

# Tomato Production

This table shows variations in tomato production in reference to suckering practices.

	<b>No Support, No Suckering</b>	<b>Cage, No Suckering</b>	<b>Single Stem, Suckers Removed</b>
<b>Maintenance effort</b>	None	Very little	Weekly
<b>Neatness</b>	None	Some	Most
<b>Total yield</b>	High	High	Medium
<b>Number of fruit</b>	High	High	Medium
<b>Fruit size</b>	Medium	Medium	High
<b>Fruit ripening</b>	Later	Later	Earlier
<b>Disease potential</b>	Higher	Higher	Lower
<b>Slug damage</b>	More likely	More likely	Less likely