


# Prunus salicina

## 'Santa Rosa' Plum

### SANTA ROSA PLUM

'Santa Rosa' plum is a low chill hour (300-500 hrs.) variety that is reliably self-fruitful, with red-purple clingstone juicy fruits that ripen midseason. Like other self-fruitful varieties, crops will have better long-term quality, size and yield if planted with another variety for proper cross-pollination. These are vigorous growing trees with a naturally upright habit. Oval, dark green soft leaves, with bronze bark that becomes rough, and scaly with maturity. They require some limited annual pruning to maintain a healthy and productive canopy, which is done while trees are dormant in mid-winter. Organically amended soils with good drainage is best for any fruit bearing trees. Regular, supplemental deep water is needed for these plums through the hottest summer months. Trees reach maturity to start bearing fruit only 2-3 years from planting.



DESCRIPTION	
	20-25 FT. X 10-15 FT.
	FULL SUN
	USDA ZONE 5-9
	CALIFORNIA
	WHITE
	MODERATE TO HIGH
	TO -15°F