



Pepper Sweet Sunset F₁
AAS Edible Regional Winner
Regions: SE, HL, W/NW

Sweet Sunset is a compact banana pepper that is vigorous and sets a large amount of concentrated fruit. This high yielding X3R variety produces attractive colorful tasty peppers that are great fresh or canned. The compact upright plants do not require staking and can be grown in a container. This AAS Winner produces early, often and late into the season. Judges commented on the good eating quality and Sweet Sunset won the taste test in one trial site's open house!

AAS® Winner Data

Genus species: *Capsicum annuum*

Common name: Sweet banana pepper

Unique qualities: Higher yield and earlier maturing than the comparisons

Fruit size: 7.4 x 1.5 inches, 2 ounces

Fruit shape: Tapered oblong

Fruit color: Light yellow color when immature, nice red color when mature

Plant type: Annual

Plant height: 28 inches

Plant width: 28 inches

Garden location: Full sun

Garden spacing: 18-24 inches

Number of fruits: High yielding

Length of time to harvest: 85-90 days from transplanting

Closest comparisons on market: Sweet Spot and Gold Rush

Disease tolerances: Resistant to *Xanthomonas campestris* races 1-3 (X3R)

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