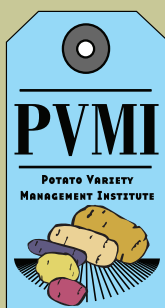


Mazama

- High Marketable Yield
- High Fresh Market Quality
- Few Tuber Defects
- Bright Red Skin
Color does not Fade
in Storage
- Redsen-5 x
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Mazama is an early maturing clone with oval, bright red skinned tubers suitable for table use and the red-skinned creamer market. It produces lower total yields than *Red LaSoda* and *Dark Red Norland*, but similar marketable yields with a high percentage of small, high-value tubers, and significantly fewer culls. *Mazama* tubers are oval with uniformly bright red skin color that does not fade in storage, and have shallow eyes. They have higher specific gravity than *Dark Red Norland* and *Red LaSoda*. Internal defects, including hollow heart and brown center seldom occur, neither do external growth cracks .

Mazama vines mature slightly earlier than *Red LaSoda* or *Dark Red Norland*, and are sensitive to metribuzin injury. They are more resistant to PVY than *Dark Red Norland* and much more resistant than *Red LaSoda*. *Mazama* expresses typical PVY foliage symptoms, which are readily observable and is susceptible to most fungal diseases and to corky ringspot caused by tobacco rattle virus.

Mini-tubers will be available in the Spring 2009 from the OSU Foundation Seed Program.