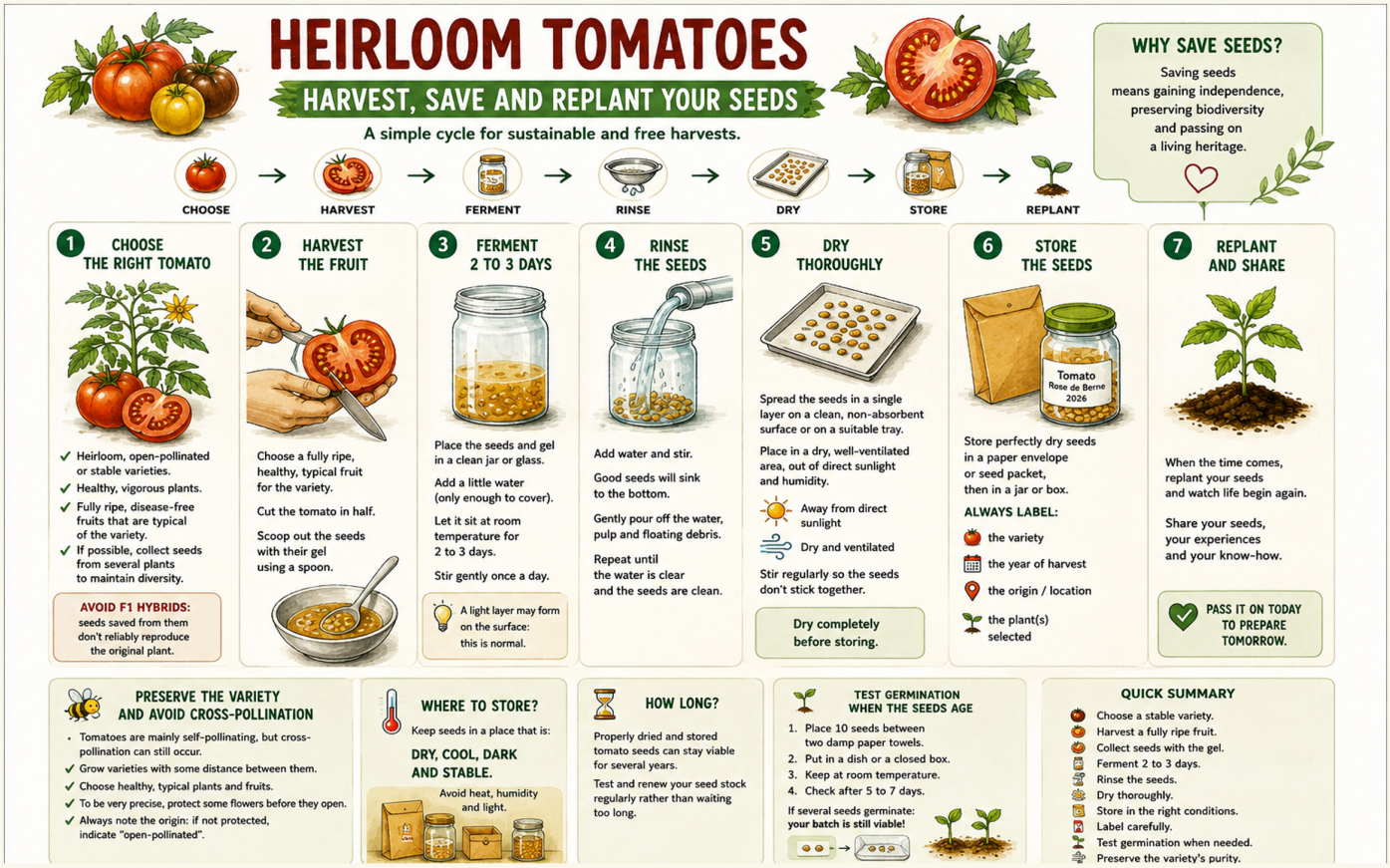


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Heirloom Tomatoes - Seed Saving Guide

Use this page as a practical reminder after reading the full guide.

7 KEY STEPS

1. CHOOSE
Use a stable heirloom or open-pollinated variety.

2. HARVEST
Choose a fully ripe, healthy fruit typical of the variety.

3. FERMENT
Keep seeds and gel in a clean container for 2 to 3 days.

4. RINSE
Rinse until the seeds are clean and free of pulp.

5. DRY
Dry completely in a shaded, well-ventilated place.

6. STORE
Label and keep seeds dry, cool, dark and stable.

7. REPLANT
Test germination as the batch ages, then renew your stock.

IMPORTANT NOTES

Avoid F1 hybrids
If your goal is to preserve a stable variety, prefer reproducible seed lines.

Prevent unwanted crosses
Tomatoes are mainly self-pollinating, but cross-pollination can still occur.

Always label
Write the variety, harvest year, origin and cultivation location.

Storage
Keep seeds dry, cool, dark and protected from humidity.

Germination
Test older batches before relying on them for a new season.

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