

2026 Pepper Varieties



Meadowridge, Inc.

Name	Scoville Range	Days to Maturity	Color	Fruit Size	Healthy Harvest 4.0"	1204	Heirloom	Compact Growth	Stuffing	Snacking	Slicing	Salsa or Sauce	Pickling	Cooking (grill or fry)	Other Notes
Pepper Better Belle	Sweet	75	Green to Red	4 x 5"	Y				X	X	X	X		X	
Pepper Bhut Jolokia	1 M	120	Red, Yellow, Orange, or Chocolate color	1 - 1.5"	Y		Y					Sauce			
Pepper Big Bertha	Sweet	70 - 73	Green to Red	7 x 4"	Y	Y			X	X	X	X		X	
Pepper California Wonder	Sweet	75 - 80	Green to Red to Orange to Yellow	4 x 4"	Y	Y	Y		X	X	X	X		X	
Pepper Caribbean Red Hot	350K - 400K	110	Lime green to Red	1 x 2"	Y		Y					X		X	Similar but hotter than Habanero
Pepper Carolina Reaper	1.5M - 2.2M	100 - 120	Red	1.5 x 2.5"	Y							Sauce			
Pepper Corno di Toro Red New 2026	Sweet	60 Green - 80 red	Green to Red	6 x 2.5"	Y					X	X	X		X	Great Taste
Pepper Fresno New 2026	2,500 - 10K	70-100	Green to Red (hotter when red)	4"	Y				X	X	X	X	X	X	Similar to Jalapeno but thinner walls
Pepper Habanero	150K - 325K	95	Green to yellow to orange and red	2"	Y	Y						X		X	Smoky Citrus
Pepper Hungarian Hot Wax	5K - 9K	65 - 70	Yellow to Orange to Red	4.5 - 5"	Y	Y	Y				X	X		X	
Pepper Jalapeño	2,500 - 5K	75	Green to Red	2.5 - 3"	Y	Y			X	X	X	X	X	X	
Pepper Jalapeño Gigante	2,500 - 5K	70	Green to Red	3 - 5"	Y				X	X	X	X	X	X	
Pepper Lunchbox Mix	Sweet	60 - 83	Green at 60 days or Red, Orange & Yellow later	2.5 x 3"	Y					X	X	X		X	
Pepper Melrose	Sweet	70	Red	2 - 4"	Y		Y		X					X	Good for Drying
Pepper Orange Blaze	Sweet	65 - 70	Orange	1.5 x 3-4"	Y					X	X	X		X	
Pepper Padron New 2025	500 - 2,500 (1 in 10 is hot)	75	Green	1 - 3"	Y		Y		X			X		X	
Pepper Pepperoncini New 2025	Sweet, 100 - 500 Scoville	60 - 75	Crunchiest before they redden	1 x 2.5"	Y		Y	Y		X	X	X	X	X	
Pepper Pimento New 2025	Sweet	65 - 90	Harvest when red	2 - 2.5"	Y		Y	Y	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Pepper Poblano (Ancho when dried)	1,000 - 1,500	65 - 75	Deep Green (hotter if ripens to red)	4.5"	Y		Y		X		X	X	X		Dried and ground, used for Mole Sauce
Pepper Purple Beauty	Sweet	70	Purple to Purple-red	4 x 3.5"	Y		Y			X	X	X			
Pepper Red Bell, Snackabelle Red	Sweet	70-75	Red, can be picked earlier when green	2 - 2.5"	Y	Y		Y	X	X	X	X		X	
Pepper Serrano	10,000 - 25,000	80	Green (milder) to Red (hotter)	3 - 4"	Y		Y	Y		X	X	X	X	X	
Pepper Shishito New 2025	Sweet with 1 in 10 being hot(50 - 200, up to 2,500)	60-80	Green to Red	3 - 3.5"	Y		Y	Y		X	X	X	X	X	
Pepper Sugar Rush Peach New 2026	50K - 100K	60 (yellow) - 80 (peach)		3"	Y					X	X	X		X	Sweet-hot & Fruity
Pepper Super Chili	40K - 50K	75	Green to Orange - Red	2 - 3"	Y	Y	Y					X	X	X	Good for Drying
Pepper Sweet Banana	Sweet	65 - 70	Yellow to Red	6 x 1.5"	Y	Y	Y		X	X	X	X	X	X	
Pepper Yellow Bell, Golden California Wonder	Sweet	65 - 80	Golden turns to Orange-red when ripe	4 x 5"	Y	Y		Y	X	X	X	X		X	

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